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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

## Boll Pulling Wage Parley Gets Crowd

Conference Saturday Night Adopts 75c per 100 Scale on Basis of Current Prices

Arousing even more interest than was anticipated by its sponsors, a meeting in the court house here Saturday night to discuss uniform and equitable wage scales for cotton picking and boll pulling, attracted a good sized crowd. Jake Tarter, county agent, present at the conference reports 131 farmers and others, together with 10 or more cotton pickers and pullers, in attendance.

Conducted in a typical democratic manner, all parties at the meeting were given a fair and unrestricted opportunity to freely air their views. Opinions on both sides of the question were heard with equal consideration.

Following extended discussion, the cotton growers voted unanimously to adopt a scale of 75 cents per 100 pounds for boll pulling on the basis of current prices for cotton and cottonseed.

The pickers and pullers present concurred, generally speaking.

It is said to have been understood and agreed, more or less definitely, that in event of advance in price to the grower for his crop a proportionate advance for harvesting would be made. On the other hand, a decline in cotton and cottonseed prices would entail reduced wages for gathering the crop.

One nearby planter, who has a considerable acreage of good cotton, told The Times early this week that he would enter into contract with a group of responsible persons to pay for pulling at the rate of 5 cents per 100 for each cent per pound received for his cotton. Thus, 15-cent cotton to the grower would pay the pullers 75 cents per 100 in wages.

Likewise, this grower will gladly pay \$1.00 per 100 for pulling cotton he can sell on the market at 20 cents per pound. He stipulated, however, that pullers' wages would have to follow a downward trend in market price for cotton.

Some of the pullers at Saturday night's meeting declared they would not go in the field for less than 75 cents per 100. That contingency will be met when it arises.

That the grower cannot afford to pay more for harvesting his cotton crop than the selling will justify is an unprejudiced statement of fact. If the market goes still lower on the grade of cotton produced in this area it will be up to the pullers to take or leave the wages justified by what the cotton will bring.

None of the growers attending Saturday night's meeting and entering into the agreement mentioned have any desire or intention of attempting to coerce acceptance of the wage scale adopted. Harvesters will be free agents to accept or reject, as they see fit.

## Prevention of Stock Infection Discussed

Among the various subjects pertinent to agriculture and livestock production in this area discussed by the Land Use Planning committee at its meeting in Amarillo last Saturday was infectious diseases of livestock and control measures, reports County Agent Jake Tarter, who attended the session. The committee is anxious that every precaution be employed to prevent spread of such diseases, especially hog cholera, Tarter says.

The Livestock Sanitary committee of Wheeler county, together with other interested farmers, rigidly oppose grouping of hogs from various sources in sales lots. The practice has a tendency to introduce hogs from cholera-infested areas, with a consequent spread of the disease. Or hogs produced locally, which have become infected, might prove disease spreaders if thrown together with healthy animals.

It was the opinion of the committee that a sufficient demand for hogs exists to provide ready sale at fair prices without risking the danger of exposure through sales lot or other groupings. Most farmers, it was said, are sufficiently informed regarding the market price of hogs to permit intelligent buying and selling without the necessity of assembling them in herds where disease may be contracted.

## Carnival at Mountain View

The Mountain View Quilting club announces a carnival will be held at the Mountain View school house tomorrow, Friday, night, Oct. 24. Games of various kinds and refreshments will be featured. Everybody is invited to attend.

## FATHER OF MRS. A. C. WOOD PASSES AWAY LAST FRIDAY

A. L. Casey, 82, died early Friday, Oct. 17, at his home in Highlands, Texas, after a brief illness. His health had been failing the past year. He was born near Birmingham, Ala., where he remained until after he was married. Early in the 90's Mr. and Mrs. Casey moved to Elgin, Texas, where they reared a large family. Mrs. A. C. Wood of Wheeler is a daughter.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Wood visited him during his illness, but did not attend the funeral.

## Lakeview Eagles Beat Wheeler Mustangs 13-7

Grid Contest Fought Here Friday Night—Locals Meet Memphis There Tomorrow Night

The Lakeview Eagles handed the Wheeler Mustangs a 13-7 defeat here last Friday night in one of the closest games of the season. Wheeler threatened to score early in the first quarter, when it took the ball on the Lakeview 10-yard line after a fumble on the fourth down by the Eagles.

Four successive power plays netted only 6 yards and the Lakeview team took the ball on their own 4-yard stripe. A 15-yard pass from Merrill to Scott got the ball out of the danger zone, and another pass by the same players yielded a touchdown. Scott racing 80 yards for the tally. Try for extra point was good.

Lakeview's second score came early in the last period. Craig's kick was blocked by the Eagles and recovered on the Wheeler 15. A pass on the fourth down gave the Eagles a first down on the Wheeler 3-yard line, Merrill going over for the second Lakeview tally. Try for extra point was blocked.

The Mustangs came back with a passing attack, starting on their 47-yard marker. Craig to Whitener gained 11 yards and a pass from Craig to Garrison added 25 yards more. Whitener and Craig advanced the ball to the Lakeview 2-yard line on power plays and Whitener plunged over for the counter. A pass from Craig to Burton was completed for the extra point.

The Lakeview team was in charge of the ball as the game ended, taking the long end of a 13-7 score.

Starting lineups were:

WHEELER	Pos.	LAKEVIEW
Garrison	le	Davis
Goad	lt	Craft
Pendleton, C.	lg	Williams
Red	c	Storey
Johnson, J.	rg	Brownleigh
Reeves	rt	Wiley
Farmer	re	Gibson
Whitener	qb	Johnson
Craig, F. B.	lh	Scott
Burton	rh	Bownds
Pendleton, L.	fb	Merrill

First Downs: Lakeview, 10; Wheeler, 6.

## Meet Memphis There

The Wheeler Mustangs will meet the Memphis Cyclone at Memphis tomorrow night. The two teams are fairly evenly matched, Memphis losing to Lefors last week 46-2, dropping a 19-0 decision to McLean the preceding week, and holding the scrappy Shamrock team to a 26-0 score on Oct. 3. The Mustangs are pointing toward this game and hope to bring home a decisive victory tomorrow, Friday, night.

## TIMES VINDICATED; FROST ISSUE IN ABEYANCE

Despite the murmurings of our esteemed Amarillo compatriot, Lewis Nordyke, who last Sunday morning reiterated against The Times his charge of hedging, this journal is content to rest upon its laurels regarding the "first frost" issue. As stated last week, unimpeachable evidence can be produced to prove that it frosted on the date predicted by The Times.

Now, having made its point, this paper is quite content to await with interest the period of Nov. 7-11, which has been named by Arnold Sonntag, valued Briscoe community reader, as the date when that "real" frost may be expected.

Oh, by the way, upon learning that Panhandle editors and writers are invited to appear as guest speakers on the "Exchange Editor's" broadcast from KGNC, Amarillo, over which Nordyke presides, The Times has decided to withdraw the epithet of whipper-snapper applied unthoughtfully and without provocation to that estimable person. The editor will be glad to have some Wheeler friends accompany him when he goes to Amarillo as a guest speaker on that Sunday morning broadcast.

## Excess Rain Arouses Crop Condition Fear

Only Temporary Letup in Moisture for Past 40 Days—About 4 or 5 Inches this Week

Continued rainfall in this area is arousing fear concerning crop conditions. For approximately the past six weeks only temporary letup in precipitation of a day or two at a time has occurred. As a result, practically all field work has been at a standstill.

Rains almost every day or night—and frequently both—have added about four or five inches more moisture to this county's already drenched and sodden fields during the past week. However, in spite of all this unusual moisture, only in the past few days farmers have begun to express concern over crop prospects.

To date, so far as can be learned by inquiry of different farmers, comparatively minor actual damage has resulted from the excess rain. Standing feed has suffered little except for discoloration of the grain. Cotton, the growers say, has not been hurt appreciably up to this time, because much of it is not yet open. Of course, the open cotton has stained to some extent.

Major cotton injury would not be apparent at the moment; it would come later when freeze catches the unopened cotton which has been delayed by damp, cloudy weather. To finish out is opening, sunshine and fair weather is needed.

Some cases of damage to cut feed, both in shock and bundle, have been reported. Bundles left on the ground, sometimes in fields too wet to enter, have begun to sprout the grain and to show signs of rotting.

An optimistic farmer declared one day this week that the situation was by no means serious, yet. He pointed to 1926, when he declared rain fell almost every day for six weeks or two months preceding the first of November. The weather then failed off and ideal harvest conditions prevailed in November and December, giving everyone a chance to save their crops in first-class shape.

While the unwanted moisture here appears to be quite a burden, this area is very fortunate in comparison with some other portions of the country not far from the Panhandle. Several Kansas cities and towns, together with thousands of acres of surrounding farm lands, have been inundated for a week or more. The noon-hour broadcast today reported that Woodward, Okla., had three feet of water in its streets and scores of families were moving out of the lowlands to higher ground. Much farm land, of course, is overflowed in that region.

## Bethel Citizen for 35 Years Dies Last Week

W. G. Copeland, 78, resident of the Bethel community near Shamrock for the past 35 years, passed away on Monday of last week. Born Oct. 22, 1863, near Joplin, Mo., Copeland came to Texas as a young man. He lived awhile in Fort Worth before coming to this county.

Settling in the Bethel community, Copeland engaged in stock farming and continued active in that vocation until about 10 years ago, when failing health compelled him to retire. He had been a member of the Methodist church since 1879 and was affiliated with the Shamrock church of that denomination since 1906.

Copeland was a highly respected citizen, a loyal friend and excellent neighbor. During his long residence he became quite well known over the county.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Nannie Copeland, and 14 children, seven daughters and seven sons. The daughters are Mrs. Rada Bowers, Mrs. Mont Trimble, Mrs. Seidel Howard, Mrs. Finis O'Neal and Mrs. Clifford Dorman, Shamrock; Mrs. Lela Agan, Crissa Springs, and Mrs. Gentry Isaacs, Los Angeles, Calif. The sons are Frank, Grover, L. B. and Garland Copeland, Shamrock; Herbert Copeland, Texola, Okla.; Elmer Copeland, Phoenix, Ariz., and Wilson Copeland, Fort Sill, Okla.

Other surviving near relatives include a brother, John Copeland, Ringling, Okla.; two sisters, Mrs. Dora Billingsley, Ringling, and Mrs. Della Anderson, Shamrock, and 31 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted from the First Methodist church of Shamrock on Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. A. C. Haynes, pastor, and Rev. Fred Wright, pastor of the Bethel Baptist church, conducting the rites. Interment was in the Shamrock cemetery.

Mrs. J. F. Witt was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Minnie Farmer.

## Panhandle Service to Change Its Location

Paul Brannon Gas and Oil Station to Share Austin Building with Nash Appliance & Supply

Preparations are in progress for removal of the Panhandle Service station, either the latter part of this week or first of next, from its present quarters in the Porter building, just west of the City Drug store on Highway 152, to the Cam Austin building, adjoining the Woodridge Lumber yard.

The Panhandle station, with Paul Brannon as owner and manager, has been at the present location since it was started about four years ago.

Together with the shift of location, some other changes are also being made. Curtis Pond, salesman with the Nash Appliance & Supply Co., has purchased a half interest in the retail section of the Panhandle concern, Brannon retaining full control of the wholesale department.

The station, to be known as the Panhandle Service & Storage, will occupy the front of the Austin building, together with space for repair shop, wash room and contemplated auto storage quarters. Teed Pond, brother of Curtis, will be actively associated with the station. Claude Mize will continue in the shop department with Brannon, who plans to add more help as demands require.

Occupying the remainder of the Austin building will be the Nash Appliance & Supply Co. with a Pontiac automobile display and salesroom and Case tractor and farm implement sales and storage. The Nash concern is also to remain in its present quarters on the west side of the square with other lines sold by it except those mentioned.

Curtis Pond retains his position as salesman with the Nash Appliance & Supply, expecting to devote full time to cars, tractors and farm implements.

## New Induction Method Will Aid Registrants

Modified Plan Permits Prospective Selectees Chance to Learn Standing Beforehand

Major General Richard Donovan, Eighth Corps Area commander, with headquarters at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, has issued a call upon the governor of Texas that will place in operation the Modified Induction plan through the employment of army examining stations.

This will remove a source of much criticism, since registrants will know whether they are accepted or rejected before making final arrangements in their personal, financial and other affairs prior to call for induction.

Requisition is being made on the State of Texas for forwarding of 1,183 white and 193 colored 1-A and 1-A-O registrants to the army examining stations for examination under the provisions of the modified plan of induction.

An army examining station serving this area will commence operation on Oct. 29, in the postoffice building, Lubbock. Army recruiting officers in the area are daily being called upon for information and advice by men seeking detailed information on army matters.

In view of the current call for army examinations, army recruiting officers, urge all who are interested in enlistment to promptly call at either of the recruiting stations located at Lubbock, Plainview, Amarillo or Pampa, as existing instructions prohibit soliciting the enlistment of any registrant after notice to report for induction or order to report for physical examination (Army Examining board) has been mailed to the registrant. This prohibition does not apply, however, in the case of enlistment for aviation cadet.

The Wheeler County Selective Service board, with offices in the court house here, has received confirmation of the new plan. According to C. R. Weatherly, clerk of the board, prospective inductees will be called for examination in a manner similar to the present system of direct induction.

A call for one man under the new modified induction method has been received by the local board.

## Wheeler Ladies to San Antonio

Mrs. J. M. Burgess and Mrs. O. Sandifer motored today to San Antonio to visit the former's son, Vevel Bowerman, who is stationed at Fort Sam Houston. Mrs. Sandifer will visit her father, E. B. Watson, and sister, Miss Margaret, and brother, Troy Watson, and family at Devine. They are expected to return Sunday.

## WHEELER MASONS ATTEND WELLINGTON LODGE MEET

A group of Wheeler Masons attended a special communication of the Wellington Masonic lodge Tuesday evening. The third degree was conferred and 14 members of the Wellington lodge received their lamb-skin aprons in a formal presentation lecture. Past Master R. H. Forrester of Wheeler delivered the lecture.

Lee Guthrie, also of Wheeler, filled the senior warden's station and gave the third degree lecture.

Others from Wheeler attending were Murray Fuquay, R. D. Holt, W. H. Miller and Fred Ashley. At the close of labor, refreshments were served to more than 40 members of the order who were present at the meeting.

## Widely-Known Citizen Passes Last Monday

Wm. B. Sammons, Former Twitty Man, Passes Away at Shamrock—Funeral Tuesday

Wm. B. Sammons, former resident of the Twitty community where he had lived for more than 20 years after coming to Wheeler county in 1915, passed away last Monday afternoon at Shamrock, where the family has resided some three years. Three weeks ago Sammons underwent an emergency operation at a Shamrock hospital.

Born at Floresville Jan. 18, 1885, the deceased was a few months over 56 years old at the time of his death.

The Sammons family came to Wheeler county in 1915 and engaged in farming and stock raising. He was a prominent member of the Twitty community and took an active part in county affairs.

Sammons is survived by the widow; one daughter, Mrs. John Porter, of Shamrock; a son, Haskell Sammons, of Twitty; five sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Byas, Fort Worth; Mrs. Cretia McCray, Mobeetie; Mrs. Emma Howard and Mrs. Daisy Hays of Shamrock, and Mrs. Lilly Burrell, Twitty; four brothers, Fred Sammons, Fort Worth; Tim and Lonnie Sammons, Houston, and Jess Floyd Sammons, Amarillo, and his father, Wiley B. Sammons, of Shamrock.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon from the First Baptist church of Shamrock, with Rev. Vernie Pipes, a former Shamrock pastor now of Hobart, Okla., and Rev. H. H. Henry of Twitty in charge. Masonic rites were conducted at the graveside. Interment was in the Shamrock cemetery.

## County People Attend Meetings at Amarillo

Mrs. Bob Greenhouse of Briscoe, representing Wheeler County Home Demonstration clubs; Miss Lucile Chance, county home demonstration agent, and Miss Sybil Gidden, assistant home demonstration agent, attended two important meetings in Amarillo Monday.

One of these was the Land Use Planning committee session and the other a district county agents' and workers' conference, held in the afternoon. Following this meeting the group went to the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wink, northeast of Amarillo, for an open house in celebration of the Master Farmer's award recently conferred upon the Winks. The trophy or emblem was presented at exercises that evening.

Men from this county attending the Land Use Planning session and district county agents' and workers' conference, were Tom E. Laman of Mobeetie, representative, and Jake Tarter, county agent.

## Governor Sets Dates Stamp and Bond Week

Nov. 3-11 has been proclaimed by the Honorable Coke Stevenson, governor of the State of Texas, as Defense Savings Stamp and Bond week in all the 13,791 schools and colleges of Texas. Like a mighty army they will move forward with one accord to revive the Spirit of '76—the spirit that helped make America great.

The Spirit of '76 made possible those great privileges so loudly stressed today—freedom of speech and freedom of the press. Continuation of these will be perpetuated only by the boys and girls of today who are prepared and protected for tomorrow.

The treasury department of the United States government has been given the Herculean task of administering the sale of defense stamps and bonds so necessary to the nation's defense program. Enlistment of every boy and girl is solicited for Defense Savings Stamp and Bond week, Nov. 3-11, to help make it a genuine success.

## County Exhibit at State Fair Excels

Declared Most Representative in Scope and Appointment for Publicizing County

Intelligence has just come to light this week to the effect that Wheeler county's exhibit at the recent Texas State Fair in Dallas was declared the most representative display on the basis of number and variety of items, with printed labels naming the various entries and in appointment for publicizing the county.

It should be explained that, because of the county's reputation for varied resources, such an exhibit was prepared and shown by special request.

Number and kind of resources—natural, refined and produced—might even occasion surprise to many residents of the county, it is said.

Natural resources included crude oil, natural gas, refined gasoline, lube oil, carbon black, tubing oil and petroleum jelly.

In this connection it was revealed that Fort Worth and Dallas obtain their natural gas from the Wheeler county field, a fact which proved most amazing to residents of that region.

Other natural resources shown were brick clay (of which there is an abundance), caliche, building sands, damming clay, natural soddings, native gramma grass and six other types of native grasses. Refined resources, produced here normally, included cotton, cottonseed oil, cottonseed hulls, cottonseed meal and cottonseed pellets.

For food the exhibit contained cabbage, onions, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes, carrots, beets, turnips, tomatoes, blackeyed peas, cream peas, corn (green), apples and peaches.

For feed was shown corn, milo, kafir, oats, barley, hegari, alfalfa, sargo, cane bundles, native prairie silage materials and corn stover.

Preparation of the natural resources entries was sponsored by the Shamrock Chamber of Commerce, which provided containers at its own expense. The other entries were assembled and prepared by the agricultural exhibits committee, headed by Ira Passons. Incidentally, it is reported that Passons did a majority of the work, due to illness of C. H. Riley and removal to Amarillo by Pete Morgan, other members of the committee.

County Agent Jake Tarter functioned in his usual efficient manner and was ably supported by Chas. Griffin, assistant county agent, in preparation, transportation and arrangement of the exhibit.

Attendees at the Wheeler county exhibit were at first amused and later mildly annoyed by the incredulity expressed or indicated by many spectators who doubted that some of the items were produced in Wheeler county.

Notable among these were the fine apples, which provoked astonishment and unbelief as to their authenticity. Attention of Doubting Thomases was called to names of growers shown with the entries and invitations given to write these individuals for additional proof and information regarding horticultural and agricultural advantages in Wheeler county.

The Food-for-Defense theme exemplified in the vegetable and fruit display earned numerous well-deserved compliments.

Surprise was expressed at the variety and quality of feedstuffs shown. Many spectators declared they had no idea so many varieties of farm crops were produced in the eastern Panhandle, and particularly in Wheeler county.

Much of the quality shown by Wheeler county feeds, states the county agent, is a result of smut and other recommended treatment and care of seed, together with a consistent use of certified seed. These practices, he says, have greatly aided in the production of pure grains and feed, free of noxious diseases and pests.

In its final analysis, this year's exhibit at the state fair ranks second in favorable publicity for Wheeler county only to the winning, for 1938, of the first prize of \$500.00 in cash in a state-wide contest sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Various phases of agricultural progress was the basis on which \$1,000.00 donated by the West Texas Utilities company, divided into three prizes, went to first, second and third place winners.

Wheeler county took first place. Allens Move to New Home Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Allen moved last week to the Rippy property, in the southwest part of town, which they recently bought from Clois Jolly of Twitty. The Allens have been living in Mrs. T. P. Morton's apartment.

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## THE COUNTRY WEEKLY

I am the friend of the family, the bringer of tidings from other friends; I speak to the home in the evening light of summer's vine-clad porch or the glow of winter's lamp.

I help to make this evening hour; I record the great and the small, the varied acts of the day and weeks that go to make up life.

I am for and of the home; I follow those who leave humble beginnings; whether they go to greatness or to the gutter, I take to them the thrill of old days, with wholesome messages.

I speak the language of the common man; my words are fitted to his understanding. My congregation is larger than that of any church in my town; my readers are more than those in the school. Young and old alike find in me stimulation, instruction, entertainment, inspiration, solace, comfort. I am the chronicler of birth and love and death—the three great facts of man's existence.

I bring together buyer and seller, to the benefit of both; I am part of the market place of the world. Into the home I carry word of the goods which feed, and clothe and shelter, and which minister to comfort, ease, health and happiness.

I am the word of the week, the history of the year, the record of my community in the archives of state and nation.

I am the exponent of the lives of my readers.

I am the Country Weekly.

### FOR WHOM THE BELL TOLLS

There is a popular misapprehension concerning the war being waged by the New Deal on American business, comments the Lake Geneva, Wis., Herald. Continuing that authority reveals some painful truths.

Many Americans have been led to believe by administration orators that only "big business" is in peril. The facts are that big business is not at all in peril. The administration needs the taxes, and the works that big business supplies. The titans of industry may be alarmed at the future of the country's economic existence but they are not frightened of immediate prospects.

Instead, it is the little business man who is being sacrificed on the altar of taxation and Lease-Lend programs and the muddled socialism of Henderson and the OPM. Badly hit by the price-fixing inequalities of Henderson's henchmen and deprived of raw materials by the OPM and the Lease-Lend activities of the administration, America's middle class is facing ruin.

Among the raw materials pre-empted by the OPM for shipment to England and Russia, leather, rubber, chromium and steel rank highly. It is doubtful, for example, that small shoe manufacturers, toy makers,

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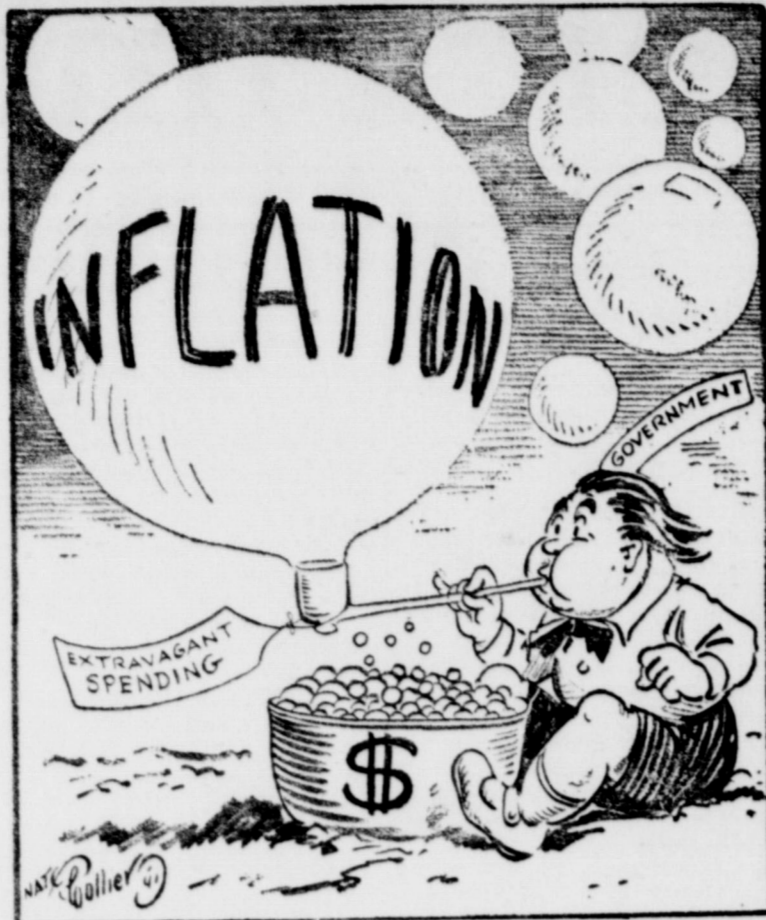
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### I'M FOREVER BLOWING BUBBLES!



bicycle shops, shoemakers and cobblers, leather goods manufacturers and a host of others will be able to receive adequate quantities of material for their business.

In addition to this, the government has been conducting a survey, among manufacturers actually or partially disabled by the industrial tie-up in raw materials, to effect censuses of specialized workmen with a view toward transporting these skilled laborers to other localities.

On the surface, this picture may not be unduly alarming, but, upon reflection, a startling comparison comes to mind. Isn't this the same technique employed by the dictators? Didn't Hitler and Stalin transport laborers from one section of Europe and Asia to another as the need indicated? And wasn't this done in order to destroy opposition to a program that led, in both cases, to complete industrial regimentation?

As far as the finished materials are concerned, the American consumer public will not want, England promises that "England Still Delivers the Goods." English manufacturers are advertising British footwear made of hides exported under Lease-Lend manipulation to England. Chromed tubular steel bicycles are promised speedy delivery to the American and South American markets; rubber manufacturers and toy shops are assured that an ample supply of British made goods—manufactured from materials prohibited to United States producers—will be available for the Yuletide season.

In short, even if our own small business men, the detested "bourgeoisie" of Communist ideology, are deprived of livelihoods, we are given proof that no such evils are rampant in the Tight Little Isle.

Roosevelt and his geni are convinced that there must always be an England—even if it means the destruction of the United States.

### "OIL SHORTAGE" BACKFIRES

The so-called "oil shortage" scare on the Eastern seaboard, promoted for reasons hard to understand, has vanished like a morning mist. According to a congressional committee investigation, there is no serious shortage in the foreseeable future.

The productive capacity of the American oil industry is more than adequate to meet today's enormous military demand, as well as the normal civilian demand. A transportation problem was created by the transfer of tankers to Great Britain. That problem is now being met by moving oil by rail, even though the cost to the industry is higher; by the construction of additional pipelines, and, in many cases, by using coal instead of oil in industrial operations.

This country produces more than 60 per cent of all the oil in the world. It produces oils of a quality unequalled elsewhere. That is what private enterprise has done—and all the politically-inspired rumors of "grave shortages" can't hide it. Friendly co-operation with industry as dislocation problems arise, due to defense needs, will do more to solve them than autocratic, punitive action.

### VOTE "NO" OR KEEP STILL

Next year the American people will pay the heaviest taxes in the nation's history. They will pay willingly every dime that is needed for real defense. But they will resent being forced to pay now for government "luxuries" and non-essentials.

Political spending for unnecessary activities is nothing short of a disgrace. For instance, costly WPA "art projects" have again been given official approval. And that is done at a time when the cost of defense will be a great hardship on small incomes, no less than big, and when we are told business cannot continue as usual and when all must "sacrifice."

It has been reliably estimated that

the normal cost of government could be cut by a billion or more dollars a year without imperiling or eliminating any essential activity. But congress won't move a single step in the direction of economy until the people demand it through their action at the polls.

So don't howl at waste until you are ready to vote an emphatic "No" against individuals and agencies that countenance waste.

### AS YOUTH BEHAVES

Some years back the congressman who authored the Dyer act making interstate transportation of a stolen car a federal felony arose to offer changes in his law. He had learned, he said, that the Dyer act was making criminals of boys and girls who took automobiles because they had the wanderlust and had no means of gratifying it.

Congressman Dyer's humanitarianism was out of perspective. His necessary law had not made criminals of the young people. Their act was a criminal act. Their training and moral stamina was at fault.

An error in our oversoftened age is our overindulgence not to bear down hard on the youngster before he reaches the car-stealing age. After that you can do nothing much about him except exclude him from the possibility of harming society.

"I was drunk and wanted a car," said the 20-year-old army deserter who has admitted killing Alfred Friesenmann of San Antonio. Well, that explains it, of course. It is so simple as that. You are drunk and want a car, so you kill the fellow who owns it and ride off.

There is almost a naivete of surprise in the statement that the law thinks it necessary to do anything about it.

We are told by a paternalistic bureaucracy that the old-fashioned idea that parents worked hard to raise their children and children in turn supported the old age of their parents is all wrong.

So long as a majority of Americans turn to the belief that the government owes them all a living and can pay it, so long there will be repetitions of the tragedy that has come grimly to light at Nocona.

For as youth thinks, so thinks the nation.

### TEXAS' TRAFFIC RECORD

Texas in 1940 recorded an impressive gain in traffic safety, over 1939. It seemed to be making real progress in reducing accidents, though it still ranked far down in the list of states in this respect.

So far in 1941 its safety record is far worse than that of 1940. The number of traffic deaths has increased at a terrifying rate. Texas has not only lost all that it gained in 1940 but has made the worst showing in a number of years.

The record for the first nine months of 1941 is not quite as bad as the bare figures seem to make it. Allowance can be made for the much heavier volume of traffic this year, due to defense activities. The number of vehicles on the highways and streets is certainly far greater than a year ago. That fact does not, of course, justify the poor showing this year is witnessing, but it ameliorates it a little.

One encouraging factor is that provision has been made this year for more effective enforcement. We have a much stronger drivers' license law than before. The highway police force has been increased. The law as to drunken driving has been made easier of enforcement.

When full effect is given to these legislative acts, we can hope, Texas will present a more creditable showing.

### Tough Course

First Golfer: "The traps on this course are very annoying."  
Second Golfer: "Yes, aren't they? Will you please close yours?"  
Jungle Jargon.

### Pertinent Paragraphs from Panhandle Press

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

An educated man gets his things from somewhere else, and the intelligent man gets busy and works out problems for himself. . . . Dalhart still is kicking because that section was once referred to as the "Dust Bowl." In fact the Texan is offering a reward of \$50 for information "leading to the positive identification of the man or woman who coined the term Dust Bowl."—Donley County Leader.

Cattle shipping season is on and there has been considerable of it done the last two weeks. Much of this has been calves being shipped to buyers in corn belt states. Fifty-two cars of cattle were shipped from the Canadian loading pens by the Santa Fe last week. It was estimated by J. D. Raymond, local Santa Fe agent, there has been 35 cars shipped from here this week.—Canadian Record.

Charges of violation of the state traffic laws were filed against seven county residents in justice court, and as many in city court late Saturday by county officers and State Highway Patrolman C. D. West. "This is part of a drive that is state-wide in scope by which highway officials are trying to cut down the number of automobile accidents." W. M. Tucker, county attorney, said Monday.—Wellington Leader.

A young hillbilly from an isolated ranch bought an ice cream cone, walked outside to eat it, then carried the cone carefully back to the soda fountain. Handing it to the clerk, he said: "Much obliged for the use of the vase."—White Deer Review.

The weak spot in the administration's pretended effort to curb prices is its steadfast refusal to put a ceiling on wages and to curb the labor rackets. If the administration can put a ceiling on hours and a floor under wages it can, also, if it desires put a ceiling on wages.—Tulia Herald.

The rain gauge at the Lee Maltsberger Station recorded 2.40 inches moisture since the heavy rains started Tuesday. This reading was made at 1:30 today (Thursday) and a steady drizzle continues as we go to press.—Higgins News.

Freezing out small business is the danger of the hour. Small factories which cannot produce war machines, and small institutions which cannot lay up huge stores of materials may find themselves out of business if the war continues for another year or 18 months. The government assures small business men that they shall continue, but economists are worried about the situation.—Canyon News.

Albert Law, editor of the Dalhart Texan, wants to know who originated the term "Dust Bowl" and he wants to know bad enough to pay the person who coined that name a cool \$50. If he can uncover the gent or lady, he's going to try and get them to come to this once called "Dust Bowl" and see if they're smart enough to give this once drought ridden area a name that will as aptly describe the Southwest of abundant crops, fat cattle and contented people as "Dust Bowl" did back in the dark ages.—Ochiltree County Herald.

A man from New Jersey was in Groom this week looking for his run-away wife. He described her as about 25, of medium build and a star tattooed just above the left knee. Van Earl Steed says he'll swear that she is not in this town.—Groom News.

Two-thirds of the states will observe Thanksgiving Nov. 20 this year in conformity with the proclamation of President Roosevelt. Gov. Coke Stevenson has decreed that Texas shall celebrate Thanksgiving on the traditional last Thursday, which will be Nov. 27.—Panhandle Herald.

Some half-dozen samples of Tenmarq, Turkey Red and Black Hull wheat raised in Hansford county this year will be entered in the national wheat baking contest to be held at Chicago on Dec. 5, according to information from County Agent Joe Hatton.—Spearman Reporter.

Fire which started in a hydraulic oil drum swept through the Leslie Gin, at Leslie, Hall county, early last night, leaving the gin a total loss and threatening nearby buildings and stores. Operating on a day and night schedule for the past two weeks, the gin had handled 500 bales of a record crop, and was far behind schedule on more ginnings when the fire broke out.—Clarendon News.

The new game of "ditch 'em" turned out rather serious for some of the players here recently. The game is played similar to the old

game of "police and robbers" which boys played on foot, only "ditch 'em" is played with autos, and the object being to see which driver could surprise the other and force him to take to the ditch. Innocent citizens could easily have been victims also, for streets and highways were used as the arena for playing the dangerous game.—Memphis Democrat.

## Family Found Dead in Home of Carbon Monoxide Poison

EL PASO, Oct. 8, 1941.—A routine checkup by a gas meter reader disclosed the deaths Wednesday of a family of four from carbon monoxide poison.

The victims were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Klein and their children, Isaac and Florence. The father was found with the children sprawled in the kitchen of their home while the mother was seated in the living room.

Police believe the tragedy occurred last Sunday.

When the meter reader called at the Klein home he found the oven in the kitchen range and a gas heater burning. The room temperature was 110 degrees. Mr. and Mrs. Klein each were 70 years of age. Isaac was 50 and Florence 45. Surviving relatives include William Klein, Amarillo, a government employe, and Mayor Sam Klein of Las Cruces, N. Mex.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

We are reprinting in our local paper the above news item for the purpose of calling to your attention the necessity of proper ventilation of your homes when burning gas.

Your old fashioned coal cook stoves and heaters had a six-inch pipe from them through the roof to the outside. It required lots of air for proper combustion of wood or coal. These stoves sucked the air into the house through every crack and crevice, giving you a certain amount of what modern engineers call "Air Conditioning."

We have, in many cases, built tight houses with window and door stops to keep out the sand and cold air, providing no form of ventilation.

Lack of fresh air in living quarters during the winter months has caused much of our sickness, and the turning loose in our homes of fumes from burned gas has in a few cases caused various forms of nasal and lung trouble.

All water heaters should be vented, especially when located in tight bath rooms. Cook stoves should have vented hoods over them. All heaters in very small tight rooms, or large heaters in ordinary rooms, should be vented. A little more money for gas may save a life or a big doctor or hospital bill.

We have never had a death in Wheeler from monoxide poison, and this article is published at our expense, hoping it may help us maintain this enviable reputation. Few towns have been so fortunate.

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Local News Items

Mrs. G. O. McCrohan was quite ill the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel McDowell and children visited relatives in Wellington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holt were in Pampa Friday, visiting friends and attending to business.

Everett Cole of Dumas spent the week end in Wheeler with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cole, and brother, Bodie.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beasley motored Sunday afternoon to Allison, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Newsom and family.

Bob Rodgers came home Friday afternoon from Amarillo, where he had been a patient in the Veteran's hospital the past two weeks.

J. D. Herd of Camp Bowie, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Herd, and children and other relatives left today for Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Griffin motored Saturday to Dallas and attended the State Fair and looked after the Wheeler county exhibit, returning Monday evening.

Mrs. Cecil Waters and daughter, Cecilia Ray, of Stinnett have been visiting at the D. E. Holt home several days the past week while Mr. Waters was in a Pampa hospital.

Sheriff and Mrs. Jess Swink and Mrs. Buster Johnson motored Monday to Childress to take Mr. Johnson, who continued by train to Dallas, where he entered a hospital for treatment.

Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Palmer of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. John Forbis of Wellington were in Wheeler Sunday evening, visiting with friends and attended services at the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robison and son, Gerald, returned to Morton Thursday of last week, after spending several days here while Mr. Robison helped install the new machinery at the Wheeler Co-op Gin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Puett of Shamrock were in Wheeler Monday evening, attending to business and visiting with friends. Their daughter, Miss Orveta Puett, is teaching in the Grandview school, near Pampa this year.

Eddie Atkins of Fort Sam Houston came Monday for a brief visit with his aunt, Mrs. Jake Tarter. He was enroute to Borger to visit relatives for a couple of days before returning to Wheeler for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie and son, Marion Lee, and Amos Page, Lefors, motored Sunday afternoon to Erick, Okla., and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lem Guthrie at the Lamar Guthrie home. Mrs. Lee Guthrie and son returned home that night while Mr. Guthrie and brother, Lamar, and Amos Page went to Oklahoma City on a business trip.

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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 Freshman—Wayne McDonald  
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 The Tattler—Unseen, only at times, and heard very much.  
 Faculty Advisor—Mrs. W. M. Wood

Colonial History Interesting to American Literature Class

Much interest has been shown in the Colonial history period of American literature by the junior class this year. As a result, many good grades have been made. At conclusion of study in that period the English teacher requested members of the class to write themes on "Why I Would (or Would Not) Like to Have Lived During that Period." A number of practical arguments were composed on the subject, and the following theme is deemed worthy of publication.

**The Colonial Period**  
 In the Colonial period a boy became a man when he began to carry a gun and shoot straight. Education was not considered nearly so important as it is now; therefore, very few boys went to school after they learned to spell and write their name. This is an important point to boys who do not like to go to school.

A boy or young man in the Colonial period didn't have to seek amusement in his spare time as the boys in our generation do. All one had to do to find excitement and amusement was to pick up a gun and go hunting. There was plenty of game to hunt, and if one were bold and brave enough he might even add an Indian scalp to his trophies.

The colonists didn't have to raise domesticated animals for their meat. There was a bountiful supply of deer, bear, wild turkeys and fish. The hunters could make full use of the game they killed, especially the deer and bear.

These animals provided good meat and also furnished good warm clothing for the winter months.

In the Colonial day one's lack of education or manners was not noticed as much as it is now. The colonists usually had no knives or forks; therefore, there was no need to study table manners and learn how to use silverware.

Although the log cabins were a little breezy, there was plenty of wood to burn in the big fireplaces and plenty of bear and deer skins to wrap up in while sleeping. In the summer the breezy cabins were much appreciated for their ventilation. When one was in bed and wanted more fresh air it was only necessary to reach over and punch some chinking out from between the logs of the wall.

The colonists had to work hard, but who minds work when there is excitement and adventure? I wish I could have lived in the Colonial period, then I would have had the pleasure of saying, "I helped build the foundation of America."  
 MELVIN HELTON, Junior.

Music Notes

The Music clubs of the Briscoe school will present the following program in assembly Friday:  
 Solo, "Welcome to Kids," Buddy Wilson; song, "The Flag Song," First Grade; song, "The Right Somebody to Love," First and Second Grade girls; "Onward Christian Soldiers," "Listen to the Mocking Bird," "The Bells of St. Mary's," Rhythm band; "God Bless America," "Three Little Fishes," Second and Third Grades; musical reading, Joyce Sorensen; song, High School Girls quartet, Modeen Wilson, Mary Evelyn Wood, Marjorie Bruton and Tommie Cook. "Washington Post March," "God Bless America," band; songs, Junior Glee club; song, Mixed quartet, Modeen Wilson, Mary Evelyn Wood, Gene Matthews and Jack Riley; novelty song, Fifth and Sixth grades; song, Boys quartet, Gene Matthews, R. H. Dyson, Roy Johnson and Frank Cornelius; selections by High School Glee club.

P.-T. A. Unit Meets

The Parent-Teachers association met Wednesday evening, Oct. 15, in the high school auditorium with Mrs. Clarence Zybach presiding. Good reports of progress with the school lunch room and suggestions for further school and community activities were made during the business session.

Subjects for discussion in the program which followed were: "Difficulties that Threaten Modern Home and Family Life," Mrs. Lee Barry; "Home, a Bulwark of Democracy," O. C. Evans; quiz or round table discussion, "In Defense of Childhood and Youth," led by Mrs. Weaver Barnett.

Next meeting of the association will be on the third Wednesday night in November. Parents of all children in the school are invited.—Reporter.

Boy Cagers Win; Girls Lose

The Briscoe Bronco basketball teams split a pair of games Friday night with Kelton, the boys winning, 41-8, and the girls losing, 17-36.

Girls seeing action were Bessie Davis, Marian Stewart, Vernell Hogue, Marjorie Bruton, Estelle Aderholt, Anita O'Brien, Marie Finsterwald and Sammie Daughtry.

The pep squad went along to cheer the boys and girls to victory and it certainly looks like they helped. We will probably take them next time.

Pep Squad Organized

A meeting was held last week to organize a pep squad. Officers elected for the year are: Mary Evelyn Wood, leader; Modeen Wilson, assistant leader; Joyce Sorensen, reporter; Mrs. Wood, sponsor, and Miss Osborn, assistant sponsor.

Pep squad groups are gold and green. The group attended a basketball game at Kelton last Friday night and feels confident it helped inspire the boys to win.

Senior Class News

Members of the senior class are greatly enthused over their new play books, which arrived Monday. Title of the play is "Everybody's Crazy Now," a comedy in three acts, by Dan Pierce. Watch for announcement of date and cast of this play.

What If—

It quits raining . . . Miss Wilson was a poet . . . Carl was serious minded . . . The juniors should let some of their class members be in the senior play . . . The girls beat the Kelton basketball team . . . The seniors could make outlines . . . Ed could catch up . . . R. L. didn't like to talk . . . Anita made the Snooper's column . . . Thelma was down in the dumps Monday morning . . . The band learned to play "God Bless America" . . . Mr. Caldwell was tall and thin enough to hide behind a toothpick.

4-H Club Meeting

A meeting of the 4-H club girls on Oct. 14 was called to order by the president and the motto, pledge and prayer repeated. Roll call was answered by naming a way vegetables help one. The minutes were read and approved, followed by discussion of preparations for a party. The meeting then repaired to the science room, where Miss Sybil Gidden, assistant home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on cooking vegetables correctly.—NELDA BESS BARRY, Reporter.

Personality of the Week

Ela Svetnam is an active member of the senior class, a member of the Glee club and has a leading part in the senior play. She does not take part in sports.

Age—17.  
 Hair—Brown.  
 Eyes—Blue.  
 Favorite Study—Agriculture.  
 Favorite Food—Chicken.  
 Favorite Color—Soldier blue.  
 Favorite Actor—Tyron Power.  
 Favorite Actress—Lana Turner.  
 Favorite Screen Play—"Zeigfeld Girl."  
 Favorite Song—"Kentucky Babe."  
 Ambition—Housewife.  
 Likes—Many friends.  
 Dislikes—Hard lessons.

Orchids to:

The pep squad for helping win the basketball game. Mrs. Barry for directing the senior play. The junior boys who have agreed to help the seniors. Mrs. Wood for being such a talented music teacher. The Glee club for making such rapid progress. The freshman class for practicing courtesy and exercising so much influence toward the proper school spirit.

Personal News Items

Coleen Wood and Nelda Bess Barry visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barry.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Smith and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Smith visited in the J. L. Smith home Sunday evening.  
 Mrs. Emil Seedig and daughter, Emillie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee Sunday evening.  
 Iris and Juanita Clepper, Mary Alice Waters and Mrs. Wood and

daughter, Mary Evelyn, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Pannell and children, Louise and Ima Jean.

Vernell Hogue spent Friday evening with Estelle Aderholt.  
 Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Meadows, jr., and children, Clara Helen Seedig and Wayne McDonald were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Meadows, sr., and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Earn Zybach and children, Lottie Marie and Roberta, visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. R. A. Dickey at Reydon, Okla.

Alva Lee spent part of last week in town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyson and children visited Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meek Sunday evening.

Wonder Why—

Vernell Hogue is so anxious for the pie supper? Mary Evelyn had so much fun Friday night? The home ec. girls are not making so much progress with their dresses? Alva is so anxious to go to Amarillo? There is so much pie supper talk? Inez is always untying girls' shoe strings? Mary Evelyn was so tired Saturday night?

Zetha Dickinson was so angry Monday? Billy Candler was so happy; could it have been a blonde? The basketball girls lost their game Friday night? The senior class had to borrow three boys from the juniors? Melvin looked so funny all day Monday; could it have happened Sunday night?

All the girls are worrying about Tuesday night; could it be they didn't want anyone to learn the color of their box? Carl Wilson cackled all day Monday; ask Miss Wilson. The basketball girls laughed so hard in practice last week; could something have been wrong? Miss Wilson dislikes bananas?

The Snooper

Dear Snooper—Please hint to Mr. Mohr that we want a "band trip." We need one, I'm sure. Briscoe Band Members.  
 Dear B. B. M.—Why hint? We'll hope he reads this.

Dear Snooper—Why has L. M. Z. acquired the habit of saying "naturally" with Anita? Me, Myself and I.  
 Dear M., M. and I.—Probably she

has been too closely associated with Willie and Anita lately.

Dear Snooper—What were M. E. W. and V. R. playing in Glee club a few days ago? Could they possibly imagine themselves children again? Playfully Yours.

Dear P. Y.—Ask them; they will know more about it.

Dear Snooper—Where does all Wayne's jewelry come from? A Robber.

Dear Rob.—From certain sources, I have heard. In fact, I think it is a brown-haired, tall source.

Dear Snooper—Why was Anita so interested in Weldon, Monday? Listening Always.

Dear L. A.—Haven't you heard? She had a date Sunday.

Dear Snooper—Why was Lottie Marie so dizzy over the week end? A Friend.

Dear A Friend—Of course I wouldn't know; but I heard she was with Andy D. Friday night.

Dear Snooper—What is good for rheumatism? Signed: Mr. A. D. Barry's Personal Secretary.

Dear P. S.—Someone has suggested carrying an Irish potato in the hip pocket.

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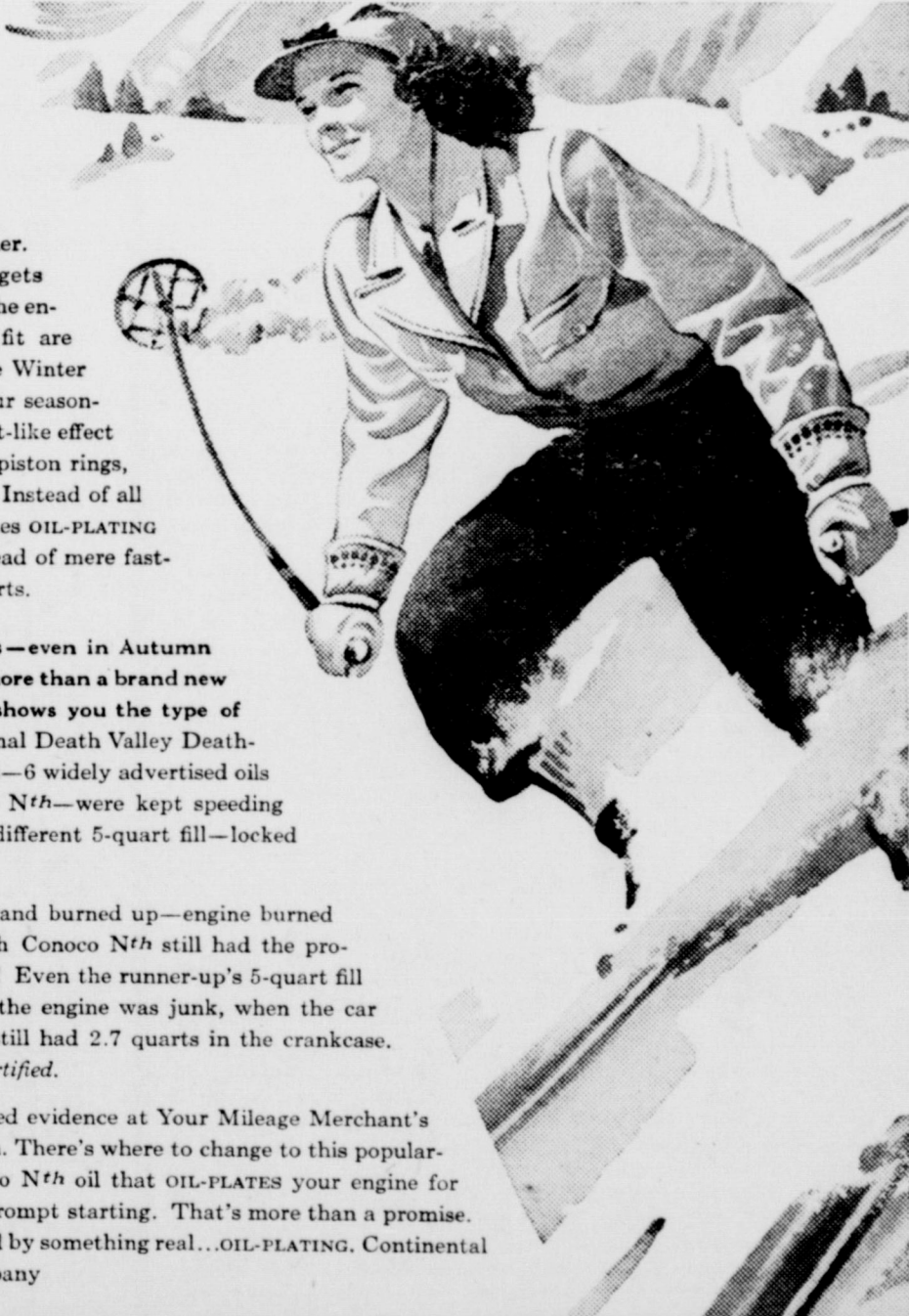
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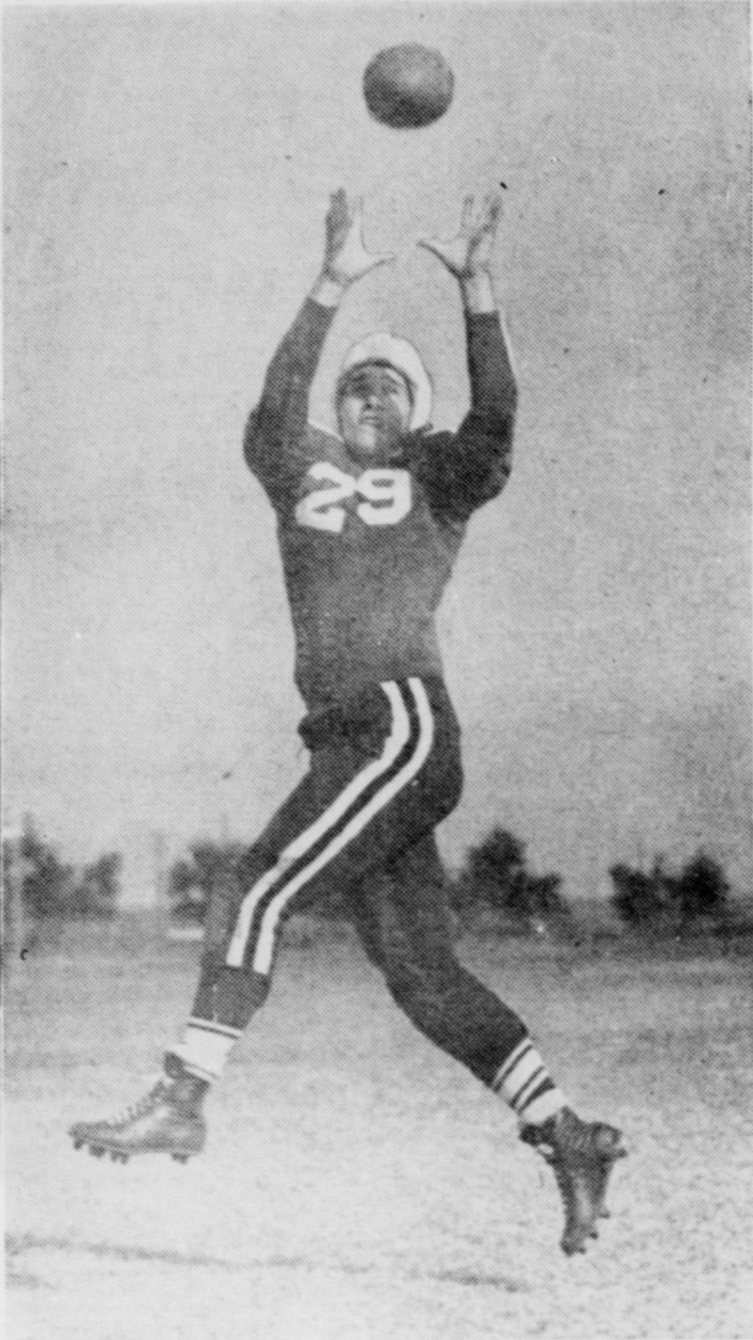
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CANYON.—One of the reasons for the sensational success of the West Texas State College Buffaloes this year is the work of Buford (Bog) Emler of Wheeler, sophomore end. Considered no better than a reserve last spring, Emler had to come

through when the Buffs were admitted to the Border conference and letter men slated for the ends were no longer eligible. The 165-pound Wheeler youth has starred both on offense and defense. He is 5 feet 11 inches tall and is 19 years old.

**TEXAS OUT-O-DOORS**

A venerable quail trap used by the ancient Indians of Mexico, used still later by the Spaniards and the present Mexican people, has found its way into Texas at last, and with modern trimmings may solve one of the big problems of game department field workers who trap quail in densely populated quail ranges and transplant them to quail restoration projects scattered virtually throughout the state. The trap currently in use is commonly called the "box trap" which is baited to lure the birds within its walls. During the last quail trapping season department field workers using this method caught over 600 quail, mostly blue quail of Southwest Texas, and as a result many depleted quail ranges were restored. Now is has been proved that the so-called "new" trap, which has been in use south of the border for perhaps hundreds of years, can snare 200 quail per day!

Briefly, here's how it works in its modern form: A V-shaped "corral" about 24 inches high is set up. The fence is made of ordinary poultry wire. At the little end of the V there is a small opening leading into a rather long but not very high pen. This also is made of wire. Bobwhite quail are eased into the "corral" and finally into the trap itself by automobile, never on foot, to avoid flushing the birds. But blue quail are easily forced into a trap on foot. In the old days the Indians and later the Mexicans did not use wire in the construction of the trap. They piled vegetation or used plaited straw or other material for the two sides of the V, and likewise plaited material for the pen into which the birds were forced. In some parts of Mexico this old method is still in use.

The game department's regional game manager for Southeast Texas and his assistants are still experimenting with the more productive quail trap, and hope to pen up over 1,000 quail this trapping season, which will start some time in November or December. The trapped quail will be released on areas being carefully managed by game managers and field biologists, in cooperation with landowners. Most of the quail trapping will be done in South Texas.

**They're Real Sportsmen**

Taken by and large, the fellows who hunt and fish are just about the best critters alive; and by and large, they will do all in their power to conserve and increase game so they will continue to have something to hunt and fish for. An outstanding example is to be found in Alto, in Cherokee county. A delegation of sportsmen there has posted a \$25

reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone who uses explosives to get fish out of the Neches or Angelina rivers adjacent to Cherokee county, according to the department's game supervisor of that area. It's been unlawful for years to use explosives or contaminating substances to catch fish, and the Alto sportsmen, by posting the reward, are lending assistance to the game department in its efforts to enforce this law.

**Autos Kill Many Deer**

Deer fatalities along the roads at night in the "hill country," where many curves in the road make it difficult for motorists to spot the animals in time, are reported numerous. Even on straight highways the kill is too large—this time the blame being placed squarely on the motorists. It is dangerous to drive at high speeds through the deer range, the executive secretary of the game department warned today. Many cars have been badly smashed up by such collisions, and not a few people have been injured. During the months of July and August, 32 deer were killed by motorists on roads near Kerrville alone, the game warden for that district reported.

**Farmers Have Trouble in Obtaining Repairs**

Texas farmers are having difficulty in obtaining repair parts for their farm equipment in more than half of the counties in the state, B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas USDA Defense board, announces from College Station.

Reports from county USDA defense boards indicate that dealers are unable to obtain adequate supplies of repair parts with the result that unused equipment is going to waste on the farms, he announced. The board is conducting a survey on the request of Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard on the farm equipment needs for the coming year. "The shortage of parts has been acute in some areas for more than a year, according to the reports," Vance said. "In these days, when priorities accorded war materials are apt to cut down on the production of new equipment, a continued and adequate supply of repair parts becomes all the more important. If farmers are to produce the vast amount of food needed in this country and in the nations resisting aggression, then they must have the equipment to carry out their farming operations."

Vance said reports received from the counties on the shortages are being forwarded to Washington for the consideration of Secretary Wickard who will use all such information in obtaining priorities for the needed equipment. Scarcity of labor in some sections makes the problem of keeping farm machinery in shape even more important, Vance pointed out.

**Mobeetie Happenings**

(By Times Correspondent)

**Junior Skating Party**

The junior class of Mobeetie high school sponsored a skating party at Wheeler Friday night. Those attending were Neweta Williams, Evelyn Patterson, Augusta Matthews, Marjorie Hefley, Talmadge Moore, Harry Thomas, Vernon Sivage, Aubrey Lee Leonard, J. T. Jeffus, Art and Janoise Ridgway, Jack Dyson, Carey A. Dysart, Glen D. Hodges, Orvel Ferguson and the guest.

They were accompanied by Miss Virginia Sue Crowell and Mrs. Si Marchbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hogue attended to business in Wheeler Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ernest Moore spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Jeff Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Gordon and grandchildren, Dauna Sue and Sonny, visited in the home of Mrs. F. P. Heare Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Heare returned home with them to spend a few days.

Miss Dorothy Trantham of El Paso visited in Mobeetie Tuesday night and Wednesday.

Miss Wauline Haynes is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Jake Oswald.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Corcoran and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Malloy and Jack Graham of Canadian Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dugan Trusty and son, James, of Lefors visited friends and relatives in Mobeetie Saturday and Sunday.

C. H. Keeton spent Saturday night with Vera and Vernie Mixon.

Mrs. L. D. Smith and son, Lonnie Ray, and Mrs. Tyson Jeffus and daughter, Arletta, visited Miss Fern Smith of Wheeler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arzie Corcoran visited her parents at Lefors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hathaway and sons, Lee Roy and Paul, visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jeffus Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson and children, Alfred and Betty Lou, visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jeffus Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Dugan Trusty and son, James, of Lefors visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Corcoran Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Keeton and children, C. H. and Louise, visited

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Corcoran Sunday.

Jack Crump of Pampa visited friends in Mobeetie Sunday.

John Corcoran and children, J. B., Bobby Neil, Hubert and Florene, visited Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Corcoran Sunday.

Mrs. Joe B. Williams of Pampa visited Mrs. N. M. Gary Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Harris visited Mrs. N. M. Gary Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Sims and son, Jim Lee, Bob Sims and Lois Wilson of Pampa visited in the home of Elder J. R. Sims Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Lawrence and son, Kenny, of Bakersfield, Calif., visited their aunt, Mrs. Clarence Lee, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coleman visited in Mobeetie Thursday.

Mrs. Love and Mrs. Orr both shopped in Wheeler Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Keeth are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hogue of Borger spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hogue and Mr. and Mrs. George Seitz.

Misses Sammy May and Ellen Hash spent the week end in Mobeetie.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Drake and son, Snooks, attended a reunion at Perryton Sunday.

Miss Mary Ruth Bartram of Amarillo visited her mother in Mobeetie during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson attended to business in Pampa Thursday.

Mrs. Macine Slagle and daughter, Beth, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wood and daughter, Shirley, of California came to Mobeetie Thursday for a few weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bartram of Amarillo visited Mrs. Bartram Sunday.

Miss Mary Groom has returned to work after a few months absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bryan of Perryton visited Mrs. Jeff Williams Sunday afternoon.

J. F. Haning, jr., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Haning, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Jeff Williams ate Sunday dinner with Mrs. Lorena Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parker and children, Doris and R. C., and Neweta Williams ate Sunday dinner with Mrs. Byron Simpson.

Mrs. C. A. Dysart visited in the home of Mrs. H. B. Patterson of Wheeler Saturday.

Mrs. H. B. Patterson and daughter, Maxine, of Wheeler visited Mrs.

A. D. Patterson and Mrs. Jess Patterson, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Leonard ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Leonard.

Mrs. John Gilliam of Wheeler visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Robison, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Patterson of Reydon, Okla., visited friends and relatives in Mobeetie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Oswald of Pampa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oswald, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Willoughby, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Bearden and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller and daughter, Mary Kathryn, attended the singing convention at Twitty Sunday.

Miss Delora Ferguson of Pampa visited her mother over the week end.

Eunice May Harrell of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patterson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art McPherson of Canadian visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dysart, Sunday.

Fay Bearden and daughter, Wanda, attended to business and shopped in Shamrock Friday.

Jack Dyson visited friends in Wellington Sunday.

**Local News Items**

C. R. Weatherly has one foot in a sling from stepping on a rusty nail.

L. E. Bradford of Amarillo was a Wednesday business caller in Wheeler.

Miss Eris Manney of Pampa was in Wheeler Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Walter Sharp of the Blasdel ranch, north of Wheeler, was in town Monday attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lusher, Gageby, are the parents of a son, born Sunday at the Wheeler hospital.

Donald McMillin of San Antonio came Thursday of last week to visit friends here and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude McMillin, in Allison.

Mrs. Adeline Mullings of Wewoka, Okla., came last week for several days visit with her brother, W. J. Brumley, and family and her son, Henry Mullings, and family at Pampa.

**BARGAINS**

LADIES' DRESSES made of best grade 80 square prints..... **69c**

COTTON BLANKETS double. Special at only..... **\$1**

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New shipment of Friedman-Shelby all-leather shoes and boots just received.

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DRY GOODS—GROCERIES

**MARVELOUS Food BUYS**

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Spuds 29c 15-lb. peck | Cranberries 17c per qt. | Potatoes 25c Sweets, peck

LEMONS 25c per dozen | MUSTARD GREENS 10c 3 bunches | TURNIP GREENS 10c 3 bunches | CELERY 12 1/2c Jumbo stalk

SUGAR, 10-lb. Limit 52c 10-lb. cloth bag | FLOUR, Purasnow \$1.69 Bowl free with 48-lb. sack

REX JELLY 23c 2 1/2-lb. pail | TOMATOES 25c 3 No. 2 cans | TING TANG 10c 3 cans | CORN 25c 3 cans

Kellogg's CORN FLAKES 25c bowl free with 3 for | HEINZ SOUP 25c asstd, 3 cans | HI HO CRACKERS 17c large box

**MARKET SPECIALS**

FISH—Whittings 10c per lb. | SAUSAGE, pure pork, lb. 19c

BRICK CHILI 25c per lb. | HOT BARBECUE 25c per lb.

ROLLED BEEF ROAST 19c seasoned, per lb.

BEEF LIVER 19c per lb. | PORK CHOPS 27c per lb.

Loin, T-Bone or Short Cut Steaks 28c per lb.

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**Crustene Shortening**

4-lb. carton.....63c 8-lb. carton.....\$1.25

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COTTONSEED MEAL, 100 lbs.....\$2.25

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LAYING MASH, 100-lb. sack.....\$2.30

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**WOMEN'S CLUBS AND SOCIAL EVENTS**

**WEDNESDAY STUDY CLUB PROGRAM ON MEXICO**

Mrs. Floyd Pennington was a gracious hostess to members and guests of the Wednesday Study club yesterday afternoon at her home in the east part of town, when Mrs. Joe Hyatt led an interesting program on Mexico.

Present Government was given by Mrs. T. S. Puckett; Educational Problems and Present Tendencies was discussed by Mrs. J. W. Barr; Natural Resources were described by Mrs. Glen Porter, and the History of the Spanish Language was told in an interesting manner by Mrs. J. L. Gilmore.

The Spanish motif was accented in decorations, refreshments and favors.

Those present were Mesdames J. W. Barr, Buck Britt, Stina Cain, M. L. Gunter, Lee Guthrie, Joe Hyatt, R. D. Holt, John Lewis, Ansel McDowell, J. M. Porter, Glen Porter, T. S. Puckett, H. M. Wiley, Ed Watson, W. L. Williams, W. C. Zirkle, D. A. Hunt, Wayne Cook, J. L. Gilmore, Murray Fuquay and the hostess, Mrs. Pennington.

**MRS. H. FLANAGAN ENJOYS BIRTHDAY LAST FRIDAY**

Mrs. H. Flanagan was pleasantly surprised Friday afternoon, Oct. 17, when several friends gathered at her home west of Wheeler and helped observe her 79th birthday anniversary.

Those present were Mesdames J. M. Porter, H. M. Wiley, I. B. Lee, J. D. Merriman, Wayne Cook, G. L. Wren, Miss Delpha Flanagan and the honoree, Mrs. Flanagan.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS GEORGIE GAYE PORTER**

Georgie Gaye Porter was honored Monday afternoon, Oct. 20, when her mother, Mrs. George Porter, entertained a group of young friends at her home on South Canadian street, observing young Miss Porter's 10th birthday anniversary.

Both parlor and lawn games were enjoyed.

Lovely refreshments were served to Billie Ruth Gaines, Peggie Jo Rodgers, Wilma Hall, Johnette Hood, Billie V. Brown, Yreva Sue Carter, Patsy Ruth Noah, Patsy June Williams, June Johnson, Frances Andrews, Margaret Ann Holt, Frances Porter, Jo Ann Porter, Mrs. C. B. Nash, Mrs. Harold Nash and son, Harold Garth, and the honoree, Miss Porter.

**MRS. PHILLIPS HOSTESS AT PARTY FOR SON-DAUGHTER**

Mrs. Gordon Phillips gave a party Saturday, Oct. 18, for her son, Tom, and daughter, Mary Leota, honoring their birthday anniversaries. Tom was 10 and Mary Leota was 9 years old. A number of outdoor games were played.

Iced fruit punch, cake and ice cream were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. W. C. Zirkle and Louise Gill.

Those present were Johnette Hood, Joe Ann Hardcastle, Jerry Ann Wofford, Mary Bob Denson, Von Eva Hooker, Bonnie Ray Tilley, Maurine Herd, Georgia Beth Ford, Wilma Hall, Jo Ann Porter, Harold James Hardcastle, Kenneth Ford, Garland Parks, Harold Lee Lowrie, Harold Loyd Lee, Edgar Hubbard, Jimmy Bronson Green, Jack Tarter and Larry Don Zirkle and the honorees, Tom and Mary Leota Phillips.

Richard Brown sent a gift.

**PARTY FOR SOLDIERS AT FRANK ROGERS HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers were host and hostess at a party for four soldier boys home on furlough at the Rogers home, southeast of Wheeler, Monday evening.

Guests of honor were Messrs. C. C. Baird, Willard Rogers and J. D. Herd of Camp Bowie and Ernest Mege of Fort Ringgold.

The evening was spent in playing games and enjoying a musical program furnished by Messrs. Dick Guynes, Shorty Loter and Luke Gross.

Other guests besides the soldier boys were Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Baird and three children, Mrs. J. M. Herd and daughter, Bessie, Mr. and Mrs. John Megee and two children, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Greenhouse, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Herd and daughters, Mrs. Stella Megee and four children, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Herd and four children, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hampton and son, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Crowder and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bradstreet and Dorothy Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kasimer, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Loter, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Gross, Dick Guynes, and Misses Inetta Maxwell, Ruby Mae Roper, Laverta and Laverna Turlington and Julia Belle Rogers.

**MR. AND MRS. HAYTER HOSTS AT 6 O'CLOCK DINNER**

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayter were hosts at a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday. The evening was spent playing 42.

Guests were Dr. and Mrs. V. N. Hall, Miss Blanche Grainger and Mrs. Neva Sampson.

**STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. NOAH**

Mrs. Frank Noah was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter club Thursday afternoon of last week at her home on South Canadian street. The social hour was spent doing needlework and visiting.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames W. H. Black, H. H. Walsler, Walter Hooker, W. E. Bowen, Percy Farmer, E. G. Pettit, D. O. Beene, Annie Savage and the hostess, Mrs. Noah.

The club is meeting this week with Mrs. D. O. Beene.

**METHODIST WOMEN'S SOCIETY MEETS MONDAY AFTERNOON**

The Methodist W. S. C. S. met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. I. B. Lee, with Mrs. Linda Clay and Mrs. Cecil Denson as hostesses. Mrs. Wayne Cook read the devotional.

Mrs. J. M. Porter taught the lesson from Christian Imperative, assisted by Mesdames H. M. Wiley, Joe Beasley, W. C. Zirkle and G. L. Wren.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Floyd Davidson, Albert Hayter, Ernest Lee, Wayne Cook, J. M. Porter, G. L. Wren, Joe Beasley, Fred Ashley, W. C. Zirkle, H. M. Wiley, I. B. Lee and the hostesses, Mrs. Clay and Mrs. Denson.

The society will meet with Mrs. J. P. Green next Monday afternoon.

**MRS. JIM TROUT HOSTESS AT PINK AND BLUE SHOWER**

Mrs. Jim Trout was hostess at a pink and blue shower given for Mrs. Arnold Jones Tuesday afternoon at the Trout home, northeast of Wheeler.

Hot spiced tea and tea squares topped with pink and blue icing were served to Mesdames J. C. Crofford, Boyce Farris, Darwin Traylor, Nora Patterson, U. B. Traylor, J. C. Trout, Otis Ford, J. J. Ayres, J. D. Cornelius, Reuben May, H. H. Herd, Amos May, Cleo Gaines, Roy Esslinger, J. H. Richards, Olen Pendleton, Ira Passons, E. H. Herd and A. A. Jones, Miss Pet Trout, the honoree, Mrs. Jones, and the hostess, Mrs. Trout.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames C. C. Crowder, Tobe Giles, Chas. May, Dorsie Hutchison, C. M. Hampton, R. G. Russ, J. M. Herd, R. T. Watts, W. M. Pendleton, Lawrence Crowder, W. O. Pendleton and Maryetta Caswell and Misses Bessie Herd and Mary Helen Jones.

**Tailored "Cords"**



Among the smartest of the new back to school cottons, is this two-piece cotton corduroy ensemble. The tailored jacket and skirt with front kick-pleat are good for classroom and campus wear. A white tailored cotton shirt is worn under the jacket.

**BAPTIST LADIES SOCIETY MEETS AT CHURCH**

The Baptist W. M. S. met at the church Monday afternoon for a Bible study, taught by Mrs. Murray Fuquay.

Others attending were Mesdames J. W. Williams, Lee Guthrie, Fannie Wofford, W. H. Black and Edgar Flynt.

**MRS. BRADSTREET HOSTESS TO SUNSHINE SEWING CLUB**

The Sunshine Sewing club met Thursday afternoon of last week with Mrs. Tom Bradstreet in the Pleasant Hill community. Needlework and conversation furnished diversion for the afternoon.

The hostess served refreshments to Mesdames Roy Weatherly, J. G. Davidson, G. W. Mason, Claude Cox, Weldon Weatherly, Cliff Mason, Coy Reviours, Jess Moore, Arnold Waldo, Clarence Anglin and Lloyd Davidson; Misses Laverne Cox and Iva Davidson and the hostess, Mrs. Bradstreet.

The club will meet with Mrs. J. G. Davidson for a Hallowe'en party on Oct. 30.

**MRS. FRANK ROGERS HOSTESS FRIENDLY SEWING CIRCLE**

Mrs. Frank Rogers was hostess to the Friendly Sewing circle Tuesday afternoon, when the time was spent quilting a quilt the members had pieced for George Warren and children, who had the misfortune to lose their bedding in a fire which destroyed the Warren home a few weeks ago.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Lee McCasland, W. E. Gaines, Dorsie Hutchison, G. L. Wilson, H. H. Greenhouse, Lindsey McCasland, Cliff Bradstreet, C. M. Hampton, W. L. Gaines, and Miss Elizabeth Gaines and the hostess, Mrs. Rogers.

**Local News Items**

Jake Tarter and Tom Laman of Mobeetie attended a farm meeting in Amarillo Monday.

Miss Ruth Barr went to Moran, Kans., last week to make an extended visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Miller and son, Bill, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Porter, near Magic City.

Mrs. Hoyt Judy of Dallas returned home Monday after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Miller, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Watts and baby of Borger were in Wheeler Wednesday, visiting her mother, Mrs. Mattie Womack, and family.

Mrs. Raymon Holt returned Thursday night from Haskell, where she spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard. Mr. Holt met her in Childress.

Mrs. Chester Lewis and son, Jerry, motored Saturday to Amarillo and brought home Mr. Lewis, who had been a patient in the Veteran's hospital. They returned home that evening.

Miss Ruth Deering spent the week end in Weatherford, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Davidson of Canadian came Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fender of Lefors were in Wheeler Saturday, shopping.

Hugh Lane of Mobeetie was a business caller in Wheeler Thursday of last week.

Mrs. John Lewis and Rita Merlene Leith went to Shamrock Tuesday and attended the circus.

Giles Phillips of Shamrock is spending the week at the Sid Morgan home, north of Wheeler.

Mrs. Dee McDowell of Shamrock was in Wheeler Thursday, visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. V. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Turner of Pampa spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Merriman.

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Petree and children of near Canadian spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bowen.

Miss Evelyn Mason spent Sunday night with Miss Marvella Wallis at Green's Service Station, nine miles east of Wheeler.

Mrs. Tobe Giles and Mrs. George Porter attended to business and visited with friends in Shamrock Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Patterson of Reydon, Okla., visited during the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson.

Dortha Nell and Wilma Lou Mason had for week end guests Juanell Anglin, Doris Waldo, Annette Weatherly and Claudell Cox.

Miss Daisy Schaffer, secretary of the Pampa News, was a house guest during the week end of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Morgan and daughter, Miss Alice.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Herbert and Euel Warren and daughter, Kittle Gaye, of Amarillo visited during the week end with C. C. Warren and other relatives.

Mrs. Louis Coward and daughter, Curtis, and their brother and uncle, Jack Scott, of Napa, Calif., came Wednesday evening to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Williams of near Mobeetie were in Wheeler Saturday, attending to business and were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Morgan, north of Wheeler.

Mrs. E. M. Teakell of Albuquerque, N. Mex., and Mrs. Ace Henderson and children of Shamrock came Friday to visit the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tarter, and son, Jack.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben C. Wileman and children, Ann and Ben C., jr., of Oklahoma City came Saturday and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wileman, and sister, Mrs. Lee George, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Watson and daughter, Dolores, of Pampa spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watson, and friends. Mrs. Watson accompanied them home Sunday evening and remained until Monday.

Mrs. Jess Swink and daughter, Marilyn Carol, were guests Sunday afternoon at a birthday party given by Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Tisdal in honor of their daughters, Pamela and Cheramy, in the palm room of the U-Drop Inn at Shamrock.

Mrs. Louis Coward and daughter, Curtis, and their brother and uncle, Jack Scott, of Napa, Calif., came Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wiley and family and other friends until Saturday, when they will go to Oklahoma City and visit other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mitchell had the following callers during the day Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mitchell, Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Veazey and baby, Karon Jo, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Rowe and children, Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carter and children.

Mrs. J. V. Carder, Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Carder and children, Brownville, Ky., and Mrs. Jimmy Jones and son, Jimmy, jr., Bowling Green, Ky., came Tuesday night to visit the former's brothers, Willard Ingram and wife and Luther Bullock, and family near Wheeler. They expect to remain for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Benham of Oklahoma City were called to Wheeler Wednesday to see her mother, Mrs. T. P. Morton, who took suddenly ill Tuesday night. They took Mrs. Morton home with them that afternoon. Mrs. Morton had recently returned home from the city, where she had been at the bedside of another daughter, Mrs. P. E. Ussery, who is still quite sick.

**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.  
Wednesday—Study and prayer groups, 8:00 p. m.

**Briscoe-Allison Circuit**  
**THE METHODIST CHURCH**  
EUGENE L. NAUGLE, Pastor

Hours of services Sunday:  
GEM—Preaching at 11 a. m.  
BRISCOE—Church school, 10 a. m.; Young People's meeting, 7 p. m.  
The Wheeler Methodist young people will present the program.  
Preaching, 7:30 p. m.

**BRISCOE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
W. M. WOOD, Pastor

Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m., subject, "Sin and Its Origin;" B. T. U., 7 p. m.; preaching, 7:45 p. m., subject, "Repentance and Remission of Sin."

Last Tuesday evening the Brotherhood put on its first program. The brethren presented a good program,

followed by a real feast. O boy, that fried chicken was delicious. Eighteen were present and many more would have been out but for the rain and mud. Our goal is to train the young men in Christian service. Encourage every Baptist in the Briscoe community to attend Sunday school and church; there are between 250 and 300 Baptists in the community. Finally, lead every lost soul possible to Christ.

The Sunday school and B. T. U. are growing in numbers and interest. Why not get the habit of attending church? Come, we want you—and you need the Lord.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
GEORGE L. GRAYSON, Pastor

The revival meeting at the Assembly of God church is still in progress. Evangelist J. C. McCluskey of Oklahoma City is preaching each night. It will prove profitable for all to hear this dynamic pulpit orator as he speaks from the Word of God.

The evangelist has introduced a question period for questions regarding the Bible. Queries may be written on a piece of paper and handed to him or the pastor and these will be answered from the pulpit the following night.

Sermon subjects for Sunday services are: 11:00 a. m., "What Manner of Persons Ought We to Be;" 7:30 p. m., "The Unpardonable Sin."

The revival will continue through Sunday, Oct. 26. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

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VARIETY GOODS

Wheeler Texas

**Local News Items**

Mrs. Lonnie Lee has been ill this week with a severe sore throat.

Miss Viola Havenhill of Twitty has been a patient in an Elk City, Okla., hospital this week.

Mrs. S. L. Price and Mrs. W. D. Douthett of near Briscoe were in Wheeler Tuesday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tarter and son, Jack, spent Sunday afternoon in Wellington with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. McFarlin moved Monday to Twitty, where Mr. McFarlin will be employed by J. M. Tindall.

G. L. Dale and children of the Kelton community were in Wheeler Tuesday, attending to business and visiting friends.

Mrs. Dick Craig, Mrs. Neva Sampson and Mrs. Isla Jo Gilliland motored Saturday evening to Shamrock on a business trip.

Mrs. T. T. Wallace moved last week from the Clois Jolly residence to Mrs. Mattie Womack's acreage just west of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wilcoxson spent last week in Canadian with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Davidson.

Mrs. Wiley Roberts, Mrs. Tom Hathaway and Mrs. Marvin Roberts of Mobeetie were Wednesday business callers in Wheeler.

Mrs. R. L. Martin of Westville, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. J. Garrison, and family returned home last week.

Sheriff and Mrs. Jess Swink and daughter, Marilyn Carol, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lane and Miss Goldie Harris in Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Morgan and children, Jovena and Claude of Mobeetie spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hampton, southeast of Wheeler.

Garland Pearce of Borger came Saturday to take home Mrs. Pearce and daughter, Sandra Jean, who had spent the week at the W. E. Bowen home. The family returned Sunday.

Willard Rogers, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers, and children the past two weeks returned today to Brownwood where he is stationed at Camp Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Giles and children, Edward and Virginia Sue, motored Saturday night to Hollis, Okla., and spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Giles.

O. E. Newkirk of Amarillo came Friday night and took his father and brother, L. W. Newkirk and son, Rex, to Jacksboro, where they attended to business and visited relatives until Sunday afternoon when they returned to their homes.

Mrs. Clifton Walker and daughter, Nancy, of Elmonte, Calif., who have been visiting the former's father, W. M. Lohberger, and sister, Mrs. Mount Tipps, and family and other relatives near Briscoe, will return to their home Friday.

Farrell Wallace, who had been working for the Adams Truck line at Amarillo, has returned to Wheeler to live with his mother, Mrs. T. T. Wallace, and accepted his old job back with the Crump-Mundy Service station. His duties started Monday.

Miss Dorothy Trantham of El Paso came Monday to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wilcoxson, and aunt, Mrs. Neva Sampson, and friends here and in Mobeetie. She had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Trantham, in Erick, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Koehn of Los Angeles, Calif., who had been visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Art Koehn, here and other relatives in Kansas and Oklahoma returned home Tuesday. Willis Rogers accompanied them home to remain with them and relatives for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Guthrie returned Monday morning from a three months' vacation trip to Alpine, where they spent nearly two months in the mountains and had a wonderful time. They visited several of their children and spent two or three weeks in Santa Rosa and Ruidoso, N. Mex., and other points of interest while away.

Mrs. W. W. Lincycumb and children of Kirkland came Thursday to visit her mother, Mrs. W. D. Thomas, and brother and sister, C. A. Thomas and Mrs. B. D. Cox, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Lincycumb and children, also of Kirkland, were with the party and they all visited Mrs. Clarabelle Quarry and family in Pampa before returning home Saturday.

**LEGION PLANS NAVY RECRUITING**



Gov. Coke R. Stevenson at his desk in the reception room of the governor's office, Austin, discusses plans for immediately recruiting two companies for service in the United States navy or Naval Reserve in Texas with the American Legion Department Commander Andrew Dilworth of San Antonio and Capt. H. W. Underwood, United States navy, commanding the Naval ROTC unit at the University of Texas. The campaign was started by the American Legion in response to a telegram from Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, Legionnaire, asking the American Legion to "recruit a minimum of one company consisting of not less than 140 men. The navy has 338 ships in commission and 353 building. Need for men is obvious," said the telegram in part. Gov. Stevenson issued a proclamation calling upon Texas citizens to observe Navy Day, Oct. 27. "For it was in October, 1775, that our forefathers came to the conclusion we must have a navy to maintain peace."

**Farmer Protected by New State Seed Law**

All Field Seeds Must Be Tested and Tagged, with Purity and Germination Shown

The new Texas seed law, passed by the 47th legislature, will help eliminate one of the hazards of farming—that is, questionable seed, according to J. E. McDonald, state commissioner of agriculture. The law requires that all seed offered for sale for planting or sowing purposes must be tagged, giving commonly accepted name, germination percentage, mechanical purity and other information. Thus, farmers will be able to buy seed for planting purposes without taking risks as to its actual value.

Because other states had more stringent laws governing the sale and shipment of seed, it was necessary that a uniform law be drawn in order to protect Texas farmers from the practice, by local as well as out-of-state firms and individuals, of "dumping" inferior quality of seed into the trade channels of Texas. The new act, designed by agricultural leaders and Texas Seed council, was passed by the legislature as emergency legislation. The vote was 129 to 3 in the house and without dissenting vote in the senate.

"The use of good seed is a vitally important factor in any farm production program," states a pamphlet on the new law issued by J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, and Linden Jones, chief of the seed laboratory division. "If the farmer will plant seed of known quality, more uniform stands will be obtained resulting in a substantially increased income for our farm families."

There is nothing in the act to prevent one farmer from selling to another farmer seed grown on his farm when such seed is not advertised in the public press outside the vendor's county, and not shipped by common carrier.

If the farmer leaves on consignment or sells planting seed to a merchant, processor or seed dealer in his home county, the dealer is required to have the seed tested and tagged before it is offered or exposed for sale.

Anyone shipping seed to other states must comply with the seed laws of the state into which such shipments are made. "The Texas State Department of Agriculture will be glad to furnish shippers with information as to the noxious weeds of other states, and will make free examination of such seed to find if any noxious weeds are present in their shipments," McDonald said.

**Food Goals for Texas Will Be Accomplished**

The largest percentage increase among the food production goals announced for Texas by the state USDA defense board under the 1942 "Food-for-Freedom" campaign, is 18 per cent in cattle and calves for marketing and farm slaughter. Other goals include a 17 per cent increase in hogs, 10 per cent in eggs, 6 per cent in sheep and lambs and 3 per cent in milk.

The suggested increase in beef is sought for processing rather than enlargement of herds, and would represent 269,093,000 pounds more than was placed on the market in 1941.

George W. Barnes, animal husbandman of the A. and M. college extension service, says there should be no difficulty in reaching the goal if current or better prices for live-

stock prevail. Ranchmen would cull their cows closer and sell off irregular breeders, and barren and over-age animals. There are very few herds of any size in Texas, he added, which do not have a selection of these types of animals, and on account of excellent pasturage and surplus feed older cows readily could be put into condition to go to market at 900 to 1,150 pounds live weight and sold at a profit.

Since the increase requested is a matter of pounds rather than units, the good pastures, trench silos and other home-grown feed reserves have made another contribution to the program. Calves are heavier this fall than for several years and the percentage of herd calf crops is larger. Furthermore, cattlemen will give closer attention to management and breeding.

"There will be no trouble whatever in reaching the goal in eggs, provided prices remain at the present level," says George P. McCarthy, extension service poultryman. Producers are being encouraged to buy protein concentrate to mix with home-produced grains in order to obtain a better balanced feeding program.

With pullets coming into production, McCarthy estimates that the 1942 production of eggs in Texas will exceed that of 1941 by more than 12 per cent. Some of the major poultry-growing counties will increase their output of eggs beyond the 10 per cent goal, but no county, he added, would fall below it.

**Jowett Jottings**

(By Oviline Bruton)

Paul Topper spent Saturday night in the Milton Finsterwald home. Mozelle Wilson, Rosemary and Jack Finsterwald, Richard and Jack Hefley and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Finsterwald and children visited with A. Finsterwald Sunday.

Gene Matthews and Eddie and Jeddie Mae Bristow attended the Indian celebration at Borger Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Harris and daughter, Fredricka, her mother and sister and Anita O'Brien were Sunday dinner guests in the Mrs. Linda Clay home. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Denson of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyson and sons attended the singing convention at Twitty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Baird and daughter, Billie Jean, visited in the Philip Clepper home Sunday afternoon.

**Corn Valley News**

(By a Subscriber)

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beck and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beck, Sunday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bartram and family of Amarillo.

Glen Farmer spent Saturday night with C. R. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Havenhill, who have been visiting his mother at Twitty and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bailey, of Corn Valley moved to Dumas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Satterwhite of Mobeetie visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farmer Sunday.

Clay Ealum was in Wheeler Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Pettit visited Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Farmer Monday night.

Mrs. Sherwood of Hollis, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wylie Pettit, and family.

**Twitty News**

(By Mary Ella Westmoreland)

M. A. Pillers made a business trip to Lubbock this week.

The entire community extends sympathy to the Sammons family in their sad bereavement.

W. L. Teakell spent the week with his daughter, Mrs. M. A. Pillers, and family.

Mrs. Minnie Westmoreland and Mrs. Wayne Fox of Shamrock visited in the Clarence and Harold Westmoreland homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pillers of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Pillers and son, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wofford and Mrs. Mont Wofford and family of Fort Smith, Ark., visited in the G. W. Pillers home Sunday.

Melvin and Elbert Todd of McLean were Twitty business callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. See and daughters, Media Mae and Wanda Fern, Grandpa Westmoreland and Mrs. Clarence Westmoreland spent the week end at Vernon, visiting Mrs. H. B. Florida and Mrs. D. L. Likely.

Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Pillers were Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Teakell of Albuquerque, N. Mex., Mr. and Mrs. Ace Henderson and children, Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Betenbough and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Rives, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pillers, Shamrock, W. L. Teakell and Miss June Vearner, Shamrock.

**Kelton News**

(By Rena Johnson)

Mrs. Albert Holcomb was a business visitor in Wheeler and Shamrock Friday.

Mrs. R. O. Johnson and Mary Emma spent Saturday night in Wheeler with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Killingsworth were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Tucker are the proud parents of a son. He has been given the name of P. H.

Word has been received here that L. W. Davidson, jr., who is attending school at S. M. U., Dallas, has been selected as one of five boys to represent that school of theology at the inter-seminary conference at Denver, Colo. He left Sunday and will be gone a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Estell Powell of Sunray spent the week end here visiting friends and relatives.

Misses Janie Traweek and Norma

Dee Robertson spent the week end in Canyon and Amarillo.

Miss Onetta Joiner came home Sunday from Canadian, where she has been working the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Henderson of Twitty spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. O. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davidson spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Felter of Paducah spent Sunday here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis and family.

Misses Onetta and Bernice Joiner and Rena Johnson were visitors in Wheeler Sunday afternoon.

Barney Davidson spent Tuesday night with Oscar Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cox and children, E. J., Elwanda, Betty Joyce

and Jimmy Dale, of San Jon, N. Mex., spent last week here with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Killingsworth.

A large number from here attended the Russell Bros. circus in Shamrock Tuesday afternoon and night.

Bob Seeds of Amarillo was a visitor here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Seeds, Monday afternoon.

Alvia Keeney is working at the oil mill in Shamrock.

**Misdeal**

A colored preacher at the close of his sermon discovered one of his deacons asleep. He said, "We will now have a few minutes of prayer. Deacon Brown, will you lead?"

Deacon Brown (waking up suddenly): "Lead? I just dealt."—Jungle Meow.

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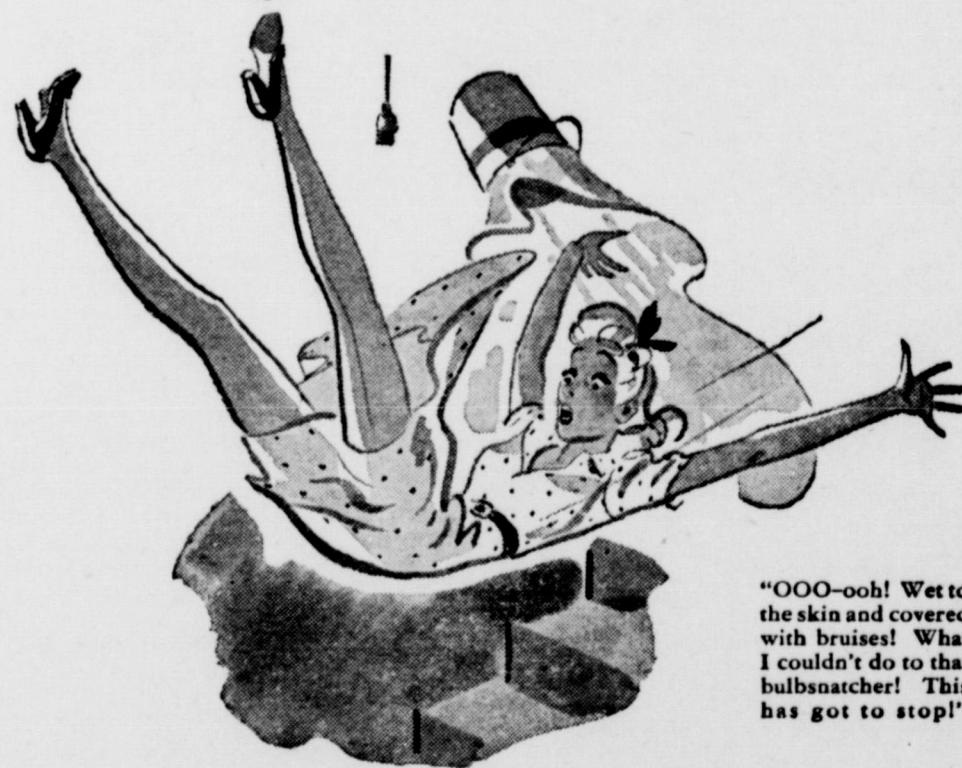
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### Waging Campaign for Better Dairy Products

Neglect in Handling Milk and Cream Costs Texas Dairymen Huge Amounts Annually

The opportunity for Texas' milk producers to capitalize on tremendous crops of home-grown feed and the unusual demand for milk for defense purposes will be seriously minimized if milk producers do not pay strict attention to state and federal sanitary regulations covering the handling of dairy products.

"Neglect has already taken the profits out of many a Texas dairy farmer's operation," says M. E. McMurray, manager of the Texas Dairy Products association. Qualifying the statement McMurray says, "Since May 1 creameries doing business in Texas have dumped 7,240 cans of unfit cream in the sewer or returned it to farmers or buyers."

"This condemned cream would have made more than eight carloads, or \$57,195, worth of butter. Credit to the loss side, also, 7,500,000 pounds of milk returned by Texas cheese factories to farmers as unfit for use, based on present market values, represents another loss of \$168,750."

"This milk if used would have accounted for 39 carloads of sadly needed cheese. The total loss represents all the milk that 3,249 cows would give in one year with an additional loss of time, feed and wasted effort. Coming as it does when there is a distinct need for every ounce of dairy products for defense use, it is a severe indictment of the dairy farmer."

Texas is not alone in this dilemma of carelessness. Practically no state in the union is exempt. The national loss from poor quality cream and milk is estimated as high as \$40,000,000 annually which makes quality improvement the No. 1 issue facing the dairy industry. The government agencies will accept no half-way methods.

The dairy industry is faced with cleaning up or getting out. Observance of federal regulations covering milk production does not involve any elaborate lay-out of equipment for sanitation. On the contrary, the principal requirement is a little more attention, hard work and hot water.

The Texas Dairy Products association has seen in these losses a distinct disadvantage to the Texas dairying industry and are putting forth every effort through meetings and a special organization of the association to combat the evil through an educational program. A similar campaign is being carried on by agricultural workers of the state and the extension service of Texas A. and M. college.

### Wheat Shows Results Improvement Program

An outstanding result of the extension service wheat program in Texas is characterized by E. A. Miller, agronomist of the Texas extension service as "a remarkable reduction of stinking smut." He attributes this to seed treatment demonstrations and other educational work by extension county agricultural agents, "and has meant many thousands of dollars extra profit to wheat producers."

For instance, Miller explains, in 1931 more than 1,000 carloads of wheat graded smutty at the Amarillo grain grading laboratory, which is one of several laboratories in the state. During the past few years, however, only a few cars have been so classed. Smut not only reduces yield, but also causes a dockage when the wheat is sold.

Miller, who recently attended a series of meetings conducted in cooperation with the Texas Wheat Improvement association in most of the wheat growing counties, says that the wheat quality improvement program was started to counteract the increasing acreage of certain poor baking quality varieties. Some of these had been increased in several counties to the point where there was danger that Texas would lose its enviable reputation of producing high quality wheat.

Educational meetings called by extension county agricultural agents were held in most of the leading wheat-growing counties in the summer of 1940 to discuss with farmers the importance of growing only good quality wheat and in that way maintain good markets. Follow-up educational meetings in which county agricultural agents, vocational teachers and others co-operated, were held in 1941.

The agronomist quotes a recent progress report of the Texas Agricultural Experiment station which recommends three hard red winter varieties—Turkey, Tenmarq and Standard Blackhull—for the main wheat area of the state on the basis of their baking quality and performance in experimental tests. In the section east of Denton and Grayson counties the soft winter varieties of Red May and Mediterranean are recommended.

#### Economical?

Joe: "Is your wife economical?"  
Blow: "Occasionally. She had only 24 candles on her thirty-fifth birthday cake."—Jungle Jeers.

### Club Notes

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

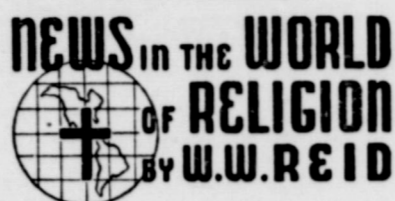
#### Country Neighbors Club Elects

"Check the gauges on pressure cookers with a minimum thermometer at least once a year; oftener would be better," said Miss Lucile Chance, home demonstration agent, addressing the Country Neighbors club which met in the home of Mrs. Forest Carver, Friday, Oct. 10, at 2:30 p. m.

During the business meeting of officers for 1942 were elected as follows: Mrs. Forest Carver, president; Mrs. Johnnie O'Gorman, vice president; Mrs. H. H. Liles, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Tommie Henderson, council delegate.

Those present were Mesdames Bert Betenbough, Hester Dodson, Johnnie O'Gorman, Belle Carver, Glenn King, M. A. Pillers, Thomas Todd, H. H. Liles and the hostess, Mrs. Forest Carver, members.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Berry Strange on Friday, Oct. 24, at 2:30 p. m. All members are urged to be present; visitors welcome.—MRS. THOMAS TODD, Reporter.



"The church needs to rethink and restate the needs of men," believes Dr. Edgar M. Wahlberg, pastor for more than 11 years of Grace Methodist church, Denver, Colo. "Until it has done this, it will be jostled out of the way in these areas by the onrush of movements that crystallize those needs, give vitality to Communism and Facism in Europe, and threaten similar phenomena in America. If democracy is saved in America, the church must take a hand. If it does, it will have to know, perhaps not less about God, but certainly more about men."

Dr. Wahlberg's ministry is in Denver's most congested and poverty-stricken district where 4,000 persons live within a few blocks.

Dr. W. Wilson Cash, general secretary of the Church Missionary society, London, England, believes that the present war period is the forerunner of a new era in the development of the Christian church throughout the world. He points out that the Napoleonic wars were followed by a period of missionary expansion; that after the Crimean War there was a great expansion in Christian work among the Moslems of the Near East; that in 1900, while the Boer War was on, his own society sent out 100 new missionaries and other agencies had many missionary recruits; and that the period of 1918 to 1941 was marked by financial stringency on one hand and the growth of the Christian community throughout the world on the other hand. "Millions more are working in the Christian cause today than even a century ago," he says.

Failure to live the religion we profess is the cause of the incredible situation of the world today—the cause that has sent the whole world "into a tailspin," according to Archbishop Francis J. Spellman, of the Roman Catholic archdiocese, New York City. In a recent address he said: "We have allusions to religion in the Declaration of Independence and in the Constitution. It is not enough to have written and spoken words about religion. Religion must be lived . . . by our example, by our works, we must rekindle righteousness, so that God will bring mankind out of the tailspin."

In 1919, a member of the staff of Severance Union Medical College, in Seoul, Korea, sent one and one-quarter ounces of Korean lespedeza—used there for pasturage—to the U. S. Department of Agriculture. That seed was carefully planted and nurtured, and today its "descendants" are used widely by American farmers. The Bureau of Plant Industry in Washington estimates that the plant is worth \$80,000,000 to farmers throughout the United States.

Carl Mason spent the week end with Junior Pendleton.

#### AN OPEN LETTER

To my patients: Now, that you are recovering, or have recovered, it fills my heart with gratefulness to Him who alone could make it possible that I should be used in assisting natural laws to bring about your recovery.

I am not the one to be praised, thank God. He knew we humans would break His divine laws of health and bring about our own suffering; therefore, He put within our own body a laboratory in which the body could produce its own healing chemistry. All God enabled me to do was to correct distortions that prevented that laboratory to function. Again I say, thank God, and tell your suffering friend "what great things God has done for you." Sincerely, your devoted servant,  
Dr. C. C. Merritt. 43tfe

### Home-Making Hints

By MISS VERA MARTIN Home Supervisor, F. S. A.

#### Outlook for Hot School Lunches

"Good food is a basis for good health."  
Hot lunches have long been recognized as desirable because of the benefits to children's health. But teachers and parents testify to other good results. They report that better school attendance, better attitudes of work, even better scholarship show up as soon as hot school lunches are served regularly.

Although accurate figures on all school lunches served throughout the country are not available, one thing is certain. The trend is upward—not down. And since 1939, millions of undernourished children have been added to those receiving school lunches, thanks to surplus farm commodities made available for that use.

This year, the Surplus Marketing administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture looks for surplus farm commodities to reach upwards of five million children. Almost as many more "eligible" children can be served, if more communities take it upon themselves to provide sponsorship for such projects.

There's little red tape involved in getting such a program for a school attended by eligible children. But the Surplus Marketing administration does require that some reliable person be responsible for the program. That is, there must be someone to take charge of it—see that the lunches are prepared and served—and that non-surplus foods are provided when they are needed to make the lunch complete. County superintendents of schools, county commissioners, city and county officials, and even teachers in one-room rural schools, have sponsored successful school lunch programs.

In addition, of course, there need to be others who co-operate—see to it that funds are provided to carry on. Civic organizations, such as parent-teachers associations, churches and service clubs usually take care of this end of things.

According to the Surplus Marketing administration, school authorities or others interested in getting surplus commodities for the lunches in their school should contact local or state departments of public welfare.

But no matter who oversees the school lunch or how it is financed, it should be well-balanced if it is to do the most good. It needs to provide the kind of food children can use to build their bodies, and can use for energy for play and study.

### Movie Chatter

(By a Rogue)

#### Gene Autry and Frog

For Friday and Saturday, Oct. 24-25, we bring you Gene Autry and Frog Millhouse in one of their best pictures, "Ride Tenderfoot, Ride." It has been some time since we have had these two popular western stars on our screen, and we are sure that you will welcome them back. They have never been better and we know that you will enjoy them in this great outdoor western picture.

#### A Yank in the R.A.F.

Yes, you have been seeing several airplane pictures lately. But you have not really seen anything until you see "A Yank in the Royal Air Force," starring Tyrone Power and Betty Grable, which comes to the Rogue Theatre Preview-Sunday-Monday, Oct. 25-26-27. This picture is brand new. It has only been released about two weeks. It is just now playing the larger towns and theatres. Tyrone Power takes the part of an American pilot in the famous Eagle Squadron which is flying with the Royal Air Force, while Betty Grable plays the part of a Red Cross nurse in the daytime and as an entertainer by night. The picture has as a background the evacuation of Dunkirk which took place in the present war. It also has a number of shots of actual dog-fights between the R.A.F. and the Germans on the French occupied coast. It is by far the most outstanding airplane picture to date and one you will not want to miss.

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funnier than in "Charley's Aunt," who hails from Brazil where the "nuts" come from.

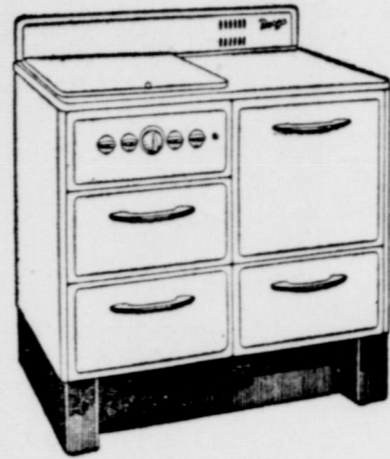


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There is no intention to annoy anyone or to attempt "high pressure" methods. On the other hand, The Times feels that in fairness to all concerned, special stress is justified in repeatedly calling attention to this offer. It intends to have a clear conscience by giving ample warning—and leaving the rest to the subscriber.

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

Until that date, anyone may subscribe as far ahead as they wish at the old rate of \$1.00 a year in the county and \$1.50 a year outside the county. Any subscriptions in arrears on Nov. 1 may be paid up to that date at any time at the old rates, but on and after Nov. 1 the new rates will henceforth apply to all subscriptions.

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**PEEPING IN THE WHEELER TIMES WINDOW**

Feeds and foods, plus a touch of the unique, comprise receipts for the window display and the editor's table during the past week.

J. H. Reid, living four miles north of town, sent in Saturday three fine heads of hegari that would rate well with similar grain from any place.

T. G. Tinsley, much-appreciated friend of The Times living northwest of town, brought in Saturday a half bushel or more nice green tomatoes. Some of these are ripening out and the others will form the basis of some chow-chow or piccalilli.

Also on Saturday, Wm. O. Pendleton brought in for exhibit several heads of hegari from a crop which he planted on July 3. This grain matured in approximately 90 days. Along with the hegari, Pendleton brought a perfectly formed twin warty yellow squash.

C. H. Turner, another valued friend of the paper, presented a huge crookneck type cushaw on Tuesday. This vegetable is ample for many dishes of stewed and baked squash—no mean culinary delicacies.

Early this week Mrs. J. M. Porter offered for display a twig bearing seven nice sized Stayman Winesap apples from a tree in the yard and garden of her town home on South Main street.

The oddity shown this week consists of fossil remains of some form of vertebrate, brought from near Jacksboro by L. W. Newkirk.

John Henry Watts hasn't produced that record length sweet potato as yet. Technically, he is winner of the contest to date—but practically, he should produce a tuber with more meat on its frame.

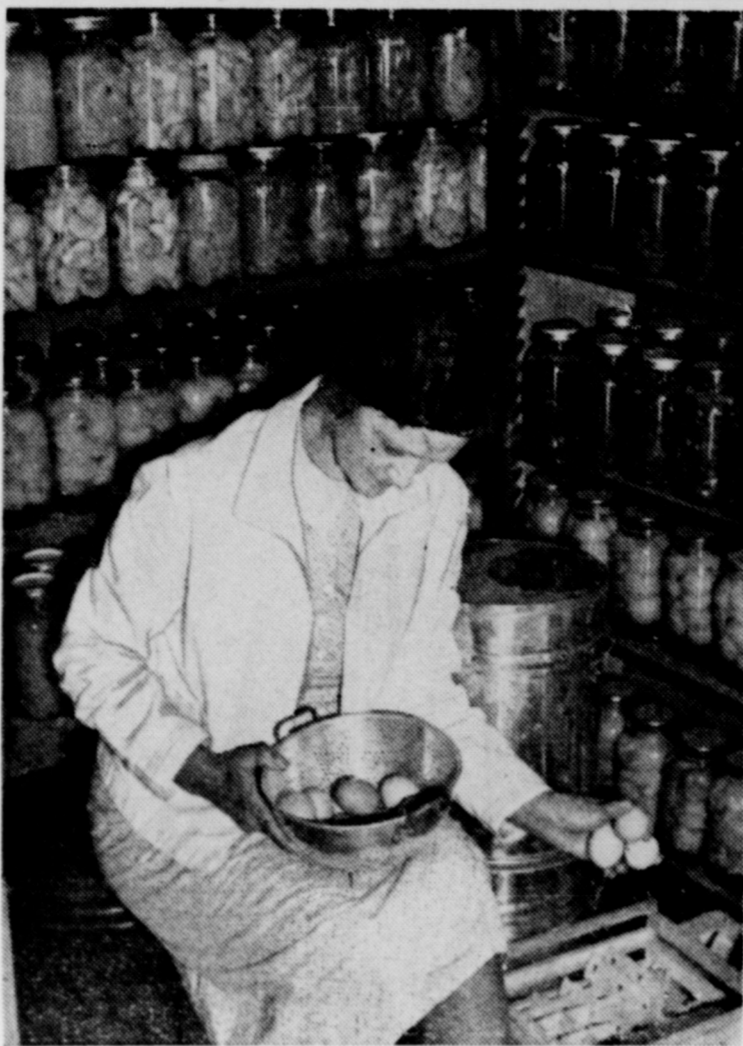
**District Legion Meet at Dalhart Nov. 15-16**

Announcement of the regular autumn district American Legion and Auxiliary conventions at Dalhart on Nov. 15 and 16, has just been made by Miss Grace Hodge, district publicity chairman, Amarillo.

District Commander Jim Johnson of the Legion and Mrs. Hupp Clark, Auxiliary president, urge a large attendance at the Dalhart meeting, declares Miss Hodge, who points out that members of the two bodies can thus stimulate interest in the national defense program and render a valuable service to the nation.

Newt Trout of Allison was in Wheeler Tuesday on business.

**STORES UP "FOOD-FOR-FREEDOM"**



Food-for-Freedom is being piled high in the storage spaces of Texas farm families as they move to meet the nation's need for increased production of basic foods. Mrs. Richard Gill, whose family is co-operating with the Farm Security Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, is shown with a year's supply of fruit, vegetables and lard as she prepares surplus eggs for market. Directed by Secretary Wickard, in co-operation with the Texas USDA Defense board, the greater food production program, which will win the war and write the peace as the secretary has prophesied, is popular with farm families in every part of the state.

**Glassed Foods Add to Housewife's Language**

**Modern Methods Impart Brand New Significance to Custom of Food Preservation**

Modern methods applied to an old custom have evoked a new word for the housewife's language—"glassed." "Glassed" means anything that is glass packed or preserved in glass jars or bottles. It encompasses hundreds of products, but its use is particularly applicable to foods. You will find vegetables, fruits, meats, coffee, jams and jellies, of course, and scores of other glassed food products in the neighborhood market or grocery.

In keeping with glassed foods, some other new terms come into the everyday language of Mrs. Housewife. "To glass" and "glassing" now replace other terms applied to packing or preserving.

The term "glassed" is as old as the language and as new as the modern art of preserving. Indeed, glass was the first material ever used in both the commercial and home-preserving of perishable foodstuffs. But, like so many other words in the language, it has never been used correctly in reference to preserving foodstuffs in glass.

**Glass Took the Lead**

Nicholas Appert, "Father of Preserving," used glass jars for his first experiments in putting up foodstuffs 'way back in the early 19th century. The men and women who perfected his art also used glass containers in their experiments. Had it not been for glass the art of preserving might have waited years longer for development.

It's heart-warming for the housewife of today to know that the great packing and preserving industries of today have followed an example established by "Mother" America and "Grandmother" America.

Those white-haired forebears—bless them—labored in their kitchens over open kettles on coal or wood stoves, in steamy, arduous, hours-long toil and proved that their lustrous glass jars were the superior medium for preserving foods.

**Honor for "Mother America"**

Grandmother had to forego any rest at "preserving time" in order that the family could enjoy fruits and vegetables later on. She spent hours cleaning and paring fruits and vegetables. She scoured and sterilized her treasured glass jars that they might receive their precious contents to tide over the winter months. She evolved recipes and processes for preserving that eventually industry adopted. On a larger scale, of course, and in the most modern

**Employers Must Give Social Security Data**

**Statement Rendered Must Contain Full Details in Form for Permanent Reference**

Complaints recently received from workers indicate that some employers are not familiar with the requirement that a statement of wages paid must be given to each employee, according to Len E. Bradford, assistant manager of the Amarillo office of the Social Security board.

"The Social Security act provides that every employer shall furnish a written statement to each of his employees, in a form suitable for retention by the employee, showing the amount of wages paid," Bradford explained.

"No special form is prescribed, but the statement should show the employer's name, the employee's name and account number, the total wages paid, and the amount of tax deducted. The statement may be given for any period not exceeding one year; if given on each pay day, the date should be shown, but if it covers more than one pay period, the statement should show the period of time covered. When a wage earner's services are terminated for any reason, a final statement covering all wages paid since the preceding statement must be given by the employer at the time of the final wage payment. Wilful failure of an employer to comply with these requirements makes him subject to a penalty of not more than \$5.00 in each case."

Bradford concluded, "Employers should take care to keep all wage statements. Monthly retirement insurance after age 65 and insurance payments to the family in case of death are based on total wages received by a worker. In case of discrepancy in the wages reported, the wage statements are good evidence to prove the correct amount of wages received."

**DR. V. N. HALL TO ATTEND DENTAL ASSOCIATION MEET**

Dr. V. N. Hall, Wheeler dentist, plans to attend a four-day session of the American Dental Association at Houston, Oct. 27-31. This is the second meeting of the association in Texas during the past 18 years, states Hall, who adds that representative dentists usually attend from every state in the union. Visitors are frequently present from other countries, also, he states.

scientific methods.

All credit for glassing, then, to Grandmother in bringing us the choice products and flavors of today in an economical and practically modern way.

The laboratories of the great glass industry have developed techniques which today turn out glass jars lighter, stronger and unbelievably inexpensive. The glass jars used commercially today are so economical and easy to replace that the housewife can discard them like any other type of container.

Today, expertly glassed foods have brought the color and interest of grandmother's pet packs into the grocery and market.

**Shamrock Study Clubs Promote Library Plan**

Representatives from Shamrock women's study clubs met at the library there recently to elect officers and organize the library board for another year's work. Mrs. Earl Kromer was re-elected chairman, Mrs. W. C. Perkins, vice chairman, and Mrs. W. Y. Burden, secretary-treasurer.

The chairman then named the following sub-committees:

Policy—Mrs. W. Y. Burden, Mrs. Marshall Adams, Mrs. Glen Lisle, Mrs. Ansel McDowell.

Buying—Miss McIninch, Mrs. T. Adkins, Mrs. W. C. Perkins, Miss Marcel Brewer.

Housing—Mrs. J. W. Gooch, Mrs. M. A. Hilburn.

Publicity—Mrs. Flake George, Mrs. McClenny, Mrs. W. M. Chandler.

Under direction of Miss Dorothy Staley and Mrs. Kromer, these committees met and worked out tentative plans which were adopted by the library board at a meeting on Oct. 2. The plans and policies adopted will become effective immediately after approval by Miss Staley, district supervisor.

Ben Skidmore made pictures of the library as it is before the improvement program starts and will make other pictures as the library grows.

The group was enthusiastic over plans to establish a reference shelf, a reading table and package library service, whereby clippings from magazines and papers will be available to those wishing to look up material for study on special subjects. The library is open now from 9:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m., and the public is invited to come there and read, borrow books or visit, states Mrs. Burden.

**Former Wheeler Man Marries in Amarillo**

Miss Arrena Small and T. W. Collingsworth, both of Amarillo, were united in marriage Saturday night, Oct. 11, in that city.

Nuptial vows were spoken in the home of the officiating minister, Dr. Earl G. Hamlett, pastor of the Polk Street Methodist church.

Mrs. Collingsworth is the daughter of Mrs. E. P. Small, Amarillo, where she has lived for a number of years and made many friends.

Mr. Collingsworth is the son of Mrs. Mattie Collingsworth of Amarillo, where the family has lived since leaving Wheeler several years ago.

He is a nephew of Ed Watson and Mrs. Frank Noah and a great-nephew of A. C. Mitchell, all of this place.

**Bible Prophetic Fellowship**

The Bible Prophetic Fellowship group had a very enjoyable and profitable session Tuesday evening, reports Dr. C. C. Merritt in calling attention to the Tuesday meeting date, instead of Friday, as originally started.

Next week opens study of Zachariah, containing only 14 chapters, and next to the last book in the Old Testament. Motto and guiding text of the Bible Prophetic Fellowship is found in II Peter 1:19-21. Attendance is invited at these meetings in the Dr. Merritt residence, 8 p. m., Tuesday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Williams and children, Wanda Joy and Lonzell, of near Mobeetie were in Wheeler Saturday shopping.

**Lonesome Ol' Town**

(By NEWETA WILLIAMS)

**Girl:**

It's a lonesome ol' town; When you're not around I'm as lonely as I can be; I never knew how much I'd miss you, But now I can plainly see. It's a lonesome ol' town When you're not around—How I wish you'd come back to me.

**Boy:**

Well, it's lonesome up here, But I'll be back in a year, So please wait for me. This army life is lots of fun, But it's too much for me. It's lonesome up here But I'll be back in a year; I hope you'll be waiting for me.

**Girl:**

It WAS lonesome down here When you weren't near, But now I'm happy as can be; I hope Uncle Sam won't need you any more, For I want you to stay with me. It WAS lonesome down here When you weren't near, But now I'm happy as can be.

**Boy:**

It was lonesome up there But it's not down here, For now I have you to see. I'll never leave you any more For I want you to stay with me. It was lonesome up there, But it's not down here; For I'm very happy, as you can see.

**WANT ADS**

**FOR SALE**

FOR SALE—Threshed barley; 1 cent per pound. Ernest Lee, Wheeler. 44tc

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FOR SALE—Registered Hereford bulls; yearlings and past yearlings. S. T. Morgan, Wheeler. 44tc

FOR SALE—Pears and maize. J. C. Moore, Wheeler. 45tc

FOR SALE—One F-12 tractor, with equipment; also sweet potatoes and peanuts. Wayne Roper, Mobeetie. 44tc

FOR SALE—Pears and green tomatoes, 50 cents bushel. Miss Ethel Allred, 8 miles west of Wheeler. 45tc

FOR SALE—Three or four fresh milk cows. Ed Watson, Wheeler. 45tc

FOR SALE—Good coal heating stove, cheap. Bill Lowrie, Wheeler. 43tc

FOR SALE or TRADE—1936 Ford pickup; also 3 milk cows for sale. Curtis Pond, Wheeler. 45tc

FOR SALE or TRADE—Milk goats. N. H. Mitchell, Wheeler. 44tc

FOR SALE—Fruit trees, shade trees, shrubs and evergreens. Will Warren, Wheeler. 42tc

FOR SALE—Gate-leg table and 6 tapestry upholstered chairs, walnut finish; in first-class condition. Inquire at The Times Office. 45tdh

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Know ye not that your bodies are members of Christ? Shall I then take away the members of Christ and make them members of a harlot? God forbid.—I Cor. 6:15.

And upon her forehead a name written: mystery, Babylon the great, the mother of harlots and of the abominations of the earth.—Rev. 17:5.

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