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Mule Colt and Horse Show Premium List

Classes and Awards Announced for Wheeler Livestock Exhibit on Saturday, Oct. 11

Compiled Monday by Bob Irons, general chairman, and County Agent Jake Tarter, secretary, the list of classes and awards to be offered in Wheeler's fourth annual Mule Colt and Horse show on Saturday, Oct. 11, has been released for publication. With practically all details complete, it now remains only for the mule and horse breeders of the community to make this another successful event, similar to previous ones. Again, as last year, sponsors of the show have decided to restrict entries to the Wheeler trade territory.

The secretary offers the following suggestions and rules:

"Livestock owners planning to compete should read the entry list

JUDGING AT 11 A. M.

All exhibitors wishing to compete for awards are advised that the closing hour for entries will be 11 o'clock a. m. Judging will begin at that hour and it would be impractical to admit entries to a class which has been judged and then go back and do the work over again, Secretary Tarter points out.

Very carefully; premiums will be awarded only as shown in the published list.

"The committee reserves the right to classify all entries. Anyone not knowing in what class an entry belongs should bring it along and the committee will correctly classify the animal.

"Each person shall be responsible for showing the animals entered by him. The committee will not be responsible for accidents or injuries to any animal while at the show, or enroute to or from same. Each animal should be either haltered or bridled."

Classes and awards:

Brood Mare, 3 years and over—1st, \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

Filly, 2 years and under 3—1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00.

Filly, 1 year and under 2—1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00.

No premium on filly or horse colt foaled in 1941.

Mule Colt, foaled in 1939—1st, \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

Mule Colt, foaled in 1940—1st, \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

Mule Colt, foaled in 1941—1st, \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

Saddle Stock

Brood Mare, 3 years and over—1st, \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

Saddle Stallion—1st, 2nd and 3rd place ribbon awards.

Saddle Animal, either sex, under 3 years—1st, 2nd and 3rd place ribbon awards.

Children's Ponies

Shetland or Kid Pony, over 3 years—1st, 2nd and 3rd place ribbon awards.

Same, under 3 years—Same awards.

The committee wishes that all animals, if possible, reach the show grounds by 10 a. m., so classification can be made in time for judging to start promptly at 11 o'clock.

Frank Stubbs, Potter county agent.

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Myers Quits Produce; Arganbright to Place

Elon Myers, manager of the Wheeler County Produce association's office here since organization of that farmer-owned enterprise which opened for business in March, 1939, this week resigned his position. Mr. and Mrs. Myers and children are leaving Friday for Twenty-Nine Palms, Calif., in hopes of benefiting Mrs. Myers' health, which has been poor in recent years.

Myers, who had wide produce and cream station experience, was joined August 13, 1939, by Narville Arganbright as assistant in operation of the plant. Arganbright himself was thoroughly experienced, having been engaged to greater or lesser extent with his father in the produce business since the age of 14. The Arganbrights sold a local station here shortly before the son became associated with the business to which he now succeeds Myers as manager.

His previous experience, combined with personal knowledge of the Wheeler County Produce plant's policies, eminently fits Arganbright for his new duties as manager of the business. Many friends in Wheeler and adjacent community will be glad to learn of Arganbright's advancement and will wish Mr. and Mrs. Myers success in their new home, together with completely restored health for Mrs. Myers.

AGED MOBEETIE CITIZEN DIES THURSDAY MORNING

James Henry Worthington, 89, prominent long-time resident of Mobeetie, passed away at his home there early Thursday morning, following an illness of about three weeks. Worthington had been a citizen of Mobeetie for more than 30 years, maintaining an important place in the life of that community as he served in both private and public activities.

Funeral services will be conducted at the First Baptist church of Mobeetie at 4:15 o'clock Friday afternoon, by Rev. Ted Ewing, pastor, assisted by A. C. Wood of Wheeler. Interment will be in the Mobeetie cemetery.

The complete obituary will appear in next week's issue of this paper.

Sunday, Oct. 5, Named China Relief Sunday

United China Relief Campaign is Given Big Boost with Gov. Stevenson an Official

The United China Relief campaign in Texas has received new impetus with the acceptance of the vice chairmanship by Gov. Coke Stevenson. Governor Stevenson is actively working with Chairman Nathan Adams in the drive to raise \$200,000 in Texas to aid the 60 million Chinese war victims who are homeless, starving and destitute as the result of the invasion of their country by Japan.

United China Relief committees are being formed in all Texas counties and hundreds of communities and it is expected that when the drive ends Oct. 15 that Texas will have contributed its full share toward the national \$5,000,000 goal for China.

Sunday, Oct. 5, will be observed as China Relief Sunday and Chairman Adams is urging all ministers in Texas to observe this Sunday in their churches and Sunday schools by taking up collections in behalf of United China Relief.

The school children of Texas are being asked to contribute toward helping the children of China who are in such desperate need. State Superintendent of Education L. A. Woods is chairman of the United China Relief committee for Texas and children will be used to buy food, clothing and medicines for suffering Chinese youngsters. On Oct. 10 will be celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of Chinese independence which will be featured by special programs and entertainments in behalf of United China Relief.

Texasans wishing to aid China are asked to send their contributions to Nathan Adams, president of the First National Bank in Dallas, and they will be acknowledged promptly.

JAMES A. HARRIS EMPLOYED IN POST VACATED BY ZORNS

James A. Harris, formerly engaged as re-check man in the Panhandle area under the farm program, was employed at a meeting this week of the county committee to take the place of B. A. Zorns as secretary of the Wheeler County Agricultural Conservation committee. The new secretary's duties started today. His home is at Bonham.

Zorns, who had held that position several years, was promoted the middle of September to office of county agent of Collingsworth county, with headquarters at Wellington.

TIMES SUBSCRIPTION RATES ADVANCED

"It had to be done sooner or later—now it's here—higher subscription rates." So reads the opening statement of an advertisement on another page of this paper announcing increased subscription rates. Continuing, the advertisement explains how advancing costs of materials, labor and other expenses connected with publishing the paper compels higher subscription rates.

But the advance is not made without fair warning. Until Nov. 1 anyone may subscribe at the old rates for as many years as they like—the longer the subscription the greater the saving. On Nov. 1 the county rate becomes \$1.50 a year and outside the county rate, \$2.00 per year. Current and back subscriptions will be at the old rate of \$1.00 in the county and \$1.50 outside until that date, with any arrears remaining at the old rate, of course.

No lower rate than the new ones announced will be made during 1942. Furthermore, if scattering subs. now in arrears are not paid within a reasonable length of time they will have to come off the list.

Large Crowd Attends Kelton's Fair Friday

Exhibits Surpass Those of Former Years in Quality and Number—Competition is Keen

With its exhibits more numerous and of better quality than ever before, the Kelton Community Fair, held at that place Friday, was declared by hundreds of visitors as the best in several years and probably "tops" in the series of six similar events sponsored by that enterprising community in as many years.

Wheeler was well represented at the fair this year, both in personal attendance and merchandise exhibits. Among the latter were the Ernest Lee Hardware, furniture and radios; Nash Appliance & Supply Co., household and farm machinery; Hubler Implement Co., implements, and Lawrence Hatchery, poultry feeds and poultry.

If every member of the huge crowd present for the all-day celebration didn't enjoy him or herself, it was their own fault. Inspection of the various exhibits of livestock, farm products, canned goods and household items was a treat in itself.

Among the entertainment features was a 6-man football game between Kelton and Dodson, Kelton winning with a score of 31-6. Following this was the home talent rodeo, which furnished its share of excitement and odds of fun for contestants and spectators. The Shamrock high school band provided music in the afternoon.

Award winners in the various divisions were as follows:

Horses and Mules

Draft Mares, single—S. W. Whiteley, 1st; A. B. Pond, 2nd and 3rd.

Draft Mares, pair—A. B. Pond, 1st; Mrs. G. E. Robertson, 2nd; Henry Hink, 3rd.

Draft Horses, single—Charlie Whiteley, 1st; Loyd Bullock, 2nd and 3rd.

Draft Horses, pair—Loyd Bullock, 1st and 2nd; C. P. Anderson, 3rd.

Grand Champion Draft Horse—Leonard Mills, 1st; Charlie Whiteley, 2nd.

Draft Horse, 2 yrs. old—Leonard Mills, 1st.

Draft Mare, 2 yrs. old—Charlie Whiteley, 1st; Leonard Mills, 2nd.

Draft Colt—Charlie Whiteley, 1st.

Draft Colt, 1 yr. old—Charlie Whiteley, 1st and 2nd.

Mule Colt—Leonard Mills, 1st; Floyd Mooney, 2nd and 3rd.

Saddle Horse—David Britt, 1st; Buck Britt, 2nd; Loyd Bullock, 3rd.

Cattle

Milk Cow—C. C. Brown, 1st; Albert Johnson, 2nd; Henry Hink, 3rd.

Jersey Bull Calf—Albert Johnson, 1st; Ed Henderson, 2nd.

Jersey Heifer Calf—Murray Sanders, 1st.

Hereford Bull—Buster Walsler, 1st.

Durham Bull—Bert Welsh, 1st.

Farm Products

Red Milo—J. F. Rathjen, 1st; T. J. Clay, 2nd; Cully Watson, 3rd.

Quadron Milo—J. L. Henderson, 1st.

Redtop Cane, heads—John Baird, 1st.

Kafir Corn—Ed Garner, 1st; J. F. Rathjen, 2nd; Floyd Carver, 3rd.

Hegari—John Dabery, 1st; Harold Mixon, 2nd; Ben Pope, 3rd.

Yellow Corn—T. J. Clay, 1st; Cully Watson, 2nd; W. F. Rives, 3rd.

White Corn—Tobe Frye, 1st; W. F. Rives, 2nd; John Baird, 3rd.

June Corn—J. F. Rathjen, 1st; Barney Stansell, 2nd; Ed Henderson, 3rd.

Honeydrip Cane—J. A. Tucker, 1st; L. W. Davidson, 2nd.

Seeded Ribbon Cane—Cully Watson, 1st; Ben Pope, 2nd; Joe Henderson, 3rd.

Redtop Cane, bundle—C. T. Brittain, 1st; Leonard Mills, 2nd; T. B. Killingsworth, 3rd.

Sudan Grass—Tommy Killingsworth, 1st.

Hegari, bundle—Ed Henderson, 1st; Ervin Hink, 2nd; Charlie Whiteley, 3rd.

Best Stalk Cotton—Ralph Harris, 1st; T. J. Austin, 2nd; E. C. Usrey, 3rd.

Best 20 Bolls Cotton—J. L. Henderson, 1st; J. D. Futch, 2nd; L. W. Davidson, 3rd.

Best Family Booth—Mrs. Clarence Killingsworth, 1st; Mrs. Barney Stansell, 2nd; Mrs. Bailey Whiteley, 3rd.

John O. Stovall, county agent of Hemphill county, judged the livestock and V. E. Hafner, county agent of Childress county, judged the farm products.

Women's Department

Judges—Mrs. J. M. Tindall, Mrs. Charlie Brothers and Mrs. J. A. Winchester.

Applied Quilt—Mrs. M. E. Fox, 1st; Mrs. Walter Davidson, 2nd.

Pieced Quilt—Mrs. Bailey Whiteley, 1st; Mrs. Walter Davidson, 2nd.

Crochet Bedspread—Mrs. Wilburn

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Mustangs Grid Squad Going to Clarendon

Will Meet Bronchos There Friday Night—Drop Opener Here to Wellington, 18-0

The Wheeler Mustangs gridiron squad will meet the Clarendon Bronchos there tomorrow, Friday, night in the second game of the season for the local boys. The Clarendon team is expected to give the Mustangs a hard fight, but the Wheeler lads have confidence of winning their second conference tilt.

The Bronchos lost a conference game to the stalwart Lefors Pirates last Friday night, 26-6, while the Wheeler team took the short end of an 18-0 score in a hard battle with the Wellington 'Rockets.

Anyone who saw the game here, however, will readily admit the score does not do justice to it, especially the fine showing made by the Mustangs. It should be remembered this was their first game of any kind for the season, while their opponents had scrimmaged one squad and played one or two non-conference games.

Wheeler's performance here Friday night needs no alibi. Several of the lads were playing their first game, while the more experienced members of the team were badly in need of practice. Outstanding points of their behavior were enthusiasm, spirit, determination and good sportsmanship. Much credit for their exhibition of these highly commendable qualities is due Gordon Phillips, pinch-hitting coach, who took charge of the boys at the 11th hour when little time remained to round them into playing condition.

Phillips, speaking in behalf of himself and team, voices keen appreciation of the support extended by Wheeler and community to this year's football boys. The crowd Friday night was good, everything considered, and most spectators enjoyed the game, although Wheeler fans would naturally have preferred a victory for their team.

Far from being a "push-over" or horse race, the 'Rockets had to extend themselves throughout the contest. Wellington scored once in the initial period and again in the third and fourth quarters. Thompson made two of the tallies and Goodner picked up the other courier.

Wheeler made a serious scoring threat in the first quarter, advancing to the Wellington 10-yard stripe, but the 'Rockets intercepted a pass and broke up the Mustangs' advance. Wellington rolled up 10 first downs to Wheeler's two.

Outstanding on the Wheeler eleven were Craig, Whitener, Johnson and L. and C. Pendleton.

Loss of Craig, due to a badly lacerated hand, will be keenly felt in the Clarendon game tomorrow night, but the boys intend to give a good account of themselves and do their best to win—and Wheeler admirers know they will do their best at all times.

NEGRO BOOTLEGGERS GIVEN FINE ON PLEA OF GUILTY

Setler Brown, Shamrock negro bootlegger, was tried in county court here Wednesday. On a plea of guilty to the charge, a fine of \$100 and costs, amounting to \$124.20, was assessed by County Judge D. A. Hunt.

Bob Rodgers has been suffering from a severe case of tonsillitis.

THE GREAT JEFFERSONIA AND COMPANY COMING TO WHEELER MONDAY, TUESDAY

The Great Jeffersonia and his entire company of trained assistants will present two programs of odd and baffling mysteries here in a tent theatre Monday and Tuesday nights, Oct. 6 and 7, starting at 8 p. m.

You will also see and hear the Guthrie Trio, with it hill-billy music. Leon Guthrie of screen and radio, known as the Oklahoma Yodeling Cowboy, direct from Hollywood, Calif., will sing the good old songs of the range and hills.

Jeffersonia and Allene, his lady assistant, will perform mystery after mystery in rapid succession. Among some of the larger mysteries will be Allene, his assistant, placed under complete hypnotic control and made to float in mid-air while a large hoop will be passed completely over and around her body, proving that while she is under the influence that hypnotism is superior to gravity and weight.

Another act is the great Houdini trunk escape. You will also see the mysterious floating light bulb.

Don't miss seeing this fine, clean entertainment; seeing is believing. Plenty of comfortable free seats. This show's appearance here is sponsored by the American Legion.

TWO LOCAL MEN ATTEND HUGE BORGER BARBECUE

A. B. Crump and C. G. Miller of Wheeler were among the crowd of approximately 500 specially invited guests attending a huge barbecue sponsored by the Huber Oil corporation in honor of Dave Warren, president of the Texas Press association, and Gov. Coke Stevenson last Saturday evening. The event was given at the golf club grounds, a short distance southwest of Borger.

Another distinguished guest besides Warren and Gov. Stevenson was Congressman Gene Worley, who has been visiting the past week or more in his district. A large number of newspapermen from the Panhandle and South Plains area were also in attendance.

Many men prominent in business, civic and political circles were among those enjoying the barbecue, which comprised an abundance of delicious foods and choice refreshments.

Names of Next Squad Selectees Announced

Five More Men Scheduled to Leave Wheeler on Oct. 9 to Reach Camp by Following Day

Names of five more selective service men from Wheeler county, scheduled to leave here on Oct. 9 in order to reach camp by the required date of Oct. 10, have been released by C. R. Weatherly, secretary of the local Selective Service board.

The men and their addresses are as follows:

Howard Edward Compton, No. S-404, Wheeler.

Joseph Madison Birdwell, No. 416, Lela.

Delmar Clarence Newman, No. 426, Mobeetie.

Herman David Langley, No. 430, Shamrock.

Travis L. Rives, No. 451, Twitty.

Up to this afternoon no further calls for men from this county had been received at the local office.

The last previous group from this county going to training camp left on Sept. 25 and consisted of three men.

Car Owners Must Get Certificates of Title

T. L. Gunter, tax assessor and collector of Wheeler county, is conscientiously and thoroughly notifying all motor vehicle owners that they must secure certificates of title on their vehicles in the near future as operation of the motors on the highways after Jan. 1, 1942, will be a violation of the law.

This law does not apply to automobiles which were purchased new prior to Jan. 1, 1936.

Under the provision of the Certificate of Title act, it will not be possible for a person to file an application of title and register his vehicle at the same time. Owner shall make application for and be granted a certificate of title, and the filing of an application for certificate of title does not necessarily mean that a title will be issued.

Any automobile sold or encumbered in this state after Oct. 1, 1939, must be titled regardless of the date it was originally purchased.

The Wednesday Study club will meet next week with Mrs. T. C. Harless at Magic City.

Checks for Cotton Parity Reach Here

Receipts Wednesday and Thursday Total 1,306 Vouchers With Value of \$60,102.29

The first installment of cotton parity payments for this fall, arriving Wednesday, consisted of 1,012 vouchers valued at \$43,197.34. The second lot of checks, numbering 294 and calling for \$16,904.95, arrived in this morning's mail.

Total receipts to date, therefore, are 1,306 vouchers with a total value of \$60,102.29.

According to information released by the county agent's office this season's total number of parity checks will be approximately 2,100, with a combined value of nearly \$100,000. Thus, the amount received so far this week represents close to two-thirds of the entire sum expected.

These payments always bring a feeling of encouragement to Wheeler county farmers, especially in bad crop years. But even in the present instance, when numerous hazards have beset them—and with some hurdles yet to go—farmers find this help quite welcome.

As indicated, barring an unusually early frost or some other misfortune which might occur, the present season boasts the best crop that Wheeler county has produced in a number of years. Good yields, so far, are not confined to limited lines, but include everything grown on farms of this region with the possible exception of cotton, which needs a little more time in which to mature.

Fruit, which does not always "hit" here, was a bumper crop; field corn, with poor yields in recent years, is fine this season; row crops of all kinds are exceptionally good. One discordant note occurred in the county's limited acreage of wheat, which was damaged around harvest time by excessive rains.

Pastures and meadows have given the best results in many years throughout the season, and practically all land is coated with a good covering of vegetation which will discourage winter and spring soil blowing such as experienced in recent years.

With its good crops, plus government payments of various kinds to its farmers, Wheeler county is away out in front this year.

LOCAL PEOPLE RETURN FROM MONTH'S CALIFORNIA VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lesser of Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lafon of Mangum, Okla., returned home Friday from Sebastopol, Calif., where they visited their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Lesser; also the Lessers daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hobby Hodges, and daughter, Shirley, at Arvin, Calif. The party had spent nearly a month on the coast.

They stopped on their return home Friday at Laketon, and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Williams and little son.

List of Awards Made at County Club Fair

Annual Event Declared One of the Largest Ever Held—Over 800 Entries in Two Groups

Approximately 800 entries were made in the recent Women's Home Demonstration Club fair, including those of senior club members and 4-H club girls.

High point club girl was Dorothy Mertel, Pakan, with a total of 122 points. Other high scoring 4-H club girls were Ladell Atherton, 60 points; Rozena Helton, 22 points; Adella Cadra, 14 points, and Joy Williams, 12 points.

In the women's division Mrs. Jess Crowder scored 109 points; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 79 points; Mrs. Glenn King, 70 points; Mrs. J. E. Willard, 24 points, and Mrs. Hester Dodson, 24 points.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT

Food and Canned Products

Peas—Mrs. Gus Wegner (snap) 2nd; Mrs. Hester Dodson (shelled) 2nd; Mrs. Glenn F. King (shelled) 2nd.

Other Vegetables—Mrs. Jess Crowder, mixed, beet pickles, English peas, 1st; carrots, lima beans, 2nd; Mrs. Glenn F. King, pumpkin, English peas, 1st; carrots, 3rd; Mrs. T. C. Harless, carrots, lima beans, English peas, 1st; mixed 2nd.

Beets—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.

Tomatoes—Mrs. Grover Copeland, 1st; Mrs. Paul Macina, 2nd.

Green Beans—Mrs. J. E. Willard,

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DEMOCRACY

We have seen many conflicting utterances regarding Europe's war. Among them the Fascist philosophy that man exists for the state, and the contrasting idea of democracy that the state exists for and is the creature of man. We may here ask why any institution should be regarded as sacred, except as it has sacredness bestowed upon it through its service to mankind.

It was said long ago that the "Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath." This statement may be universalized. Every institution on earth—marriage, the family, schools, the church, the state—was made for him, and not man for the institution. Why should we perpetuate any institution that does not serve life?

Kant, the great German philosopher, voiced the principle: "Always treat humanity, whether in thine own person or that of another, as an end withal, and never as a means only." One wonders what he would think of the present German ideology, were he here today!

An organization or institution is only a machine, an instrument for a purpose. Thus always it is a means, never an end; its value lies in serving its purpose. So the whole existing order must justify itself. Where it rests on forms of injustice, it must be broken or destroyed, and there is no reason to fear the result of its break-up.

There was never a "divine right of kings," though the fallacy was forced upon the people of the world for centuries. There is no divine right of a class or a caste, though there are those in less advanced stages of civilization today who think so. There is no divine right of one nationality to rule another, although Hitler has established a military despotism on the fallacy.

The principle is universal; the institution of private property, the controlling power of corporations, the much berated capitalistic system, even the state itself, in every form—all are vested interests that may be perpetuated to continue in the exercise of power only as they prove superior to other forms in serving the common good.

This does not mean that, under democracy the individual shall fail of sacrifice and the dedication to something higher than himself. That is the glory of life, transfiguring human nature; and without it, life sinks to sordid selfishness. Your life is worth, not what you have, but what you are, and what you are is determined by that to which you dedicate yourself.

There must ever be the capacity for self-forgetfulness, self-sacrifice, the dedication of life to supreme aims; but these do not mean dedication of the individual to the institution. The institution is merely the means of fulfillment, not the end. Man for the state is autocracy and imperialism; man for mankind is the soul of democracy.

ROGUE THEATRE

Lloyd Nolan Mary Beth
NOLAN HUGHES

Dressed to Kill

A fast-moving, suspense-filled show you are going to like—Don't miss it!

Fri.-Sat. Oct. 3-4 Sat. Mat.

Henry Fonda Joan Bennett
FONDA BENNETT

Wild Geese Calling

with WARREN WILLIAM
ONA MUNSON

From the book by Stewart Edward White—it is one of the best pictures of the year!

Pre.-Sun.-Mon. Oct. 4-5-6

John Wayne Betty Field Harry Carey
Wayne Field Carey

HAROLD BELL WRIGHT'S Shepherd of the Hills

IN TECHNICOLOR
Thousands have read this great book—the picture is even better—Come see it!

Wed. Oct. 8-9 Thurs.

ROBBING THE NEST



BEGIN AT HOME

Fire Prevention week will be observed from Oct. 5 to 11 this year. And every community in America, from the biggest metropolis down to the tiniest village, should participate. Now, as never before, fire prevention is a public duty. For fire prevention is of great and direct service to national defense.

What most of us fail to realize is that it is the cumulative total of relatively small fires which is responsible for the bulk of this country's shameful fire waste. Fire prevention, to be successful, must literally begin at home. Defective furnaces, defective wiring, accumulations of paper and rubbish, improperly stored flammable liquids, such as paint and cleaning solvents, matches, cigarettes—such little things as these are the cause of hundreds of millions of dollars of fire loss. A little knowledge, a little effort and a little money will make your home safe.

From the community point of view, one essential protection against fire is a modern building code. These codes should be up to the highest standard, and should make such hazards as the existence of fire traps impossible. Equally important, they are of small use unless they are rigidly enforced—and enforced without fear or favor. A code which is a dead letter because of lack of enforcement is as bad as no code at all. During Fire Prevention week, every citizen should take advantage of the opportunity that will be offered to learn the causes of fires—and how they may be prevented. Then, apply what you have learned. Do it at home, and do it at work. It will save you money—and it may save life. And it may save valuable materials and resources which are so sorely needed now for defense. Let's make 1941 the year in which this country solves the problem of preventable fire.

F. D. R. ON FOREIGN POLICY

The president's fourth article in the current issue of Collier's magazine discusses the broad field of foreign policy in a battling world and is remarkable for one thing, a frank confession of error, the first so far as this newspaper is aware that Roosevelt has ever made.

There have been numerous occasions when he has reversed policy and too many when he has made unbased assertions, but for these instances, he has not hitherto offered explanation.

Now, in regard to the Neutrality act, particularly the arms embargo feature, the president says: "Although I approved this legislation when it was passed originally and when it was extended from time to time, I have regretted my action."

It is clear from his detailed and accurate explanation of why the arms embargo has worked against us instead of for us, that repeal of at least this provision is one of the changes that he now desires in the Neutrality act. His big guns are unloosened on congressional opposition that refused to make this change when he asked it in 1939, a fact which the president thinks hastened, if it did not start, the European war.

One could wish for clearer explanations than Roosevelt accords in this article. He declares that the certainty of the war could be seen as early as 1936 when the Nazis marched into the Rhineland. But he does not say why he did not then take the country into his confidence and insist on complete rearmament, initiation of which this country delayed until late in 1940.

Meantime, Roosevelt's personal efforts at appeasement were based on proposals of disarmament which the seer who in 1936 knew war was certain must have known would be ignored.

Plaintively, the president recalls his ringing "quarantine speech" at Chicago, in October, 1937. "I sug-

gested that something be done about the then existing 'reign of terror' and 'international lawlessness' . . . This suggestion fell upon deaf ears—even hostile and resentful ears. It was hailed as warmongering; it was condemned as attempted intervention in foreign affairs."

The quarantine speech was clearly intended to keynote the invocation of the nine-power pact at Brussels, but as soon as the pacifist bloc began to shout warmonger, the president hastened to explain that he had only mediation in mind and resorted so quickly to the silence of the clam, that Cordell Hull over at the state department was left out on a limb.

It was many a day before the president donned fighting clothes again. Had he lacked courage or conviction? He does not say. But unmistakably had he adhered to his rugged quarantine speech leadership, he could have mobilized this country against the forces of aggression. He could have stopped Japan and Italy cold in Manchuria and Ethiopia. Hitler might never have started.

FEAR ENGENDERS A PLAN

No serious consideration can be given, of course, to the idea which is developing some quiet support in Washington, to call off the 1942 elections. The constitution does not permit such a procedure, and the proponents of the plan have no way to get around that document. Nevertheless, says the Daily Oklahoman:

According to published reports from Washington, a way to protect ambitious congressmen from incensed voters has been evolved by the capital's wise men. It is being proposed that all elections for 1942 be called off and all officials who face an electoral test be continued in office by unanimous consent. Renew the old war cry that it is dangerous to change horses in the middle of the stream. Convince the people that it would be exceedingly dangerous to try to hold an election when the very life of the republic may be in danger. Postpone the elections until the national emergency shall have passed. Retain present congressmen for the duration.

Back of the nebulous plan, according to the Oklahoman, is the recollection of votes cast on two recent measures, the revenue bill and the bill to extend the period of military service. Supporters of these bills made many enemies among the voters, they are aware, and doubtless some of them would like to avoid giving the voters an opportunity to express their resentment at the polls.

The chances are that the preposterous idea will not get far beyond the whispering stage. There may be trouble ahead in 1942 for some congressmen, but it is as a summer evening's breeze compared to the tornado of wrath that would result from any open proposal to interrupt normal processes of democracy.—Wichita Falls Times.

It would be nice to accept the happy view entertained by the Texas daily, but this paper believes there is greater significance involved than appears at first glance. It has all the earmarks of a trial balloon to learn public reaction. Many congressmen, lacking the prestige of higher officials and who will have to answer for their sins at the hands of the voters next year, no doubt wish it were an accomplished fact. Their plight is of little consequence.

But if it should succeed next year, the question—like Thanksgiving—would be settled two years later. Judging by their attitude, a majority of the people would approve dispensing with future presidential elections.

Maybe it wouldn't be such a bad idea, at that. Discontinuance of that antiquated farce would at least let the country know what to expect and avoid the expense and unrest now recurring every four years.

Pertinent Paragraphs from Panhandle Press

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

Digging was resumed last week on the oil well started on the Kleen land in section 120, and shut down over a year ago after drillers had gone down 1,800 feet. The drillers are running a 10 inch casing, and intend to finish the test to 5,500 feet. J. B. Slade is co-operator with Fred DeVore of Amarillo. A considerable number of land leases surrounding the well are selling, reported Slade.—Tulia Herald.

In the big mound just north of J. W. Cayler's farm home and barns has appeared a honeycombed labyrinth of underground cavities that for some reason or other nature has just now decided to open. Just last week, Cayler noticed where the surface has apparently given away, the top soil falling some six feet, opening up a crack about two feet wide and six or eight feet long. The Cayler farm is 16 miles northeast of Perryton in Beaver county, Okla.—Ochiltree County Herald.

That the Phillips 6,500-foot oil test nine miles south of Silverton in Briscoe county will be spudded in soon was indicated in reports and rumors here yesterday. However, it was not known locally whether a date for beginning the well had been set. Several members of the drilling crew had begun to arrive Tuesday and yesterday and a number of them had taken up residence here last night. No tests have been made previously anywhere near this vicinity.—Donley County Leader.

J. R. Ogle, I. O. O. F. grand master for the state of Texas, who was a guest of the Canadian lodge last Tuesday, carried mail out of that city to Hamburg, Okla., 30 years ago. Those winters were cold. He said he left Canadian one morning when it was 14 degrees below zero. His horsepower was two small mules that one could almost jump over, as he expressed it. He is now an attorney at Wichita Falls.—Canadian Record.

In times like these, it is good to drive again along the country roads; to see the fine fields of feed, some of it already in the shock, and the cotton, just beginning to open; to watch sleek fat horses and cows standing with their heads over the fence, or grazing slowly. It is well to see these things and to know that this is the liberty and the things worth defending.—Deskins Wells in Wellington Leader.

J. V. Humphries, 51, former resident of Miami, passed away at his home in Meridian, Miss., Saturday, Sept. 20, after being in ill health for a period of about five years. He was reared in Roberts county and is well known to the old time settlers. The deceased is survived by his wife, a daughter and two step daughters, five sisters and two brothers, three sisters living here.—Miami Chief.

Millions of good citizens in this country have watched the various government investigations of Harry Bridges, alien Pacific coast labor leader, and alleged communist. Deportation proceedings against him have been hanging fire for years. The Federal Bureau of Investigation has completed its job of presenting evidence to the department of justice for deportation, and yet no action is taken.—Higgins News.

I have heard of Little Nell, Good Time Nells, and Darling Nellie Grey, but W. Coffee pulled a new one on me today. I stuck my head in the office and asked him what he was doing. He looked up, brushed a loose strand of hair out of his eyes and said, "I am busier Nell."—Briscoe County News.

The Paducah Lions club at its luncheon in the Cottle hotel Thursday unanimously approved the city council's proposal to construct a municipal telephone exchange in Paducah. Lions said the present system serving Paducah and Cottle county was inadequate, especially in the rural communities, and commended city officials for planning a municipal exchange.—Paducah Post.

When the wind turned from the north yesterday, grasshoppers started landing in Canyon by the thousands. Buildings facing the south were soon covered with hoppers. The sidewalks were soon smeared up as pedestrians smashed the insects. The hoppers have been traveling with the wind, first south and then back north.—Canyon News.

Despite the fact that many people use the term incorrectly, the name of the various athletic teams of Memphis high school is Cyclone, not Cyclones. The plural and singular forms of the term are the same—just plain Cyclone and not Cyclones, even when speaking of more than one member of the team.—Memphis Democrat.

Burglars Monday night entered Streu Hardware store, making a haul valued at about \$150. Entry

was made from the roof of the building south of the Streu store, the burglar having broken the wire on a window on the third floor, then breaking the glass on the top window pane, unlocking the window, and cutting the wire on the inside to get into the building. The man took two saddles, some harness and saddle blankets.—Hereford Brand.



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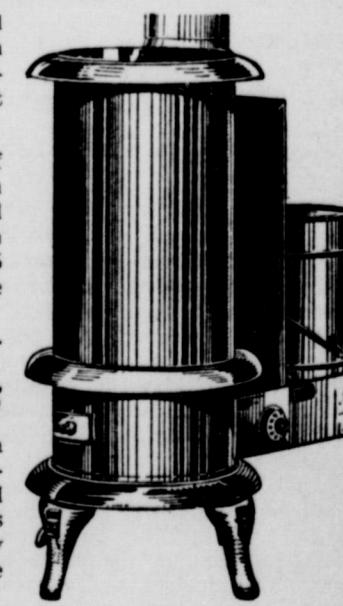
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RADIOS—HARDWARE—IMPLEMENTS—PAINT

Local News Items

Mrs. Dick Craig and sons, F. B. and Lewis, motored to Shamrock Sunday and attended a show.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Frye at their ranch northeast of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie and son, Marion Lee, spent Sunday evening in Erick, Okla., with Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Guthrie and son, Gail.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Walser and Mrs. T. T. Patterson and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anglin and daughters, Lois and Billie Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fillingim, Amarillo, came Sunday and spent the day with her mother, Mrs. S. P. Hodnett, and sister, Mrs. R. E. Pierce, and Mr. Pierce, Dallas.

Mrs. Grady Camp and daughters, Barbara Jean and Sharon Lee, of Amarillo spent Saturday near Wheeler with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Irons, and sister, Miss Pauline.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Woosley and son, James, of Borger and Mrs. R. A. Greenhouse and children of Briscoe were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greenhouse and daughter, Miss Dorothy.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Gilliam and daughter, Miss Betty, of Dodson came Wednesday and visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilliam. Mrs. Gilliam accompanied them to the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo and remained until today.

W. E. Bowen and Bill May of Lubbock went to Elk City, Okla., Tuesday and attended the stock sale. Ray Mason, who has been working at the Bowen Implement store the past month, looked after the business while Mr. Bowen was away.

Mrs. L. J. Denham, who has been staying in Wheeler at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Lonnie Lee, for several weeks was able to be taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Tinney, south of town Wednesday.

R. Irons returned Thursday night from a business and pleasure trip to Dallas where he visited his nephew, Lonnie Stringfellow, and family. He also went to Cumby and Sulphur Springs. Floyd Morris, Briscoe, took Mr. Irons to Dallas.

Atty. D. O. Beene spent the week end in Amarillo with his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Scott, and children, Glenda and Bryan, while Mrs. Beene is looking after her corn crop near Farris, Okla., and visiting relatives at Atoka, Okla.

Miss Mary O'Gorman of Oklahoma City spent Monday and Tuesday in Wheeler with her sister, Miss Clare O'Gorman. Miss O'Gorman came Monday of last week to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger O'Gorman, near Twitty.

C. W. Erickson of Briscoe was in Wheeler Wednesday, attending to business and visiting with friends. Mr. Erickson makes his home with his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zybach. He returned home Thursday of last week from Longmont, Colo., where he had spent the summer with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tolliver of Mangum, Okla., came Sunday, to see his sister, Mrs. H. J. Garrison, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Griffin spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee McDowell, and children west of Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Watts and daughter, Judith Kay, of Borger were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Mattie Womack, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roper and son, Donald Wayne, Mobeetie, were in Wheeler Wednesday shopping and visited Mrs. J. B. Roper and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Roper and children.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bowen and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill May, of Lubbock were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Creed Petree and children, near Canadian.

Mrs. Clarence Lee and son, Roy, of Mobeetie were in Wheeler Wednesday attending to business and were dinner guests of Mrs. I. B. Lee and visited with their daughter and sister, Miss Arlie Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pierce of Dallas came Friday and visited her mother, Mrs. S. P. Hodnett, until Sunday afternoon when Mrs. W. O. Miller accompanied them to Dallas where she will remain with her daughter, Mrs. Hoyt Judy, for a while.

Mrs. F. M. Robison of Corn Valley returned home Thursday of last week from Morton, where she visited her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robison, and son, Gerald. Mrs. Clarence Robison and Mrs. Harry Tolliver brought Mrs. Robison home and returned to Morton that night.

Jowett Jottings

(By Oviline Bruton)

Mr. and Mrs. Farmer Hefley and sons, Richard and Jack, visited in the A. D. Barry home at Briscoe Sunday.

Mrs. Farmer Hefley of this community received the Appreciation Day dividend award at Wheeler Saturday.

Jack and Rosemary Finsterwald visited their grandfather, A. Finsterwald, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Finsterwald visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Murrell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Clepper were guests in the R. L. Seitz home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. French Bristow visited relatives and friends in Borger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Martin of Wheeler were Sunday dinner guests in the Milton Wilson home.

A. W. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. William McCleary were Sunday dinner guests in the H. E. Matthews home.

Marie Finsterwald spent Saturday night with Marge Bruton.

Miss Oviline Bruton visited Mrs. Johnny Langwell at Briscoe Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Keeton and children of Lefors visited Sunday in the J. P. Keeton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyson of Pampa spent Saturday night in the C. C. Dyson home, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Langwell and sons, J. B. and Lawrence, were Monday afternoon callers in the R. T. Bruton home.

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BANKS

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

of THE CITIZENS STATE BANK

at Wheeler, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 24th day of September, 1941, published in the Wheeler Times, a newspaper printed and published at Wheeler, State of Texas, on the 2nd day of October, 1941.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$140,969.71
Loans secured by real estate	2,231.00
Overdrafts	666.02
Bills of Exchange (cotton)	189.00
Banking House	2,310.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	2.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	91,427.27
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	19,484.08
TOTAL	\$257,280.08

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 20,000.00
Surplus Fund	20,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	7,262.68
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	10,305.65
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	199,711.75
TOTAL	\$257,280.08

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wheeler:

We, D. E. Holt, as President and R. D. Holt, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

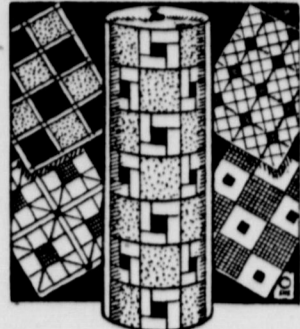
D. E. HOLT, President,
R. D. HOLT, Cashier.

(Seal)

CORRECT—ATTEST:

R. J. HOLT, BUCK BRITT, J. H. CAPERTON, Directors.
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BRISCOE BRONCO

News of Briscoe school activities, community happenings and other matters of interest and information, compiled for The Wheeler Times by the student body and faculty members of the Briscoe schools.

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Sophomore—Joyce Sorensen
Freshman—Wayne McDonald
Seventh Grade—Coleen Wood
Sports Reporters—
Thelma Hefley, Melvin Helton
The Tattler—Unseen, only at times, and heard very much.
Faculty Advisor—Mrs. W. M. Wood

"Spunk"

Spunk is the battering ram that penetrates many a massive wall. For many years a certain lady, a farmer's wife, drove a milk wagon for two miles in the early morning through the streets of her town. She had raised eight children and 13 grandchildren.

Luck came to her finally; all the boys and girls were married and this grandma found herself with too much time on her hands. All her life she had wanted to study music. She took her first lesson in violin playing after she was 56. Her friends laughed at her.

Then she took up the harmonica, the saxophone, the trumpet, the clarinet and the Hawaiian guitar. Not being satisfied with these, she improvised an instrument made of a number of bottles filled with water and tuned to the scale. She imitated many musicians that she had heard. Her music might not please everyone but that has very little to do with the case.

If half of the American young people had anything like the spunk of this old lady in striving for their ideals, there would be far more musical successes and fewer failures and far more successes in life because the right kind of "spunk" develops character.

MARY EVELYN WOOD, Senior.

Conduct

Many students are thoughtless and careless of the way they act in the halls, in assembly, at noon and other places. Do you want visitors to think we are not well educated boys and girls? Let's ask ourselves these questions:

"Do I slam my locker door? Am I always friendly to people who visit our school? Do I always speak to my schoolmates and teachers and wish them a good morning? Do I co-operate with the school? Do I always give my attention to the assembly program? And last, "Do I do unto others as I would have them do unto me?"

I wonder if many students have thought of the Golden Rule as they should. If we would follow the Golden Rule, it would be hard for us to be discourteous to anyone.

Let's make Briscoe school stand out more clearly as a well educated group by making the Golden Rule our motto.

THELMA HEFLEY, Junior.

Homemakers' News and Views

A dash of color here and a splash of color there and a heap of paper patterns, both here and there, is a scene that meets all eyes entering the sophomore class. The girls are beginning work on their school clothes. Many of them think it will be fun; yet others look at all those pieces in grave bewilderment, wondering just how they will manage to get the puzzle to fit.

Despite this doubt that at first came upon them, the girls move on like veterans in the trade. In fact, some of them are already looking forward to wearing the first dress they have ever made.

If one peeps in and sees the array of prints, it can easily be seen the girls really have a taste for color; one would see bright gay prints of reds, blues, pinks, greens and yellows. Every print is gay and pretty but every girl thinks she has the prettiest and smartest that could be purchased.

SIX WEEKS HONOR ROLL

First Grade

A's—Martha Lou Barnett, Wilona Green, Jane Ann Zybach; A's and B's—Bobby King Helton, Joann Childress.

Second Grade

A's—Armeda Aderholt, Wynola Childress, Patricia Reeves, Tolene Parker, Eddie Bristow; A's and B's—Thomas Roy Helton, James Wilson, Vendall Treadwell, Jackie Daughtry.

Third Grade

A's—Franklin Venable, Richard Ledbetter, Mary Jo McNeill, Joy Bell Reed, Joyzelle Daughtry; A's and B's—Loretta Murray.

Fourth Grade

Roberta Zybach, Helen Ruth Childress, Jeddie Mae Bristow, Margaret Kite, Dorothy Brotherton.

Fifth Grade

Betty Jo Standlee, Thurman Horn.

Sixth Grade

Iris and Juanita Clepper, Irma Jean Lee, Bobby R. Zybach, Viva Lee Hogue.

Seventh Grade

Eddie George, Kirk Kite.

Freshmen

A's—Ewing Barnett; B's—Mary Ruth Evans, Lottie Marie Zybach, Audie Lee, Sammie Lee Dougherty, Bobbie Candler.

Sophomores

A's—Billy Jean Baird, Doyle Ramsey, Joyce Sorensen, R. L. Zybach; B's—Jimmy Venable, R. H. Johnson.

Juniors

A's—Melvin Helton, Thelma Hefley, Vernell Hogue, Billy Candler; B's—Kenneth Clepper, Zane Francis.

Seniors

A's—Valoree Riley, Mary Evelyn Wood; B's—Modeen Wilson.

F. H. T. to Present Program

The Future Homemakers club will present the assembly program Friday morning at 10:30.

The club will conduct its formal initiation of the eight new members into the club. Other numbers on the program will be:

Reading, Billie Jean Baird; duet, Evelyn Wood and Modeen Wilson; presentation of the ideal school costume, by six club members.

Personality of the Week

Name—Billy Candler; president of junior class, member of band and an outstanding athlete.

Age—15.
Hair—Brown.
Eyes—Blue.
Favorite Teacher—Mr. Caldwell.
Likes—To wear girls' jewelry.
Dislikes—Over-friendly girls.
Pet Expression—"Oh, shucks!"
Favorite Actor—"Mickey Rooney."
Favorite Actress—Shirley Temple.
Ambition—To be a peanut vender.
Favorite Food—Peanuts.
Ideal Girl—Blond hair, blue eyes, 5 feet 2 inches.
Prospective College—Texas A. and M.
Favorite Study—Band.

Seventh Grade Chapel Program

The seventh grade presented a pleasing chapel program Friday, consisting of flag salute, Henry Ledbetter; reading, Richard Hefley; piano duet, Coleen Wood and Mary Alice Waters; reading, Eddie George; girls' sextet, Rozena Helton, Armell and Maidell Sorensen, Coleen and Lola Fae Wood and Emilie Seedig; one-act play, seventh grade class.

Two members of the class made the honor roll and it will have more next time if we work harder.

Sophomore Scribbings

Last week was a busy one for the sophomores, who finished the first six weeks with six weeks tests.

Have you heard? The girls in this class are starting new hair styles because of damp weather. Estelle is becoming serious about marriage. Zetha was in Wheeler Saturday night. R. L. Jimmie and Doyle were laughing about basketball jackets Monday. Everyone is wondering how Inez is going to the party Thursday night. Clara Helen is collecting combs as a hobby.

Fish Happenings

Weldon Temple, Audie Lee, Bobbie Candler and Ewing Barnett were some of the Boy Scouts who enjoyed an encampment on Gageby creek Saturday night.

Sammie Lee Dougherty visited her grandmother at McLean Sunday.

Second and Third Grade News

Members of these classes are going to play "Soldiers" the rest of the year. Each month it will be possible to become captains, and all who earn at least seven gold stars as captains will be awarded a silver star at the end of school and will then become a general.

The third grade boys have challenged the fourth grade boys to a softball game for this week.

Just Imagine—

Ray Harold not being friendly. Valoree turning grey-headed. Bill Cowan talking too much. Frank not studying, the junior and sophomore classes being real friendly. Carl planning an extra good time.

Girls' 4-H Club Meets

The 4-H club girls met Sept. 16 for the purpose of electing officers, who are as follows:

Armell Sorensen, president; Ladell Atherton, vice president; Iris Clepper, secretary-treasurer; Nelda Bess Barry, reporter; Irma Jean Lee, sergeant-at-arms; Rozena Helton, hostess; Lottie Marie Zybach, parliamentarian. Sponsors are Mrs. Sonntag and Mrs. Earm Zybach.

The Snooper

Dear Snooper—Who are the junior and senior girls looking for at Pannell's? Freshmen and Sophomores.

Dear F. and S.—Could it be a tall, handsome light-headed boy from Arkansas who is staying there?

Dear Snooper—Why doesn't the junior band get along faster? Senior Band.

Dear S. B.—Could it be that they don't practice enough, as Mr. Mohr says, or are they just lazy?

Dear Snooper—What makes the notes so precious Inez receives that she hangs on to them so? J. S.

Dear J. S.—Could they be from a certain red-headed boy in the sophomore class?

Dear Snooper—Why does Alice think so much of C. H. S.; is it because of a tall, dark-headed boy who stays there a lot? Sophomore Girls.

Dear S. G.—I think that is the main idea back of it all.

Dear Snooper—What kind of code does Sammie D. and Wayne M. use now. Ewing B.

Dear Snooper—Why does Gene M. hurry for a certain seat in the bus? Edd Clepper.

Dear Snooper—Why did Anita change seats in English class Monday morning? S.

Dear Snooper—Why did Mary Ruth cry on Jack R.'s shoulder Friday night? Why did — get up and move Friday night when the lights came on? Why did Wayne Mc. seem so mad Friday night when he looked through the window? Uninterested Freshman Boy.

Dear Snooper—Why does Ewing like to go to the seventh grade room? Freshman Girl.

Dear Snooper—Why does Wayne Mc. like to look at algebra; it doesn't have any pictures—or does it? A Freshman.

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Lubbock Seed Testing Plant to Be Enlarged

Will Provide Much-Needed Service for Region's Planters Under New Texas Seed Law

"The Texas Panhandle and Plains country is one of the nation's outstanding grain producing areas," declared J. E. McDonald, state commissioner of agriculture, in announcing plans for enlarged seed testing facilities at the Department of Agriculture's branch laboratory at Texas Tech, Lubbock.

"The laboratory, under the supervision of Early J. Peltier, an expert seed analyst, last year rendered an outstanding service to the farmers, seed growers and merchants of West Texas, and with the recently enacted Texas seed law requiring all planting seed offered or exposed for sale to be tested and tagged, the laboratory is expected this year to make between 10 and 12 thousand purity and germination tests," McDonald said.

Peltier, in his annual report to the commissioner, pointed out that Johnson grass is fast becoming a definite menace and that bindweed (small flowering morning glory) is beginning to make its appearance in some samples received by the laboratory.

"Few people know how noxious the weed may become," said the commissioner. "Some encourage it as it makes a pretty blossom. However, unless destroyed as it appears, this weed will, in time, become a serious menace. It is even worse than Johnson grass, as it twines about and over any plant within reach, robbing it of air and light, while the roots below are starving the plant of food and moisture."

McDonald reported notable progress being made by the Wheat Improvement association in this section. He pointed out that laboratory tests are made free of charge at both Lubbock and Austin, and stated that he thought it vitally important that farmers should have every lot of seed tested before planting in order to continually improve the standard of wheat and other crops and keep the fields free from damaging weed seed.

Anyone wishing free purity or germination tests may address the Department of Agriculture Seed Laboratory, Texas Tech, Lubbock.

New Drivers License Issuance Is Delayed

Issuance of long-awaited new drivers licenses in Texas, scheduled to begin Oct. 1, will be delayed a week or 10 days, State Police Director Homer Garrison announced today.

Garrison said paper stock for the printing of applications and other supplies, ordered more than two months ago, have just now been received. "Several days will be required for printing and distributing the applications," he said. "We're going to get started as soon as humanly possible."

Due to be renewed by Dec. 31 are all old licenses numbered from 1 to 450,000. Licenses bearing numbers above 450,000 will be renewable at later periods.

Applications for renewal will be available from highway patrol offices, driver's license examiners, sheriff and police departments, banks and other public places, or by writing direct to the Department of Public Safety in Austin.

Applications must be executed on a typewriter or printed in ink and mailed to the department in Austin along with a 50-cent money order or cashier's check. Stamps or personal checks will not be accepted. The new licenses, good for two years, will be mailed to applicants from Austin.

Persons renewing licenses will not have to take an examination unless they have had records for traffic violations or collisions.

OCTOBER LIST OF BLUE STAMP FOOD PURCHASES ANNOUNCED

Foods available during October for purchase with blue stamps by families taking part in the Food Stamp plan in Wheeler county, were announced today by Wynn S. Goode, local Stamp plan representative. These foods are obtainable in local stores throughout the month of October.

Fresh prunes, plums and peaches, obtainable for blue stamps during September, are not listed for October.

With this revision, the complete list of "blue stamp foods" for the period Oct. 1 through Oct. 31 in all Stamp plan areas is as follows: fresh apples, oranges and pears, fresh vegetables (including potatoes), corn meal, shell eggs, raisins, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, enriched wheat flour, self-rising flour, enriched self-rising flour and whole wheat (Graham) flour.

M. D. Bullard of near Mobeetie was a Wednesday business caller in Wheeler.

Mrs. Wylie Davis and children, Mobeetie, and Mrs. Leroy Williams, Laketon, were in Wheeler Saturday shopping.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS KELTON'S FAIR FRIDAY

(Continued from Page One)

Reeves, 1st; Mrs. V. M. Lollar, 2nd; Mrs. Edgar Blocker, 3rd. Appliqued Quilt Top—Mrs. M. E. Fox, 2nd.

Pieced Quilt Top—Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 2nd.

Crochet Table Cloth—Mrs. Wilburn Reeves, 1st; Mrs. W. O. Weatherly, 2nd; Mrs. Jim Calcote, 3rd.

Dresser Scarf—Mrs. George Gandy, 1st; Mrs. Claud Cox, 2nd; Oneta Joiner, 3rd.

Luncheon Cloth—Mrs. Walter Davidson, 1st; Laverne Cox, 2nd.

Vanity Set—Mrs. Claud Cox, 1st.

Embroidery and Crochet Pillow Slips—Mrs. Claud Cox, 1st.

Cutwork Pillow Slips—Mrs. C. C. Brown, 1st; Mrs. E. J. Reed, 3rd.

Crochet Trim Pillow Slips—Mrs. Lloyd Davidson, 1st; Mrs. Lloyd Davidson, 2nd; Mrs. E. J. Reed, 3rd.

Appliqued Pillow Slips—Mrs. Claud Cox, 1st.

Guest Towel—Oneta Joiner, 3rd.

Doilies—Mrs. Lloyd Davidson, 1st; Laverne Cox, 2nd; Mrs. Edgar Blocker, 3rd.

Crochet Scarf—Mrs. Claud Cox, 1st; Mrs. Frank Chilton, 2nd; Mrs. G. W. Mason, 3rd.

Drawn Work—Mrs. Walter Davidson, 1st.

Wool Crochet, Scarf—Mrs. Purnell, 1st.

Cutwork Table Cloth—Mrs. C. C. Brown, 1st; Mrs. Lloyd Davidson, 2nd.

Embroidered Bridge Cloth—Mrs. C. C. Brown, 1st.

Cup Towel—Mrs. C. C. Brown, 2nd in ladies department; Wanda Shaffer, Center 4-H club, 2nd; Neta Joyce Gipson, 3rd.

Crochet Dish Rag—Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 1st; Laverne Cox, 2nd.

Hot Potholder—Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 1st.

Crochet Infant's Jacket—Mrs. M. E. Reed, 1st.

Apron—Evelyn Hembree and Neta Joyce Gipson, Center 4-H club, tied 3rd.

Cucumber Pickles—Oleta Carver and Patsy Nell Wright, Center 4-H club, tied 1st; Mrs. E. P. Joiner and Mrs. Charlie Brittain, tied 1st; Mrs. Jim Henderson and Mrs. C. P. Anderson, tied 2nd; Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 3rd.

Dill Pickles—Mrs. White Whiteley, 1st.

Beet Pickles—Wanda Shaffer and Patsy Nell Wright, Center 4-H club, tied 1st; Mrs. Jim Henderson and Mrs. Charlie Brittain, tied 1st.

Bread and Butter Pickles—Mrs. John Daberry, 1st.

Corn Relish—Mrs. Barney Stansell, 1st; Wanda Shaffer, 2nd.

Shelled Beans—Mrs. Barney Stansell and Mrs. Jim Henderson, tied 1st; Mrs. John Daberry, 2nd; Mrs. E. P. Joiner, 3rd; Wanda Shaffer, 4-H club, 3rd.

Snap and Shelled Beans—Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 3rd.

Snapped Beans—Mrs. Jim Henderson, 1st; Mrs. John Daberry, 2nd; Mrs. E. P. Joiner, 3rd.

Butter Beans—Mrs. John Daberry, 1st; Wanda Shaffer, 4-H club, 2nd.

Shelled Peas—Mrs. E. P. Joiner and Mrs. Jim Henderson, tied 2nd; Mrs. Walter Davidson, 3rd.

Snapped Peas—Mrs. Barney Stansell, 1st; Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 3rd.

Sweet Potatoes—Mrs. John Daberry, 1st.

Potatoes and Beans—Evelyn Vinson, Center 4-H club, 1st.

Soup—Mrs. Charlie Brittain, 3rd.

Corn—Patsy Nell Wright, 4-H club, 1st; Mrs. Walter Davidson, 1st.

Tomatoes—Mrs. Barney Stansell, 1st; Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 3rd; Wanda Shaffer, 4-H club, 3rd.

Canned Okra—Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 1st; Mrs. Barney Stansell, 2nd.

Canned Squash—Mrs. Barney Stansell, 1st; Wanda Shaffer, 4-H club, 1st.

Peppers—Mrs. Stansell and Mrs. C. P. Anderson, tied 1st.

Chow Chow—Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 2nd.

Apples—Patsy Nell Wright, 4-H club, 1st; Mrs. Jim Calcote, 1st.

Peaches—Evelyn Hembree, 4-H club, 1st; Wanda Shaffer, 4-H club, 2nd; Mrs. T. J. Austin, 2nd and 3rd.

Pears—Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 1st; Wanda Shaffer, 4-H club, 1st.

Plums—Mrs. Barney Stansell and Mrs. T. J. Austin, tied 1st.

Cherries—Wanda Shaffer, 4-H club, 1st; Mrs. Barney Stansell, 1st.

Berries—Oleta Carver, 4-H club, 1st; Mrs. Jim Calcote, 2nd.

Muscadines—Mrs. C. L. Blivens, 1st.

Peach Pickles—Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 1st; Lucille Maiden, Center 4-H club, 2nd.

Grape Jelly—Mrs. E. P. Joiner, 1st; Mrs. Walter Davidson, 2nd.

Apple Jelly—Mrs. E. P. Joiner and Mrs. C. P. Anderson, tied 1st.

Plum Jelly—Mrs. John Daberry, 1st; Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 2nd; Wanda Shaffer, 4-H club, 2nd.

Indian Peaches—Mrs. Charlie Brittain, 1st; Mrs. Jim Calcote, 2nd.

Pear Preserves—Mrs. Jim Henderson, 1st; Mrs. E. P. Joiner, 2nd.

Peach Preserves—Mrs. E. P. Joiner, 1st.

Plum Butter—Mrs. Walter Davidson, 1st; Mrs. C. P. Anderson, 2nd.

Home-Cured Bacon and Lard—Mrs. John Daberry, 1st.

Sponge Cake—Mrs. Jim Henderson, 2nd.

Iced Cake—Mrs. Henry Hink, 2nd.

Butter Cake—Mrs. E. P. Joiner, 1st.

Cookies—Mrs. Walter Davidson, 1st.

Apple Pie—Mrs. Henry Hink, 2nd.

Cornbread—Mrs. E. P. Joiner, 1st.

Fresh Eggs—Mrs. Jim Henderson, 1st.

Fresh Pears—Mrs. Jim Henderson, 1st.

Fresh Cucumbers—Mrs. Edd Henderson, 1st.

Fresh Okra—Harold Mixon, 1st; Mrs. Barney Stansell, 2nd.

Fresh Sweet Potatoes—Mrs. Barney Stansell, 1st.

Fresh Peppers—Mrs. Barney Stansell, 1st.

In conclusion, an official states that the Kelton Fair association extends its thanks to those who helped in any way to make the event the splendid success it proved to be, and the Kelton people are looking forward to seeing everyone—including many new ones—out to the fair again next year.

WHEELER FOLK TO FUNERAL OF GAINESVILLE RELATIVE

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Conwell and son, Buford, returned home Thursday night of last week from Gainesville, where they were called to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Conwell's brother-in-law, S. P. Ware, 63, who died suddenly the previous day from a heart attack.

Mrs. Nan Mitchell, Texola, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Winkler, Estelline, other relatives of the deceased, returned to their respective homes with the Conwells.

QUILTING AT CORCORAN'S IN THE UNION COMMUNITY

Mrs. Bill Corcoran was hostess at a quilting in her home Tuesday of last week.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon and a pink and blue shower given in the afternoon, for Mrs. Nate Evans.

Those present were Mrs. Lester Waters, Mrs. C. E. Roper, Mrs. J. H. Roper, Mrs. Phil Corcoran, Mrs. Earl Riley, Mrs. Arzie Corcoran, Mrs. Guy Gabriel, Mrs. Jody Gabriel and the honoree and hostess, Mrs. Corcoran and Mrs. Evans.

Mountain View News

(By Times Correspondent)

Pierce Walker, Alvis Burke and Doug Baird went to Higgins and attended the sale Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roberts have moved to this community to make their home, coming here from Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Thomas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hathaway.

Miss Agnes Corcoran spent the week end with Miss Imogene Herd.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Burke and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kit Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Trimble and Patricia Ann and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Tabor visited Sunday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Trimble.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Melton were in Pampa Saturday, shopping and visiting their daughter, Mrs. Eli Hancock, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Williams were in Wheeler Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ford visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Williams.

Club Notes

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

Pakan Club Meets

"When our bodies do not have the right kind of foods and are weak, there is less resistance to sudden temperature changes, which will cause colds to develop when such disease germs are encountered," stated Miss Lucile Chance, home demonstration agent, while giving a demonstration on "The Comfortable Home" Friday afternoon before the Pakan Home Demonstration club, which met with Mrs. J. D. Isaacs.

"Always have a room well ventilated by keeping a window open

from the top, especially when the room is heated with a fuel that is burning continually," the speaker said.

"Clay back heaters are better than asbestos, although first cost is greater, because they save gas. Good light is very important to the eyes and lights should be placed where they will be convenient, rather than located in the ceiling, especially when used for reading or sewing. Shades that prevent glare should be used," Miss Chance concluded.

Those present were Mrs. J. W. Stauffer, Misses May Ruth Stauffer, Lucile Chance and Marjorie Schatzenberg of Wheeler and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. W. Stauffer on Oct. 9, at which time officers will be elected for the

coming year. Members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome.—MAY RUTH STAUFFER, Reporter.

Country Neighbors Club Meets

"Our Personal Growth" was the subject of a round table discussion by members of the Country Neighbors club, which met with Mrs. G. L. Braxton on Friday, Sept. 26.

Those attending were Mesdames Glenn King, M. A. Pillers, Thomas Todd and the hostess, Mrs. Braxton.

The next meeting, at 2:30 p. m., Friday, Oct. 10, will be with Mrs. Forest Carver. Business will include election of officers and all members are urged to be present for this.

Visitors welcome.—MRS. THOMAS TODD, Reporter.

Farewell and Greeting

I, Elon Myers, as the retiring manager of this business, wish to express my sincere personal thanks to the many friends and customers who, by their patronage, have contributed to the success of this enterprise while under my direction. I am leaving this part of the country, but will always cherish the kindest feelings and best wishes for a host of personal and business friends to whom I say farewell and to whom I commend my successor.

I, Narville Arganbright, as the new manager of this business, wish to voice my appreciation of all past favors and assure present and prospective customers that every effort will be made to maintain the same high standards of business conduct as in the past, and solicit the continued patronage of present customers and a trial from those not patronizing this concern.

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Wheeler



SPECIALS for FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Potatoes, 25¢ Oranges 25¢ Grapes 15¢
Sweets, per peck Sunkist, 2 dozen 2 lbs.

ONIONS 10¢ POTATOES, No. 1, 29¢ HOT PEPPERS 10¢ BELL PEPPERS 8¢
4 lbs. Red, 15-lb. peck per lb. per lb.

Celery 15¢ Cranberries 25¢ Cucumbers 10¢
Jumbo stalks, each per lb. fall crop, 3 lbs.

FLOUR, Best Standard \$1.49 Corn Flakes, Ernst 20¢
48-lb. print bag 3 boxes

EAGLE LYE 25¢ TOMATO JUICE 29¢ TING TANG 10¢ MILNOT 25¢
3 cans 4 large cans 3 cans 3 lrg. or 6 small

Candy 11¢ Cookies 27¢ Binder Twine 67¢
per bar, 3c; four bars assorted, 2 lbs. per bale, \$4.00; ball

MARKET SPECIALS

HOT BARBECUE 25¢ BRICK CHILI 24¢
per lb. per brick

ROUND or SWISS STEAK 30¢
Fancy Beef, per lb.

SHORT RIBS 15¢ Brisket ROAST 12½¢
per lb. per lb.

LOIN or T-BONE STEAK 28¢
per lb.

D. S. BACON 17¢ BACON SQUARES 20¢
No. 1, lb. per lb.

FEED DEPARTMENT

SHORTS, 100 lbs. \$1.65

MILLRUN BRAN, 100 lbs. \$1.65

BRAN, 100 lbs. \$1.60

STOCK SALT, 100 lbs. .59¢

BLOCK SALT, per block .43¢

LAYING MASH, 100-lb. sack \$2.10

On Oct. 15 we will discontinue giving away S. & W. Green Stamps

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WOMEN'S CLUBS AND SOCIAL EVENTS

CONG. AND MRS. GENE WORLEY BECOME MEMBERS O. E. S.

Several members of the order from Wheeler, Mobeetie and Briscoe attended an invitation Eastern Star chapter meeting in Shamrock Tuesday night, at which time Cong. and Mrs. Gene Worley of Washington, D. C., were initiated as members. Those attending included: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meek, Mrs. Glenn R. Walker, Mrs. Fred Ashley, Mrs. J. M. Porter, Mrs. Artie Lee Hunt and Mrs. C. G. Miller, Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Flanagan, Mr. and Mrs. John Duan, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Elliott, Mrs. H. E. Matthews, Mrs. M. D. Blankinship, Mrs. H. F. Briscoe, Mrs. G. W. McLain, Mrs. Si Marchbanks, Mrs. A. J. O'Brien, Mrs. Dennis O'Brian and Grady Harris, Mobeetie, and Mrs. A. D. Barry, Briscoe.

DINNER AND THEATRE PARTY FOR BILLIE V. BROWN

Mrs. R. William Brown gave a dinner and theatre party Friday evening Sept. 26, honoring her daughter, Billie V., on her 10th birthday anniversary.

Guests were Patsy Noah, Peggie Jo Rodgers, Patsy June Williams, Margaret Ann Holt, Georgie Gaye Porter, Sue Giles, Frances Porter and the honoree, Miss Brown.

WHEELER METHODIST LADIES ATTEND MOBEETIE MEETING

Several Wheeler Methodist church ladies attended an all-day meeting of the Women's Society for Christian Service of the Ruth Anderson zone Thursday of last week in Mobeetie.

In the group were Mesdames Ernest Lee, Albert Hayter, J. M. Porter, E. T. McCleskey, I. B. Lee, Fred Ashley, G. L. Wren, J. G. Davidson and Lloyd Davidson.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY UNION OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED

Members of the W. M. U. of the Baptist church gave a tea and installation service for the new officers from 4 to 6 Tuesday evening in the church basement. White and orchid colors were featured in the decorations and banners presented to the new executives, with the United States and Christian flags forming a background.

Mrs. Lee Guthrie presided at the refreshment table, while Mrs. George Porter played a piano number, "In a Monastery Garden."

The devotional was read by Peggy Jo Rodgers, the opening prayer was given by Mrs. Murray Fuquay, and a solo, "Am I a Soldier of the Cross," was sung by Arlene Reynolds, accompanied at the piano by Miss Maurine Hunt.

The installation service was conducted by Murray Fuquay, pastor of the Baptist church, for the following officers: Mrs. Frank Wofford, president; Mrs. Bob Rodgers, first vice president; Mrs. Murray Fuquay, second vice president; Mrs. Floyd Pennington, third vice president; Mrs. J. N. Green, personal service; Mrs. C. N. Wofford, stewardship; Mrs. Lee Guthrie, mission study; Mrs. Roy Esslinger, literature; Mrs. George Porter, publicity; Mrs. L. C. Laffin, social; Mrs. Edgar Flynt, Margaret fund; Mrs. J. I. Maloy, W. M. U. training school.

The retiring president, Mrs. Pennington, was presented with a lovely gift.

MRS. JOE HYATT HOSTESS AT BREAKFAST-BRIDGE

Mrs. Joe Hyatt gave a breakfast-bridge Friday for the Contract Bridge club and a group of friends. Mrs. Glenn Render won high score, and Mrs. Bud Martin, second high.

Those present were Mesdames Raymon Holt, Bud Martin, Ansel McDowell, D. A. Hunt, Glen Porter, Stina Cain, Inez Garrison, Ed Watson, Bronson Green, Glenn Render, Buck Britt, T. S. Puckett, Clint Wofford, R. William Brown and Miss Reba Wofford and the hostess, Mrs. Hyatt.

MRS. WATSON HOSTESS TO CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB

The Contract Bridge club and a group of friends met Tuesday afternoon at the Wheeler hotel with Mrs. Ed Watson as hostess. Mrs. Glenn Render, Lefors, won high score for guests, while Mrs. Stina Cain won high for members.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Nelson Porter, Glenn Render, R. William Brown, D. A. Hunt, Joe Hyatt, Ansel McDowell, Inez Garrison, Raymon Holt, Stina Cain, Buck Britt, Glen Porter and the hostess, Mrs. Watson.

BILLYE JO BROWN HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. A. P. Brown of Corn Valley gave a slumber party Friday night in honor of her daughter, Billye Jo. The occasion was her 12th birthday anniversary, which falls on Sept. 27.

Guests were Misses Ida Mae Martin, Peggy Weatherly and June Johnson.

Following the birthday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Brown brought Miss Brown and guests to the Rogue theatre.

MRS. TILLEY GIVES PARTY ON DAUGHTER'S BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Joe Tilley gave a party Wednesday, Sept. 24, in honor of her daughter, Bonnie Ray, the occasion being her 9th birthday anniversary.

A number of outdoor games were played under direction of Mrs. Tilley, assisted by Mrs. R. B. Mann.

Lovely refreshments of cake and individual ice cream were served to Tony Gene and Phyllis Kay Puckett, Marilyn Carol Swink, Frances Porter, Von Eva Hooker, Johnette Hood, June and Helen Johnson, LaJune Mann, Glenda Ann Porter, Mary Leota Phillips, Jerry Ann Wofford, Yvonne Sandifer, Billy Jean Pond, Loretta Crowder, Georgia Gaye and Maurine Herd, Doris Magruder, Claudell Cox, Sue Williamson, Wayne Tillman, Jack Tarter and the honoree, Bonnie Ray Tilley.

Surprise packages of candy were given as favors.

SUNSHINE SEWING CLUB HOST TO FAMILIES

Members of the Sunshine Sewing club gave an ice cream supper for their families Wednesday evening of last week at the Pleasant Hill school house. Games were played during the evening under the direction of Mrs. Lloyd Davidson.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Messrs. and Mesdames Clarence Anglin and children, Tom Bradstreet, Claude Cox and children, Floyd Davidson, Lloyd Davidson, Ed Garner and children, Harold Hill and baby, G. W. Mason, Cliff Mason and children, Jess Moore and children, Arnold Waldo and children, Weldon Weatherly and children, Taylor Patterson and children, Loubet Moore and children.

Mrs. J. L. Sumate, Paul Shumate, Mrs. J. G. Davidson and daughter,

Is Asking Aid for Chinese Children



L. A. WOODS

L. A. Woods, state superintendent of education, has been appointed chairman of the United China Relief committee for Texas schools. He will work with State Chairman Nathan Adams and Governor Coke Stevenson, vice chairman, in the drive to raise \$200,000 in Texas to aid 60 million unfortunate and suffering war victims in China.

Money given by Texas school children will be used to aid the children of China, millions of whom are homeless, destitute and starving as the result of Japanese invasion. Chairman L. A. Woods urges that every school in Texas make a collection for United China Relief without delay and forward the money to Nathan Adams, president of the First National Bank in Dallas.

The money will be sent overseas to aid the little Chinese children who are so badly in need of help. Every student and every teacher is asked to subscribe to this humane cause.

Miss Iva, Misses Alpha and Darlene Gaines, Nadine Brumley, Billy Jean Patterson, Bobby Wagner, Pete and Donald Patterson and J. B. Rogers.

METHODIST SOCIETY MEETS WITH MRS. TOM BRITT

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Tom Britt, northeast of Wheeler.

Mrs. J. M. Porter gave an interesting program assisted by Mesdames Wayne Cook and G. L. Wren.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames W. C. Zirkle, J. M. Porter, Tobe Giles, Fred Ashley, D. E. Holt, Wayne Cook, G. L. Wren, E. T. McCleskey, Ernest Lee and the hostess, Mrs. Britt.

The society will meet at the home of Mrs. Ernest Lee Monday afternoon to observe the first anniversary of the organization, and all charter members are urged to attend.

MRS. JESS SWINK HOSTESS TO JOLLY DOZEN CLUB

The Jolly Dozen club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Jess Swink. Dainty refreshments were served to Mesdames Marlow Dill, Buford Conwell, Bill Perrin, Levi Reid, Chester Lewis, Ray Lee, Homer Moss, Shorty Erwin, Roscoe Allen and the hostess, Mrs. Swink and a guest, Mrs. W. L. Jolly, jr., Shamrock.

The club will meet next week with Mrs. Conwell.

MRS. HOOKER HOSTESS TO STITCH-CHATTER CLUB

The Stitch and Chatter club met Thursday of last week with Mrs. Walter Hooker for a pleasant afternoon spent in visiting and doing needlework.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Frank Noah, C. R. Weatherly, W. E. Bowen, E. G. Pettit, A. C. Mitchell and the hostess, Mrs. Hooker.

Twitty News

(By Mary Ella Westmoreland)

W. A. Jolly is improving at his home after a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Kromer of Lela visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn King, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Green returned the latter part of the week to their home at Sweetwater after several days visit here with relatives.

Mary Ellen Westmoreland spent Sunday with Opal Joe Clay at Kelton.

Melvin Todd of Darrouzett visited his father and other relatives in this community Sunday.

Mrs. Henry E. Spruell and son, Morgan Henry, of Los Angeles, Calif., who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Morgan, and her brothers and sisters here and Mr. and Mrs. Spruell and children at Canadian the past five weeks, were accompanied home today by Miss Gladys Spruell of Canadian. Miss Spruell expects to make her home with her brother, Henry Spruell, and family in Los Angeles.

Local News Items

W. A. Finsterwald of near Mobeetie was a Wednesday business caller in Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer spent Monday evening in Shamrock with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Miller returned Saturday from Dallas, where they had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Hoyt Judy.

Jack Garrison motored to Amarillo Sunday to take home his sister, Mrs. Fred Cornelius, and son, returning that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tarter and son, Jack, spent the week end in Amarillo and attended the Tri-State Fair, returning Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bradstreet and Mrs. Pyrron Martin and son, Robert Lee, motored Friday to Pampa on a business and pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tolliver motored Monday to Morton, and visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tolliver and family, returning that evening.

Miss Gladys Gunter, who has been quite ill for two weeks with a cold, was able to return to her work at the tax collector's office Monday.

Ernest Dyer and J. H. Richards are spending the week near Sanger with Mr. Dyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dyer, and other relatives.

Mrs. Russell Martin of Westville came Tuesday evening to make an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. H. J. Garrison, who has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Guthrie and son, Gail, of Erick, Okla., spent Friday with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie, and son, Marion Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Morgan and children of Mobeetie returned home Wednesday after spending the first part of the week at the C. M. Hampton home.

John Wofford, who is stationed at Brooks Field near San Antonio, came this morning to spend two weeks with his mother, Mrs. C. N. Wofford, and family.

Mrs. Estes Wilsford and son, Dennis Glenn, and Mrs. John Mayo of Borger came Wednesday to spend a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gaines.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilliam and her sister, Miss Ina Faye Robison, were Sunday dinner guests of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Robison, and children near Mobeetie.

Miss Wanda Hyatt, who is attending Draughon's Business university in Oklahoma City, came Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hyatt, and friends until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Weatherly and son, Joe, motored Sunday to Lubbock and met their daughter and sister, Mrs. Joe Shearer, and son, David, of Harlingen who came home with them to spend the week.

Miss Wave Wallace returned home Saturday from Oklahoma City where she had completed her business course. After a short visit with her mother, Mrs. T. T. Wallace, she expects to visit her father in California.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pond of Blanket expect to return home next week from a three week's visit with the former's sons, Curtis Pond, and family, Wheeler, and George and Aubrey Pond and their families near Kelton.

Mrs. C. M. Hampton and son, Alvin, and Mrs. Dorsie Hutchison and daughter, Annette, went to Amarillo Monday and spent the night with their sister and aunt, Mrs. S. E. Morris, and family and attended the Tri-State Fair, returning Tuesday evening.

Miss Lavern Cox and her friend, Miss Leode Revious, of Canadian returned to Wheeler Wednesday from Seymour, Mo., where they had been visiting friends for some time. Miss Revious spent the night with her sister, Mrs. Curtis Pond, and family, returning to Canadian today.

Pvt. Bernard Wilson, who is stationed at Fort Bliss near El Paso, came home this morning to spend the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milt Wilson, and children near Briscoe. Mr. Wilson was a breakfast guest of his aunt, Mrs. Annie Sivage, in Wheeler this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Newkirk and children, Dalton and Gwendolyn, of Amarillo came Thursday and spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Newkirk and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Robertson, and attended the Kelton Fair and the Wheeler-Wellington football game Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer went to Pampa Saturday night and attended a show.

Mr. and Mrs. George Porter motored Monday afternoon to Pampa on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mooney, Canadian, visited relatives in Wheeler during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Prather and daughter, Yvonne, of Mobeetie were in Wheeler Tuesday attending to business.

Jim Irons of Sulphur Springs visited his brother, R. Irons, and family and Mrs. M. E. Red and family a short time Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Higgins of Pampa were in Wheeler Saturday, attending to business and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Cox.

Mrs. C. F. Ford and son, Tommy, motored Sunday to Balco, Okla., to take home her father, W. A. Thompson, who had spent the week here with her and other relatives.

Miss Wauline Haynes of Amarillo came Tuesday evening to spend the week as the house guest of Miss Maxine Patterson at the H. B. Patterson home on South Main street.

At the Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
MURRAY FUQUAY, Pastor
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Preaching—11:00 a. m.
B. T. U.—7:15 p. m.
Preaching—8:15 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
WAYNE COOK, Pastor
Sunday Services:
Church School—9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a. m.
League—7:00 p. m.
Evening Service—8:00 p. m.

Briscoe-Allison Circuit
THE METHODIST CHURCH
EUGENE L. NAUGLE, Pastor
ALLISON—Our fourth quarterly conference will convene here next Sunday. Rev. G. T. Palmer, district superintendent, will preach at the morning hour. The business session will be held shortly after the basket dinner (dinner on the grounds) at the church. There should be representatives present from all points on the charge. Let us make it a great day. The pastor will preach at the evening hour.

"Systematic giving leads to spiritual living."

Food Specials FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

BANANAS 12c
per dozen

GRAPES 15c | ORANGES 25c
2 lbs. | Red Ball, 2 dozen

LETTUCE 5c
nice firm heads

CARROTS, BEETS 10c | CABBAGE 3c
3 bunches | per lb.

BULK TURNIPS 3c | CELERY 9c
per lb. | per stalk

HONEY 50c
Ross Extracted, 5-lb. glass jar

CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP
THE BILLION BUBBLE SOAP
7 bars for 25c

DEL MONTE PINEAPPLE, Crushed 25c
three 9-oz. cans for

Vanilla WAFERS 15c
NBC, large pkg.

BEANS, Ranch 25c
Style, 3 1-lb. cans

Peanut BUTTER 29c
quart jar

Lifebuoy SOAP 23c
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Local News Items

Ted Farmer has gone to Sunray to work for the Shamrock Oil company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bowen and Mrs. Bill May of Lubbock attended a show in Pampa Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges, Canyon, were Sunday over-night guests of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayter.

Mrs. Bessie Robertson and children of Briscoe moved last week to the Bill Owen home in Wheeler. Her son, Junior, has a job with the Wilson creamery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Davee, living first door north of the Rufus Faust home in the northeast part of town, have put a new roof on their house and made some other improvements the past week.

Mrs. A. L. Bean came home Thursday from Edmond, Kans., where she spent three weeks with relatives. Her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Art Foss, brought her home and visited until Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Hampton and sister, Mrs. Will Hale, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harwell and son, Fred, jr., of near Seymour spent the week end with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Riley, and sister, Miss Tamsy Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walters and daughter, Earline, of Brownwood came Friday night and spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Crossland, and daughter, Miss Leona, and brother, Tom Crossland, and family.

Mrs. Bill Dart of Spearman returned home Sunday after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Clarence Lee, and brother, Roy, near Mobeetie. Mr. Dart came Saturday night and visited until Sunday afternoon when Mrs. Dart accompanied him home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hunter went to Amarillo Tuesday and attended the Tri-State Fair and visited their daughters, Miss Inez Hunter, who is taking nurses training at St. Anthony school in Amarillo, and Miss Thelma Hunter, a student at WTSC, Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Choate of San Francisco, Calif., who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Rich Brown, and children northeast of Wheeler and her brother, R. William Brown, and family in Wheeler were accompanied home Thursday by her mother. Mrs. Brown expects to remain until after Christmas at the Choate home and will visit other relatives in that vicinity.

Mobeetie Happenings

(By Times Correspondent)

Miss Lillian Leigh Dies
Friends and acquaintances were sorry to learn of the death of Miss Lillian Leigh, who was known and liked very much by everyone in and around Mobeetie. Miss Leigh was at the home of a sister in Cunningham, Kans., at the time of her death. She had been ill for some time and passed away Sunday, Sept. 28. She was the younger sister of Mrs. Jack Miller of Mobeetie.

The body was brought Wednesday to Mobeetie, where brief funeral services were conducted at the cemetery late that afternoon.

Ruth Anderson Zone Meeting
The Ruth Anderson Zone, Women's Society for Christian Service, met Thursday, Sept. 25, in the First Methodist church with about 65 present. The district secretary and treasurer presided and a lovely program was presented. The local church served lunch.

Representatives were in attendance from eight nearby towns, including Shamrock, McLean, Briscoe, Allison, Alanreed, Kellerville, Wheeler and Pampa's three churches.

F. F. A. Picture Show
The F. F. A. chapter sponsored a picture show in the high school study hall Monday night, free to everyone. It was called "The Green Hand." An agricultural news reel was also shown. The show was stopped during the championship prize fight so those wanting to hear it could do so.

"Stutterin' Sam" Program
Mobeetie high school seniors are sponsoring a "Stutterin' Sam" program Thursday night, Oct. 9, starting at 8 o'clock in the high school gym. Admission 10 and 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Leonard and son, Billy, of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Leonard Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Louis spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Seitz.

W. C. Johnson visited his parents Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tots Baird spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tyson Jeffus.

Mrs. F. P. Heare and nephew, Joe

Gordon, of Pampa visited friends in Oklahoma City Wednesday and returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hogue of Borger visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hogue and Mr. and Mrs. George Seitz during the week end. Mrs. Fannie Puckett and daughter, Maxie, attended to business in Wheeler and Canadian Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hicks are the proud parents of a son, Dewey, jr.

J. N. Plaster attended the "black-out" in Pampa Saturday night.

Miss Marcene Gabriel visited friends in Densworth during the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. Ted Ewing attended to business in Wheeler Monday.

Miss Fern Smith visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith, during the week end.

Miss Arlie Lee spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Clarence Lee.

Lloyd Whitfield visited in Weatherford, Okla., during the week end.

Jack Crump returned to his home in Pampa Friday from Lowry Field, Denver, Colo., where he was stationed for five months.

Mr. Satterfield is driving the north Mobeetie bus route.

Garland Nixon of Borger visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Mixon Sunday.

Bill Wilson of Borger visited friends in Mobeetie Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ratchford and family moved Saturday to Carlsbad, N. Mex., where he will be pastor of the Church of God.

Mrs. T. A. Gilbert spent from Wednesday to Saturday night in Reydon, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Bullard and family of Pampa spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parker took their son, R. C., to Wichita Falls, where he will start to school.

Jack Crump visited friends and looked after school affairs Sunday in Mobeetie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller and daughter, Mary Kathryn, went to Cunningham, Kans., on hearing of the death of Mrs. Miller's younger sister, Miss Lillian Leigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Vinson and Mr. and Mrs. McFarland of Wheeler visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hogue Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. McLain attended a pastor's association meet in Memphis Friday.

C. W. Burch visited his sisters in Pampa Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Orr and daughter, Louise, of Pampa visited friends and relatives in Mobeetie Sunday.

Miss Polly Oswald of Pampa visited friends and relatives in Mobeetie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Patterson visited friends in Mobeetie Saturday night.

Sherwood Blasdel of Amarillo attended to business in Mobeetie Sunday.

Tom Arnold and Joe Ing attended to business in Shattuck Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dugan Trusty and son, James, of Lefors and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley and son, E. W., were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Corcoran Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Corcoran and son, Alfred, made a business trip to Shamrock Saturday.

Clifford Matthews of Perryton returned home Monday to spend a few days with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Corcoran and children were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Corcoran Sunday afternoon.

Grady Harris attended to business in Amarillo Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arzia Corcoran visited in the home of her parents at Lefors Sunday.

Mrs. Wheeler Carwile visited her sister in Lubbock Saturday and returned home Tuesday.

J. F. Haning, jr., of Borger visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Haning, this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Haning and children went to Amarillo Saturday and Mrs. Haning remained with her daughter, Mrs. Dewey Hicks, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jingles Beck attended to business in Pampa Monday.

Mrs. Delpha Flanagan of Wheeler is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Flanagan this week.

Miss Agnes Corcoran visited in the home of Imogene Herd Saturday night and Sunday.

Kelton News

(By Rena Johnson)

Kelton Fair a Success

Kelton was a very busy place Friday. The booths as well as the "carnival grounds" opened at 10 o'clock to make a very eventful day.

The individual booths were very popular this year. This included all things grown on the farm and made by the family. Mrs. Clarence Killingsworth was winner in this section.

At 1 o'clock the Kelton six-man football team met the Dodson team, making the second time these two teams have met this year, with the Kelton Lions winners each time.

The score Friday was 31-6 in the Lions favor. This was the fourth game the Kelton team has played, and so far they have not lost a game. They will play the Alanreed team Friday, there.

After the football game, a rodeo was held, which proved very successful.

The Kelton Fair association would like to thank all the business men and citizens of Wheeler and Shamrock for helping make the fair a big success.

Thornton-Richards

A marriage of interest to her many friends here was that of Miss Bette Thornton and Mr. Donald Richards of Hardesty, Okla., at 12:30 p. m., Friday in the United Brethren church of that city.

Mrs. Richards is the charming young daughter of Mrs. Lige Cooper of Hardesty, Okla., and the granddaughter of Mrs. R. O. Johnson and Mrs. A. G. Thornton of this place.

She made her home here for a number of years and also attended school at Shamrock. She has many friends here.

Mr. Richards is the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Richards of Hardesty, Okla. He has made his home there for a number of years.

Following the ceremony the young couple, along with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phelps who were married at the same time, left for Oklahoma City on their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hink spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Joiner and daughter spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Joiner and family.

Alvia Keeney of Shamrock spent Sunday here with friends.

Mrs. H. A. Whitener, Mrs. Claude Davis and Mrs. C. A. Whitener went

to Levelland Sunday to attend the funeral of Preston Whitener.

Miss Onetta Joiner left Sunday for Canadian, where she will work.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holcomb and children spent Sunday in Aledo, Okla., with relatives.

Mrs. J. D. Rutherford, sr., underwent an operation at the Clinic hospital in Shamrock Sunday.

A number from here attended the football game in Wheeler Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Davis spent Sunday with relatives at Clinton, Okla.

Miss Eunice Thornton of Amarillo is spending a few days here with her mother, Mrs. A. G. Thornton.

Harold Hink was a Sunday dinner guest of Oscar Johnson.

Mrs. Albert Holcomb and children, Rena Johnson and Bernice Joiner were business visitors in Shamrock and Wheeler Friday.

Mrs. Butler of Hollis, Okla., spent the week end here in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keeney, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cully Watson are the proud parents of a new baby girl, born Sunday at a Shamrock hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rutherford, jr., and Harley Pond of Alturas, Calif.,

came Sunday to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phelps and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Richards of Hardesty, Okla., visited friends and relatives here Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Estell Powell of Sunray spent Sunday here in the home of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billingsly and children of Lela spent Tuesday here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Joiner and family.

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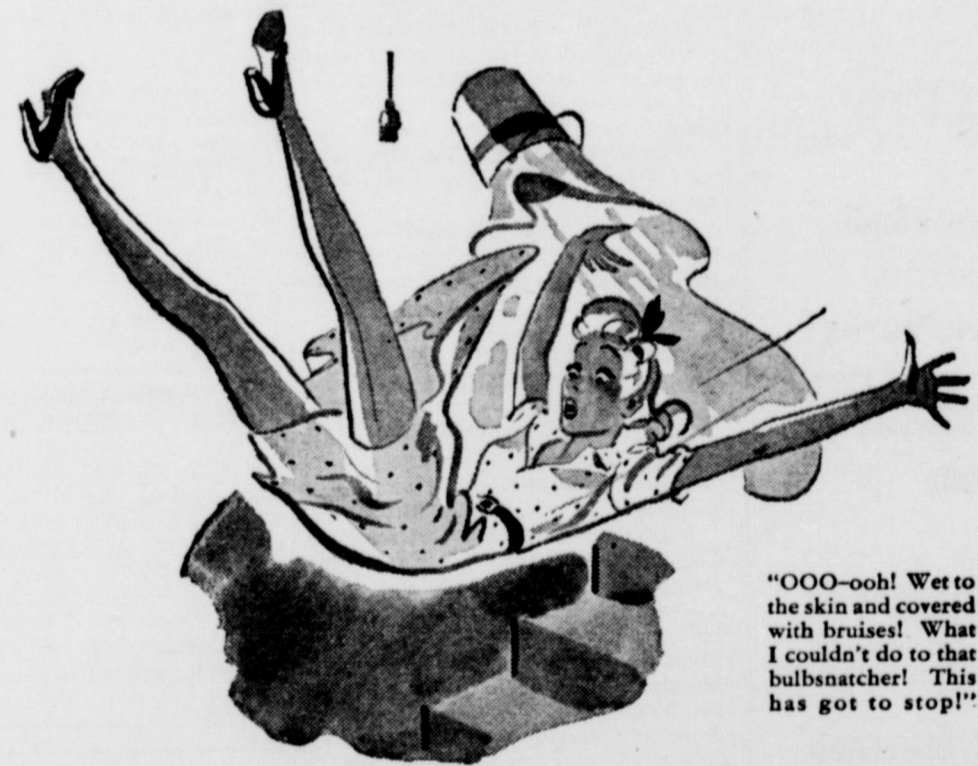
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(Continued from Page One)

1st; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 2nd; Mrs. O. O. Sandifer, 3rd.
 Soup Mixture—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 2nd.
 Greens—Mrs. J. E. Willard, 1st; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 3rd.
 Okra—Mrs. Grover Copeland, 1st; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd; Mrs. Guy Valentine, 3rd; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 3rd.
 Asparagus—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Mrs. Hester Dodson, 2nd.
 Sucotash—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd.
 Corn—Mrs. Grover Copeland, 1st; Mrs. Gus Wegner, 1st; Mrs. Hester Dodson, 2nd; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 3rd.
 Peach Pickles—Mrs. Zack Miller, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st; Mrs. Guy Valentine, 2nd; Mrs. Hester Dodson, 2nd; Mrs. J. E. Willard, 3rd; Mrs. O. O. Sandifer, 3rd.
 Pepper Hash—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Onions—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Chow-Chow—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd; Mrs. Grover Copeland, 3rd.
 Corn Salad—Mrs. Gus Wegner, 2nd.
 Bread and Butter Pickles—Mrs. John O'Gorman, 3rd.
 Kraut—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Canned Peas—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st; Mrs. J. E. Willard, 2nd.
 Cherries—Mrs. Hester Dodson, 1st; Louise Risian, 1st; Mrs. Paul Macina, 2nd.
 Blackberries—Mrs. Hester Dodson, 1st; Mrs. M. A. Pillars, 2nd.
 Plums—Mrs. J. E. Willard, 1st; Mrs. J. W. Stauffer, 2nd; Mrs. H. E. Forgy, 3rd.
 Apples—Mrs. J. E. Willard, 2nd; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.
 Apricots—Mrs. Paul Macina, 1st.
 Canned Peaches—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st; Mrs. Grover Copeland, 1st; Mrs. Gus Wegner, 2nd.
 Sweet Pickle Apples—Mrs. J. E. Willard, 1st.
 Apple Preserves—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Cherry Preserves—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Glendean King, 1st.
 Peach Preserves—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 2nd; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.
 Strawberries—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd.
 Sandwich Spread—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 3rd; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 3rd.
 Grape Juice—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. Hester Dodson, 2nd; Mrs. John O'Gorman, 3rd.
 Tomato Juice—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st.
 Mixed Vegetables—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.
 Cucumber Sweet Pickles—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st; Mrs. J. E. Willard, 1st; Mrs. Hester Dodson, 2nd.
 Green Tomato Mince-meat—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Mrs. Hester Dodson, 2nd; Mrs. J. E. Willard, 2nd.
 Boston Sweet—Mrs. J. E. Willard, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Chili—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st.
 Water Melon Pickles—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st; Mrs. J. E. Willard, 1st.
 Peach Pickles—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Other Pickles—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd; Mrs. J. E. Willard, 3rd.
 Hot Pepper—Mrs. Grover Copeland, 2nd.
 Mixed Pickles—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st.
 Tomato Catsup—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st.
 Other Relish—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 2nd.
 Relish—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 3rd.
Jellies
 Apple—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Plum—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Mrs. Paul Macina, 2nd; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.
 Crab Apple—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 3rd.
 Cherry—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd.
 Grape—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 3rd.
 Blackberry—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st.
 Peach—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 2nd.
 Cherry Plum—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 2nd.
 Plum Preserves—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.
 Tomato Preserves—Mrs. M. A. Pillars, 1st.
 Apple Butter—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Peach Butter—Mrs. Zack Miller, 1st; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st.
 Plum Butter—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 1st; Glendean King, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.
 Peach and Plum Marmalade—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd; Mrs. Glenn F. King, 2nd.
 Water Melon Preserves—Mrs. J. E. Willard, 1st.
 Raspberry Jam—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd.
 Blackberry Jam—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 2nd.
Breads and Cakes
 White Bread—Mrs. Rodger O'Gorman, 2nd.
 Boston Brown Bread—Mrs. Rodger O'Gorman, 1st.
 Gold Cake—Mrs. John O'Gorman, 2nd.
 Silver Cake—Mrs. John O'Gorman, 1st; Mrs. Ace Henderson, 2nd.
 Cookies—Mrs. S. P. Beasley, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.

Layer Cake—Mrs. S. P. Beasley, 2nd.
 Carmel Cake—Mrs. M. A. Pillars, 2nd.
 Butter Cake—Mrs. Ace Henderson, 2nd.
 Ginger Snaps—Mrs. Rodger O'Gorman, 2nd.
 Fancy Cookies—Mrs. Zack Miller, 1st.
Candy
 Chocolate Fudge—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st; Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.
 Peanut Butter—Mrs. Glenn F. King, 1st.
 Divinity—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Cream—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
 Mints—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.
 Carmels—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 2nd.
 Assorted Candy—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st.
Clothing and Fancy Work
 Vanity Set—Mrs. Ed R. Wallace, 2nd.
 Set-in Pockets—Mrs. Roy Scrivner, 2nd.
 Bound Buttonholes—Mrs. Roy Scrivner, 3rd.
 Crocheted Rug—Mrs. J. P. Harrington, 3rd.
 Novelty Rug—Mrs. Lula Ladd, 2nd.
 Women's Made-over Dress—Mrs. R. L. Pike, 3rd.
 Boy's Coat—Mrs. M. A. Pillars, 2nd.
 Ladies' Dress (Print)—Mrs. Roy Scrivner, 2nd.
 Children's Dresses—Mrs. J. T. Perky, 1st; Mrs. Roy Scrivner, 2nd; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 3rd.
 Quilts—Mrs. Roy Scrivner, 2nd; Mrs. J. F. Shortt, 3rd.
 Quilt Tops—Mrs. Jap Newton, 2nd.
 Bedsread—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 3rd.
 Needle Point Stool and Picture—Mrs. J. G. Hamer, 1st; Mrs. J. G. Hamer, 2nd.
 Knitting (Ladies' Dresses)—Mrs. R. L. Pike, 2nd.
 Knitted Sweaters—Mrs. Jap Newton, 1st; Mrs. R. S. Wheeler, 2nd.
 Afghair Crochet—Mrs. Tressie Blocker, 1st.
 Pillow Tops—Mrs. Troy Miller, 3rd.
 Shawl (Knitted)—Mrs. Alma Shoemaker, 2nd.
 Gown—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 3rd.
 Apron—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 3rd.
Crochet Work
 Bedsreads—Mrs. J. E. Willard, 1st; Mrs. Lewis Powell, 2nd; Mrs. Tressie Blocker, 3rd; Mrs. R. L. Pike, 3rd.
 Table Cloth—Mrs. Ed R. Wallace, 1st; Orrie Sloss, 2nd; Mrs. W. A. Allen, 2nd.
 Scarf—Mrs. Ed B. Wallace, 2nd; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd.
 Pillow Slips—Mrs. Jess Crowder, 1st; Mrs. Roy Scrivner, 2nd; Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd.
 Crochet Doily—Mrs. Lloyd Davidson, 1st; Mrs. Tressie Blocker, 2nd; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 2nd; Mrs. R. L. Pike, 3rd.
 Calico Quilt—Mrs. Joe Beasley, 1st.
 Applique Quilt—Mrs. Joe Beasley, 2nd.
 Quilt Tops—Mrs. Zack Miller, 1st.
 Crochet Afghan—Mrs. Ella Scrivner, 2nd.
 Crocheted Table Cloth—Mrs. Joe Beasley, 1st; Mrs. Joe Beasley, 2nd.
 Crocheted Scarf—Mrs. M. M. Kelly, 1st.
 Suit (made over)—Mrs. Joe Beasley, 2nd.
Flowers
 Asters, Pink—Mrs. Ted Rogers, 1st; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 2nd and 3rd.
 Asters, Lavender—Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 2nd.
 Asters, Purple—Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 2nd.
 Asters, Mixed—Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 3rd.
 Coxcomb—Mrs. J. W. Shaddix, 1st; Mrs. Jimmie Willingham, 2nd; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 3rd.
 Dahlia (one bloom)—E. C. Hunter, 1st; Mrs. J. W. Shaddix, 2nd; Dorothy Mertel, 3rd.
 Dahlia (Hybrid)—Mrs. Edwin Griffin, 1st.
 Dahlia (6 blooms)—Mrs. J. W. Shaddix, 1st and 3rd; Mrs. Percy Bear, 2nd.
 Marigold, French—Mrs. Ethel Darlington, 2nd.
 Marigold, African—Dorothy Mertel, 1st; Mrs. Jimmie Willingham, 2nd; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 3rd.
 Marigold, Guinea Gold—Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 1st.
 Nasturtiums—Mrs. Earl Kromer, 1st.
 Petunia—Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 1st; Mrs. S. P. Beasley, 2nd; Dorothy Mertel, 3rd.
 Roses—Mrs. O. T. Glasscock, 2nd; Mrs. R. A. Nichols, 3rd.
 Verbenas—Mrs. Earl Kromer, 1st; Mrs. P. A. Nichols, 2nd and 3rd.
 Zinnias, yellow—Dorothy Mertel, 1st.
 Zinnias, Rose—Mrs. Grover Copeland, 1st; Mrs. S. P. Beasley, 2nd.
 Zinnias (Lilliput)—Mrs. Edwin Griffin, 1st; Mrs. John Hrcnciar, jr., 2nd; Mrs. Jimmie Willingham, 3rd.
 Zinnias, Mixed—Mrs. Edwin Griffin, 1st; Mrs. John Hrcnciar, jr., 2nd; Mrs. Will Sheegog, 3rd.
 Cosmos—Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 1st; Mrs. J. H. Watts, 2nd.
 Castor Beans—Mrs. J. H. Watts, 1st.
 Artichoke—Mrs. John Hrcnciar, jr., 1st.
 Goldenrod—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd; Mrs. Hester Dodson, 3rd.
 Bachelor Button—Mrs. John Reeves, 1st; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 2nd.
 Lantana—Mrs. O. T. Glasscock, 1st.
 Fancies—Mrs. O. T. Glasscock, 2nd.

Poinsettia—Mrs. T. C. Harless, 2nd.
 Mixed Bouquet—Mrs. Percy Bear, 1st; Mrs. Jimmie Willingham, 2nd; Mrs. Walter Darlington, jr., 3rd.
 Mexican Sunflower—Mrs. Percy Bear, 1st; Mrs. Edwin Griffin, 2nd.
 Ageratum—Mrs. Edwin Griffin, 1st.
 Periwinkle—Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 1st.
 Phlox—Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, 1st.
Potted Plants
 Begonia (Angel Wing)—Mrs. Bert Betenbough, 1st; May Ruth Stauffer, 2nd; Mrs. Hester Dodson, 3rd.
 Begonia (Waxed)—Dorothy Mertel, 1st.
 Coleus (Big Leaf)—Mrs. Jimmie Willingham, 1st; Dorothy Mertel, 2nd; Mrs. Elmer Miller, 3rd.
 Fern, Sprenger—Mrs. Jimmie Willingham, 1st.
 Foliage Plant—Mrs. N. L. Carter, 1st.
 Snake Plant—Mrs. Murray Fuquay, 1st.
 Wandering Jew—May Ruth Stauffer, 1st.
 Air Plant—Mrs. R. A. Nichols, 1st; May Ruth Stauffer, 2nd.

Hobby Exhibit
 Mrs. Bedford Harrison, after dinner cups and saucers, Mrs. Bill Porter, spoon collection, tied for 1st; Mrs. John Walker, plate collection, Mrs. Hamer, plate collection, tied for 2nd.

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 Home Supervisor, F. S. A.

Good Diets at Low Cost
 All over the country—in 34 million homes—women are taking their part in the all-out effort to build an invincible America. Quietly, they are laying the basis for a strong and alert nation by supplying their families the kind of food that builds strong bodies, steady nerves and high morale.
 "The less money there is to get the right kind of a diet—the more important is a homemaker's good food judgment to the health of her family," says Dr. Hazel K. Stiebeling, food economist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.
 As a basis for the low-cost plan, Doctor Stiebeling used the new national yardstick for good nutrition. This yardstick, adopted by the National Nutrition Conference for Defense in May, 1941, sets a new high goal for the meal planning of the whole country.
 First item in the low cost master plan is milk. This includes milk to drink, milk for cooking, and milk

in the form of cheese or other dairy products. Every child gets 3 to 4 cups a day. Every adult gets 2 to 3 cups. Each expectant mother gets 1 quart, and a nursing mother 1½ quarts. It is more important to have the quantity of milk listed every day than it is to get milk in any special form, according to Doctor Stiebeling. Cheaper forms of milk may often be used in cooking.
 Next item—fruits and vegetables. Potatoes and sweet potatoes are called for about twice a day because they are economical sources of many of the food values specified in the nutrition yardstick. Dry beans, peas and peanuts are called for two to four times a week, for the same reason. They are especially valuable as sources of iron and protein in low-cost diets.
 Tomatoes, citrus fruits or other vitamin-C rich foods are included 5 times a week at least. Every child under four is allotted 1 serving a day—every nursing mother, 1 to 2 servings daily. Among economical "other vitamin-C rich foods" are raw cabbage and raw salad greens.
 Leafy, green and yellow vegetables are served in a low-cost diet at least 6 times a week. And everyone in the family has 3 to 4 eggs weekly.
 The diet plan provides 6 small servings of lean meat, fish or poultry each week. There should be a cereal dish once a day, sometimes twice; bread in some form at every meal, and dessert once a day, if desired. From 30 to 50 per cent of all the cereals served should be the whole-grain kind, because of the iron and other minerals and vitamins they provide.

Movie Chatter
 (By a Rogue)
Dressed to Kill
 For Friday and Saturday, Oct. 3-4, the picture at the Rogue will be Dressed to Kill, starring Lloyd Nolan and Mary Beth Hughes. This is another of the Michael Shayne detective stories and bids fair to hold your interest from the beginning to the end. The story opens with a double murder just as Detective Shayne is about to be married. The ceremony is interrupted by screams across the hall which puts Shayne on the trail of the killer—at least that is what he thinks—until he becomes so deeply involved in solving the murder mystery that he cannot drop the case. One clue leads to another and in the end he finally lands his man.

Wild Geese Calling
 Henry Fonda, who is known for his excellent portrayal of Frank

James, will be at the Rogue Theatre Preview-Sunday-Monday, Oct. 4-5-6, in his newest picture, Wild Geese Calling. He is co-starred with Joan Bennett in this great outdoors picture which is capturing the hearts of millions of theatre-goers everywhere. The scenes are made in the heart of the Great Northwest where men had to be men to stand up against the cruelties of nature. The picture is filled with the life, loves, trials and tribulations of these men of the woods country in their battle against the elements—carving out a civilization against overwhelming odds. It compares in splendor with any of the great pictures of the north woods country. We know you will be more than pleased.

Shepherd of the Hills
 Harold Bell Wright's great book, The Shepherd of the Hills, has been filmed in gorgeous technicolor for your approval. The stars are John Wayne, Betty Field and Harry

Carey. And, as we have said before that when a producing company goes to the expense of making a picture in technicolor, they have got to believe that they have something good. You have read the book, no doubt many times. It is one of the most read books of all times, and now is your chance to see it on the screen when it comes to the Rogue Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 8-9.

An REA safety and job training course is being organized on a statewide basis in Texas.

McDowell Drug Co.
 The Safe Way to Control Hemorrhagic Septicemia is to Vaccinate with FRANKLIN PULMONARY MIXED BACTERIN 10c per dose—Maximum for quantity.
 We Fill Any Doctor's Prescription
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BANKS
OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK OF MOBEETIE
 at Mobetie, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 24th day of September, 1941, published in the Wheeler Times, a newspaper printed and published at Wheeler, State of Texas, on the 2nd day of October, 1941.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$ 97,704.53
Loans secured by real estate	3,850.41
Overdrafts	312.81
Bills of Exchange	109.60
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	9,022.40
Other bonds and stocks owned, including stock in Federal Reserve Bank	5,000.00
Banking House	8,236.40
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	3.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	62,106.52
TOTAL	\$187,845.67

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 20,000.00
Surplus Fund	7,250.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,670.40
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	157,284.18
Public Funds, including Postal Savings	641.09
TOTAL	\$187,845.67

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wheeler:
 We, A. Finsterwald, as President and H. L. Flanagan, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
 A. FINSTERWALD, President
 H. L. FLANAGAN, Cashier.
 CORRECT—ATTEST: GEO. B. DUNN, M. L. HUSELBY, GORDON STILES, Directors.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October, A. D. 1941.
 G. L. KEY, Notary Public, Wheeler, County, Texas.

IT HAD TO BE DONE
 sooner or later — now it's here
Higher Subscription Rates

At long last The Wheeler Times finds it necessary to raise its subscription rates. No apology is offered for this action, caused by circumstances beyond control of the paper. Steadily advancing costs of materials, labor and other expenses connected with publishing the paper compels higher subscription rates.

For nearly eight years, despite the friendly criticism of many fellow-publishers who insisted the subscription rates were too low, and the fine compliments of many readers—some of whom were frank enough to say they didn't see how such a good newspaper could be published at the prevailing rates—this management has steadfastly refused to raise the rates. Now it must be done.

Beginning Nov. 1, the new subscription rates will be \$1.50 per year in Wheeler county and \$2.00 per year outside the county.

Any subscriptions in arrears on Nov. 1 may be paid up to that date at the old rates but on and after Nov. 1 the new rates will apply to all subscriptions, whether paid up or not, all arrears remaining at the old rates.

Note the special offer in effect until Nov. 1 elsewhere in this advertisement.

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Local Chapter Future Homemakers Meeting

Thirty-one members of the Wheeler Chapter of Future Homemakers of Texas witnessed the formal installation of their club officers at 8 o'clock in the homemaker cottage Tuesday night of this week. The candle-lit living room decorated with flowers and pot plants, was a fitting background for the installation service.

Appearing on this part of the program were: Juanita Sherwood, Glenda Schattenberg, Inetta Maxwell, Imogene Crowder, Wilma Dean Patterson and Mary Elizabeth Marrs, former officers, who briefly outlined the duties of their posts, and the newly-elected officers, Pauline Dyer, Edwina Flanagan, Gearldine Williams, Nina Merle Pond and Wilma Jean Dalton, who made acceptance speeches.

Following the formal service, several entertainment numbers were enjoyed. Billie Ruth Ring played a piano selection, "The Singing Hills"; Glenda Schattenberg gave a short humorous reading, and Helen Waldo sang "Marie Elena" and "Blueberry Hill."

In the business session, Edwina Flanagan, vice president and chairman of the program committee, gave a short report on program plans for the year. Group singing was then enjoyed.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies were served to Nina Merle Pond, Imogene Crowder, Helen Waldo, Sammie May, Gene Mitchell, Juanita Sherwood, Louise Whitener, Nadine Brumley, Billie Jean Pendleton, Dorothy Pond, Ellen Nash, Neva Jane Weatherly, Caroline Warren, Alice Webb, Ruthie Mae Mize, Marie Warren, Ethel Ruby Sartor, Billie Ruth Ring, Wilma Jean Cox, Virginia Rose Marrs, Mary Frances George, Eloyce Sandifer, Louise Gill, Wilma Dean Patterson, Mary Elizabeth Marrs, Pauline Dyer, Gearldine Williams, Glenda Schattenberg, Edwina Flanagan, Wilma Jean Dalton, Inetta Maxwell and Mrs. Max Wiley, sponsor.

The next meeting will be a picnic with the F. F. A. club on Oct. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bryant were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boone Tyson of Higgins. After a lovely dinner the Bryants and Tysons drove to the latter's ranch 10 miles northwest of Higgins, which the Wheeler people found to be modern and well-kept. Tyson is assistant secretary of the Canadian Valley Production Credit association of Canadian and Bryant is a prominent local stockholder.

Men's, Ladies' and Boy's Wear

BLAME YOURSELF
IF YOU DON'T GET THE *Genuines!*

SEE THAT SHELL
ONLY Wolverine have it in store, while stock lasts.

NO OTHER WORK SHOE IN THE WORLD LIKE **WOLVERINE SHELL HORSEHIDES**

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Large selection of Tweeds and Twills in plaids and solid colors.
Priced from **\$7.98 Up**

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Colors are grey, brown and teal; all sizes.

98c Each

Russ Dry Goods

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"Always Something New"

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK, OCTOBER 5-11, 1941

To All to Whom These Presents Shall Come:

WHEREAS, the prevention of fires is of vital importance to the success of the nation's tremendous defense effort; and

WHEREAS, throughout its history the State of Texas has suffered an enormous loss in lives and property due to fire; and

WHEREAS, statistics on fire reveals that the "cause" of fires, to a large extent, can be controlled by intensive education and intelligent law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, all citizens of Wheeler are desirous of retaining the low insurance rate which has been awarded by the Board of Insurance Commissioners as a result of the low fire record here; and

WHEREAS, due to the national emergency now existing, the preservation of human lives, and in the interest of sound economy as relating to fire insurance cost, it is the patriotic duty of every citizen of Wheeler to aid in the prevention of fires;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, R. H. Forrester, Mayor of the City of Wheeler, Texas, do hereby proclaim and designate the week of Oct. 5-11 as Fire Prevention Week and I earnestly call upon the citizens of Wheeler to exercise every precaution in lessening the disastrous consequences of fire.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this the 1st day of October, A. D. 1941.

(Signed) R. H. FORRESTER, Mayor of the City of Wheeler.

New War Tax Scale Jolts Local Concerns

Federal Excise Levy on Many Items and Certain Services Became Effective October 1

Receipt here early this week by local merchants of federal excise tax schedules revealing the items and services to be subject to tax under the new law which became effective Oct. 1, jolted them into the unhappy realization that national defense costs money, and lots of it.

No complaint against the tax itself has been heard, but various individuals do not contemplate the extra work and annoyance of keeping sales records and transactions on numerous items with any degree of pleasant anticipation. One owner of a modest sized business declared it looked like he would have to employ an extra bookkeeper because of the additional detail work resulting from imposition of the tax.

Much annoyance will doubtless result at first, but payers of the new tax should soon adopt some system that will simplify keeping of stock and sales records. Each one affected might as well prepare to endure the added burden and pay the required levy cheerfully—since it will have to be done that way or otherwise.

Most, if not all, the financial part passes on to the consumer, who will contribute his share of complaint, whether he is appreciably hurt or not. In spite of inevitable consumer criticism that merchants are profiting from the scheme, the same merchants will realize no more for their merchandise and may, to more or less extent, suffer reduced sales volume.

Among the lines of merchandise and services subject to the new tax are the following:

Furs, jewelry and toilet preparations carry a 10% tax of retail sales prices. Sporting goods, luggage, electric, gas and oil appliances, photographic apparatus, rubber articles, optical equipment and electric light bulbs shoulder a like amount of tax.

Coin operated amusement and gaming devices must pay \$10 and \$50 special taxes per year, respectively, on each location. Bowling alleys, billiard and pool tables are assessed \$10 special tax per year on each alley or table.

Rates are increased on state and gift taxes. Safe deposit boxes, 20% of rental paid instead of 11%.

Telephone or radio conversation or message are taxed 5c for each 50c or fraction thereof where the charge is more than 24c per message. Local telephone service is taxed 6%, which will be added to the bills.

Amusement admission charges are taxed 1c for each 10c or fraction thereof. All payments are taxable except where children under 12 are admitted for less than 10c. A prior law exempted certain organizations but this exemption has been terminated. Club dues tax will be 11% of annual dues of more than \$10.

Radios, phonographs, records, musical instruments, refrigerators, air conditioners and matches receive increased taxes on manufacturer's sales price.

Passenger automobiles and motor-cycles, including trailers and semi-trailers, are taxed 7% of the manufacturer's sales price instead of the present 3 1/2%.

This information is given principally for the benefit of customers, that they may know when a cent or more appears in the price of some article or service, the purveyor is not benefiting but that the money goes to aid this nation and the remaining world's democracies in their preparations for a struggle to the death with the mad master of Berlin and his unholy allies.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Giles have rented the Herbert Whitener property, first door north of the Lawrence Hatchery on north Canadian street, and will move Monday.

MULE COLT AND HORSE SHOW PREMIUM LIST

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cultural agent and former professor of animal husbandry at College Station, will judge the show. He officiated in this capacity here last year and his work proved highly satisfactory.

Location of the show will be at the usual place, the Cicero Smith Lumber yard and J. C. Woodruff Co. yard and intervening street, which will be roped off from the Citizens State Bank corner for one block south.

Bob Irons, general chairman on arrangements, expects to enlist help in directing the exhibit and management of the grounds.

Wheeler Endorses Show
Proof that Wheeler business and professional men and women endorse the Mule Colt and Horse show is seen in excellent financial support extended. The following firms and individuals have subscribed to the premium and incidental expense fund:

Bud Martin, Cicero Smith Lumber Co., Russ Dry Goods, J. C. Woodruff Lumber Co., Citizens State Bank, Wheeler Athletic Club, Fred Ashley, S. D. Conwell, City Bakery, Adams Grocery, W. E. Pennington & Son, J. P. Green & Sons, Puckett's Grocery & Market, Joe Tilley, Jake Tarter, Bill Allen, Clare O'Gorman, Marguerite Ficke, C. R. Weatherly, Frank O. Wofford.
Artie Lee Hunt, Dick Craig, Clay Food Store, Ernest Lee Hardware, McIlhany Dry Goods-Groceries, O. Nations, R. H. Forrester, M. C. Jacob, R. F. Store, City Drug Store, Crump-Mundy Service Station, W. L. Erwin, Fred Farmer, Clark Service Station, O. O. Sandifer, Garrison Service Station, Tillman's Blacksmith Shop, D. A. Hunt, Homer L. Moss, Wheeler Hospital.

Wheeler Gas Co., McDowell Drug Co., Jim's Cafe, Dr. V. N. Hall, T. L. Gunter, Bill Perrin, Harry Wolford, Farmers Co-op Gin, Virgil Tolliver, Wheeler Co-op Gin, Wheeler Wholesale Service Station, C. J. Meek, Wheeler County Produce Assn., Crescent Cleaners, Curtis Pond, Rogue Theatre, Nash Appliance & Supply Co., Paul Brannon, Allen Kavanaugh, The Times.

PEEPING IN THE WHEELER TIMES WINDOW

Entries in The Times display window during the past week fell below par in number and variety but maintained the usual high degree of quality.

In the fruit division, Lee Black appears to have silenced all arguments with a pair of Golden Winesap apples from his orchard just north of town. One of these specimens weighed 1 1/4 pounds and the other 14 ounces. They really are something.

Other new entries are sweet potatoes. The first of the week Tom Crossland sent in a pair of tubers that appear to be Nancy Hall variety. They are of large size and very attractive. The other sweet potatoes shown are yellow yams, grown by E. W. Brewer, living a mile and a quarter north and a half mile west of town.

Both sets of sweet spuds are nice to look at and would grace the finest table in the land when properly prepared.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Bonnie Ray Tilley underwent a tonsillectomy Sunday.

Palmer Sivage entered the hospital Tuesday for treatment for injuries received when he fell down the stairs at the county agent's office, where he has been working.

Mrs. Jeff Price underwent a goster operation today.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Pond, Kelton, are the parents of a baby boy, born Sept. 29.

WHAT SAY YOU?

Son of Man Scorned

And they that passed by railed on him, wagging their heads and saying, Ha, thou that destroyest the temple and buildest it again in three days, save thyself and come down from the cross. Likewise the chief priests mocking Him among themselves with the scribes said, He saved others; himself He cannot save.—Mark 15:29-31.

—W. J. BRUMLEY.

FAMILY REUNION HELD AT W. F. WRIGHT HOME SUNDAY

All the children of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wright were present Sunday, Sept. 28, at the parental farm home two miles north of Wheeler for a family reunion and delicious dinner. It was the first formal occasion of this sort enjoyed by the Wrights.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Wright and son, Billy Earl; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mooney, Canadian; Mrs. N. P. Wright and sons, Taylor and Harold, Allison; Miss Hattie Hubbard, Pampa, and Miss Florene, John, Claude and Carl Wright, at home.

After the bountiful dinner, a number of games were played.

MAGIC CITY CLUB GIRLS ELECT OFFICERS MONDAY

The Magic City Girls 4-H club met Monday of this week for the purpose of electing new officers for the ensuing year. Those selected are as follows:

Adelle Hodges, president; Jimmie Sutton, vice president; Maedean Clark, secretary; Lucile Box, reporter; Doris Mae Johnston, council delegate, and Waldena Clark and Lucile Box, program committee. Mrs. Beck and Mrs. Clark are sponsors of the club.

Meeting dates for the club, states Lucile Box, reporter, will be the first and third Monday of each month.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Beardless winter barley seed. Fred Holmes, Shamrock, Texas. 396p

FOR SALE—Medium size 1937 G. E. electric refrigerator. H. M. Lesser, Wheeler. 421p

FOR SALE—Nice yellow clingstone peaches; 75 cents per bushel. Mrs. Perry Riley, Briscoe. 421c

FOR SALE—International tractor, Model f-12, in good condition. Wayne Roper, Mobeetie. 421c

FOR SALE—Crop, team, tools, cows, hogs, etc.; all to go. Willard Ingram, Wheeler. 412p

FOR SALE—4-wheel trailer; can be used either as trailer or wagon. Chester Babb, Wheeler. 421p

FOR SALE—Fruit trees, shade trees, shrubs and evergreens. Will Warren, Wheeler. 421c

MEN'S JACKETS, made of all wool, cape leathers and suedes. Coat styles with four pockets and buttons or zippers. Price range on jackets, \$5.98 to \$8.95; coat styles, \$11.95 and \$13.95. Russ Dry Goods, Wheeler. 421c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping apartment in modern home. Mrs. E. G. Pettit, Wheeler. 412c

FOR RENT—50x100 foot tile and brick building, glass front. L. C. Austin, Wheeler. 403p

FOR RENT—Attractively furnished apartment, conveniently located; rates reasonable. H. M. Wiley, Wheeler. 261c

FOR RENT—Modern 4-room house; close in. G. A. Bolton, Wheeler. 421p

STRAYED

STRAYED—Two brown, roach maned horses. Notify Marvin Hubbard, Wheeler.

WANTED

MAN WANTED—Above 28, with car. No previous experience necessary, to take well-established Watkins Products route in south side Wheeler county and Collingsworth county. See me next to White Hotel every Saturday afternoon. Harley Patterson, your Watkins man, Wheeler. 421p

MISCELLANEOUS

COAL—Let Crump-Mundy supply your coal needs. Crump-Mundy Service Station, Wheeler. 221c

WHY WASTE TIME looking for a job? Be independent. Sell Rawleigh Products. Good nearby route open. Write today. Rawleigh's, Dept. TXJ-787-D, Memphis, Tenn. 421c

SALES and SERVICE—DeLaval cream separators. Terms as low as \$2.00 per month. Nash Appliance & Supply Co., Wheeler. 391c

PUBLIC enemy No. 1—ALCOHOL 3t50p

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When illness overtakes you or a loved one, we recommend immediate consultation with a doctor—it is his business to make a diagnosis and issue a prescription. Then bring that prescription straight to us—it is our business to promptly and carefully fill prescriptions according to doctor's instructions. At this drug store a registered pharmacist uses only fresh, potent drugs in every prescription entrusted to our care. For health's sake, let us co-operate with your doctor.

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We Fill Any Doctor's Prescription

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Manager-Pharmacist

Mrs. Ernest Dyer, Mrs. J. H. Richards and Mrs. Roy Esslinger and daughters, Margie and Dorothy Jean, motored Sunday to Memphis and visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jenkins and children, Judy and Jan.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Noah went to Olney Saturday to visit relatives and attend a dinner given in honor of his mother, Mrs. M. E. Noah, for her birthday anniversary on Sunday. They returned home Tuesday.

Ladies Coats \$5.95 to \$18.95

Ladies' new fall coats, as now displayed in this store, were never prettier. Every garment has individual features that portray style, beauty and service. Materials include a variety to suit everyone—tweeds, twills and camel's hair fabrics predominate in a good assortment of wanted colors and models.



Illustrated is a Camel's Hair \$15.95 fabric model at

Children's Coats \$1.95 to \$8.95



Men's Wear

Men's Leather Jackets in the new western tan, aviation tan and combinations.

\$3.95 to \$13.95

Wool and leather jackets at popular prices.

Men's Sweaters.....98c to \$2.98
Men's and Boys' Mackinaws.

FOR THE YOUNGER FELLOWS

We have a new line of young men's trousers and coats in the wanted tweeds.

Trousers.....\$2.95 and \$3.95

Coats to Match.....\$10.50

Other New Fall Trousers up to.....\$4.95

Also men's new 4-piece suits

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