

Veterans Who Wish To Attend County School Urged To Enroll Now

Allen Kavanaugh, Superintendent of Public Instruction, represented Wheeler County at a regional meeting held in Clarendon on Tuesday of last week for the purpose of discussing plans for organizing and operating vocational schools for veterans.

The meeting was held in the court house at Clarendon with Lane G. Brewer, Supervisor of Veterans Education for the Lubbock region, in charge. Besides Wheeler County, other counties represented were Carson, Collingsworth, Armstrong, Donley and Hall.

Wheeler County was the only one represented whose plan of organization and operation for a veterans vocational school has already received approval from the State Veterans Approving Committee. County Superintendent Kavanaugh is due much credit for this. H. M. Wiley, president of the county school board, declared in reporting on the progress that has been made here in preparation for the school for the returned veterans of World War II.

If the veterans wish to participate in the Wheeler County vocational school and receive the benefits offered by such a school, they should register as soon as possible. The county school board is interested in employing teachers and beginning actual class work if a sufficient number of veterans want to attend the school to justify such a training program.

In making application to secure eligibility to attend the school, a veteran should furnish a certified copy of discharge papers, copy of marriage license if claiming dependency and his birth certificate if single and claiming dependency. It is advisable that all veterans who wish to enroll in the school contact Lewis M. Goodrich, Wheeler County Service Officer, who will assist them in filling out the necessary forms. Kavanaugh said.

Purpose of such a school is to furnish training for veterans who are unable to enroll in colleges. Since the local school has been approved, those who attend will receive the same benefits under the G. I. Bill of Rights as if they were attending college or taking on-the-job training.

BANK DEPOSITS REMAIN HIGH

There was \$104,026.63 more money on deposits in the two banks in the north part of Wheeler County at the close of business on June 29, this year, than at the same time last year, call statements published this week by the two institutions reveal.

According to the statements released this week to the state and federal banking authorities combined deposits as of June 29, stood at \$1,616,442.55. Of this amount, \$1,042,980.41 was on deposit at the Citizens State Bank of Wheeler, while the First State Bank of Mobeetie had \$573,462.14.

At this time last year, the total was \$1,512,415.92, the Wheeler bank having \$1,014,682.29, and the Mobeetie bank \$497,733.63.

Deposits are down \$216,630.88 as compared with the last statements which were released in January giving figures at the close of business on December 31, 1945. At that time, the combined deposits totaled \$1,834,073.43, setting an all-time record.

Visiting Relatives Honored With Dinner

A dinner was given Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Seedling in honor of Mrs. Seedling's mother, Mrs. Lottie Lee of Wellington and Mrs. Lee's sister, Mrs. Mary Ella Armstrong of Riverside, California.

An only brother of the two was expected but was unable to attend. Those enjoying the day were Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Lee and family of Grover, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee and family of Briscoe, Mrs. Lola Breeden and sons of Quail, and Mrs. Alvin Williams and son of Anson, the host, hostess and daughters.

KELTON LEADS LEAGUE PLAY AS HALF ENDS

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Kelton	3	1	.750
Wheeler	3	2	.600
Sweetwater	3	2	.600
Mobeetie	3	2	.600
Briscoe	2	3	.400
Miami	0	4	.000

With the smoke clearing away from the first half of play in the Texas-Oklahoma Baseball League, the above percentages are recorded in the official record book. A game between Kelton and Miami, rained out in June, is underway this afternoon (Thursday) and should Kelton win, that team will be the undisputed winners of the first half.

Kelton journeyed to Briscoe Sunday and received its first shelling of the season from that team, 13 to 4.

Mobeetie defeated Wheeler, 9 to 1, and Sweetwater took Miami's measure to the tune of 13 to 4.

The Kelton-Briscoe tilt was featured by Briscoe's fine pitching and the good all-around play by Elmore, shortstop, and Price, left field. Leading hitters were Price of Briscoe, who got 4 for 5, and Hays, with an identical record.

Although defeated, several of the Kelton players turned in good accounts of themselves. J. D. Beatty and Kid Henderson made sensational catches of long-hit balls. Bowden made a good showing as relief pitcher, after going in for Pond in the second inning.

Briscoe scored twice in the first inning, eight times in the second, once in the third and twice in the eighth. Kelton scored once each in the first, second, fourth and sixth innings.

Briscoe's record was 16 hits and three errors. Kelton received seven hits and made four errors.

SHRINERS TO GET PROCEEDS

A. B. Crump, Potentate's Aide in Wheeler County, declared this week that one of the most unselfish, kind and generous offers has just been received by Khiva Temple.

Noble Dory Detton, a member of Khiva Temple, is sponsoring a Junior Heavyweight World Championship Wrestling match in Amarillo on August 15. The elimination bouts have already started, and the winner of the eight wrestling tournaments will wrestle Noble LeRoy McGuirk, the title holder, member of India Temple.

Noble Dory Detton will make an outright gift of the greater part of the net derived from this championship match to Khiva Temple, Crump said. Such gifts as this will help materially in securing a hospital within the jurisdiction of Khiva Temple.

Everyone interested should support and patronize this championship match, Crump declared.

What To Do If Polio Strikes

If poliomyelitis breaks out in a community, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has asked that newspapers publish the following suggestions for the public to follow.

Avoid new contacts. Try not to mingle with crowds unnecessarily. (Schools and other gathering places, however, may remain open.)

Watch these symptoms. Headache, unexplained fever, a cold, even upset stomach may be the first symptoms of infantile paralysis.

Call your doctor immediately if any of these symptoms appear. Expert medical care may help prevent crippling.

Remember—Carry on your normal activities. Infantile paralysis cannot be prevented but few of those stricken develop serious illness and, with good care, the majority will make a satisfactory recovery.

RITE HELD FOR FORMER COUNTY MAN

Funeral services for Claude Edward Trimble who was fatally injured in a truck accident in Amarillo Saturday night, were conducted from the Mobeetie Baptist Church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Trimble, 72 years old and a former resident of Mobeetie, was struck by a truck while crossing River Road near the Bonita intersection in Amarillo. He died while en route to the hospital.

The former prominent resident of Mobeetie was a retired farmer and had made his home in Amarillo for the past seven years, living at 115 Bonita Avenue in Pleasant Valley.

Officiating at the last rites was Rev. Buren Higdon, pastor of the Mobeetie Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. Homer Salley.

Serving as pall bearers were Cary Dysart, Emmett Tabor, Tom Lowman, Ed Covey, W. T. Beck and H. L. Henderson.

Burial was in the Mobeetie cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Lena Trimble; four sons, O. B. Trimble, Dimmitt, George F. Trimble, Bovina, Dock Trimble, Mobeetie, and Stanley Trimble, Sunray; two daughters, Mrs. R. T. Bailey, Amarillo, and Mrs. Lowery Walker, Hereford; and 18 grandchildren.

STOCKS OF FISH AVAILABLE FREE

By G. P. Davis
State Game Warden

This is the season for us to begin to think about stocking that new lake or pond that we have. If any of you have some water that you think needs some fish just contact the Times Editor and he will get in touch with your humble servant who will be only too glad to help you get fish and also help you with any other problem pertaining to old or new lakes.

Our fish deliveries are made in the fall, from September through October, but don't wait until to prepare your water, for, just as with any crops, fish do better in places that are properly prepared ahead of time.

Some of the things that can be done to insure bigger and better fish are these:

A clean lake will produce more large fish than one which has snags and brush and other obstructions.

Fertilizing a lake will keep obnoxious weeds and other growths out of your water.

The less shallow water you have the less oxygen you will lose in the summer. By this is meant, if your lake is say seven feet in the middle and it is possible to have at least half that depth to within a very few feet of the shore, you will have better water than you would if the water were seven feet in the middle and one foot for one-fourth of the width all around.

There is no charge for any help or advice, pertaining to any fish or wildlife problem that the Game Department can assist in clearing up. Also there is no charge for securing state fish for your lakes.

Seven liquor cases are on the docket of the county court which is now in session, County Attorney Homer Moss stated Wednesday.

What To Do If Polio Strikes

Don't worry about expenses—If polio strikes, get in touch with the Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis close to your home.

Don't get overtired—Extreme fatigue makes you an easier victim.

Avoid chills—Don't stay too long in cold water.

Keep clean—Wash hands before eating. Keep flies and other insects away from food.

Help keep your community clean—Waste and exposed garbage may be sources of infection.

Don't swim in polluted waters. Avoid removal of tonsils or adenoids prior to and during polio epidemic season.

There is no known cure for infantile paralysis. Good medical care will prevent or correct some deformities. But in every fourth or fifth case there will be permanent paralysis that cannot be overcome. Do not believe those



FLOYD GARVER
Evangelist and Soloist

MEETING WILL BEGIN SUNDAY

A revival meeting will begin at the Assembly of God Church of Briscoe Sunday night with Rev. Floyd Garver, evangelist and soloist of Arkansas, in charge.

Special gospel singing and music will be features of the revival and the public is cordially invited to attend. Rev. M. C. Cox, pastor of the Briscoe church, stated.

Rev. Garver is one of the most outstanding young evangelists in the Assembly of God circles and will deliver messages which will be inspirational to all those attending. Rev. Cox declared.

Services will begin each evening at 8:30 o'clock.

MORE SOLDIERS ARE DISCHARGED

More Wheeler County men have turned away their tools of war and are back in civilian "boot camp."

Those who have filed discharges during the past two weeks are:

Lt. Lee W. Davidson of Kelton, T5 Maxie L. Pogue of Twitty, Cox, Floyd T. Pepper of Shamrock; T4 Herman O. Topper of Wheeler; S Sgt. Willard C. Glover of Lela, S1c Herschel Cantrell of Shamrock; S3c Lee D. Foshee of Shamrock; S1c Aaron T. Isaacs of Shamrock; Cpl. William C. Davis of McLean; S1c John B. Reed of Stinnett.

FM1c Clifford L. Farmer of Wheeler, CMM3c T. J. Patterson of Wheeler, Capt. Wm. W. Cook of Cisco, FM1c Paul N. Pike of Lela, Hosp. A2c George L. Sides of Wheeler, Ensign James A. Clepper of Mobeetie, S1c Robert E. Ebeling of Shamrock.

Wheeler County Registrants In Reserve

Pfc. John D. Nunn of Twitty, T5 Len H. Brown of Allison, Cpl. L. D. Smith, Jr., of Olton, Lt. Aubrey L. Leonard of Mobeetie, T4 Rex E. Owens of Mobeetie, T4 Charlie B. Lawler of Not Available.

Non-Registrants of Wheeler County discharged: Stk. 2c Talmadge Moore of Mobeetie, Pvt. Herbert L. Chase of McLean.

Elsie Black Fined On Liquor Charge

Elsie Dale Black, picked up by representatives of the sheriff's department and Liquor Control Board officers, was fined \$100.00 and costs of court Tuesday on a charge of selling whiskey in a dry area.

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Homer P. Rainey To Visit In Wheeler

Dr. Homer Price Rainey, former president of the University of Texas who is now a candidate for governor, will visit in Wheeler next Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the Rainey headquarters announced from Austin last night.

Dr. Rainey is not scheduled to make a regular speech in Wheeler, but has speaking engagements the same day in Shamrock and Canadian. He will lunch in Shamrock and speak afterward at 1 o'clock.

From Wheeler he will go to Canadian for a 5 o'clock address.

The candidate is also slated to visit 15 minutes in McLean shortly before noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waters and daughter Patsy of Briscoe visited in the Homer Pitcock home Sunday night.

Smog is the name given to a mixture of smoke and fog.

PIONEER COUNTY PHYSICIAN DIES MOBEETIE HOME

Benjamin Allen Harris, 84-year-old retired physician and beloved Wheeler County pioneer, passed away at his home in Mobeetie on Tuesday, July 2, following a lengthy illness.

Funeral services were conducted at Mobeetie on Wednesday of last week with Rev. Homer Salley and Minister Lester Hathaway in charge. Serving as pall bearers were Boyd Beck, Ike Heare, J. H. Scribner, R. C. Martin, Aubrey Ruff and Carlton Murrell.

Flower attendants were Mrs. Elsie Scribner, Mrs. Merle Hunter, Mrs. Claudia Martin, Mrs. Ethel Lee Dyson, Mrs. Hester Beck and Mrs. Maggie Thompson.

Following the services at Mobeetie, the body was taken overland to Oklahoma City and interment was in the Rose Hill Mausoleum on July 5. Rev. Elmer Ridgway, pastor of the Olivet Baptist church of Oklahoma City was in charge of the committal service.

Dr. Harris was born November 7, 1861, at Newborn, Tenn., the youngest of eight children born to Wm. F. Harris and Marha E. Harris. As a child he moved with the family to Missouri and later to Arkansas where he graduated from the University of Arkansas.

He then attended St. Louis University Medical School where he graduated in 1892. Dr. Harris worked in Texas during vacations while in school and moved to Wilbarger County, Texas, to locate when he finished school. He practiced medicine in Wilbarger, Wichita, Wise and Tarrant Counties, finally locating in Wheeler County in 1917.

On July 2, 1893, he was married to Miss Dora Ray at Harrod, Texas. Three children were born to the union, Winnie, the oldest, passing away at the age of six years. The other two children, the widow and one grand-daughter survive.

The widow and son, Grady W. Harris, reside in Mobeetie, and the daughter, Mrs. Stella M. Morris, wife of Gilbert H. Morris, and granddaughter, Mrs. Dorothy E. Sheriff, all reside in Oklahoma City.

Dr. Harris practiced medicine in Wheeler County until his retirement at the age of 70 years. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

REVIVAL MEET IS SCHEDULED

A revival meeting will begin at the First Methodist Church of Mobeetie on August 9, Rev. Homer Salley, pastor, announced this week.

Rev. Newton Daniels of Lefors, prominent evangelist, will be in the pulpit for the series of gospel services, and Rev. Willie Matt Culwell of Pampa, will be in charge of the song service.

"These two ministers are outstanding in the Clarendon District and will bring programs well worth the time of those who attend," Rev. Salley declared.

"We have been planning this revival meeting since Spring and feel confident that it will be inspirational and interesting to the public.

"It is our sincere desire that all of you who possibly can, come out and worship with us," said Rev. Salley.

School Tax Election Is Set For August 3

An election in which the voters of the Wheeler Independent School District will decide on a proposal to raise school taxes from \$1.00 to \$1.35 per \$100 valuation has been set for Saturday, August 3.

Date of the election was decided upon by members of the Board of Trustees at a special meeting held on Monday of this week.

Although it was formerly thought that \$1.50 tax would be necessary, the trustees have decided to call for only \$1.35, C. P. Waters, president of the board, declared this week.

This raise, it is estimated, will bring into the school treasury an additional \$3,674.01 annually. This tax, if authorized, will in no manner effect the amount of state aid coming into the school for the coming term or any subsequent terms, and will not effect the valuations of property, such valuations remaining the same despite the tax raise.

It is also pointed out by the school board that forty cents on the one hundred dollar valuation is at present being paid upon the interest and sinking fund of the district's bonded indebtedness and must, by law, be taken from the present \$1.00 tax being levied and collected now, and from the \$1.35 tax if the raise is granted. The tax for all purposes cannot exceed the sum as voted.

HEART ATTACK IS FATAL TO BO BARRETT

Bo Barrett, 44-year-old cattleman and rancher, died in Pampa at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon as the result of a heart attack.

Mr. Barrett, who owned a ranch at Mobeetie and was well known among the cattlemen of this area, was in the Courthouse Cafe when stricken. He walked across the street to the office of a doctor, where he died a few minutes later.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon.

Born at Whitewright, Texas, on November 13, 1901, Mr. Barrett came to the Panhandle from Paducah 16 years ago, purchasing a ranch at Mobeetie and moving to Pampa to make his home.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Belle Barrett; two adopted daughters, Miss Aurenia White, Pampa, and Mrs. Audrey Bowling, Fort Worth; and a grandson, also of Fort Worth.

Other survivors are three brothers, Jimmy Barrett, Mora N. M., Billy Barrett, Roswell, N. M., and Rip Barrett, Pampa; two sisters, Mrs. Nick Banovich, Tonopah, Nev., and Mrs. Jack Arrington, Pampa.

CORRECTION

In the June 13 issue of The Times, it was incorrectly stated that Olin Culberson was unopposed in his candidacy for reelection for a second term to the office of Railroad Commissioner of Texas.

It has been called to the attention of The Times Editor that Mac Coker of Dallas County, opposes Mr. Culberson for that state office. We apologize for the error.

Contribution To Polio Fund Good Investment

The \$590 contributed by the Wheeler County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis to the fund for the purchase of special polio equipment for the Plainview Sanitarium and Clinic will prove to be a good investment, Harry Wofford, chairman of the local chapter, declared this week.

The Plainview Sanitarium, which has recently added several medical men to its staff and just completed the building of an addition to the sanitarium, is the polio center for this region, treating cases of infantile paralysis for the 44 counties of the Texas Panhandle.

The \$590 contributed by the Wheeler County Chapter was this county's quota of a \$14,000 fund which will be used to equip the hospital.

At the regional meeting of the National Foundation Chapters held in Plainview June 6, the chapter representatives were requested to cooperate in providing special polio equipment for use in the sanitarium and clinic. The sanitarium and clinic has pledged its full cooperation to help in taking care of acute, convalescent and chronic cases of infantile paralysis.

The local chapter now has a balance of \$482.20.

The school district, it is thought, can operate efficiently on the additional sum, Waters said. If the tax is raised, 95c out of every \$1.35 paid in taxes will go into the local maintenance fund which can be used by the board for repairs and improvements to the school.

"We have considered this matter at length," Waters stated, "and we feel that the raise in taxes is absolutely necessary. Naturally, we would not burden patrons of our school with a tax unless we were sure, beyond a shadow of doubt, that it could not be avoided."

"We know that patrons of the school wish it to continue on a basis equal to that of other schools of like size. To do this, we must have more money. We feel sure that the property owners of the district will see eye-to-eye with us on this and go down the line in voting for the increase," Waters said.

REVIVAL NOW IN PROGRESS

Goldie Toler Sutton of Clovis, New Mexico, is in charge of a revival meeting at the Assembly of God Church of New Mobeetie, according to an announcement made this week by Rev. Bonita Hudson, pastor of the church.

The revival began last Sunday with the noted speaker in the pulpit and will continue through Sunday, July 21, the pastor stated.

Evangelist Sutton is well known in this vicinity, having made her home here for 15 years. She is an interesting and inspirational speaker bringing Gospel messages direct from the Bible, Rev. Hudson declared.

The public is cordially invited to attend the services and hear the speaker and enjoy the singing of old-time gospel hymns.

Clinic has recently added several medical men to its staff, specially trained in polio, and has just completed the building of an addition to the sanitarium, where the polio cases will be treated.

Facilities will be available for more than 30 patients at a time. In addition to the medical staff, the sanitarium has two physical therapists and three assisting technicians in the physical therapy department.

This special polio equipment is needed to give the patients the best possible care and treatment. The \$590 contributed by Wheeler County was a part of a fund created by the annual March of Dimes drives to which local residents have contributed generously in the past several years.

In addition to this contribution, a hot pack machine has been purchased and is available for local use anywhere in the county. Some of the money has also been well spent in aiding local victims.

All this has been done from fifty per cent of the contributions kept here for local use. One-half of the money was sent to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon due notice being given to the Editor personally at the office at Wheeler, Texas.

RIGHT TO LABOR MIGHT DECIDE

A subtle solution to strike and equivalent bills was proposed by one paper this week, which suggested that the best form of "striker draft" would be to fill strikers' jobs with returned veterans still seeking employment.

Some such step, in fact, might have more than a single purpose. It would not only solve a flagrant abuse of freedom, but reward those who fought for freedom.

Certainly, a check of veteran outlook will show that the pre-occupation of most men overseas was not with how to squeeze more out of life, but with being assured of life itself. A job and an unchallenged right to hold it was the

Brooklyn Indians



Looks like a scene from underneath the western stars but it's just a couple from a colony of more than 500 Mohaw Indians who make their homes in the Gowanus section of Brooklyn, according to an article in the July issue of Cosmopolitan magazine. They meet frequently to discuss tribal affairs in their native tongue. Most of the "braves" are structural steel workers who make wampum at the rate of \$2.25 an hour. Where do they get that stuff "Lo the poor Indian?"

Gown of Month



Spun rayon dinner dress with chalk beading edging the low round neck and midriff, which may be bare or covered, was selected as best by group of prominent men who served as the jury for July Cosmopolitan magazine's male-tested fashions at the Stork Club. Jurors were Lauritz Melchior, Col. Flip Cochran, Al Moore, Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Hugh Herbert, Xavier Cugat, George Adams and Ray Bolger.

well as all correspondence concerning their service insurance to: Veterans Administration, 314 N. Broadway, St. Louis 2, Mo.

As part of its "decentralization" program, VA has moved the World War II insurance records of all veterans in these four states to St. Louis. This will mean faster, more efficient insurance service to policyholders in this area.

When you want information concerning your National Service Life Insurance, or when you wish to reinstate or convert your policy, you can always get advice and assistance at any Veterans Administration regional or sub-regional office or at one of the VA "contact offices" in small towns.

But if you don't live close to one of these offices, you should now direct all insurance correspondence to the St. Louis address given above. Remember, the St. Louis office has the records of a million veterans in its files, so be sure to give full information when you write. All correspondence should give the policyholder's first name, middle name and last name in full; his insurance certificate number, his service serial number, and his complete present address. If the certificate number is not known, this additional information should be included: the policyholder's rank or grade and his organization at the time he originally applied for insurance, the date of his birth and the date he was separated from the service.

If you move, be sure to inform the St. Louis VA office, so that letters and notices regarding your insurance will reach you promptly. The St. Louis office also reminds veterans that several new features may soon be added to National Service Life Insurance. Information on these features will be issued promptly when the changes become law, but in the meantime don't write VA regarding them. No accurate information can yet be given.

A dollar bill is six and one-eighth inches long.

Veterans' News

Q. Is an insured veteran entitled to a waiver of his insurance premium in case of disability?

A. All National Service Life Insurance policies provide for the waiver of payment of premiums during continuous total disability of the insured for six or more consecutive months, for as long as the period of such disability exists.

Q. If the insured veteran dies while his insurance is in default for nonpayment of premiums and during the continuance of total disability that began less than six months before his death, is his insurance considered in force?

A. Yes, provided, total disability commenced prior to the insured's 60th birthday, after the date of his application for insurance and while his insurance was in force under premium paying conditions. Any unpaid premiums will be deducted before final payment of policy proceeds.

Q. Is there a limit to the time that the veteran has to reinstate his permanent (converted) insurance policy after separation from active service?

A. A permanent (converted) policy which has lapsed and has not been surrendered for a cash value or for paid-up insurance, may be reinstated at any time after separation from active service upon written application therefor signed by the applicant and payment of all monthly premiums in arrears with interest from their several due dates at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, compounded annually.

Any indebtedness against the policy which existed at the time of default must be reinstated or paid, and if the indebtedness with interest exceeds the reserve of the policy at the time of application for reinstatement, payment of such excess must be made as a condition of reinstatement. Until January 1, 1947, the applicant must only be in as good health as he was when the insurance lapsed, and submit a signed statement to that effect at the time of application and tender of premiums. After January 1, this health requirement is subject to change.

Here is an announcement of importance to every veteran in this community: If you have been sending your National Service Life Insurance premium payments to Veterans Administration offices in Washington, D. C., or New York City—stop doing so. Veterans living in Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas and Oklahoma should now send their premium payments, as

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our gratitude to our many friends at Wheeler and other places for the kindness during the illness and the death of our father and husband, Charles R. Flynt, and for the beautiful tributes offered at that time.

Mrs. C. R. Flynt and family.

Wheeler H. D. Club Is Entertained Wed.

The Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Litton July 3. Mrs. Hastings gave a demonstration on "Attractive Ways to Serve Fruits." Several members worked on a tufted bedspread for Mrs. Litton during the afternoon. Several members of our club have been absent lately, we would gladly welcome them back again. Refreshments of ice cream were served to the following: Mmes. Minor, Porter, Hastings, Owens, Watts, Clark, Sims, Hubbard, Miss Martha Hastings and the hostess.



Industry needs a lot of electric power and we're ready to supply it. We started long before the war ended. Our expansion program which includes additions to six power plants, an entirely new plant in one location, and miles of new transmission lines, makes it possible for industry to settle in practically any section of the territory we serve. We can offer ample electric power for any industry, large or small. The effort we are making to help develop the territory we serve proves our faith in the future of the people we serve.

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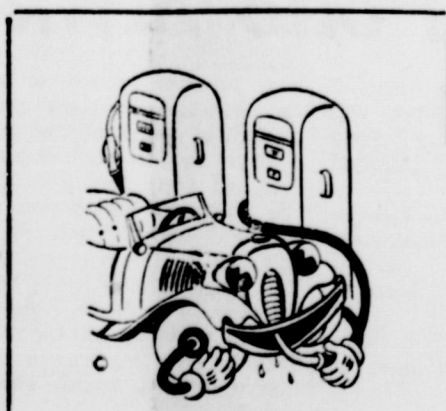
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QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE County Treasurer, Wheeler County, Texas ENDING JUNE 30, 1946

JURY FUND	
Balance March 31, 1946	\$ 6,029.56
Receipts during quarter	77.94
Total balance and receipts	6,107.50
Disbursements during quarter	485.10
Balance June 30, 1946	\$ 5,622.40
ROAD AND BRIDGE GENERAL FUND	
Balance March 31, 1946	\$ 3,043.67
Receipts during quarter	257.52
Total balance and receipts	3,261.19
Disbursements during quarter	2,016.36
Balance June 30, 1946	\$ 1,244.83
GENERAL FUND	
Balance March 31, 1946	\$35,647.85
Receipts during quarter	1,170.94
Total balance and receipts	36,818.79
Disbursements during quarter	9,996.23
Balance June 30, 1946	\$26,822.56
COURT HOUSE AND JAIL	
Balance March 31, 1946	\$ 3,806.68
Receipts during quarter	73.88
Total balance and receipts	3,880.56
Disbursements during quarter	00.00
Balance June 30, 1946	\$ 3,880.56
COMMISSIONERS PRECINCT NO. 1	
Balance March 31, 1946	\$16,331.43
Receipts during quarter	1,231.84
Total balance and receipts	17,563.27
Disbursements during quarter	7,773.89
Balance June 30, 1946	\$ 9,789.38
COMMISSIONERS PRECINCT NO. 2	
Balance March 31, 1946	\$ 6,108.68
Receipts during quarter	1,060.86
Total balance and receipts	7,169.54
Disbursements during quarter	3,083.00
Balance June 30, 1946	\$ 4,076.54
COMMISSIONERS PRECINCT NO. 3	
Balance March 31, 1946	\$15,288.63
Receipts during quarter	1,308.45
Total balance and receipts	16,597.08
Disbursements during quarter	5,908.95
Balance June 30, 1946	\$10,688.13
COMMISSIONERS PRECINCT NO. 4	
Balance March 31, 1946	\$18,655.92
Receipts during quarter	2,011.04
Total balance and receipts	20,666.96
Disbursements during quarter	5,023.05
Balance June 30, 1946	\$15,643.91
WHEELER COUNTY ROAD BOND AND BRIDGE SINKING FUND	
Balance March 31, 1946	\$76,823.78
Receipts during quarter	349.22
Total balance and receipts	27,173.00
Disbursements during quarter	387.82
Balance June 30, 1946	\$76,785.18

G. W. HEFLEY, County Judge



VACATIONIZE YOUR CAR

Get your car all slicked up for vacation travel. A thorough cleaning job . . . change of lubricant, gas and oil are in order.

- Check Brakes
- Flush Radiator
- Check Spark Plugs

OWENS SERVICE STATION
 Wheeler, Texas

LEGAL NOTICE

OFFICE OF ELECTION FOR SCHOOL TAX
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WHEELER
Wheeler Independent School District
No. 17 in Wheeler County.

Pursuant to an order passed by the Board of Trustees of Wheeler Independent School District on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1946 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an election will be held at Wheeler Independent School District on the 3rd day of August, 1946, to determine whether the Board of Trustees of said district shall have the power to levy and collect an ad valorem tax on all taxable property in said district for the maintenance of the free schools in said Wheeler Independent School District and the rate of One Dollar and fifty Cents on the one hundred dollar valuation of taxable property in said district, such tax to be levied and collected for the year 1946, and annually thereafter unless it be discontinued as provided by law. Ben Wolf has been appointed manager of said election and he shall select a judge and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, or judges and clerks, if deemed necessary, which shall be held as early as may be possible in conformity with the general election laws of the state.

No person shall vote at said election except resident qualified property taxing voters who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation.

Those desiring to vote in favor of the Maintenance Tax shall have their names written or printed upon their ballots "For Maintenance Tax," and those opposed to the proposition shall have their names written or printed upon their ballots "Against Maintenance Tax."

Dated this 8th day of July, A. D. 1946.

CECIL JOHNSON
Secretary of Board of Trustees.
30-2tc.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation for the kind offerings, and the kind deeds of our friends and neighbors during our grief and the illness of our mother.



TWO STARVING Czechoslovakians, too weak to walk without the aid of canes, look toward America for help—immediate help—to save them from death. You have a chance to aid them and millions like them in famine-stricken countries. Give money or food in tin cans to the Emergency Food Collection. Give that they may live.

MARRIAGES

Miss Geneva Faye Ellis and Harold Duaine Smith, July 2, Erick.

Miss Thelma Pearl Hows and J. E. Coates, July 2, Shamrock.

Miss Lois Downs and Henry Carlon Jackson, July 2, Erick.

Miss Sue Ballard and Eddie W. Reames, July 2, Canadian.

Miss Minnie Lee Phillips and Dusan Pakan, July 3, Shamrock.

Miss Betty Warren and George Freeland Jackson, July 6, Wheeler.

Miss Iris Jean Miller and Elvis D. Baumgart, July 6, Clinton.

Miss Janet Darden and James August Jackson, July 6, Weatherford.

Miss Clea Mae Bliss and Ben Elvis Mills, July 7, Erick.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Guthrie left Wednesday for Eden where they will spend the summer. Corky Guthrie accompanied them and will stay a few weeks.

T. J. DAUGHTRY

For

Assessor-Collector

TOM BRALY
FOR
DISTRICT ATTORNEY

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY JULY 12th & 13th



Fill YOUR PANTRY Now

IT'S TIME FOR HOME CANNING...

IGA Stores make home canning EASY and ECONOMICAL—with huge supplies of jars—caps—rings—preserves—fresh fruits and vegetables—EVERYTHING you need—AT MONEY SAVING LOW PRICES—EVERYDAY.

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

Appreciation Sale

- IGA SOAP GRAINS**
 - LARGE BOX 23¢
 - LIMIT 7¢
- JELLO**
 - LIMIT 7¢
- REGULAR MASON FRUIT JARS**
 - DOZ. 69¢
 - DOZ. PINTS 59¢
- JAR RINGS**
 - 6 DOZ. 25¢
- KERR LIDS**
 - 3 DOZ. 25¢
- PRESERVING WAX**
 - PER LB. 15¢
- MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING**
 - 8-OZ. JAR 15¢
- IGA COFFEE**
 - NOW IN TINS 30¢
 - 1-LB. CAN
- LIBBY'S CRUSHED PINEAPPLE**
 - NO. 2 CAN 24¢
- PEN JELL**
 - 2 PKGS. 23¢
- KERR CAPS**
 - PER DOZ. 20¢
- CERTO**
 - PER BOTTLE 25¢

Kerr Fruit Jars REGULAR 1 2 GAL. SIZE **79c**

CIGARETTES

All Popular Brands Per CARTON

\$1.62

SARDINES 1/4 SIZE IN OIL. LIMIT 8¢ PER CAN

POTTED MEAT PER CAN 7¢

IGA FLOUR

50-LB. SACK \$2.60

25-LB. SACK \$1.35

TOILET TISSUE PER ROLL 7¢

SPICE RACKS

BLACK PEPPER INCLUDED \$1.20

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE

46-OZ. CAN 32¢

ORANGE JUICE

46-OZ. CAN 51¢

TOMATO JUICE

46-OZ. CAN 26¢

GERBER'S BABY FOOD

THREE CANS 20¢

IGA MILK

LARGE CAN 10¢

RALSTON

2 PKGS. 23¢

CREAM O' WHEAT

PER PKG. 24¢



FRESH! . . . as the morning dew. Because we receive our produce DAILY you are assured of the same crisp foods every time.

VISIT OUR NEW PRODUCE DEPARTMENT

- RED POTATOES** LB. 4¢
- FRESH TOMATOES** LB. 10¢
- LARGE LEMONS** DOZ. 26¢
- FRESH GREEN CABBAGE** LB. 3 1/2¢
- ORANGES** LB. 9¢

QUALITY MEATS

Due to meat shortage we are unable to make any promise on the amount of Beef and Pork we will have on hand. Visit our Meat Department. We will have all meats available under the existing circumstances.

- THAT GOOD AMERICAN CHEESE** DAIRYLAND, SLICED OR CHUNK. LB. 49¢
- LARGE FRANKS** LB. 27¢
- LOIN STEAK** LB. 39¢
- CHUCK ROAST** LB. 29¢
- ASSORTED COLD MEATS** LB. 29¢
- SHORT CUTS** LB. 39¢

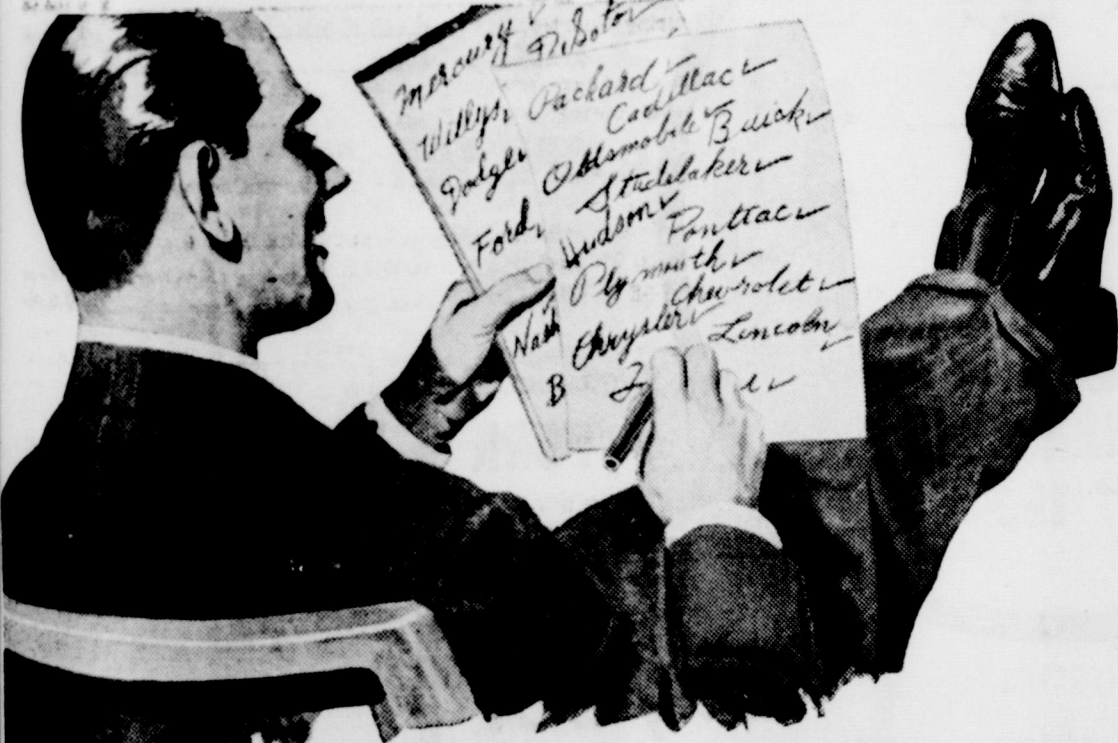
HORSERADISH PER BOTTLE 10¢

SAUCE DERBY'S 8-OZ. BOTTLE 14¢

MUSTARD IGA 9-OZ. JAR 10¢

CHICKEN AND NOODLE PER JAR 39¢

CHIX & TURKEY RANCHERS' PER JAR 34¢



Those you can get with an OIL-PLATED engine

CONOCO Nth MOTOR OIL
OIL-PLATES YOUR ENGINE

Breathes there an American who isn't checking on cars? Chief question is, "What's different for '46?" An OIL-PLATED engine brings you this swell difference: it will escape lots of carbon and sludge by escaping lots of wear. That special type of wear-defense—internal OIL-PLATING—will likewise favor your oil and gasoline mileage.

You can have an OIL-PLATED engine in any car—in the newest or oldest—just simply by making sure to use Conoco Nth motor oil; that's all.

The difference in Conoco Nth oil—patented—is its added ingredient that OIL-PLATES. This is done in a magnet-like manner—by making metals attract and hold lubricant. And that's what puts inner engine surfaces under cover of OIL-PLATING. It stands in wear's way; acts to prolong that new car feeling. . . . And it will act to prolong any older car's usefulness. So if that's your particular problem, change now to Conoco Nth oil—at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. Continental Oil Company

WE HAVE CONOCO N-TANE GASOLINE
CONOCO Nth OIL — GAS — GREASES — TRACTOR FUEL
WHOLESALE JACK MILLER
RETAIL FARMERS EQUITY SERVICE, Inc. Mobeetie

FINER QUALITY AT LOWER PRICES FROM COAST TO COAST
CLAY'S
Home-Owned **IGA** Home-Operated
FOOD IGA STORE

WE ARE PAYING 31¢ FOR EGGS

**"YOUR CHEAPEST WAY TO BUY OR SELL"
WANT ADS**

RATES—10c per line (counting 5 words to line) for first insertion. Minimum charge, 30c; 5c per line after first time. Minimum charge 15c. Reader ads scattered among local items 15c per line each insertion. Cards that run every week 25c per column inch per week.

DISPLAY ADVERTISING—National rate, 42c an inch; Local Advertising rate, 30c per column inch, 25c per inch when 30 inches or more used each week during calendar month.

FOR SALE
All popular size Butane Systems now in stock. No down payment. Up to 3 years to pay. Nash Appliance & Supply. 25-tfc.
FOR SALE—nice 5-room white stucco house at Shamrock, on pavement, good residential district, double garage, fruit trees, barbecue pit, \$5,000. See Albert Cooper or Bill Walker. 21-tpf.
FOR SALE—Amalie Oils at wholesale prices at Nash Appliance & Supply Co. 20-tfc.

FOR SALE—A permanent tractor canopy, shade which can be enclosed in winter time for heated cab. Nash Appliance & Supply. 20-tfc.
FOR SALE—6-volt windcharger, radio and 2 batteries. H. B. Peterman, 2 1/2 miles north of Gageby. 27-4tp.
FOR SALE—Regular Farmall tractor, lister, and upright planter. H. B. Peterman, 2 1/2 miles north of Gageby. 27-4tp.
FOR SALE—Remington portable typewriter. \$45.00. Wheeler Times. 29-tfc.

FOR SALE—Almost new oil cook stove. \$20.00. Call 904F21. 30-3tp.
FOR SALE—Roasting ears, M. M. Sanders, 3 miles east and 3 miles north of Wheeler. 30-1tp.
FOR SALE—1940 model Ford Tudor, clean throughout, new tires. Bogin Griffin, Shamrock Station, Wheeler. 30-1tp.
FOR SALE—Plenty of nice canning peaches on hand now at Barr-Cosper Orchard. 30-1tp.
FOR SALE—Maytag washer, gasoline motor, good ringer. See Mrs. Fannie Bratram on road east of New Mobeetie. 30-2tp.
FOR SALE—6-volt windcharger and superfix refrigerator and old sewing machine. R. Wm. Brown. 30-1tp.
FRYERS FOR SALE—See Vernon Brown at Puckett's Food Store. 30-1tc.
MISCELLANEOUS
ALCOHOL
PUBLIC enemy No. 1—
TRANSFER and storage. M. H. Clay, Jr., Phone 556-W, Shamrock, Tex. 21-tfc.
CLAY TRANSFER AND STORAGE—To or from any point in Texas. Connecting to any point in U. S. Fully insured. Harry Clay, Phone 556-W. 22-tfc.
WILL BUY—used typewriters, adding machines, filing cabinets, office desks, tables. THE WHEELER TIMES. tpf.
POSTED
Absolutely no hunting, fishing or trespassing on 282.9 acres in Sec. 34, Blk. A-8 H&GNRY Survey in Wheeler County belonging to John L. Nunn. 28-3tc.
FRYERS FOR SALE—Weldon Weatherly, 7 miles east of Wheeler. 29-2tp.
We can now do your cemetery work. Grave markers, covers, and curbing. Will Warren, Wheeler. 29-tfc.
NOTICE—pianos tuned, repaired and rebuilt. Write J. E. McBrayer, box 981, Wellington, Tex. 30-4tp.
NOW IN STOCK—Plenty of Amalie oils both in bulk and case lots, all weights. Case Farm trailers, tractor type post hole diggers, grain loaders, butane tanks and bottles. Nash Appliance. 30-tfc.
Mrs. Lamar Guthrie and Gail spent Monday night with the Lee Guthries.
A scalpel is an instrument used by surgeons.

**MORE PEOPLE
NOW IN JOBS
THAN EVER**

WASHINGTON — The census bureau says more people—55,320,000—have jobs now than at any time in American history.
The figure is 570,000 higher than the previous peak of 54,750,000 reached in July, 1943, in the middle of the war.
The census bureau figure of 55,320,000 is for May, the latest total available. It includes 450,000 men who had jobs but were on strike.
After the war ended last summer John W. Snyder, reconversion director, estimated that perhaps 8,000,000 people would be unemployed by this time in 1946.
The census bureau says only about 2,310,000 people are unemployed now.
It does not agree with other figures on present unemployment—or unemployment for May—obtained from the security board and the veterans administration.
Here's what those two agencies show for May:
A total of 3,092,000 people were getting unemployment pay. Of that number 1,365,000 were getting civilian unemployment pay, the remaining 1,717,000 were war veterans drawing unemployment pay from the government.
(In April the total was 3,100,000. Of whom 1,600,000 were civilians and 1,500,000 veterans).
The following figures will show how employment has risen to its present total of 55,320,000.
That figure is 1,050,000 higher than the 54,270,000 employed in July, 1945, just before Japan quit.
It is 4,070,000 higher than the 51,250,000 employed in September, 1945, the lowest employment month since the war ended.
How have these people—almost entirely veterans, since everyone else was working during the war—found jobs?
About 1,820,000 women who worked during the war have quit and gone back into their homes.
So have a number of old people (figures not available) who came out of retirement to help in war jobs have retired again.
The number of people with jobs spurted in May, over April, but this was almost entirely due to spring jobs opening up on farms.
In April 8,190,000 worked on farms. This number jumped almost 700,000 to 8,880,000 in May.
But in the same two months non-farm jobs remained about the same in number: 46,360,000 in April, 46,440,000 in May.
Yet, there has been a decrease in the total number of farm workers from the war years while more non-farm jobs have opened up.
In the peak war month of July, 1943, 9,700,000 people working on farms, and 45,050,000 in non-farm jobs.
But in May, 1946, the people working on farms numbered only 8,880,000 while those in non-farm jobs rose to 46,440,000.
The job score by sexes breaks down this way:
In July, 1943: About 36,670,000 males and 18,080,000 females.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. V. B. Harris, Goldie Harris, Troy, Albert and Kenneth Harris all of Inyokern, Cal., spent three weeks in the J. Swink home. They returned to their home last Thursday.
Corky Guthrie and Bill Spalden spent Sunday night and Monday in Oklahoma City.
Bill Johnson, Carroll and Lowell Pendleton, O. W. Pendleton, Adair an Risner and Arthur Whitman left Thursday for a few days fishing trip to Possum Kingdom.
J. T. Jackson and daughter, Jovena of Eden visited his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Guthrie Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Forrester visited friends in Amarillo Sunday.
Mrs. Jimmy Mitchner is visiting friends and relatives in Davis and Sulphur, Okla.
Napoleon, the Little Corporal, was redheaded.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father.
Mrs. Dora Harris
Grady Harris
Stella Morris and family.
Napoleon, the Little Corporal, was redheaded.

ABSTRACTS

Complete Index of Wheeler County

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N. W. Corner of the Square Fire, Tornado, Automobile, Etc.

**It Will Pay You to
Check Your Fire
Insurance Policies
NOW!**

You have too much money invested in your home and furniture to permit any chance of losses due to fire or other hazards.

You cannot afford to have an IF in your policy. Unless you are protected against All hazards you are taking an unnecessary risk that may result in financial loss.

ANNOUNCEMENT

ROE GREEN AND C. J. MOORE HAVE PURCHASED

The Service Cleaners

We have purchased the Service Cleaners from Mr. Trimble and will operate it in its present location offering you at all times the very best in dry cleaning service and the very fastest service possible under present conditions.

In addition to dry cleaning we do hat cleaning and blocking. We are offering one-day service on dry cleaning, if you desire it. As yet, we have been unable to secure a telephone but if you will just let us know in advance when you would like to have your clothes picked up we will gladly pick them up and deliver them.

ATTENTION

Mobeetie, Kelton, Briscoe and Allison Residents

We have established a route through the above mentioned communities and will be through these places on TUESDAY and THURSDAY afternoons to pick up and deliver your dry cleaning... all we ask is that you leave it at one of the places listed below:

KELTON Johnson's Store	ALLISON Brown Drug	BRISCOE Mason's Grocery
MOBEETIE No place established yet but will have one soon		

SERVICE CLEANERS

Just Across Street from Post Office

A "HOT TIP" FOR Cooling Drinks

Served iced or hot, you can be assured of complete satisfaction when you use these fine blends of high quality coffee and tea.

TEA SCHILLING'S 1/2-LB. 45c	COFFEE SCHILLING'S POUND 29c
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TOMATOES LB. 12 1/2c	CRISCO 3 LB. JAR 73c
ONIONS WHITE POUND 6c	HEMO BORDEN'S 55c
CARROTS LARGE BUNCHES 9c	MILK EAGLE BRAND CAN 23c
LETTUCE HEAD 9c	SPINACH HEART'S DELIGHT 2 NO. 2 CANS 35c
CALIFORNIA ORANGES LB. 10c	CORN IOWANA NO. 2 CAN 12c
CRACKERS HI-HO 1-LB. BOX 21c	UNCLE WILLIAM'S PORK & BEANS 2 NO. 2 CANS 27c
TOILET SOAP LIFEBOUY 3 FOR 19c	DEL MONTE PEACHES NO. 2 1/2 CAN 30c
VINEGAR QUARTS 11c	BOLOGNA POUND 29c
CLOROX HALF GALLON 29c	WIENERS LARGE POUND 33c
SALT MORTON'S 2 ROUND BOXES 15c	YEAST FLEISCHMAN'S PACKAGE 2c
GRAPE JUICE PUNCH PINT 29c	ORANGE JUICE ADAMS NO. 2 CAN 23c

PUCKETT'S FOOD MARKET

WHEELER, TEXAS

1950 Tennis Champ?



Seventeen-year-old Herb Flam of Beverly Hills, Cal., shown above as pictured in the July issue of Cosmopolitan magazine, is picked as tennis champion of 1950 by Percy T. Jones of the Southern California Tennis Association who turns out net champions on the conveyor belt system. Jones has picked other champions eight years in advance. Flam is shown being congratulated in advance by Nancy Chaffee of Ventura, Cal.



Q. Does it pay to feed a supplement to beef cattle when the grass gets dry in late summer?

A. Results at the U. S. Southern Great Plains Field Station showed that yearling steers produced an increased gain of 71 lbs. per head more when fed two lbs. of supplement on late summer range, and 51 lbs. more gain when fed one lb. of supplement, as compared to the check lot fed no supplement. On the basis of beef produced, the steers fed two lbs. of supplement showed a net return of \$490 more and those fed 1 lb. showed a net return of \$300 more than the steers fed no supplement.

Q. How can I keep turkey poulters from eating the litter?

A. Cover litter with rough paper or burlap sacks for the first four days. A smooth cover such as slick newspaper should not be used, as it has a tendency to contribute to slipped tendons.

Q. Is browse required for dairy goats?

A. No. According to an experiment conducted over a two year period at the Ralston Purina Company's Research Farm, browse does not supply any nutritive factors that may not be supplied by alfalfa hay and grasses fed with a properly balanced grain ration. Dairy goats relish browse but do not require it.

Q. In feeding lambs, how can critically scarce grains and concentrates be conserved in these times of feed shortage?

A. All available roughages, stalk fields, and pastures should be used to the fullest. Recent trials at the Kansas Experiment Station showed that lambs running in a combined milo stalk field for 30 days before going into the feed lot made about the same gains at a lower cost than those fed the same ration in the feed lot.

Q. What is 2-4-D Weed Killer and what types of plants does it kill?

A. 2-4-D is an abbreviation for the new selective hormone weed killer, 2,4 Dichlorophenoxyacetic acid. It kills most plants but has very little effect on grasses. Some of the weeds it is most effective against are bindweed, burdock, cocklebur, dandelion, pigweed, plantain, ragweed, and thistles. 2-4-D should be used with caution, since it will also kill most vegetables, flowering plants, and shrubs.

Send your questions about any phase of farm management to FARM FACTS, 835 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

Mrs. Fred Rowe returned to her home Sunday after spending a few days in the hospital here.

Mrs. Nadine Jones entered the Worley Hospital at Pampa Sunday for a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCasland and Mr. and Mrs. John McKinsey and son, Ronnie, of Atlanta, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland, the former's parents over the weekend.

Miss Mildred Dona and Mrs. Della Clark and Mrs. Abbie Curtis, all of Dallas visited several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Morris, Gene and Coleen of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey McCasland and children spent the fourth in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland.

The average individual has approximately 3,500 square inches of skin.

ALLAN SHIVERS CITES PLATFORM



Senator Allan Shivers' platform for lieutenant governor briefly includes: Real assistance to Texas war veterans, increased salaries for teachers, a first-class university for the colored, better highways and farm-to-market roads, redistricting, full payment of old-age pensions, reorganization of the legislature with 60-day sessions each year, an expanded public health program, reorganization of the pardon and parole system, equal responsibility from both labor and management, economy in state government.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Lt. Col. Charles L. Wimberly and family spent the week, en route from Calif., to Penn., in the home of his sister, Mrs. Lee Guthrie.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sams of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Weatherly of Amarillo, visited friends and relatives in Wheeler over the weekend.

Leon Weatherly and R. B. Mann returned home Saturday from Spearman where they had been working.

A few out of town friends and relatives that attended the funeral services of C. R. Flynt were: Mrs. Anna Balch, Mr. and Mrs.

Stewart Anglin of San Antonio has spent the last week with friends and relatives.

Kenneth Crowder who is stationed in San Antonio spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crowder and friends.

Mrs. Henry Miller, and Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Conwell are spending a few days with relatives in Tennessee.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lowrie and Mr. and Mrs. John Wright were Sunday evening callers in Borger. Mr. Wright is employed in Borger.

M. Chandler, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Balch of Pampa, Miriam Flynt of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morris of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Colley of Vernon.

Harvey Wright of Canyon spent the four day holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wright and friends.

Pfc. Harold Callan came home Friday on a delay-en-route from Okla. City to Kerns, Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Burton of St. Louis, Mo., spent a few days last week with friends and relatives in Wheeler.

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... spend months trying to can dash through a department store aisle that's only a few feet wide and never upset a thing; then drive home and knock the doors off a 12-foot garage?

No. 343

BANKS

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

THE CITIZENS STATE BANK

Wheeler, Texas at the close of business on the 29th day of June, 1946, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$ 163,764.66
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	156,179.99
Bonds, notes, and debentures, Bills of Exchange	9,393.72
Balances due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	777,412.69
Real estate, house, or leasehold improvements	1.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	1.00
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$1,106,753.06

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common Capital Stock	\$ 20,000.00
Surplus, Certified \$20,000.00	20,000.00
Undivided profits	13,767.00
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,042,980.41
Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances)	10,005.63
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$1,106,753.06

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF WHEELER: I, R. J. Holt, Jr., being Cashier of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. J. HOLT, Jr., Cashier

(SEAL) DIRECT-ATTEST
D. E. HOLT, R. J. HOLT, FLAUCY B. HOLT, Directors
Subscribed and sworn before me this 3rd day of July, 1946.
HARRY WOFFORD, Notary Public, Wheeler County, Texas.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS:

A Statement of Price Policy on PURINA CHOWS

It is true that our prices on Purina Chows have increased since the end of OPA ceilings on July 1 . . .

BUT . . .

. . . These new higher prices are due entirely to the increase in cost of feed ingredients. All ingredients have risen sharply . . . some as much as \$37.50 a ton.

. . . This increase in the price of Purina Chows is not as large as the increase in ingredient costs. New prices reflect only a part of the out-of-pocket increase to Purina.

. . . The new prices on Purina Chows do not include a single cent per bag or per ton more profit for Purina. The profit margins on Purina Chows have never been up to the full amount allowed under OPA and will not be raised now to margins previously permitted.

WE ARE PROUD TO FOLLOW PURINA'S POLICY

As authorized Purina dealers we are pledging ourselves to follow the manufacturer's lead. We know that our first responsibility is to our customers—we want to keep feed prices down as much as possible. We are not increasing our margins—we will not be short-sighted and take advantage of the present situation at your expense.

True, feed prices will go up or down as the prices of ingredients vary—but we promise as always to do our best to supply all the Purina Chows we can get at the best price possible.

We Want Your CREAM — POULTRY — EGGS

WHEELER COUNTY PRODUCE ASS'N

NARVILLE ARGANBRIGHT, Manager

V. B. Harcastle, Geo. Lamb, Gordon Whitener, J. F. Rathjen and A. A. Jones, Directors

We Always Pay TOP PRICES

for

CREAM, POULTRY, EGGS

Bring us your produce

Friendly Service Assured

Whitener Produce

at

Lawrence Hatchery

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE ELECT WALTER ROGERS



As your District Attorney for the past two terms he has won 94% of the criminal cases for the State of Texas.

Such a record merits promotion.

Mobeetie Happenings

By Louise St. John

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patton and daughter, and Marvin Leshar of Skellytown spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson. They also visited in the Ebb Patton home Sunday.

Mrs. Nep Trew, Claudia and Betty Jean Patton and Louise St. John went to Gageby Sunday for the singing convention. There was lots of wonderful singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller and son of Pampa spent Sunday in the W. C. Hogan home.

W. C. Hogan returned from harvest Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Patterson and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Newman and Helen were visitors in the R. B. Leonard home Sunday.

Ola Mae Scribner returned from Conway Thursday.

Funeral services were held for C. E. Trimble of Amarillo Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He was hit by a truck late Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Simpson and children and Mrs. W. C. Hogan and son were business visitors in Canadian Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Scribner and Susie and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Scribner of Amarillo spent a few days in Mobeetie last week.

No. 121

BANKS

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

OF THE

FIRST STATE BANK OF MOBEETIE

at Mobeetie, Texas at the close of business on the 29th day of June, 1946, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$ 75,864.35
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	252,520.00
Corporate stocks, stock in Federal Reserve Bank	5,000.00
Cash, balances due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	298,866.84
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	6,604.40
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	250.00
Other real estate owned	17.75
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$639,123.34

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common Capital Stock	\$ 20,000.00
Surplus; Certified \$10,000.00	10,000.00
Undivided profits	9,444.59
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	573,462.14
Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	6,216.61
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$639,123.34

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wheeler: I, A. Finsterwald, being president of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. FINSTERWALD, President

(SEAL) CORRECT-ATTEST:
H. L. FLANAGAN, GEO. B. DUNN, GORDON STILES, Directors
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1946.
EDITH M. FLANAGAN, Notary Public, Wheeler County, Texas



STUDIO COUCHES

YES!

We have just received a small shipment of new furniture including some well-made studio couches which make wonderful living room pieces during the daytime and can be used for beds at night.

SOME OTHER NEW FURNITURE ITEMS WHICH WE NOW HAVE ON HAND INCLUDE

- | | |
|---|------------------|
| Chests of Drawers | Porch Rockers |
| Platform Rockers | Occasional Table |
| High Chairs | Table Lamps |
| Occasional Rockers (High and Low Backs) | Small Wool Rugs |

ERNEST LEE HARDWARE CO.

Furniture - Rugs - Radios - Hardware

29c
73c
55c
23c
35c
12c
27c

QUALITY SEATS

23c

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of voters in the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1946:

For District Judge:
WALTER ROGERS
of Gray County
LEWIS M. GOODRICH
of Wheeler County

For District Attorney:
TOM BRALY
of Gray County

For State Representative 122nd District:
R. L. TEMPLETON
of Collingsworth County

For County Judge:
G. W. HEFLEY

For County Clerk:
HARRY WOFFORD

For County Attorney:
HOMER MOSS

For Sheriff:
JESS SWINK
W. Z. BAKER
J. D. FRYE

For County Treasurer:
LILLIE M. McCLAIN
PALMER SIVAGE

For Commissioner:
Precinct No. 1:
LLOYD ANGLIN

For Commissioner:
Precinct No. 2:
S. B. DAVIS
W. E. MASON
JESS B. CROWDER

For District School Supt.:
ALLEN KAVANAUGH

For District Clerk:
MRS. OLLIE W. BEENE
CHRISTOPHER McCLAIN

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
T. J. DAUGHTRY
T. L. GUNTER

State Line Question Up In Congress Again

The old Cimarron question involving land along the Texas-Oklahoma boundary cropped up when the house passed a bill to convey permanent title to a tract 156 miles long, varying in width from a point to 500 feet.

It was in 1881 that two engineers surveyed the Cimarron base line along the top of the Texas Panhandle. Ten years later congress by statute fixed a boundary between the two states, using data of another engineer. The discrepancy between the two surveys accounted for the triangular tract, involving 4,900 acres.

Although the acreage has technically been federal property, it is in Oklahoma and private citizens for decades have lived upon it and developed improvements. The measure passed and sent to the senate, authorized the secretary of the interior to issue patents, upon payment of \$1.25 per acre, to the citizens, or their heirs, who have lived upon the land for not less than 20 years.

The government retains the oil and gas rights.

Soldiers Receive Hike In Salaries

Army recruiters who are in Wheeler each Wednesday, called attention this week to the raise in soldiers' pay. The following salaries now prevail: Privates \$75.00; Privates First Class \$80.00; Corporals \$90.00; Buck Sergeants \$100.00; Staff Sergeants \$115.00; Technical Sergeants \$135.00; Master Sergeants \$165.00.

The recruiters headquarter at the Wheeler Post Office each Wednesday.

The honeymoon is really about the wife starts complaining about the noise that hubby makes in getting breakfast.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE — Big white peaches ready on July 18 at Clark's.

ATTENTION Methodist Revival

Begins August 9, 1946 at Mobeetie Methodist Church. We have had the meeting scheduled and have been planning it since Spring. We urge the public to come and worship with us.

Rev. Newton Daniels of Lefors, evangelist; Rev. Willie Matt Culwell of Pampa, singer. These ministers are outstanding in the Clarendon district. Come hear them for 10 days beginning August 9.

NOTICE!

Effective July 15 we will raise the price of milk 1¢ per quart.

We are not raising the price of milk just because the OPA has ceased to exist, but because of the fact that the price of feed has continued to rise until we are forced to make this increase. There has also been a government subsidy on milk which served to keep the price to you down and we are no longer getting this so you can see that even though we are forced to raise the price of milk we are not realizing any more out of it.

Thanks.

CHAPMAN'S DAIRY

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Wheeler

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All sizes in children's sandals.

Some sizes in ladies' sandals and play shoes.

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Wheeler Texas

ROGUE THEATRE

Friday and Saturday—

"Bandits of The Badlands" starring Sunset Carson

Preview Saturday Night Sunday and Monday—

"Masquerade In Mexico" with Dorothy Lamour and Arturo de Cordova

Tuesday—

W. D. Barrymore Photographer 2:00 to 6:30 p. m.

Wednesday and Thursday July 17 and 18—

"Leave Her to Heaven" starring Gene Tierney, Cornel Wilde and Jeanne Crain



FEAST ON OUR FOUNTAIN TREATS

Our rich, thick malts not only fill you up, they pep you up. Customers come in here dragging and go out full of energy. On these hot days a Fruit Sundae hits the spot, too. Daily visits to the Holt Drug fountain will make these hot days more enjoyable for you. Try it and see!

TRY ONE OF OUR TASTY STEAK SANDWICHES

HOLT DRUG CO.

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ANNOUNCING

MOBEETIE SALES COMPANY

Regular Saturday sales will be resumed on July 20th, 1946.

Bring us your cattle — you will be pleased with the facilities of our remodeled stockyards.

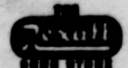
Mobeetie, Texas



THE BIGGER, THE BETTER!

That's what everyone says about ice cream cones when Borden's ice cream is used. Stop in at our fountain often for a tasty sundae, delicious malt or milkshake, ice cream soda, or any other ice cream drink you might desire. Enjoy a refreshing, invigorating drink at our modern fountain often.

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NEW SHIPMENT WHITE SANDALS

Cool, crisp, white sandals to give delightful comfort this summer. Their sparkle will inspire you to step thru summer days in a light hearted mood.

JUST THE THING FOR SUMMER WEAR

Bright new play suits that will help to keep you cool these sultry summer days.

SEE THESE ITEMS AT OUR STORE

Men's Straw Hats Luggage
Panamas Beautiful Eyelet Embroidery

M'ILHANY'S

For Everything You Wear

WHEELER

TEXAS

**FLOUR IS UP \$3.00 PER BARREL
SHORTENING IS UP 4¢ PER POUND
WRAPPING PAPER 2½¢ LB.**

In view of these increasing costs of materials and operating expenses and in line with other bakeries in this territory, we are forced to raise the price of bread 1¢ per loaf.

WHEN A PICNIC BECOMES A BANQUET

A picnic takes on a more festive air when City Bakery goods are on hand. They lend a happy note wherever they go. We specialize in cakes, pies and cookies with real taste appeal.

CITY BAKERY

Wheeler, Texas

Phone 117