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THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1949

### Editorial

#### AMERICAN TRAGEDY

The celebration of July 4 has become a  
tragedy, a tragedy not without shame and

disgrace. A fearful toll of life is no tribute  
to people who should be mindful of a rich  
heritage. There should be patriotic fervor,  
yes. But not a mad revelry ending in jail or  
the morgue.

The Motor Age is most to blame. Its  
blessings outweigh its disadvantages. But  
before we became a nation on wheels, the  
Fourth of July was a truly historic occasion.  
Everybody knocked off work and a patriotic  
picnic was arranged. The Declaration was  
read, the crowd alternately entertained, a-  
roused, bored and inspired by the incanta-  
tions of the town's most pyrotechnic orator.  
Unless somebody fell into the river after  
too much cider, there was seldom any  
tragedy. And surely there was more respect  
for the occasion.

Today the patriotic program is almost  
extinct. Occasionally little groups gather,  
pledge allegiance to the flag, hear thirty  
minutes of talk and go home. The great ma-  
jority who observe never give the meaning  
of the observance a thought. And everybody  
who ventures from the safety of his cottage  
does so at the risk of life and limb.

Texas leads in tragedies. That is not be-  
cause Texans are any wilder than Ohioans.  
It is because we are a mobile people down  
here. We have long stretches to travel. We  
have greater mileages of straight, paved  
roads which invite recklessness. The Depart-  
ment of Public Safety has had its hands full.  
Sheriffs' deputies and police are relieved the  
orgy is over. Our demeanor on a sacred day  
is not something of which we can be proud.

—From The Dallas Morning News

#### SPENDING

George Washington started in as Presi-  
dent in 1789, you remember. From that year  
on up to June 30, 1940, the United States  
Government spent \$167,000,000. Notice the  
dates. World War II is not included.

Now for another bracket of dates: From  
1946 to 1949, inclusive (four years), the  
United States Government spent \$177,000,  
000,000. It's billions both times, you notice.  
And again World War II is not included. We  
thought Roosevelt was a spender—and so he  
was. But Roosevelt had nothing to do with  
this \$177,000,000,000.

The Queer Deal, in other words, costs  
more in four years than the combined bud-  
gets of 1789-1940, with eight years of the  
New Deal thrown in. The totaling was done  
recently by the United States News, and that  
is what it shows.—The Dallas Morning News

The Wheeler Times Classifieds Get Results!

It's probably a good thing, after all, that  
some people can't see themselves as others  
see them.

### 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.  
E. M. LITTON, Minister

#### 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.  
DARRIS L. EGGER, Pastor

#### CHURCH OF GOD

Old Mobeetie  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a. m.  
Willing Workers ..... 2:30 p. m.  
Tuesday  
Young People's Service, 7:00 p. m.  
Saturday  
HEITIE TSCHIRHART, 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.  
W.M.U. 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. ..... 7:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting Wed. .... 8:00 p. m.  
MRS. 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.  
Presching 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.  
JAMES M. BRYANT, Pastor



NATIONAL PRESS BUILDING  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
By Anne Good

Don't be surprised if someday at the  
supermarket you hear a voice from the  
canned fruit section or the meat  
department for good buys. Grocers are  
finding the public address system a  
wonderful way to advertise special sales.

Vacation trip still to come? Put your  
luggage in A-1 condition by treating  
the leather with the oil of shinol. Wax  
shoe polish cleans, polishes and keeps  
it supple. Helps prevent scuffing, too.

When the fiber rug on your porch  
becomes faded from the summer sun,  
apply a coat of your favorite color  
house paint thinned with turpentine.  
(1 part turpentine to 3 parts paint).  
"New rug," they'll ask.

Looks like everyone will be having  
nickies for Thanksgiving this year.  
That kind of birds will be so plentiful  
experts believe the price won't rise as  
the holiday nears. Tumbling feed  
prices is the reason.

For those picnics where each person  
makes his own sandwiches, pack  
a ham and cheese sandwich in a glass jar  
for easy carrying. Even on the hottest  
days it doesn't become runny and look  
unappetizing.

In his new school suit this fall your  
young son will look like something out  
of a wild west show. Manufacturers say  
60% of the small boys' apparel will  
have a mild western flavor with a lot  
of fringe, stanted pockets and a slightly  
different cut. Very few tops and tan  
galton hats, however.

#### 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.  
GLEN H. LESTER, Pastor

#### KELTON METHODIST CHURCH

Church School ..... 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m. every third  
Sunday.  
MYF, WSCS and Bible Study  
7:30 p. m.  
Preaching 7:30 p. m. every third  
Sunday.  
H. E. LONG, Pastor

#### QUIET!

"I want a shave," said the dis-  
gruntled Sergeant as he climbed  
into the barber's chair. "No hair-  
cut, no shampoo, no rum, witch-  
hazel, hair tonic, hot towels or  
face-massage. I don't want the  
manicurist to hold my hand, nor  
the bootlicker to handle my feet.  
I don't want to be brushed off,  
and I'll put on my coat myself. I  
just want a plain shave, with no  
trimmings. Understand, that?"  
"Yes, sir," said the barber quiet-  
ly.  
"Lather, sir?"

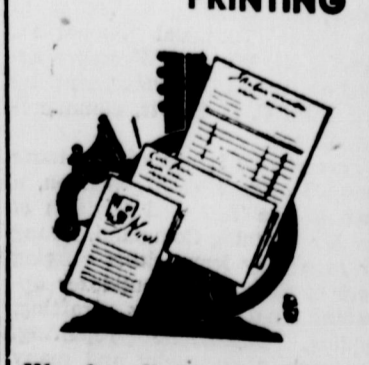
#### THE REASON

Her'n—What makes that artist  
talk so funny?  
His'n—Why, don't you see? He  
hasn't got any palette.

#### SEE?

His'n—My wife's being featured  
this week.  
Sern't—Oh, not really. You don't  
mean in the movies?

#### FINE PRINTING



We do all kinds of print  
ing; we don't specialize in  
any form, but we do spec-  
ialize in fine work. The fin-  
ished job is perfect in de-  
tail and layout. We try to  
have our customers really  
satisfied.

PHONE 35  
For Free Estimates

THE  
WHEELER TIMES

No. At the beauty dealer's.  
ENCOURAGING ART  
"Are you going to clean out the  
movies?"  
"No, Sir," answered Catus Joe,  
"when the actors are only photo-  
graphs we know they're not going  
to jump any board bills."

HEARD IN THE  
Small Boy—I want a  
Druggist—What kind  
broom?  
Small Boy—The kind  
sweeps his hair with.  
Be Bright at Night,  
Your Lights!

Phillips 66 PHILLIPS COUNTY  
IS  
Vacation  
Country

Have fun  
with your car  
this Summer

From Greenville, Ohio, to  
Yakima, Washington, more  
than 14,000 Phillips 66  
Dealers are ready to help you  
with maps, road information  
and all the services your car  
needs on your vacation trips.

For happy, pleasant travel,  
use Phillips 66 Gasoline. Re-  
member it's controlled for fast  
pick-up, easy starts, smooth  
power, wherever you drive,  
at every season of the year!

Whether you go to the  
mountains or to the lake  
country—or just for a drive  
to the golf course, you can  
depend on Phillips 66 Gasoline to give the kind  
of performance that makes  
your car fun to drive!

LET US SHOW YOU WHY  
the 49  
CROSLEY'S got the WOMAN'S ANGLE

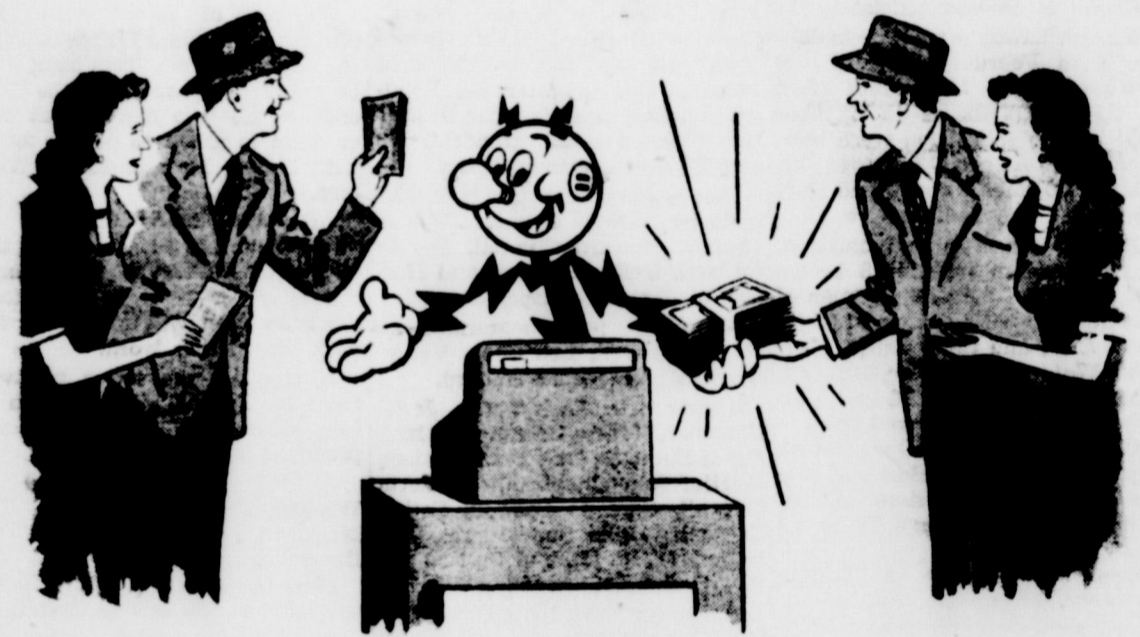
Twice as much food where you want it.  
IN FRONT  
IN SIGHT  
IN REACH

Model 400  
\$229  
All with the Standard  
Easy Open 4 doors

IMAGINE! Up to 12 more  
feet of "front-row" space,  
thanks to the marvelous  
Shevador, an exclusive  
Crosley feature. Come in  
and see the many, many  
conveniences—the beauty  
—the style—of these  
quality-built Crosley re-  
frigerators. Today!

CROSLEY  
SHEVADOR

Leonard Electric  
Mobeetie, Texas



### Stay at Home Money

THERE'S AN OLD THEORY that money kept at home is idle money.

That's not the case with your Public Service Company. A great  
deal of our "stay at home money" actually stays in the area we serve  
in the form of wages, rents, local and school taxes, dividends to stock-  
holders and purchases from local businessmen.

It's as simple as this: the money we receive from our customers  
is put back to work for the progress and prosperity of everyone in  
the Panhandle-Plains-Pecos Valley area.

Free enterprise and sound business-management go hand in hand  
to bring better living . . . electrically . . . from your Public Service  
Company.

SOUTHWESTERN  
**PUBLIC SERVICE**  
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24 YEARS OF GOOD CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC SERVICE

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**WORKING ON ONE**  
to little girl who had

been sent to the hen house for  
eggs): "Well, dear, were there no  
eggs?"  
Little Girl: "No, mummie, only  
the one the hen uses for a pat-  
tern."  
Heat and age are two enemies  
of egg quality. Either of them is  
bad on the egg; but when both  
are combined, the destruction of  
egg quality is rapid.

**HEAT MIGHT  
OVERCOME HOGS**

"The good old summertime"  
often means a bad time for the  
hogs. June is the month hogs may  
become so overcome with the heat  
they die, even though the tempera-  
ture climbs higher in July and  
August.

Apparently the hogs become ad-  
justed to the heat during the  
latter part of the summer, says  
E. M. Regenbrecht, extension  
swine husbandman of Texas A. and  
M. College. Now is the time to  
watch your hogs to make sure  
they have plenty of cool shade,  
lots of drinking water and, if  
possible, a sanitary hog wallow.

It's better to handle the hogs  
on dry ground in the summertime,  
rather than allow them to lie in an  
old mud hole constantly. A con-  
crete hog wallow, he says, is  
better than the mud hole. The  
wallow should be constructed out  
in the sun, but very near the  
shade. There's a reason for this.  
This way, a small wallow will take  
care of a large number of hogs.  
With the wallow out in the sun,  
the hogs will get wet in it, then  
go immediately to the shade and  
lie down. A breeze will keep them  
cool until they dry off.

On the other hand, if your hog  
wallow is in the shade, you'll find  
the hogs will stay in the pool all  
the time. As many hogs as possi-  
ble will pile in, crowding out  
some that may become overheated.  
It's not good for hogs to stay  
in the pool all the time, Regen-  
brecht concludes. So, the arrange-  
ment of the wallow in the sun  
near the shade will give all the  
hogs a chance to keep cool.

Do not go out of doors or re-  
main out during thunderstorms  
unless it's necessary. If there's any  
choice of shelter to get under, the  
Farm Division of the National  
Safety Council, suggests choosing  
the following shelter in the order  
named: large metal frame build-  
ing, lightning protected building,  
large unprotected building, or a  
small unprotected building.

**CULINARY ARTIST MAKES 'MEALTIME MARVELS'**



A pretty homemaker who knows her culinary artistry adds the finish-  
ing touch to piping hot cinnamon rolls by spreading them with rich,  
creamy margarine. She finds the new margarine recipe booklet, "Meal-  
time Marvels," a handy aid in planning tempting, nutritious dishes that  
are easy to prepare. Today this newspaper introduces a series of recipe  
"marvels" adapted from the new margarine recipe booklet.

**Many Drinking Glasses  
Are Broken in Summer**

Summer months call for heavy  
use of glassware for cool drinks  
and chilled desserts. The glassware  
casualty list is likely to be heavy  
before the summer is over.

Sudden changes in temperature  
are responsible for the untimely  
end of much glassware. Mrs. Ber-  
nice Claytor, extension home man-  
agement specialist of Texas A. and  
M. College, points out. That is why  
hot water should not be poured  
over glass in washing or rinsing,  
but instead, the glass should be  
laid gently into the water.

"Glass should not go directly  
from the refrigerator to warm  
dishwater; neither should jars of  
food, hot from the canner, stand  
in a breeze to cool," Mrs. Claytor  
said. "Glass expands with heat,  
contracts with cold; if forced to  
do either too suddenly, it often  
cracks or breaks."

She suggests that in making  
iced tea or coffee in glass, pour  
the hot beverage slowly onto the  
ice rather than against the glass,

or more safely—make the beverage  
in a china or pottery pitcher  
and then pour into the glasses.

To save glass from taking a  
rap in dishwashing, there are cir-  
cular rubber gadgets which fit  
over the end of faucets; rubber  
mats for the bottom of the sink  
or dishpan, or for the counters on  
either side of the sink. The rub-  
ber-covered dish drainers also give  
protection.

"The time-honored dishwashing  
rule is 'glass first, silver second,  
china third,'" Mrs. Claytor said.  
"Glass gets first place because it  
needs clean suds with no trace of  
grease to come out clear and  
shining."

Last but not least, save glass-  
ware with convenient, safe stor-  
age arrangements. Narrow shelves  
for tumblers allow each to stand  
separately with no sticking or  
doubling up, and no reaching be-  
hind, the specialist concluded.

Mrs. W. L. Murphy of Pomona,  
California is visiting in the home  
of her brother, Albert Ford of  
Wheeler and other friends and  
relatives.

**SALT DEFICIENCY  
MAY BE SERIOUS**

A deficiency of salt in the hu-  
man system can cause serious con-  
sequences, and for this reason Dr.  
Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer  
advises every person whose work  
is such that it causes excessive  
perspiration to add a pinch of  
ordinary salt to each drink of  
water taken during the day.

Farmers, mechanics, carpenters,  
construction men and all others  
whose work causes them to sweat  
profusely are in danger of having  
their body salt content seriously  
depleted, and as a result may suffer  
from heat cramps or heat fog.  
Salt is a prominent constituent of  
sweat, and when the thermometer  
hits the high register, the human  
body may lose as much as 40 to  
50 grams of salt during a single  
day.

In many industrial plants, work-  
men are furnished with and urged  
to take a tablet of pure salt or a  
mixture of salt and dextrose with  
each drink of water. Many find  
this a pleasant way of taking extra  
salt, but others prefer to add the  
needed amount of extra salt to  
their food and drink.

"Take your extra salt in any  
manner that is agreeable to you",  
says Dr. Cox, "but take it. Heat  
cramps are very painful and ex-  
hausting. They are characterized  
by cramps in the abdominal region,  
headache, and in severe cases  
there may be nausea and vomit-  
ing. Body salt losses occur with-  
out the knowledge of the individ-  
ual until a deficiency exists; then  
the abdominal muscles begin to  
cramp."

According to the State Health  
Officer, it is a wise precaution to  
keep the body supplied with salt,  
and thus avoid much possible suf-  
fering and loss of time from heat  
cramps.

Newspaper Advertising Pays!

**BOOMERANG**

"That Mr. Bickie is too much  
of a flatterer."  
"Did he say you were hand-  
some?"  
"No. He said you were."

Cooking bananas may be boiled  
in the skin and served as a veg-  
etable. Or they may be peeled,  
cut in lengthwise halves and  
sauteed in a little melted fat in  
a frying pan. Lemon or orange  
juice is added to prevent darken-  
ing of the bananas and to add  
flavor to the dish.

PAY YOUR SUBSCRIPTION  
TO WHEELER TIMES NOW!

**ALL OUT AID  
for your Office**



Give your office a break. Don't  
put off buying that file or  
wastebasket you've been need-  
ing. New equipment will great-  
ly increase your efficiency.  
Everyone from the office boy  
to the boss will work better  
and faster with these aids to  
better business.

**WHEELER  
TIMES**

**CHARTER NO. 343  
BANKS  
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION  
OF  
THE CITIZENS STATE BANK**

Wheeler, Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June,  
present to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas  
in accordance with the Banking Laws of this state.

RESOURCES	
Real estate, including overdrafts	\$ 263,521.53
States Government Obligations, direct	
Guaranteed	622,945.75
of state and political subdivisions	1,897.57
Balances due from other banks, including	
dividend balances, and cash items in process of	
collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	409,306.93
of house, or leasehold improvements	1.00
Furniture, and equipment	2,790.00
<b>TOTAL RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$1,305,442.81</b>
LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock	20,000.00
Certified \$40,000.00	40,000.00
Profits	20,427.77
Deposits of individuals, partnerships,	
and corporations	1,215,099.39
Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances)	10,005.65
and deposits \$1,225,015.04	
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$1,305,442.81</b>

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.

WITNESSED my hand and seal this 7th day of June, 1949.  
R. J. HOLT, Jr., Cashier.  
E. HOLT, R. J. HOLT, FLAUCY B. HOLT, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June, 1949.  
W. COFFMAN, Notary Public, Wheeler County, Texas.

**IT'S HERE ...  
The New GRAY MAGIC  
Typewriter - School! For College! For Career!**



IT'S MAGIC! This wonderful new  
portable that's softest gray from  
stem to stern.

IT'S MAGIC! The new Gray Royal  
Portable. Finger-flow keys! Speed  
Spacer! Magic Margin!

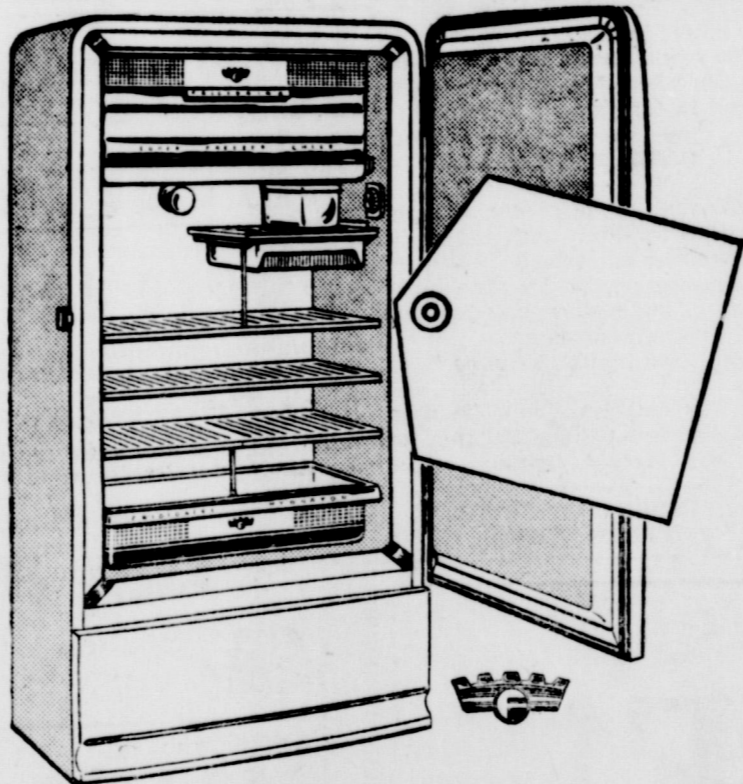
**As Advertised in LIFE**

You probably read about it in LIFE MAGAZINE . . . a June,  
1949 MODEL now being shown for the first time.

**TERMS TO SUIT YOUR BUDGET**  
See It On Display in Our Office!

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# SOCIETY

## Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. M. Williams

Mrs. Marion J. Williams was honored recently with a bridal shower, given in the home of Mrs. Herk Atkins of Mobeetie. Mrs. A. H. Burke served as co-hostess.

Those present at the shower were: Mrs. Earl Williams, Mrs. R. H. Dyson, Mrs. Agnes Morgan, and Jeanette, Mrs. C. Nixon, Mrs. Aubrey Ruff, Mrs. Farmer Heffley, Mrs. Roy C. Lee, Mrs. Jim Selby, Mrs. C. C. Dyson, Mrs. N. J. Tyson, Mrs. Walter Coward and Sandra, Mrs. S. W. Williams, Mrs. Richard Dyson and Janis, Mrs. Wylie Davis and Glenda Ruth, and the hostesses, Mrs. Burke and Mrs. Atkins.

Those sending gifts were: Mrs.

Claude Parker, Mrs. John Dunn, Mrs. Oreta Baird, Mrs. Jean McWhorter, Mrs. Nora Teasty, Mrs. Louella Johnson, Mrs. Byron Simpson, Mrs. A. A. Burch, Mrs. Charlie Strawbridge, Mrs. R. St. John and Edith, Mrs. Van Zandt, Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Ramsey, Mrs. J. L. Smith, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. J. H. Scribner, Mrs. Earl Riley, Mrs. Clinton Stribling, Mrs. Ranson Carter, Mrs. Carl Carter, Mrs. Roy H. Johnson, and Mrs. Jess Patterson.

## Kelton Juniors Enjoy Picnic Wed. Evening

The Junior Sunday School class of the Kelton Baptist Church enjoyed a picnic on the Stiles Ranch Wednesday evening. Those present were: Verla Jean and Dwayne

## Miss California



STATUESQUE Joan Ann Pedersen is shown shortly after she was chosen "Miss California of 1949" at state beauty contest finals held at Santa Cruz. The 17-year-old blonde will represent her home state at the "Miss America" contest in Atlantic City. (International Soundphoto)

Kenny, Sandra and Bill Stiles, Clea Faye and Delbert Boatman, Helen Cain, Twila Anderson, Beth and Doris Marie Rathjen, Mrs. Oscar Kenny and Mrs. Leonard Rathjen.

## Mann-Edwards Vows Exchanged Friday

Mrs. Jean Mann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mann of Allison and James Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwards of Reydon, Oklahoma, were quietly united in marriage Friday by the County Judge.

Mrs. Edwards wore a navy blue dress with black accessories. Mrs. Ira Mann, the bride's mother, was the only attendant.

Mr. Edwards served in the Army during World War II and served overseas. He attended the Veterans school in Allison.

They will make their home in Reydon where Mr. Edwards is engaged in farming.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to offer our sincere, heartfelt thanks to each and every person who so lovingly helped us in any way, during the illness and death of our mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

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Wheeler, Texas

# NOTICE!

I have sold my Phillips 66 wholesale gasoline and oil agency to Walter Pendleton, Jr. of Shamrock. Mr. Pendleton will continue to operate the agency from Mobeetie serving customers in and around Mobeetie and Wheeler.

I wish to thank all my customers for their patronage and remind them that I am still operating my garage and service station in Mobeetie. I recommend Mr. Pendleton to you as he will give the same quality product and service you have received in the past.

## Byron Simpson

## SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY JULY 8 AND 9

**IGA**  
Take advantage of this IGA policy...  
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Don't forget that most "week-end specials" are usually served as a "front" for high prices on undervalued items. But when you shop at IGA you are certain of saving money consistently. So we repeat... Take advantage of our everyday low price policy and THEN watch your savings add up!

MIRACLE WHIP  
**SALAD DRESSING**  
Pint Jar 33¢

GOOD VALUE 2-14-oz. Bottles  
**TOMATO CATSUP** 25¢

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**IGA RIPE APRICOTS** 29¢

Regular or Mexican style No. 300 Can  
**BROWN BEAUTY BEANS** 11¢

FIRST PICK 2 No. 2 Cans  
**FANCY SPINACH** 29¢

TRAPPEY'S No. 2 Can  
**FANCY CUT OKRA** 15¢

ARMOUR'S PURE No. 1/2 Can  
**VIENNA SAUSAGE** 19¢

ARMOUR'S 12-oz. Can  
**CHOPPED HAM** 53¢

SUNSHINE 6-oz. Pkg.  
**CHEEZE-ITS** 17¢

BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS 12-oz. Pkg.  
**WHEATIES** 21¢

LAUNDRY BLEACH Quart Bottle  
**SNO-WHITE** 10¢

MEDIUM SIZE 3 Bars  
**IVORY SOAP** 27¢

WELCH PURE 16-oz. Glass  
**CHERRY PRESERVES** 35¢

WELCH Quart Bottle  
**GRAPE JUICE** 43¢

LIBBY'S 46-oz. Can  
**TOMATO JUICE** 28¢

More Everyday Low Prices!

KERR MASON  
**FRUIT JARS**

Dozen Pints 65¢ Dozen Quarts 75¢

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KERR MASON Dozen  
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**SURE-JEL**  
Per Pkg. 11¢

Meats you can serve with pride  
... AT PRICES YOU CAN WELL AFFORD!

Corn King Sliced Pound  
**BACON** 47¢

Picnic Pound  
**HAMS** 45¢

RAY CHEDDAR Pound  
**CHEESE** 49¢

MEADOWLAKE Pound  
**MARGARINE** 25¢

## Feature of the week

IGA Gold-Tost CEREALS  
13-oz. Box  
**CORN FLAKES** 17¢

10 Assorted Individual Packages  
**TRAYS** 29¢

IGA 14-oz. Box  
**BRAN FLAKES** 17¢



These fine cereals... like every product that bears the IGA name... are made to conform to highest standards of quality. Thus, you get the very best for less.

PETER PAN  
**PEANUT BUTTER**  
Uniform High Quality  
12-Ounce Glass 33¢

LIBBY'S WHOLE  
**DILL PICKLES**  
Make ordinary meals better  
Quart Jar 33¢

FANCY SIFTED  
**IGA PEAS**  
No. 2 Can 19¢

CINCH  
**CAKE MIX**  
Devils Food Golden-White or Spice  
17-ounce Package 42¢

SPRY  
**SHORTENING**  
3-Pound Can 90¢

**LIPTON'S TEA**  
Fourth Pound 31¢  
Half Pound 61¢

20 MULE TEAM  
**BORAX POWDER**  
16-ounce Package 17¢

**SPIC & SPAN CLEANER**  
Pound Package 23¢

**P & G SOAP**  
WHITE NAPHTHA  
2 Bars 15¢

**DREFT**  
Large Package 27¢

**IVORY SNOW**  
Large Package 28¢

**SALES**  
Several pieces priced right. refrigerators, priced used Magic

**SALE**  
3-piece on Dresser has pl Good condition. M

**SALE**  
Lephorn p... Wheeler Shamrock, Tex.

**SALE**  
Used bathroom... Wheeler Gas Co.

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dial deodorant soap  
Smells good! 25¢

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CALIFORNIA FANCY VINE RIPE, FULL FLAVOR  
**CANTALOUPE** 8¢

A HEALTHFUL DRINK—CALIFORNIA SUNKIST  
**ORANGES** 13¢

CALIFORNIA GREEN TOP  
**CARROTS** 17¢

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**LETTUCE** 12¢



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Recipe of  
BY MARY L  
ical Upside D  
Breakfast: April  
egg butter 1/2 cu  
or margarine 1/4 cu  
brown sugar 1 cup  
baking powder 1/2 cu  
baking soda 1/2 cu  
eggs (150° F.) 2 ea  
oil 1/2 cu  
sugar 1/2 cu  
powder 1/2 cu  
butter over very lo  
or deep cake pan abo  
bottom. Sprinkle b  
top. Arrange apric  
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Turn on oven; set  
to (350° F.). Set d  
powder, sugar and  
baking ingredients all  
together 2 minutes  
then pour at mediu  
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15c per line (counting 5 words to line) for first insertion. Minimum charge, 45c; 10c per line after first time. Reader ads scattered among local items at 10c per line each insertion. Cards that run every week 30c per line per week.

**ADVERTISING**—National rate, 42c an inch; Local advertising rate, 35c per column inch, 28c per inch when used more than once each week during calendar month.

**FOR SALE**  
 Range, Wheeler Radio & Refrigerator Service. 28-tfc  
 To trade for a pick-up or car, One model H John Deere Tractor, Chris McClain. 30-11p  
**FOR SALE**—Any kind of new or used combines and tractors, or will buy. Luther Thompson, Gage, Oklahoma. Phone 912-F-22 before coming. 12-p-thru 8-49  
 Fit run sand and gravel delivered in Wheeler \$3.00 per yard. This material from my pit at Lela. Washed sand and rock \$6.00 per yard, 4 yards to load.

## CLAY SAND & GRAVEL

Shamrock, Texas  
 Phone Collect 22 Harry Clay 24-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Good used Remington Cash Register. See it at The Wheeler Times. 28-11p  
 Monuments, grave covering, curbing and all memorial work. Will Warren. 21-tfc  
**FOR SALE**—Concrete blocks, size 6 x 8 x 16 inches. See Al Thomas at Wheeler, Sam Thomas at Mobeetie. 28-4tp  
**FOR SALE**—One cloth top for 1947 Jeep, priced \$40.00. See A. R. Meek, Mobeetie. 26-4tc  
**FOR SALE**—Month old leg-horns, \$25.00 per hundred. Wheeler County Hatchery, Shamrock, Texas. 27-4tc  
 O. L. Tuttle's blackberries are ready, 9 miles east and 1/2 mile north of Wheeler. 28-4tp  
**MISCELLANEOUS**  
 LADIES—Why don't you convert your spare time into spare dollars by showing the Fuller Brush Company's line of Debut-

## FARM FACTS

WORTH KNOWING

1. I have a young Jersey cow that sucks herself. Is there any preventive?  
 The question of cows sucking themselves is a serious problem but so unusual that not many animals are affected. The best plan would be to keep the animal tied or send her to the butcher. If the cow is valuable, you might try a harness, made somewhat as follows: Fasten a rope or strap back of the front legs, around the body, and tie quite tight. Then put a halter on the cow, and from each side of the halter fasten a light rope or strap back to the strap on her body. The ropes should be adjusted so that she can move her head sideways but not clear around to her body.  
 2. What is the best type of hog for marketing?  
 Consumer preference plays a big part in determining the best type of hog. "The medium" or "middle of the road" type is more desirable than either the "chunky" extremely fat hog or the rangy, underfed hog. The ideal type of hog should have a maximum of lean in proportion to fat and should have not more than 1 1/2 inches of fat over the back, loin, and hams.  
 3. Do laying hens need more feed when their egg production is high?  
 Yes. When egg production is high, hens need more feed to keep up their body weight. If feed rations are not sufficient, body weight will go down and production will slump. The Research Farm of the Ralston Purina Company recommends feeding according to the following table:

When Egg Production Is	Total Feed Required Daily
40%	20 to 22 lbs. per 100 birds
50%	23 to 25 lbs. per 100 birds
60%	24 to 26 lbs. per 100 birds
70%	25 to 27 lbs. per 100 birds

Send your questions about livestock or poultry problems to FARM FACTS, 437 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.

## FAMILY WATCHES GRAY TAKE OATH



**NEW SECRETARY OF THE ARMY** Gordon Gray (left), Winston-Salem, N. C., is sworn into office in Washington by Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson as members of his family watch the ceremony. In background (l. to r.) are: Alice Gray, the new secretary's aunt; his stepfather and mother, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bernard, and Mrs. Gordon Gray. In front of them are his youngsters, Boyden, 6, and Burton, 8. (International)

## HONORARY 4-H PIN FOR TRUMAN



**AT THE WHITE HOUSE**, President Truman receives an honorary 4-H Club pin from Don Rutter, Shelbyville, Mo., a delegate to the 19th annual National 4-H Club Camp that opened in Washington. Looking on is Mary Bowers of Payne County, Oklahoma. (International Soundphoto)

## 4-H CLUB NEWS

The Briscoe 4-H Club girls met Thursday, June 30 at 2:30 in the home of Patsy Ann Ramsey. After a short business meeting, Miss Genevieve Morton gave a report on the Texas 4-H Round-Up. Refreshments were served to the following members and visitors: Joyce Helton, Mona Finsterwald, Barbara McNeil, Ann Del, Evelyn and Ruth Fillingim, Patsy Ramsey, Kay Rose, Mary Jo and Janelle McNeil, Mrs. Helton, Mrs. McNeil, Mrs. Ramsey and the agent, Miss Genevieve Morton. The next meeting will be July 13 at the home of Joyce Helton.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means to express our appreciation for everything that was done for us during our bereavement. Especially as we wish to thank those who brought food and those who made the beautiful floral offerings.  
 J. D. Futch and family

## NO FRIEND

The man with the suitcase chased the train to the end of the platform, but failed to catch it. As he walked slowly back mopping his brow, an interested onlooker remarked: "Miss the train?"  
 "Oh, not much," was the reply. "You see, I never got to know it very well."

## EASY SHORT CUTS FOR VACATION MEALS!

**Recipe of the Week**  
 BY MARY DEE TAYLOR

**Apricot Upside Down Cake**  
 Broadcast: April 2, 1949

1/2 cup white sugar  
 1/2 cup brown sugar  
 1/2 cup butter  
 1/2 cup flour  
 1/2 cup milk  
 1/2 cup apricot  
 1/2 cup raisins  
 1/2 cup nuts  
 1/2 cup water

Turn over very low heat in skillet deep cake pan about 9 in. across. Sprinkle brown sugar in pan. Arrange apricot halves on top. Let stand while preparing batter. Turn on oven; set at moderately low (350° F.). Sift flour with baking powder, sugar and salt. Add remaining ingredients all at once. Beat rapidly 2 minutes with spoon or electric beater at medium speed. Pour batter over apricots. Bake about 40 minutes, or until cake shrinks from sides of skillet. Turn out; serve warm.

**You Will Need:**

Royal Gem Tom. 46-oz. Can	19c	Texas Grapefruit 46-oz. Can	19c
Tama or Royal Gem Cream Style 2 No. 2 Cans	25c	Seaside Cooked Lima No. 2 Can	19c
SMAX CORN 2 No. 2 1/2 cans	45c	PET 3 Tall cans	35c
Kraft 1/4 lb. Jar	33c	Wertz Buttered 10-oz. Box	27c
Del Monte 2 No. 2 Cans	27c	300 Size Box	25c
White Swan, 1/2 lb. Box	49c	Rose Bud Carton 6 Boxes	33c
Kool-Aid 6 Pkgs.	25c	Diamond 125-ft. Roll	23c
Vine Ripened Tomatoes Two Lbs.	25c	Head Lettuce Each	10c
White or Red Potatoes 10-lb. Bag	55c		

**CHUCK-TIME VIENNA SAUSAGE**  
 2 Cans 25c

**CRYSTAL WHITE 2 Bars**  
 P & G SOAP 15c

**A-JAX or BARO Each**  
 CLEANSER 11c

**DUZ-OXYDOL or Large Box**  
 TIDE 29c

ARMOUR'S DEXTER SLICED BACON	Pound	45c
LEADWLAKE BLEND MARGARINE	Pound	25c
ONE FOR LOAF—SLICED—COLD GROUND BEEF	Pound	39c
CRACKER JACKS Six Boxes —A Prize In Every Package—	25c	
Choice Chuck	Pound	49c
Short Ribs or BRISKET	Pound	35c

## PUCKETT'S FOOD MARKET

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JULY 8 AND 9

ante Cosmetics? For interview write Fuller Brush Co., P. O. Box 1491, Amarillo, Texas. Don Burdine, Field Manager. 30-1tc  
 Nichols and Baxter Memorial Co., Clarendon, Texas. Local representative—Mrs. Ann Pittcock. 21-4tp  
 INSULATE with a mineral rock wool. Also weather stripping Permatone. Curtis Pond with Schell-Mundy Co., 1708 W. 8th, Amarillo, Texas. Office Phone 2-8361, Res. Phone 3-1668. 47-tfc  
 JUST RECEIVED — Car lot shipment of Amalie Oil. We can offer special prices on this in case lots. Nash Appliance & Supply Co. 28-tfc  
 No fishing in my lake without my permission. George Porter.  
 BRUCE & SONS TRANSFER Local and long distance moving

Best equipment and vans. We have plenty storage space. Agent: North American Van Lines, serving the Nation. Phone 934, Pampa, Texas. 48-tfc  
 WANTED—To buy your butcher hogs and sheats. Call J. P. Barber or Albert Williams at Farmer's Livestock Market, Shamrock. Day phone 236, night phone 547-W. 23-4tc  
**ALCOHOL**  
 PUBLIC enemy No. 1—  
 Don't walk in a daze—  
 Look both ways.  
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**HERE'S HOW WE HELP YOU GET RESULTS:**

1. We offer you a medium which has proved its resultfulness to your merchants.
2. We keep constant check on the best advertising procedure of top-ranking store in key cities of the United States, in order to keep you informed of the most successful methods now in use.
3. We supply you with the best advertising illustrations available to newspapers and we follow through with copy and layout based on consumer response studies which have been successful in practice.
4. Regardless of what business you are in, you can benefit from newspaper advertising. We will guide you so that you will not be spending an excessive amount, yet you will get maximum results.
5. Since your business is individual, we cannot give you more than this brief resume, however you can get the full story, as it applies to your business, merely by calling 35 and asking for the Ad Man.

**THE WHEELER TIMES**  
 "Your Home Newspaper"

## MANGE, LICE IN HOGS EASY TO CURE NOW

Times have changed in the curing of mange and lice in hogs. It's different now. It's easy for farmers to rid their hogs of these pests.

Some years back hog raisers had to cook up a scalding hot dip of lime sulphur. It took three such dips 10 to 14 days apart to cure cases of mange or lice, says E. M. Regenbrecht, extension swine husbandman of Texas A. and M. College.

All that's necessary today is dip or spray the infested hogs with a mixture of wettable BSC powder and soft water. Since this is a poisonous material, it's important that the mixture be of the right strength. The information on the BHC container or the local county agent will give you the exact amount of wettable powder to mix with the water, says Regenbrecht.

One thorough spraying or dipping will kill all mange eggs and mites, as well as the eggs and the adult of the louse.

BHC has a very offensive odor and flavor, so don't treat any hogs with it that you figure on sending

## Home Sweet Home

By Mary House  
Necessity may be the mother of invention, but I'll wager that plain everyday indolence is the father.

When the weather starts warming up, I invariably start figuring how to get things done quick and easy, how to keep cool and enjoy a reasonable amount of leisure.

For any housewife knows that summer's the work season. Ever-hungry youngsters are home, opened windows mean more dust, and there's twice as much laundry to do.

There was a time when ironing that extra laundry meant a long session on my feet and pushing a hot hand iron in an already hot kitchen. I've invented a better way; now I can sit, watch the kids, chat with the neighbors, do the ironing quicker, and keep cool too.

The first step was convincing Jim that a portable electric ironer, the kind that folds into a neat package for easy storage, spelled comfortable efficiency. The next was a lot simpler. I just rolled the ironer out on the screened-in back porch. That way I catch all the breezes and the gossip too.

And like a breeze is how I do my ironing—especially slacks and washable lightweight suits. These tough pieces can be done as simply as flat-work if a few rules are kept in mind.

With Jim's slacks I start with the waistband, ironing it on the open end of the roll. Then I slip the roll inside and iron, starting at the buttonhole flap, pressing in the pleats.

Next, I slip the left leg over the roll and iron. Then I do the right leg. The seams of the legs are then pinned together at the crotch and just above the cuff. The crease is set by pressing the legs flat against the roll. The same procedure also goes for the children's and my slacks.

Grandma, who used to toast her flatirons on a coal range, dubbed the chore "sadoroning." From where I sit, I call it "glad-ironing."

to market in the next 30 days. There's a good chance the BHC flavor may show up in the meat.

There's another new drug that seems to be just as good for killing hog mange and lice—it's chlordane. Mix a half pound of 40 percent wettable powder with 10 gallons of soft water. One good treatment with this mixture is usually enough for a good control of mange and lice. DDT will kill the lice,

## 4-H Safety Workers in All-Out Attempt to Reduce Accidents on Farms in 1949



MR. FARMER, has the 4-H Club member in your family checked your farm and home for accident and fire hazards lately? If not, you can expect him to do so any day now. 4-H'ers are making an all-out attempt to reduce the annual cost of accidents affecting farm folks—including motor vehicle, fire and property damage—which totals more than one billion dollars, or about \$35.99 per person! They are also trying to cut down the number of accidental deaths, which kill 51 farm residents in the U. S. every day in the year.

Your 4-H'er doubtless will caution you to drive carefully on highways, and use proper signals when turning or stopping (top right). More than 7,300 rural people are killed annually in motor vehicle accidents. In fact, more fatal automobile accidents occur in rural areas than in any other location.

Falls rank second in farm accident causes. So watch your step when carrying a clothes basket, like the girl shown in right photo. Your 4-H safety worker probably will suggest you tack down throw rugs or put them on non-slip matting, and keep stairways uncluttered. Are your lightning rods properly grounded? The 4-H'ers shown at top left found the ground wires broken, and therefore worthless. Lightning, which is one of the greatest causes of farm fires, each year destroys 20 million dollars worth of farm property, kills 590 farm residents and injures 1,300 others.

National Farm Safety Week will be observed July 24-30. Rural boys and girls taking part in the National 4-H Farm Safety program

but it won't bother the mange at all, says Regenbrecht.

These chlordane, DDT and BHC mixtures are all good for controlling flies, he adds. For fly control, spray the barn walls, fences, and other places where the flies gather. However, avoid spraying hog feed, water and feed troughs. These are poisons, and should not be eaten by hogs, the swine husbandman concludes.

## Cotton Classing Helps To Eliminate Doubt

There's no doubt about grades, staple and value of cotton when it's identified with a "green card", Texas farmers were reminded this week.

The "green card" means the cotton has been classed by a U. S. Department of Agriculture cotton classer who certifies the grade and staple.

Farmers belonging to Smith-Doxey cotton improvement groups receive this classification without charge. Also they receive daily market news service to keep them posted on day-to-day prices.

want to make you, your family and neighbors safety minded so that accidents mentioned above won't happen.

For achievements in safety work, the 4-H boy or girl may receive a prized sterling silver medal of honor as county winner. General Motors also provides an educational trip to the National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago, next November, for the state winner, and \$300.00 college scholarships for each of the eight national champions. By practicing safety from this time on, you'll not only help your 4-H'er in his safety work, but help save a life—which may be your own.

The National 4-H Farm Safety program is conducted under the direction of the Cooperative Extension Service.

Both services come from southwest area's cotton branch of USDA's Production and Marketing Administration, Dallas, of which John L. McCollum is manager.

Applications are due now from organized cotton improvement groups, McCollum explained. They may be sent to cotton classing offices at Corpus Christi, Austin, Galveston, Lubbock, Abilene or Dallas, or county PMA offices, county agents and ginners.

Latest date applications may be received by the Dallas area office is August 1 for all East Texas counties and August 15 for West Texas. After they reach the Dallas office it takes about 15 days to process them and get sampling supplies to the field. For these reasons, McCollum pointed out, applications should be filed early so farmers will get both benefits on cotton ginned early.

Grain storage bins must be built to certain specifications in order for the farmer to get government support loans. The bin must protect grain from rain, snow and surface moisture; permit effective fumigation; provide protection

## PROSPECTS FOR COTTON BRIGHT

Things look good right now for the cotton farmer. Texas has better than a fair-sized cotton crop coming up. Fact is, it may be a record year, since the acreage is up quite a bit over last year.

It'll take top-notch care all the way from planting to harvest to beat the 1947 crop, says C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist of Texas A. and M. College. That year, the nation produced 18.9 million bales. Texas' share of that was 5.1 million bales—about 28 percent of the total.

But a big crop doesn't necessarily mean big profits for cotton growers, he adds. How big the profits are will depend on a couple of things. First, how much the cotton grower will get for his crop and second, what it cost him to produce and harvest it.

The government is working toward a stabilization of price through loans, but it's up to the farmers to look after the cost items. They know it takes big per acre yields to keep the cost down. Tractors, machinery, labor and seed for the necessary replanting are still on the high-priced list, Bates says.

The entomologists say that, on the average, about 15 percent more cotton can be harvested in fields where a good job of insect control has been practiced. For a farm producing 200 pounds of lint per acre, insect control means an extra 30 pounds. Speaking in dollars and cents, that's \$8.50. On more productive land, the increase will be larger still.

Cotton growers need to control the bugs this year as never before for profit sake, Bates says. If a dollar invested in control measures will protect the crop investment and return \$1.50, insect control is a paying-off proposition.

Better yields will keep the profits higher, he concludes, but it all goes back to the business of insect control.

against loss by fire and wind; and protection against insects, birds and rodents.

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## PUTTING ONE OVER

Jones lay awake in bed as the burglar quietly filled his bag with valuables. Having exhausted the resources of the one room, the burglar moved into the next but left his gun on the bureau.

Jumping out of bed, Jones seized the gun, extracted the bullets and carefully replaced the weapon.

"There!" he exclaimed. "I guess that will teach him not to be so absent-minded the next time he comes."

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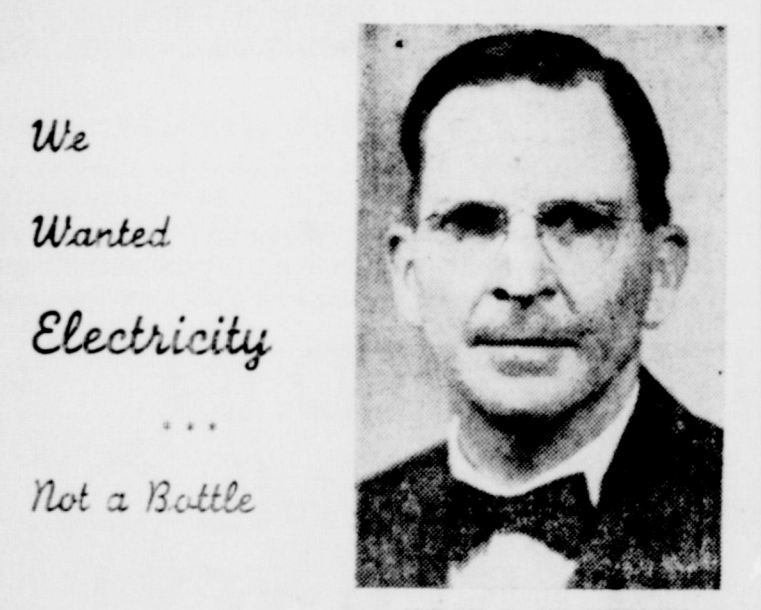
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**LEGAL NOTICE**

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The names of the parties in said suit are:  
J. R. Clark, plaintiff and T. R. 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 day of June 1949.

(SEAL)  
CHRISTOPHER S. McCLAIN  
Clerk of the District Court  
of Wheeler County, Texas  
28-4tc.

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Estate of R. W. Griswold, Deceased  
No. 917. County Court, Wheeler County, Texas, In Probate.  
THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any constable of Wheeler County Greetings:  
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once, for a period of not less than ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county, a copy of the following notice:  
The State of Texas:  
To all persons interested in the estate of R. W. Griswold, deceased:  
Fannie A. Griswold, executrix of the above estate has filed in the county court of Wheeler County, Texas, on the 5th day of July, 1949, her final account and application for the closing of the administration on the above estate of R. W. Griswold, deceased, which said application will be heard by the County Court of Wheeler County, Texas, sitting in probate on the 18th day of July, 1949, the same being the 3rd Monday of July, 1949, at the Court House in Wheeler, Wheeler County, Texas, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate, may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.  
Hereinfall not but of this writ make due return showing how you



**Almond Orange Puffs**

Kaisin-filled and almond-topped, these feathery yeast puffs "make the meal." Fresh cherries add bright color to the accompanying fruit salad.

Early on a cool summer morning, you may be inspired to make fragrant yeast-leavened puffs. Almond puffs are made from a basic batter that does not have to be kneaded, and that can be varied in a number of ways. When batter is dropped into muffin pans, these puffs get a crunchy topping of sugar, grated orange rind and slivered, blanched almonds. To blanch the almonds, pour boiling water over them and let them stand for about three minutes. Drain water, then slip the skins off each nut. While still a bit warm from their hot bath put the nuts on a slicing board and, with a sharp knife, cut into shreds lengthwise. Almond orange puffs are excellent with the salad type of luncheon or with creamed dishes. They are equally good as a coffee hour bread or as a simple dessert. Count on these puffs made with enriched flour, eggs, and milk to supply a good share of vitamins, minerals, and protein on your menu.

**ALMOND ORANGE PUFFS**

**Basic Batter**

- 1 package yeast, compressed or dry
- 1/2 cup lukewarm water
- 1 cup milk
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup melted shortening
- 2 eggs
- 3/4 cups sifted enriched flour
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract (optional)

**For Almond Orange Puffs**

- 1 cup raisins
  - 1/2 cup sugar for topping
  - 1/2 cup slivered blanched almonds
- Soften yeast in lukewarm water. Bring milk to boiling point. Add sugar, salt, and shortening. Cool to lukewarm. Add one cup flour and beat well. Add eggs. Beat well. Add softened yeast. Mix well. Add more flour to make a stiff batter. Add vanilla extract. Beat thoroughly until smooth. Cover and let rise until bubbly (about one hour). When batter is light, stir in raisins. Drop by spoonfuls in greased muffin pans. Sprinkle with mixture of sugar, grated orange rind and almonds. Let rise until light (about 20 minutes). Bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees F) about 20 minutes. Make two and one-half dozen two-inch puffs.

**ALLISON NEWS**

Mrs. Lester Levitt

Mrs. Lee Kiker is in Shattuck, Oklahoma where her brother-in-law, Wes Hill, is recovering from a major operation but he is still considered to be in critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griswold of Maysville, Kansas spent three days with Mrs. Griswold's cousin, Ernest Begert and family. The visitors along with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Begert and Ern Begert and family, attended a gathering of relatives at the Elbert Zybach home near Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Abernathy and son, Nathan, of Hamilton, Texas visited here Tuesday with friends.

Church. He was a dinner guest in the Ernest Wallace home.

Mrs. Millard Donaldson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Helm from Groom were dinner guests in the Emily Richardson home.

J. C. Spruill and family have moved to Memphis, Texas to make their home.

Rayburn Hall and family spent the Fourth of July at Lake Marvin.

Lois Curlee and family spent Sunday and Monday in Canadian in the home of Mrs. Lem Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Chandler and the parents of a baby girl born in Wheeler last week.

Americans are great denunciators of the wrongs done by others and great proclaimers of their own virtues.

Ray Langford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Langford, and Clyde Dukes and family, spent Friday and Saturday in Hollis, Oklahoma visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Will Coward and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hamey and children of Shamrock visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCoy Sunday.

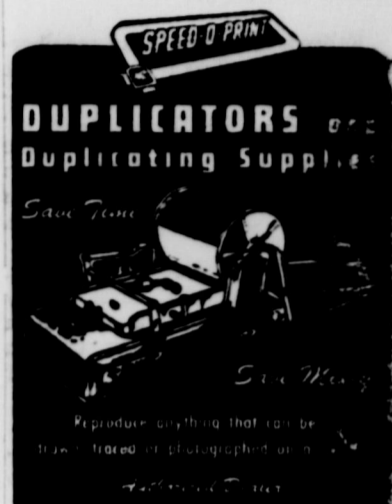
Pfc. James Cooper who is stationed in Denver, Colorado spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper.

Ray Miller and family were dinner guests Monday in the A. E. Dillion home.

Those visiting in the A. B. Evans home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Clint Evans of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Evans, and Forace Evans and family.

Mrs. Charles Taylor and children have been spending a few days with relatives in Houston.

Rev. A. J. Quinn, District Missionary from Amarillo, preached here Sunday at the First Baptist



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(SEAL)  
HARRY WOFFORD  
Clerk of County Court  
Wheeler County, Texas

**THEN THE EGG BEATER**  
She was something of a vamp, so they transferred her from haberdashery to woodenware in the basement.  
"Don't see many flirts down here, do you, Maize?" asked the floorwalker.  
"Now, the only interesting thing I've seen was a potato masher."

**ROGUE THEATRE**

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—  
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**Don't Sunburn Your Irish Potato Crop**

Potatoes are like people—at least in one way. They don't like to get sunburned. It's not good for them.

After 30 minutes in the sun, potatoes become blistered, and from there on out, you've got a job trying to keep them in good quality. J. F. Rosborough, extension horticulturist of Texas A. and M. College, says home gardeners will find that the best time for harvesting potatoes is early in the morning or late in the evening. And right after pulling them up, move them over into the shade.

A look at the plants will tell the potato grower when it's time to harvest—when 50 percent of the leaves have turned brown. And that means along about now for most of the Texas home gardeners.

Select a cool, shady spot for storing potatoes, and spread them out so they don't touch each other. Boxes and baskets full of potatoes—especially when stored in unventilated rooms—is a fast way to promote decay. If you plan to store your spuds in bins or rooms with concrete or wooden floors, it's a good idea to spread hay or sand over the floor first, Rosborough says.

The potatoes damaged in the harvesting process should be consumed first, and not allowed to keep with the others throughout the summer and fall. The old saying "One rotten apple in the barrel . . ." works just as well with potatoes too.

So don't allow diseased spuds to be stored with healthy ones, he concludes.

<p><b>AUCTIONEER</b> SHELBY PETTIT Will cry your sale any time or place 188—Wheeler, Texas</p>	<p><b>Electrolux</b> <b>Vacuum Cleaners</b> SERVICE &amp; SUPPLIES <b>L. A. McWHORTER</b> Route 1 Wheeler, Texas</p>	<p><b>THIS SPACE</b> FOR SALE</p>
<p><b>HOMER L. MOSS</b> LAWYER County Agent's Building WHEELER, TEXAS</p>	<p><b>NOTICE!</b> WE SCALD HOGS ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY OF EACH WEEK. <b>Wheeler Lockers</b></p>	

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# Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hardcastle of McGregor, Texas spent Sunday and Monday in Wheeler visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Joe Hardcastle, Jo Ann and Donald returned to McGregor with them for a short visit.

Miss Ruby Reid of Amarillo was home for the holiday. Miss Reid has a position in Kresses in Amarillo.

Miss Genevieve Morton went to visit her parents in Dumas over the weekend and the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Kidd and son, visited relatives in Henryetta over the holidays.

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Mrs. Shelby Pettit and Mrs. Carroll Pettit and Mrs. Betty Brewster took Mrs. Maude Chaffin to Levelland Friday. Mrs. Chaffin has been visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Shelby Pettit.

Mrs. T. G. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Cheski and children, Mrs. Nettie Chretzberg of Childress, Imogene Woods and son, Tony, of Houston visited in the T. M. Bowman home over the weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hubbard of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Savage of Hayes, South Dakota, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dyson of Mobeetie, and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Pendleton of Wheeler visited in the Wayne Edwards home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams and children, Carter, Carita and Catherine of Mountaineer, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Sandifer and Suzanne of Clarendon, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Whitener, Gordon and Nancy, were Sunday and Monday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams.

Zerald Been and family of Anton, Texas visited in the home of Mr. Been's mother, Mrs. Pearl Brigham last weekend. Also Mrs. Morris Belote of Pampa visited Mrs. Brigham.

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W. D. Rosh of Arlington, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rosh of Cresson, Texas spent Saturday night with Mrs. Cora Teakell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Coffman, Janet and Jimmy, spent the weekend visiting relatives in Grapevine and Dallas.

Felice's Flowers in Shamrock speak of Hollywood. Visit them on the road to the Shamrock Cemetery. 30-1tc.

Miss Mary Lou McIlhany left Tuesday night to attend the Goethe Music Festival in Aspen, Colorado. Miss McIlhany plans to be away a week and will visit Santa Fe, New Mexico and Taos, New Mexico.

Miss Vendell Starkey left Wednesday to attend a Bookkeeper's Convention in Austin.

Harold Starkey of Spearman was a weekend visitor in Wheeler.

Frank Wofford invites you to order your next flowers from him. Felice's Flowers. 30-1tc.

Mrs. Wayne Jolly of Houston is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Watts this week.

Mrs. Wayne Jolly and Mrs. R. T. Watts visited in Pampa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Callan and daughter were weekend visitors in Wheeler. Mrs. Callan and the baby remained for a longer visit.

Bill Currin of Levelland, Texas is visiting with J. T. Johnson and other friends.

## Mobeetie Happenings

(Continued from Page One)  
W. Dart from Dumas and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Sims returned home Friday from Dallas where Mr. Sims had gone for medical treatment. They were joined there by their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Sellers of Gulfport, Miss.

Your reporter is anxious to have an interesting column for you each week; however, much depends upon your sending in items of interest to the community. Whenever possible, please send your news to me by Monday night.

**SHOULD PRACTICE WITH ROLLING PIN**

"My wife will never go to bed before two o'clock in the morning—I can't break her of the habit."

"What does she do all the time?"

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## STANDARD GAS MEASURE SET

With the signing by Governor Beauford H. Jester Thursday of House Bill 153, a long and sometimes bitter struggle to provide Texas with a standard for the measurement of natural gas was successfully concluded.

"I am convinced that Texas takes a step forward with the passage of this Standard Gas Measurement Law," said Governor Jester in signing the bill. "We have reason to hope," he said, "that this

## Stalin Steals Show



**ACKNOWLEDGING** the plaudits of the crowd during a demonstration in Red Square, Moscow, Soviet Dictator Josef Stalin (top) waves in response to the cheers that greeted him. Looking mighty pleased, the Iron Man (bottom) removes his hat, revealing that he has greyed a bit but otherwise is little changed from World War II days. (News of the day photos from International)

## Dream Comes True



**NOT LONG** ago residents of New Jersey gave their time, money and labor to build a \$25,000 "dream house" in New Brunswick for paralyzed war veteran Robert Hoelzle, 23. Now he has a bride to share it with him. Above, seated in a wheelchair, he is shown as he was married to Miss Frances Noll, 21. Behind him stands a wartime buddy, H. L. King. (International)

## THE OLD HOME TOWN



standard may be recognized soon in other oil and gas producing states and become the accepted standard over the nation.

The bill, sponsored by Representative William S. Fly of Victoria in the House and Senator Wardlow Lane of Center in the Senate, passed the House by a vote of 89 to 29 on April 22 and the Senate on June 24 by a vote of 29 to 0.

A similar bill in the 50th Legislature passed the Senate but was never voted out by the House. The most bitter opposition to this bill came in the Senate, where it failed three times to get the necessary two-thirds approval to be brought up out of regular order.

Unanimous Senate support came after amendments were adopted.

"This bill is so just and fair," said Senator Lane and Representative Fly in a joint statement Thursday, "that sooner or later it had to become the law of our State. It is particularly in the interest of the thousands of small

royalty owners, many of whom are not aware of the numerous ways in which purchasers heretofore could manipulate measurement practices to conceal the true value of gas received. It was clearly the duty of this State to provide this protection as well as to assure itself of its proper tax revenue from this source.

"Much of the credit for this progressive step, however, belongs to the Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association, whose officers and members have worked so hard for its passage."

Said the TIPRO president, Guy I. Warren of Corpus Christi, who was also present at the signing: "It is extremely gratifying that the members of our Legislature saw fit to provide Texans with this badly needed standard for the measurement of natural gas. This safeguard has long been sought by the entire membership of this Association. It is particularly in the interest of the thousands of small

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## RETURN HOME AS WATERS RECED



**VICTIM OF A FLASH FLOOD.** Mrs. Louise Moyers stands in the doorway of her Petersburg, W. Va., home as her daughter, Mrs. James May Turner, a friend (right), move her belongings back into the house. The raging Potomac River receded, leaving ten dead in West Virginia and extensive property damage in the flood area. (International)

is unquestionably in the best interest of the general public. As all three members of the Texas Railroad Commission have announced: "The effect of this law will be to bring about an accurate, fair, and honest measurement of all the gas produced."

"Every person supporting this bill has reason to be proud of his contribution to the public welfare."

Among those attending the signing of the bill were: Rep. William S. Fly and Senator Wardlow Lane, co-authors; Senator John J. Bell of Cuero, Senator A. M. Aikin, Jr. of Paris, Senator Walter Tynan of San Antonio, Senator

Warren McDonald of the State, Senator Searcy Bracewell of Dallas, Senator G. C. Morris of Dallas, Senator George M. Chillicothe, Rep. Bill Woodler, Rep. Joe B. Fleming of Houston, Rep. O. A. Caskey, Long Branch, and Guy I. Warren, president of the Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association.

Bitterweed, a common bermudagrass pasture, is enough of its vitality after being mowed to produce seed from the blooms. This, stockmen should weed early and often.

# SOMETHING NEW HAS BEEN ADDED

We are happy to announce that this week we are installing new booths which will more than double our present seating capacity. We realize that many times you have been unable to get a booth without waiting a long time, and we are glad to eliminate that problem to a great extent.

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## QUARTERLY REPORT

COUNTY TREASURER, WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS

For Quarter Ending June 30, 1949

	Balance March 31, 1949	Receipts for Quarter	Receipts plus Balance	Disbursements for Quarter	Balance June 30, 1949
Jury Fund	\$ 9,219.52	\$ 622.52	\$ 9,842.04	\$ 211.00	\$ 9,631.04
Road & Bridge General Fund	7,844.19	278.22	8,122.41	5,922.45	2,200.00
General Fund	26,550.61	2,791.95	29,342.56	16,643.97	12,698.59
Court House & Jail Fund	10,112.26	52.20	10,164.46	728.35	9,436.11
R & B Precinct No. 1 Fund	7,163.59	6,839.88	14,003.47	9,655.51	4,347.96
R & B Precinct No. 2 Fund	7,003.32	5,608.91	12,612.23	7,072.84	5,539.39
R & B Precinct No. 3 Fund	16,350.87	7,645.37	23,996.24	7,029.38	16,966.86
R & B Precinct No. 4 Fund	9,050.23	8,033.56	17,083.79	6,965.95	10,117.84
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$93,294.59</b>	<b>\$31,872.61</b>	<b>\$125,167.20</b>	<b>\$30,506.96</b>	<b>\$124,660.24</b>

G. W. HEFLEY, County Judge