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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

4-H CLUBBERS, AGENTS ATTEND STATE MEETING

By Miss Genevieve Morton

Monday, June 13, 1949. La-Jaune Mann, JoAnn Hardcastle, Wheeler and Mrs. Leonard Hagerman, Myrtle left Childress by special bus for A. & M. and the State 4-H Round-Up. Two chartered buses were taken from Amarillo for District I. Forty-six boys and girls from the district rode the buses to College Station.

Due to the buses being late, our 4-Hers missed the beginning of the Round-Up which was a carnival held on the concrete slab Monday night.

The second day of the Round-Up started with breakfast at 8:15 at the Mess Hall—then general assembly at Guion Hall at 8:00 for all but the dress review contestants. (They spent most of their time practicing for the dress review.) The group singing was led by Billy Triggs, music director of the First Methodist Church at Wichita Falls.

After the Welcome address, a boy and girl were elected from representatives of each district to act as co-chairmen of the remaining part of the meeting.

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Acreege Allotments To Be Established On Wheat In 1950

Operators of farms on which wheat was not seeded for harvest in any of the years 1947, 1948, 1949, but on which wheat is intended to be seeded for harvest in 1950, must request, in terms of a specific acreage, a 1950 wheat acreage allotment, if an allotment is subsequently to be established for such farms. Bill Rushing, ACA Administrative Officer pointed out this week.

The requested 1950 wheat acreage allotment must be submitted in writing by the owner or operator to the County Committee. Persons requesting such "new" wheat acreage allotments are advised to come to the County ACA office or get in touch with the local community committeemen and file such request. The County Committee, subject to the approval of the State Committee will set a closing date for receiving requests for "new" farm acreage allotments. In no event will the closing date be later than the normal seeding time in this area.

County School Boards To Meet Again Sat.

The Wheeler County School boards will meet at the Courthouse again Saturday morning to take action on the requirements of the new Gilmer-Aiken laws as regards consolidation of dormant school district Allen. Kavanagh announced this week. The meeting time for Saturday morning is 10:00 o'clock.

Districts which are affected by the new consolidation law include: Corn Valley, Spring Creek, Hay Hollow, Locust Grove, Plainview, Heald, Ramsdell, Liberty and Benonine.

Kavanaugh Brings In "Cork-Screw" Radishes Grown In His Garden

Odd quirks of nature always create news items which are interesting to the general public, and many of these freakish growths and occurrences go unheeded because they never come to the attention of newspapermen, but such is not the case of two large white radishes which were brought into The Times office this week. The two radishes were grown completely around each other in kind of a cork-screw effect.

County Superintendent Allen Kavanaugh, who is farming the flower beds around the house where he lives, brought in the odd shaped radishes and put them on display in The Times show window early this week and since the editor is not a vegetarian and especially doesn't care for radishes they are still on display.

The Times understands that Kavanaugh is experimenting with artistic creations in various vegetables and the radish creation is the best of this season's selection.

WM. BARTON IS TAKEN BY DEATH

All Wheeler was saddened early today (Thursday) to learn of the untimely death of William Henry Barton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barton. It is understood from reports the boy died of a brain hemorrhage. He was taken to a Spearman Hospital exactly one week before he passed away and members of the family reported that he had been suffering from a severe headache for a couple of days prior to the time he was taken to the hospital.

William Henry Barton passed away at a Spearman Hospital at 2:45 o'clock this (Thursday) morning at the age of 19 years, 9 months and 25 days having been born August 28, 1929.

Funeral services will be conducted from the First Baptist Church here Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock with Rev. Ray Stevens, pastor of the Spearman Baptist Church, officiating. Rev. G. W. Simmons and B. M. Litton, minister of the Church of Christ, will assist with the services.

Young Barton graduated from the Wheeler High School with the class of 1946 and was third highest student in the class scholastically. Since that time, he has attended school 1 year at Wayland College at Plainview and a year at the University of Texas and the past year he has been employed as bookkeeper for Audrey Pelly at Gruver.

The body was brought overland from Spearman to Wheeler in a Kirk-Spason Funeral Home ambulance.

Survivors include: The parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barton, two sisters, Nadine and Ruby, one brother, Jerry and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Scott, all of Wheeler.

All bearers will include: Albert Griffin, Lewis Martin, Corky Guthrie, Johnny Barr, Delbert McWhorter and Benny Westmoreland.

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KIWANIS START PARK PROJECT WORK AGAIN

Work on the Kiwanis Park Project, which has been stymied for several weeks because of rainy weather, got underway again this week when county road crews under the supervision of Commissioner Lloyd Anglin and County Judge G. W. Hefley moved dirt moving machinery into the City property and started leveling the ground preparatory to building tables, swings, sand box, a small walk-way bridge across the creek, fire places and other improvements which are planned.

The road crews changed the roadway to run directly across the west side of the park levelled off the main portion of the park where fishermen had slightly disrupted the lay of the land digging for bait. Some dirt was moved on the east side of the park thus enlarging a soft ball diamond which had been laid out in that vicinity several years ago.

The Kiwanis set Monday, July 11 as a day for all members of the club to gather at the park and put in a full day at various jobs in an effort to get as much of the construction work done on that one day as possible. The Kiwanis invite anyone who is not a member of the club and might feel inclined to help with the project to make plans to come out on that day and do what they feel able to accomplish. There will certainly be plenty of work for every citizen of Wheeler who can see fit to come and help on that day according to Homer Moss, club president.

The Kiwanis plans to make as many improvements as possible at the present and add further improvements to the project as funds and time will permit.

Wofford Is Vice-Pres. State Clerk's Ass'n.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wofford, Mrs. Audrey Pierce and Chris McClain returned home Monday night from Galveston where they attended the County and District Clerks Association of Texas convention.

As the convention drew to a close at the Hotel Galvez Saturday, Wheeler County Clerk, Harry Wofford, was elected first vice-president of the association which indicates that he will be named president of the Association at their convention in Ft. Worth next year.

Royal Ferguson of Lubbock, district clerk of Lubbock County, was elected president for this year, and Woodrow L. Starnes of Decatur, Wise County clerk, was elected secretary-treasurer of the association.

Miss Marcellie Farmer and Miss Lalia Jones of Amarillo were weekend guests in the home of Miss Farmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beck of Lemoore, California have recently renewed their subscription to The Times. They requested that The Times convey their best wishes to all their friends in Wheeler County.

Property Owners Put Up 'Big Squawk' About Enormous Mosquitoes

Since the Nash's and Esslinger's announced last week in the Times that the new South Main Street Lake would be open for fishing, other of the property owners in that section of the city have registered various complaints.

Percy Farmer, one of the prominent residents in the south portion of town, wants to know what the proprietors of the lake are going to do about the mosquito crop. He claims that he has already noticed some giant mosquitoes in that section of town which he vows could tote off an ordinary size grasshopper.

However, it appears that the hopes of the south main street property owners group of getting rich out of selling fishing permits in their lake have been more or less knocked in the head since Lloyd Anglin and his road crew got into town this week with their road machinery and filled in the "lake" and dug drainage ditches which will carry off excess water in the case of future rains (it appears that the drought is on since it has been over a week since rain has fallen in this section).

Anyway, observers believe that the people who live in the vicinity of the lake will be glad to learn that it has been filled in because it will tend to stop the "holering" in that section and will help to control mosquitoes which are dangerous carriers of various disease germs.

MOBETTIE WILL PLAY AT PAMPA

Frank Cooke, manager of the Mobettie Red River Valley League team, announced this week his team will play a league contest with the Mangum nine on Friday night, June 24 beginning at 8:15 o'clock. The contest will be played in the Pampa Oiler's park at Pampa.

Friday night's contest is the play off of an early session game which was supposed to have been played at Mobettie but was postponed because of the weather.

In their last outings, the Mobettie nine has come out on the short end of the score losing to Altus by a 3 to 0 count and to Wellington by a 7 to 2 count. The two losses placed Mobettie in a tie with Childress, Memphis and Mangum for third place in the league standings. Wellington is in first place, Altus in second and Shomrock in seventh.

The league all-star game will be played Sunday.

Wheeler Co. Singers To Meet in Shamrock

B. T. Fulks, president of the Wheeler County Singing Convention, announced this week that his group will meet in Shamrock on Sunday, June 26 but failed to state just where in Shamrock the group will meet.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the regular meetings of the group.

Wheat Harvest Is Underway, Yield Is Above Average

The harvest of golden grain has swung into full blast with the arrival of summer and combines have been humming in fields in all directions from Wheeler for the past 7 days with J. D. Johnson bringing the first load of wheat to Wheeler late last Thursday afternoon while S. W. Williams who lives 1 1/2 miles north of Mobettie dumped the first load in the Kimbell Elevator at Mobettie last Wednesday afternoon. E. E. Johnston, also of the Mobettie community, carried a load to the Kimbell Elevator on the same day.

Willard Gdwin, manager of the Mobettie elevator, and Billy J. Darnell and Cecil Richerson, local grain buyers, state that wheat is testing between 56 to 60 pounds per bushel and moisture content on the greater part of the wheat is low enough to make it marketable.

Grain men point out the fact that wheat in the Wheeler-Mobettie area is turning out better than had been expected due to the excess moisture which caused some rust and swiveling. It is understood that some patches are averaging as much as 30 bushels per acre while others are as low as 8 and 9 bushels but it appears that the average yield will be between 15 and 20 bushels per acre for this area.

Grain is selling at around \$1.65 per bushel while the loan value for this county is only \$1.85 and much of the storage is already overflowing; therefore, it is understood that a large portion of the wheat is being sold at current market prices.

GIRLS SCOUTS DISCUSS PLANS

Girl Scout Troop No. 18 met in the club room Tuesday, June 21. The president, Waunetta Burgess presided over the meeting.

After the minutes were read and approved the girls discussed the encampment to take place the latter part of July.

The troop then did needle work the remainder of the meeting. An announcement was made concerning a Weiner roast one of the mothers is giving Friday night for the troop.

The troop repeated the Girl Scout promise and the meeting was adjourned.

Preceding the troop meeting the troop committee composed of five mothers, Mrs. Maurice Burgess, Mrs. Paul Green, Mrs. Buster Black, Mrs. Bill Owens and Mrs. Coy Revisius met with the leader, Mrs. Carroll Pettit and Assistant leaders, Mrs. W. A. Goad, Jr., Mrs. Roy Ford, and Miss Vandell Starkey to discuss troop plans.

An announcement will be made later concerning a Girl Scout cookie sale. The encampment which is to be held at Camp Sullivan at Lefors, supervised by Mrs. Jean Thornton, Girl Scout advisor of the Pampa office, was also discussed.

Mrs. Thornton will be in Wheeler June 29 to conduct an outdoor camping course for the leaders and troop committee women. At a later date she will return to conduct a Girl Scout Leadership course.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sivage of Hayes, South Dakota are visiting in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Sivage.

'BUCK' WHEAT IS NEW AGENT

The Wheeler County Agents' office announced this week that Ralph (Buck) Wheat, June graduate of Texas A. & M. College has assumed the duties of Assistant County Agricultural Agent.

Mr. Wheat has a good agricultural background. His father has a small herd of Hereford cattle in Eastland County, where Buck grew up. Buck has six years of 4-H Club work and two years Vocational Agriculture. He had beef cattle projects, dairy cattle, swine, and poultry projects while in high school, winning many first place ribbons and grand champion rosettes in his local county shows, the district shows at Abilene, and at the Dallas Fair.

Buck lived in a rural neighborhood and worked on the farm during his school days, and after graduation from high school at Morton Valley, Eastland County, he entered Texas A. & M. College, where he majored in Animal Husbandry. He won the sophomore judging contest at A. & M. in 1947, and was on the Junior and Senior Livestock judging teams, as well as on the Senior Meats judging team.

Among other talents, Mr. Wheat has a good singing voice. He was in the Texas A. & M. Cadet Glee Club 4 years, singing the lead in several Glee Club numbers. Buck is also a basketball player, and won in his weight division in boxing and wrestling at Texas A. & M. College.

Mr. Wheat has already met many 4-H Club boys and their fathers, and has already interested several boys in training for a livestock judging team to go to the various shows. Buck is also on the lookout for 4-H Club boys. (Continued on Last Page)

Had You Noticed These Improvements In The City Of Wheeler?

... \$7.25
... 6.00
... 4.50
... 4.00
... 3.75
... 5.00
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... 3.75
... 5.25
... 4.25

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stone which is located just south of the C. H. Starkey home on South Main Street.

Percy Farmer is building a large double garage and garage apartment on his property on South Main Street. Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Farmer are building a new 3-bedroom home way down on "silk stocken avenue". W. E. Bowen has just recently completed a two-unit apartment house and a single unit rent house on his property on Highway 83 in the north part of town.

C. J. Meek has just finished a new house in the southeast corner of his orchard in the west portion of the city. Clarence Robison and his son, Babe, have just completed a nice little bungalow in the west portion of town. Babe Robison and his family are occupying the new edifice.

Dr. V. N. Hall is constructing a new rent house on his property on Highway 83 in the south portion of the city. Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Young have moved a house on the rear of Mrs. Young's

parent's property in the east portion of town. The Youngs have remodeled and redecorated the house and are now making it their home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Forrester have built their beautiful new rock veneer home just north of the Guaranty Title and Abstract Building. The home faces west on North Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crump have built a neatly arranged garage apartment which they are occupying until they get around to building a new home. The Crump's property is located between the Amos May home and Mrs. C. N. Wofford's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weatherly have built a picturesque little cottage in the east portion of town on the north corner of the same block on which the C. R. Weatherly home is located. Royce Daves, service man for the Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, has moved a house on the northwest corner of the same block on which Weatherly's new home is located. The Daves have improved the house

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THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1949

Editorial

**FBI FORECASTS
STEADY BUSINESS**

The Federal Reserve Bank issues an optimistic report on future business. It finds a market for most of the things that enter into our colossal domestic commerce. There may be an easing off of prices, it predicts, but there will be no abrupt drop. Americans will be 100 percent hopeful that the FBI is right. And probably they will be justified in their hopes. There is really no reason why the country should not pull through the postwar adjustment without a severe depression.

But if we do it will be necessary for the people to come around to some common-sense thinking in some important matters of public, as well as private, finance. There is not much point in the government's endeavoring to control private credit to steady the economic situation when it can not control its own credit. That has not controlled its own credit is evidenced by a survey through recent years of successive budget plans as compared with successive government budget development. With the exception of the deepest depression years and the war period, there has been confident official prediction of a balanced budget every year since the red ink began to flow—eighteen years ago.

There are two kinds of management of the national economy by the political government. One is intentional; the other unintentional. The actions of government in recent years have had a terrific effect upon our national economy in ways that are not understood by the people. Usually, they are not understood by Congress or the executive branch of government. As a result, no wonder that President Truman, in a space of five months, completely reversed himself in his assumptions as to whether we are going to have inflation or deflation.

Government can greatly aid the economy of the country by taking two steps. First, it should learn to run its own business in a businesslike manner. (The states, including Texas, could help a lot by doing the same thing.) Second, the government should get back to negative regulation of the national economy. By this is meant regulation aimed at the elimination of bad business practices under free competitive system. Until the government does this there is not much point in surveying the national economy as it exists outside of government influence.

—From The Dallas Morning News

Church Calendar

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
W.M.U., Tuesday 2:30 p. m.
Prayer Service, Wed. 8:00 p. m.
Teacher's Meet., Tues. 8:00 p. m.
We preach Christ crucified,
buried, risen, and coming again.
M. B. SMITH, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Classes 10:00 a. m.
Worship and Sermon 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
Ladies Bible Class, Mon. 3:00 p. m.
Wed. Eve. Classes 8:00 p. m.
B. M. LITTON, Minister

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Mobeetie, Texas

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship 11:00 a. m.
Junior Church 7:30 p. m.
Evangelistic Service 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Tues. 8:00 p. m.
Young Peoples Ser.
Thursday 8:00 p. m.
GLENN H. LESTER, Pastor

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Church School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 8:00 P. M.
Prayer Meeting (Wed.) 8:00 P. M.
Church Night - First Wednesday
Methodist Men, 2nd & 4th Thurs.
S. Y. ALLGOOD, Pastor.

BRISCOE BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
First and Third Sundays.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.
Wednesdays, following First
and Third Sunday preaching
services.
WMU each First and Third Mon-
days at 2:00 p. m.
Each and everyone is cordially
invited to attend each service.
JAMES E. WILLEFORD, Pastor

TWITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service 8:00 p. m.
NELSE D. WRIGHT, Pastor

KELTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School each Sunday at
10:00 a. m.
T. U. each Sunday at 7:30 p. m.
Preaching each Sunday at 11:00
a. m. and 8:30 p. m.
A. G. ROBERTS, Pastor

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Worship 11 a. m.
N.Y.P.S. 7:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:15 p. m.
J. D. ROEDLER, Pastor

ALLISON PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship 11:00 a. m.
Young Folks Service - 7:30 p. m.
Worship 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday Night Prayer
Meeting 8:00 p. m.
REV. ROBERT ESTES, Pastor

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Mobeetie, Texas

Church School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
M. G. F. Meeting 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Evening Prayer
Service 7:30 p. m.
You Are Welcome.
VERNON E. WILLARD, Pastor

BRISCOE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School Each
Sunday 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, second and fourth Sun-
days - 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
A hearty welcome to all.
L. J. HELM, Pastor

ALLISON METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School Each
Sunday 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, first and third Sun-
days - 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
A warm welcome to all.
L. J. HELM, Pastor

ALLISON BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Service 8:30 p. m.
JAMES E. WILLEFORD, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Mobeetie, Texas

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 8:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 8:00 p. m.

**Mealtime
Marvels**



QUICK COFFEE CAKE
A bright, cheery breakfast is just the thing to chase early morning blues. Breakfast should not be a "skipped on" meal because it must provide a generous supply of food energy for the morning's activities. Appetites will perk up at the sight of this tasty cake that adds interest to a routine breakfast. Try

Quick Coffee Cake
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 cup sugar
1 egg
1/4 cup milk
1/3 cup pecans or other nut meats
1/3 cup melted fortified margarine
1 tablespoon grated orange rind

Sift the flour, measure. Sift the flour with baking powder, salt, cinnamon, and sugar. Beat the egg, milk, melted margarine, and orange rind. Mix the dry ingredients and the other ingredients. Place in a margarine baking pan. Sprinkle with desired nut topping. Bake in a hot oven (400° to 450° F.) for 20 to 30 minutes.

You can vary toppings in many different tempting ways. Here are two that are especially good:

Apricot Topping
Mix 1 tablespoon melted margarine, 1 tablespoon flour, and 4 tablespoons sugar. Spread on top of coffee cake. Place apricot halves on top.

Streusel Topping
Cream 4 tablespoons margarine and 4 tablespoons sugar together until light and fluffy; add 1 cup dry bread or cake crumbs and 1 teaspoon cinnamon. Mix to texture of coarse crumbs and sprinkle over butter before baking.

For other nutritious and flavor-rich recipes, send today for your free copy of "Mealtime Marvels with Margarine," a new, two-color, 32-page recipe booklet. Write National Cotton Council, Box 76, Memphis, Tenn.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Wheeler County, Texas will receive bids on the following described road machinery, to-wit:

One (1) All Wheel Drive and Steer Power Grader equipped with 76 HP diesel engine at 1100 RPM, hydraulic controls throughout, 6 speeds forward 2 reverse, electric starter, high lift 13" blade, hydraulic brakes, 14.00 x 20 14 ply rating tires, 2" L. H. and R. H. blade extensions, enclosed cab, drawbar and heater delivered at Shamrock, Texas and take in trade one used Adams Model 312 diesel tandem drive motor grader.

Contract to be made by the Commissioners' Court of Wheeler County, Texas for the purchase of such machinery on the 11th day of July 1949. Bids on same may be delivered to the County Judge of Wheeler County on or before 10:00 A. M. July 11, 1949. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to cancel any and all bids.

G. W. HEFLEY, County Judge
Wheeler, County, Texas 27-tc.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF TEXAS

Known heirs, devisees and representatives of E. A. JOHN WHORTON, ROSA FRANCES NANCE, and husband, JAMES ARTHUR WHORTON, deceased, GREETINGS:

Commanded to appear before plaintiff's petition at 10 o'clock A. M. on the 10th day after the expiration of the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being the 1st day of August at 10 o'clock A. M., the Honorable District

Court of Wheeler County, Texas, at the court house in Wheeler, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 19th day of May 1949, and being Numbered 4015 on the Docket of said Court.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

J. R. Clark, plaintiff and T. P. Johnson, W. J. Price, H. H. Price, Leonard Waddell, Ben Franklin Whorton, John Tom Whorton, Nettie Mildred Whorton, a feme sole, Sarah Elizabeth Phipps, and husband T. H. Phipps, Charlie Washington Whorton, Lula Mae Hawkins, and husband, M. M. Hawkins, and the unknown heirs, devisees, and legal representatives of E. A. Price, deceased; John Whorton, deceased; Rosa Frances Nance, and husband, Paul Nance, deceased, and James Arthur Whorton,

deceased, are defendants.

The nature of plaintiff's suit is in trespass to try title to the following described tract of land lying in Wheeler County, Texas, and being all of the North Half of Section No. 31, Block A-9 of the H&GN RR Co. surveys, containing 320 acres more or less.

Plaintiff pleads title to said lands, against all said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives, and in support of his title, plaintiff pleads the three, five and ten year statutes of limitations.

Prayer is for title and possession of lands against all said defendants, and that title be quieted in name of plaintiff.

Issued this 17 day of June 1949 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at Office in the City of Wheeler, Texas, this 17

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



TINY INSECTS DAMAGE GRAIN

Those tiny insects in your grain bin may be small, but they do a tremendous lot of damage to stored grain. That's the word from the USDA-Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine.

The first place to start getting rid of them is right inside the bin itself. By doing a good job of bin cleaning, and afterward spraying with 5 percent DDT before the newly harvested grain is put in, you can go a long way toward killing out the hold-over infestation. Also, you're giving the new grain a chance to escape damage.

Dr. H. G. Johnston, head of the Texas A. and M. College department of entomology, says these tiny insects get one out of every eight bushels of farm stored grain in Texas. Missouri loses one bushel in ten, according to 1948 figures. But in that same year, the

national loss average to insects was one in twenty. So Texas is practically at the top of the "high loss" list.

Entomologists point out that grain losses can be lowered quite a bit by harvesting the grain as soon as it's dry enough for safe storage and by storing it in weather-tight bins that have been made insect free by a thorough cleaning and spraying.

Then, after you've got all the grain in storage, check it now and see if the bugs are getting into it. If they are, fumigate with a mixture of ethylene dichloride and carbon tetrachloride at the rate of 3 to 6 gallons per 1,000 bushels, depending on how tight the storage bin is, Dr. Johnston says.

Stored grain insects take 300 million bushels of the nation's total production every year. That much grain is worth a lot of today's prices. So Texas has a long way to go in cutting down her share of the 300 million bushels the insects get, he concludes.

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TOP O' TEXAS RODEO DATE SET

Cowboys and Cowgirls in the "Top o' Texas" area are shining up their boots and getting their horses in trim for the colorful Top o' Texas Rodeo and Horse Show which will be held in Pampa, August 3-4-5 and 6. All rodeo performances will be held at night in the Association's newly decorated arena.

\$5,000.00 in cash prizes will be at stake when cowboys and cowgirls from Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico will be vying for honors. This year's show as in the past is an all amateur performance bringing together real cowboys and cowgirls of the "Top o' Texas" area.

The very colorful Hardin-Simmons University Cowboy Band of Abilene, Texas, which has become a vital part of the Top o' Texas Show, will return to furnish music for all rodeo performances.

An official American Quarter Horse Show will be held on August 3-4 and 5 with the judging to take place on August 4th at 10:00 p. m. A Palomino Show will also be carried in connection with the five-day fiesta with judging to take place August 3rd at 1:00

p. m.

As an added attraction appealing to young cowboys and cowgirls from 5 to 16 years of age, the Kid Pony miniature rodeo will be held on Tuesday night, August 2nd, prior to the big show on Wednesday. Leo M. Fry is Chairman of the Kid Pony Show and miniature rodeo and an entry list of 250 boys and girls is expected from a wide area.

Outstanding added attractions are now being arranged for, including Buddy Heaton, Hugoton, Kansas, who will return for his second year as rodeo clown. O. W. Hampton, Chairman of the Special Attractions Committee, is lining up some of the best special attractions to be found in the southwest.

Local hotels are already taking reservations for Pampa's biggest party of the year.

A three-day booster trip headed by L. G. Langston will visit all neighboring towns within a radius of 100 miles from Pampa, July 26-28 and 30.

An outstanding array of entertainment is being arranged for to insure an outstanding show in connection with the booster trip. The Rotary, Lions and Kiwanis Clubs and Chamber of Commerce are co-operating with the rodeo in sponsoring these booster trips.

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Society

Wylene Davis Is Of Roy C. Lee

Single-ring ceremony Tuesday afternoon, June 14, Miss Wylene Davis became the bride of Roy C. Lee in the Methodist church in Wheeler. The Rev. Eger officiated. Joy Davis attended her bridesmaid. She wore a long-length dress and a crown of red roses. M. Hathaway, brother-in-law of the groom, was best man. J. M. Hathaway was a member of the wedding. The bride was attired in a white dress and matching pink carnations were pinned to her corsage and a strand of pink pearls around a white Bible. The couple left immediately for the wedding for a short honeymoon in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Lee is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis of Mobeetie. She is employed at the Mobeetie Drug Store.

Mr. Lee is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lee of Mobeetie and is engaged in farming.

MYF In Sub-District Meet At Kelton Thurs.

The Coll-Wheel Sub-District M. Y. F. met at the Kelton Methodist Church Thursday night. A business meeting was held with Doyle Brown of Shamrock presiding. A devotional program was given by the Kelton MYF. After the recreation refreshments were served to members of the following churches: Shamrock, Lela, Kelton, Wheeler and Wellington.

The next Sub-District meeting will be in Wheeler sometime in August.

Mrs. Clara F. Knight has been visiting in the home of her father, A. Finsterwald, this past week. Sunday Mrs. Knight went to Houston to visit with her sister Mrs. Eugene H. Dobbs.

Lt. and Mrs. J. M. T. Wallace and daughter, Ann, of New Cumberland, Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Farrell Wallace and daughter, Linda Wave, of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Meek of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Overall were visitors in the C. C. Wallace home last week for a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carrick and daughter, Ladine, visited relatives in Odessa over the weekend.

Harold and Palmer Sivage and Misses Joyce and Dorothy Clark took Mrs. C. L. Lewis to Odessa Saturday. They returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McCarroll and son of Hayes, South Dakota are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and Mr. and Mrs. John McCarroll.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Puckett and Tony of Clinton, Oklahoma were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Puckett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Maloy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wofford

and daughter, Jane Dee, and Elen Wofford returned Sunday from Plainville, Kansas. They have been visiting Mrs. Wofford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hard since Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pennington, Jr. and daughter, Janet, of Memphis, Tennessee have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pennington. They will spend a few days with Mrs. Pennington's parents and then return to Memphis.

Miss Wanda Topper returned home Sunday from a three weeks

visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. O. L. Maxwell of Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Topper spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Grayson in Sunray.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hubbard and son of Canyon visited friends and relatives in Wheeler over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene H. Dobbs of Houston are the proud parents of a baby girl born Friday. Mrs. Dobbs is the daughter of A. Finsterwald of Mobeetie.

The following people enjoyed Sunday dinner in the Olen Maxwell home in Phillips: Mr. and Mrs. George Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Topper, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Topper and children, Wanda Topper, and John Topper of Wheeler. Miss Betty Robertson of Skellytown, Miss Reta Faye Aderholt of Allison, and Mrs. Bobby Joe Grayson of Sunray.

Albert Scribner of Holly, Colorado visited Mrs. Cora Teakell last Friday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leo Moore and two sons of Dalhart were Wheeler visitors over the weekend.

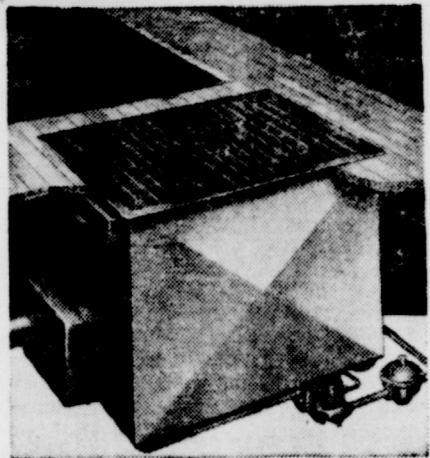
Richard Jackson came home from Camp Hood Thursday. Richard is stationed at Camp Hood and is home on a fourteen-day furlough.

The best time to cut hay to get the most out of it is before it is mature and has become coarse and stemmy. For instance, sudan and johnsongrass are most nutritious if cut as soon as the first seed heads begin to form.

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Recipe of the Week

BY MARY LEE TAYLOR

Frozen Fruit Salad

Broadcast: June 25, 1949

1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup white sugar
1/2 cup fruit cocktail
1/2 cup lemon juice
1/2 cup cream
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup lemon juice

Milk until ice cold. Put cheese bowl. Stir in salad dressing and mix until smooth. Fold in fruit salad. Whip chilled milk with cold cream until fluffy. Add lemon juice and whip until stiff. Fold into fruit salad. Freeze without stirring in plastic refrigerator tray at coldest temperature, or in a mold buried in a pure of 3 parts crushed ice to 1 part cream salt. Makes 4 servings.

Use canned peaches, pears or apples can be used. Fresh peaches, pineapple, bananas or a mixture of these fruits can be used if sweetened with 2 tablespoons sugar.

You Will Need:

3 tall cans

MILK 35c

CANNED FRUIT No. 2 1/2 can

COCKTAIL 35c

SAFETY SALAD Pint

DRESSING 32c

FRESH FROZEN

STRAWBERRIES .. 53c

FRESH

ANTHOUPELS .. 33c

EGG HEADS

SAUCE 10c

1/2 Long White

POTATOES 55c

COLD

WATERMELONS .. 3c

CALIFORNIA

CARROTS 12c

FRESH

WATERMELON 29c

FRESH

ROUND BEEF

Pound 39c

ROAST

Pound 49c

ROAST

Pound 69c

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PURASNOW FLOUR		\$1.63
DEL MONTE	2 No. 2 Cans	
SPINACH		25c
DORMAN	2 No. 2 Cans	
BLACKEYED PEAS		25c
BRIMFULL	2 No. 2 Cans	
GREEN PEAS		35c
PURE—UNSWEETENED	5 1/2-oz. Can	
LEMON JUICE		6c
PETER-PAN	12-oz. Jar	
PEANUT BUTTER		33c
DEL MONTE	No. 2 1/2 Can	
SLICED PEACHES		29c
SPAM OR TREET	12-oz. Can	43c

CAL CAP	2 tall cans	
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LEGAL NOTICE

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 38

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Texas by adding to Article XVI thereof a new Section to be numbered 63 and authorizing the Legislature to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the several counties of this State; Providing that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and authorized by the qualified voters of such county; and providing that administration of said system may be committed to the same body set up to administer the statewide municipal retirement system authorized under Section 51 of Article III.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section, to be numbered Section 63, which shall read as follows:

"Section 63. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the counties of this State under such a plan and program as the

Legislature shall authorize; provided that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and shall first be authorized by vote of the qualified voters of such county. Administration of such system may be committed to the same body as may be set up to administer the municipal retirement system provided for by Section 51 of Article III."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout this State on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949; and at said election the ballots shall have printed thereon the words "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees." and "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pension for appointive county officials and employees." Each voter shall strike out one of said clauses on his ballot, leaving the one unmarked which expresses his vote upon the proposed amendment.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the foregoing proposed amendment published as required by the Constitution for proposed amendments

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thereto.

Section 4. If at said election a majority of the votes cast are "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees," the foregoing proposed amendment shall become Section 63 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, and proclamation shall be made by the Governor thereof.

Section 5. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such proclamation, notice and election.

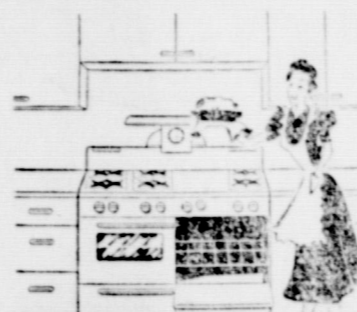
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 36

proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature of the State of Texas to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts; providing for the Governor's proclamation and submission to the electorate.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said Article a new Section to be designated as Section 60, reading as follows:

"Section 60. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide by law for the establishment and creation of hospital districts in the counties of this State under such



KITCHEN MEMO BY JEAN CLARKE

Only one half-pound of inexpensive meat serves four people an a-t-r-e-t-h-e-s food dollars when you make American Chop Suet. Melt 1 tbsp fat in large skillet or Dutch oven. Add 1 medium chopped onion Fry until onion is yellow. Cube 1 lb lean fresh pork shoulder and brown. Add 1 cup diced celery, 1/2 diced green pepper, 1/2 lb. mushy rooms (optional), 1/2 cup uncooked rice, 1 tsp salt. Dissolve 2 bouillon cubes in 2 1/2 cups boiling water and pour over mixture. Cover closely and bring to a boil. As soon as steam escapes from cover, turn flame down to simmer point and cook 37 to 40 mins.

Try flavoring salad dressing for fruit salad with peanut butter. Blend 1/2 cup peanut butter with 1/2 cup dressing.

One of the causes of coarse cake texture is baking in too slow an oven. The thermostat of your gas oven can be set to the exact degree of heat needed to overcome this baking problem.

Youngsters won't object to castor oil when it is stored in your gas refrigerator in a wide-mouthed jar until it's gummy to make it tasteless. Then just add to ice cold orange juice.

Research by the gas industry reveals that women can save much cleaning effort by using hotter water. It's easy to govern exact temperatures by turning up the thermostat on your automatic gas water heater to 150° F., for example, for mopping dirty floors.

conditions as the Legislature may fix by law, and to provide for the support of said districts by a tax on the ad valorem properties situated in said counties; providing, however, that before any such district shall be created it shall be approved by a vote of the people in said district."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electorate of the State at an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon (or in counties using voting machines the said machines shall provide for) the following:

"FOR The Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts;" and "AGAINST The Amendment to

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the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment, and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

WHAT DID THE COP DO THEN

One morning when an undertaker came to work, he found a dead donkey lying in front of his place of business. Not knowing what to do with same, he went and asked the cop on the beat. "Bury it, you dope," says the officer, "you're an undertaker, ain't you?"

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HAPPENED IN HEAVEN

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hole in one. St. Paul, undaunted, repeated the performance. St. Peter marked the scores down dutifully on his card, then remarked:

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THE HARD WAY

Mary, age five, was facing a

minor surgical operation, mother told her: "Be a little girl, and mama will get a nice kitten."

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LEGAL NOTICE

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 22

Proposing an Amendment to Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide for the holding of District Court when the Judge thereof is absent, or is from any cause disabled or disqualified from presiding.

"The District Judges who may be in office when this Amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire upon this present election or appointment."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on September 24, 1949, at which time all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing that the District Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law;" and

"Against the Constitutional Amendment providing that the District Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State. 28-4tc.

make such provisions concerning the terms or sessions of each Court as it may deem necessary.

"The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District Court when the Judge thereof is absent, or is from any cause disabled or disqualified from presiding."

"The District Judges who may be in office when this Amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire upon this present election or appointment."

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Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State. 28-4tc.

Section 1. That Article 1 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding another Section thereto following Section 15, to be designated Section 15-a, to read as follows:

"Section 15-a. The Legislature shall have the authority to enact all laws necessary to provide for the trial, adjudication of insanity and commitment of persons of unsound mind and to provide for a method of appeal from judgments rendered in such cases. Such laws may provide for waiver of trial by jury in cases where the person under inquiry has not been charged with the commission of a criminal offense, and shall provide for a method of service of notice of such trial upon the person under inquiry and of his right to demand a trial by jury."

Section 2. That the foregoing Constitutional Amendment be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in September, A. D. 1949, at which election all ballots shall be printed thereon:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that the Legislature may provide for trials without a jury in lunacy cases" and

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that the Legislature may provide for trials without a jury in lunacy cases." Each voter shall scratch out one (1) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one (1) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Texas Veterans Free To Select Privately Owned Land Tract For Farm or Ranch Home

By BASCOM GILES
Commissioner of the General Land Office
(Editor's Note: Second of a series of articles on the Veterans' Land Program.)

The recently enacted legislation implementing the Texas Veterans' Land Board will be the means of making the dream of thousands of Texas Veterans for a farm or ranch home of their very own, come true.

One of the most attractive features of this bill is that section which permits a veteran to personally select a tract of land suitable for agriculture or grazing held under private ownership in any sector of the State. It might be owned by kinsmen or by a corporation—it matters not to the Board. What will matter to the Board will be that the veteran feels reasonably sure that it will serve his purpose and needs; that it must have at least half of the mineral rights unencumbered and that the land is worth the asking price.

After the veteran has made his selection his next step will be to furnish the Board with a complete abstract and description of the property so that it may be appraised. At the same time he files his application with the Board, he will pay to the Board his initial down payment of NOT less than five per cent of the total purchase price. In the event the application is rejected the veteran's money will be refunded and he will be free to make another selection.

After the Board has appraised the land and approved the application for the loan for the balance, the applicant will be required to execute an on or before note for forty years at three per cent interest for the balance. After receiving his contract of sale he will be entitled to take possession.

EDITOR'S NOTE: (In the next issue Commissioner Giles will tell of the eligibility requirements for qualification for a farm or ranch home loan and the protection provided the veteran under the legislation.)

Operation of this part of the veteran purchase plan will eliminate the necessity for migration of veterans from one part of the State to another as a majority of the purchasers will select land adjacent to their homes where they are already familiar with production conditions. This factor will serve to lessen chances of failure.

Under the provisions of this section a veteran may purchase a tract of land up to \$10,000.00 but he will be required to tender the difference above the \$7,500.00 state finance maximum.

Another provision of the bill, sponsored by Senator John Bell and Representative Reuben Senferfitt, permits a veteran to purchase a tract of land owned by the State when such tracts are offered through duly advertised sales. The purchase will be made through sealed competitive bids with the award going to the highest bidder. To make the contract valid the minimum five per cent down payment will accompany the bid. Proper application forms will be furnished by the Board on request. Each veteran will be limited to one purchase. However, he will NOT be limited as to the maximum amount of land he may be able to purchase under the full loan of \$7,500.00.

The term "state owned land" does NOT include Public School Land but will include land acquired by the State from other state or federal government agencies, or from individuals or corporations for the purpose of resale to Texas veterans, since the inception of this legislation.

Under the terms of the bill, veterans with combat connected disabilities will have a 90 day priority in financing, during which time non-disabled veterans applications will be held in abeyance.

Copperas and Sulphur Are Good For Shrubs

If your green-leaved shrubs have turned yellow about this time of year, give them a little tonic—tonic in the form of a quart or a half a pound of copperas and one pound of sulphur for every large shrub or small tree.

That's the advice of Sadie Hatfield, extension landscape gardening specialist of Texas A. and M. College. This copperas-sulphur tonic will turn the leaves green again, like they should be. Fertilizers mixed with the soil at the same time also help prevent further yellowing of leaves.

Here's something else that will help keep the plants going this summer. Spread a vegetable mulch around the shrubs to keep the roots from drying out when the summer temperatures soar. Mulch holds moisture in the soil, making it available to plant roots, Miss Hatfield says. The mulch, spread over several square feet several inches thick, will gradually work itself into the ground.

Compost, grass cuttings, straw, or any kind of decaying plant material are all good, Miss Hatfield says. Grass cuttings furnish nitrogen and other plant foods. They also make the soil acid, making iron more available for plant use. This helps the leaves stay green, she concludes.

Mow pastures to control weeds and to keep the grass tender and growing over a longer period of time. This will keep your subgrasses pasture tender and growing.

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'Buck' Wheat

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who would like to sing in 4-H quartets or in a county-wide 4-H Glee Club.

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- ALCOHOL PUBLIC ENEMY NO. 1—NOTICE!**

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state to help us impress in their minds that it is the girls 14 and above that get all the trips, help us keep the girls interested.

Thursday morning, a group of happy and enlightened boys and girls boarded their buses and started for home.

All county and home agents in the state of Texas were guests at the 4-H Round-Up and remained the rest of the week for a State Agents meeting.

The two Wheeler County agents and their assistants were all in attendance at the Round-Up and State Agent's meeting Mrs. Emma

Hastings and Miss Genevieve representing the Home Demonstration office and Mrs. Frey and Ralph "Buck" Wheat representing the Agricultural agent's office.

Mrs. Terrell Gunter and Cora Teakell and two girls visited with relatives in Woodward Sunday of last week.

Mrs. Merle Norman and Reba Wofford visited in the home of Mrs. Norman's parents, Mrs. D. A. Hunt of Pampa Sunday.

WM. Barton Is

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Flower attendants will be: Glenna V. Hefley, Marjorie Fields, Mary Alice Weatherly, Edna Helen Farmer and Bonnie Clay.

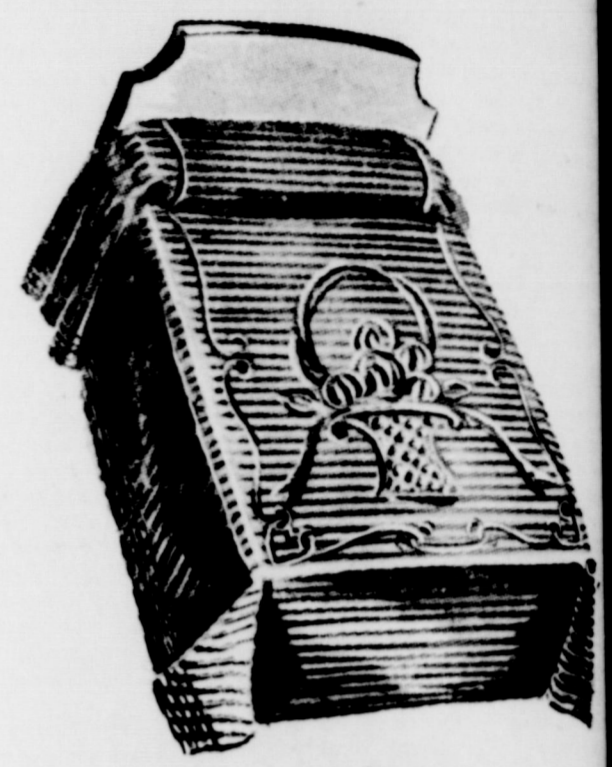
4-H Clubbers

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day the boys and girls divided into small groups and attended demonstrations on food, recreation, family life, poultry, home management, and landscape, given by the specialist of each field. That night Mrs. Hagerman attended a banquet for 4-H adult leaders. "The Green Promise" was shown at Guion Hall for the boys and girls.

The third day also started with breakfast at 6:15 and general assembly at 8:00. That morning the 4-H boys and girls who had attended national camps and congress, and made a trip to the Netherlands reported on their trips. A 4-H talent show was also produced by a number of the 4-H boys and girls who worked under the direction of Miss Brightwell, recreation specialist.

After lunch, the boys and girls were again divided to see the demonstrations they had missed the day before.

At 8:00 P. M. the dress review was held at Guion Hall with 126 contestants. All of the girls looked very nice, and were something every county should be proud of. The girls must be 14 years of age in order to enter this contest. Sometimes our girls think 4-H club work is just for the smaller girls, but I am pleading with you as citizens of your county and



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