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What Will Answer Be?

(An Editorial)

On Tuesday, April 2, 1957 the voters of this community will be asked to go to the polls and vote on the proposition of whether the sewer and water improvement bonds they passed a year ago should be sold or the issue voided entirely so they can never be sold.

The facts that were true at the time of that election are for all purposes except interest rates the same as they were at the time of that election. With these facts, and the interest of a growing Wheeler in fact, The Times is reproducing the following editorial carried on the eve of that election. The date of the election is all that has been changed.

What shall be the answer to this question when it is asked a generation from now? What shall the local people tell the coming generation and other people who move into the community when the question is asked in regard to why there has not been more civic improvement work in this town in the past decades? Shall we explain to them that we really never did think things were going to work out so well so we just didn't put much into our efforts to build our town and community? Shall we tell them we didn't have enough faith in Wheeler to take steps to give it a chance to grow? Shall we honestly explain to them why we didn't have sufficient faith in the future? Will we be able to make clear to them that the practice of our generation was surrender in the face of small obstacles while at the same time we are teaching them to consider no obstacle too large to surmount if the result is worthwhile?

These questions are not a play of words but are asked in all sincerity in regard to the coming program of Sewer and Water facility development. A check of city maps, a mathematical run down of the situation or any other means of taking a survey of the situation will reveal that Wheeler has built to almost its complete capacity in regard to construction in the modern manner. This due to the fact that there are no more locations left on which to build, that have the needed Water and Sewer available.

Will we, as citizens, go to the polls Tuesday, April 2 and say we are through with growth and development and through with working for progress and want to draw back into our shells, or will we say to the young people to our community "Yes, we have confidence in the future, Wheeler Will Grow, and we are going to make this possible" and then vote to improve our Water and Sewer Systems.

The Water and Sewer question is not only one that needs working out but it is one of the most needful. It must be completed before other things are possible. Other towns, no larger than ours, have taken themselves by the boot straps and pulled up in the world by concerted and cooperative efforts of the citizens, this can be done here. If we do not progress we will go the other way. There is no such thing as standing still. If anything is not getting better then it is getting worse. This is a law of nature and cannot be beaten or violated by anyone or anything.

Prepare yourself to answer the question of the future. Go to the Polls on Tuesday, April 2, 1957 and Vote for approval of the Bond Issue. You won't be sorry.

SCHOOL STAFF TENTATIVELY FILLED HERE

Mr. J. D. Atwell and Miss Jeanne King asked the Wheeler School board not to consider them for teachers in the system next year. Mr. Atwell resigned to accept the coaching job at Farwell. Miss King has retired and said she appreciated the opportunity to have taught here but thought she had taught as long as she should and wished to make this her last year as a classroom teacher. She will be missed in her work with the young people, a spokesman for the board of education said this week.

The contracts of Supt. A. E. Brown, Principal B. Barham and Grade Principal Carroll Killingsworth were extended to July 1, 1959. The following teachers were re-elected to serve in the system: Mrs. Ida Farmer, Mrs. Lola Weems, Mrs. Elva Hubbie, Mrs. Dee Liston, Mrs. Novella Vanpool, Mrs. Edna Yates, Charlie Ambercombe, Mrs. Mae Nash, Mrs. Alta Jean Davis, Mrs. Bennie May Whitener, J. G. Watson, Jr., and G. W. Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boynton, Seymour, have tentatively accepted the positions vacated by Miss King and Mr. Atwell. They are both graduates of Mid Western University. Mrs. Boynton has been English and Speech teacher at Seymour and Mr. Boynton has been assistant coach there for the past four years.

BUNDLE DRIVE THIS WEEK-END

Mrs. Helen Sabbe, president of the local American Legion Auxiliary, this week announced that the Bundle Day Drive the group is sponsoring during the month of March will come to a close this week-end. Boxes have been placed at The DeLuxe Cleaners, Clay Food Store and Daughtry's 5 & 10 Store, for the reception of bundles you bring in for the Auxiliary's Save The Children Federation drive.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the collectors will call for any bundle you have that you want picked up. Call Mrs. Helen Sabbe, phone 3761; Parilee Mitchell at 3482; Gay Burton 4021; or Florine Beatty at 2372 and someone will call for your bundle.

The bundles will be boxed this week-end and shipped to the "Save The Children Federation" for distribution to the needy. The Auxiliary urges everyone to contribute as much old, usable clothing as they can. Look through your closets, in the garage, basement and attic, Mrs. Sabbe suggested.

Junior Mustangs Tally 23-3 Record

Wheeler Grade Basketball teams closed their season Tuesday night by dividing games with Kelton. Wheeler boys, led by Atherton who tallied 18 points, followed by Watson with 15, brought their season's record to 23 wins and 3 defeats with a 50-19 victory. This also ends two seasons that the boys have been undefeated on their home court. Their losses this year were to Miami, Childress and Lefors. Hunt scored 11 points for the losers.

Kelton girls defeated Wheeler 22-15 with Abernathy making 9 points for the winners and Hall 9 for Wheeler.

GAS HEARING POSTPONED

Mayor C. B. Kirk is in receipt of a communication from S. C. McIntosh, Director, Gas Utilities Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, which states:

This will serve as Notice that the date of hearing on the application of Wheeler Gas Co. for relief from action taken by the City of Wheeler, Texas, Gas Utilities Docket No. 239, has been postponed until April 17th, at the same time and place as set out in the original notice of hearing.

In an ordinance passed February 7th, 1957, the City of Wheeler granted the Wheeler Gas Co., a rate increase. The increase did not change the minimum and is as follows: Up to 3,000 feet \$2.00; 4,000 feet \$2.60, with 85c per thousand to apply to the first 10,000 feet used. Next 15,000 feet at 55c per 1,000. All over 25,000 feet at 45c per 1,000. Price brackets in the new rate are the same as the rate in use since 1950. There was no change in the minimum rate.

At the Railroad Commission hearing to be held on April 17th, the Gas Co. is asking for the following rate structure: First 2,000 feet \$2.00; Next 8,000 feet 85c per 1,000; next 15,000 feet 70c per 1,000; all over 25,000 feet 60c per 1,000; with a minimum monthly charge of \$2.00 net, and for a 10% penalty for delayed payments.

COACH ATWELL RESIGNS POST

Coach J. D. Atwell who is completing his third year as coach of the Wheeler Mustangs has resigned his post and accepted the job as Coach at Farwell, a Class A school.

Mr. Atwell's Wheeler Mustang Football team last season was runner-up in district play, and this year won the Class B Regional Championship. In his basketball work with the Mustangs the boys teams placed second in the district in 1955 and 56, going on this year to win Bi-District. The girls placed second in both 1955 and 56 in district play and won their bi-district games in 1957. Under his direction the Wheeler track team won the district in both 1955 and 1956. Baseball teams also won district in 1955 and 56.

The Atwells, who plan to leave Wheeler about June 1, will go directly to Farwell where he will manage a summer recreation program sponsored by the Farwell Lions Club. They will be missed in Wheeler as they have both been active with the younger set in our community. Peggy (Mrs. Atwell) was Commercial teacher here two years, sponsored the school paper "The Corral" and was co-sponsor of the Junior and Senior Class of 1956.

Coach has taught history and civics as well as coaching all athletics and serving as co-sponsor of the above named class with his wife. The Atwells have two children, Jeffery 3, and Lesa Ann, 3 months.

"We've enjoyed living in Wheeler. Everyone has been friendly and have gone out of their way to make us at home," the Atwells stated this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Pettit and baby of Pampa, spent Saturday in Wheeler.

Vote FOR The Sale April 2nd

With 27 members present the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce went on record last Tuesday night to wholeheartedly support the passage of the sale of the Water and Sanitary Sewer bonds in the coming City election. The vote was unanimous.

Virgil Jamison who was the chairman of the original C of C finding committee took the floor and told of the proposals made at the time of the City limits extension that the Chamber had committed itself to working toward the passage of the bond issue. He stated that the people coming into the city at that time had been given a chance to vote on the issue.

Virgil went on to explain that he had been in error due to circumstances which could not be predicted at the time he used the lower tax rate figure in last year's promotion and that the project could not be carried out on the lower tax rate. He pointed out that interest rates had increased to the Federal government during the time the bond information was being made up and had further advanced since that time.

Harry Wofford, last year C of C

president pointed out the moral obligation of the Chamber to the newcomers in our city in that the issue was again before the people and must be voted on Tuesday, April 2. Harry pointed out that mistakes had been made and said that all that was left was to support the passage of the new issue and get the voters to again approve the sale of the bonds.

Supt. A. E. Brown pointed out that if the bonds did not pass that Wheeler could not advance and would of a necessity be forced to fall backwards and begin drying up.

Various members expressed themselves to the point that if the bond issue was killed at this time it would be the first strike against the city as they could not get the

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BOND BALLOT MARKING NEEDS CONSIDERATION

The Bond referendum ballot to be voted at the City Election in April requires considerable study so that you will express your wishes when you cast your vote, Mayor Kirk stated this week. By the proper marking of your ballot there are three expressions you can give the city council, the mayor stated.

If you desire to kill the bonds you should vote AGAINST the sale of the bonds in propositions one and two, and FOR the Revocation or Cancellation of them in both propositions three and four. All four propositions should be voted, as the bonds in question were voted in two separate propositions to start with. One deals with the Water question and the other with the Sewer part of the bonds.

If you desire to hold the bonds for future sale you may vote AGAINST the sale of the bonds in propositions one and two, and AGAINST the Revocation and Cancellation of them in Propositions three and four. Thus you say not to sell the bonds nor to cancel them. They then may be sold at some future date.

If you think that the bonds should be sold and a tax levied to retire them you should vote FOR the Sale of the bonds in propositions one and two. It is not necessary to vote on propositions three (Continued on last page)

MASONS & STARS TO HOLD MEET

Friday night, March 29, will see a joint meeting of Masons, Stars, and Rainbow Girls at the American Legion Hut.

R. J. Holt will be in charge of the registration of members and guests. This has been Bob's job for many of these meetings and the guests will suffer the least inconvenience possible by the orderly way in which such registration will be conducted by Mr. Holt.

There will be an introduction of the Grand Officers of both the Masonic and the Eastern Star bodies as well as past Grand Officers. The Past Masters of the Masonic bodies and Past Matrons and Past Patrons of the Eastern Star bodies, who are present, will be recognized by the Master of Ceremonies.

Albert Thomas, who is in charge of the musical entertainment has announced that Mrs. H. H. Hall and Mr. Frank Wofford will each sing and these names guarantee that the crowd will be entertained. Mr. Thomas also promises a High School Quartet. Mrs. Yndon Sims will be at the Piano. Mr. Montgomery and Mr. White (Continued on last page)

Wheeler County Designated

T. McKay, State Director of Home Administration, advised John L. Manning, Supervisor of the re-designation of Wheeler & Hemphill for assistance under both Emergency Feed Grain and Emergency Feed Grain Programs. Under this program, farmers and ranchers file applications through the county clerk's office for assistance under both programs for basic livestock through April 15, 1957. Farmers and ranchers taking advantage of this extension should file applications as early as possible. John Manning, state director, included feeds program to April 15, Congressmen Rogers stated in a letter to The Times this week.

Wheeler Gets 3.85 Inch Precipitation

Watson Burgess of the Western Public Service keeps a daily log of conditions in Wheeler. He has received a total of 3.85 inches of moisture to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday morning. Types of moisture for the year follow: 16, Snow and sprinkle, 18, 1/2" Snow, trace 20, Snow and sprinkle, 21, 29 & 30, Sleet and rain, 18, & 19, Rain, 1.27" 20, Fog, 22, Snow and Sleet, 23, Snow and Sleet, 1 & 2, Rain, .80", 3 & 4, Drizzle and Fog, 6, 4" Snow, .50", 20, Rain, .10".

MOBETTIE NEWS

G. BECK, Correspondent
Hathaway, local Church minister has announced special services for night, Sunday morning day night at the Church, Paul S. Knight, of Ark., will be the main

services will begin at 10:30 and the morning service will begin at 10:30. St. John was dismissed from the Shamrock Hospital Monday.

Mobbettie Senior play Fringing was a huge success. Ribbie, who is a patient Shamrock hospital, is much better this week. T. T. Goodnight received the death of her oldest son Rudolph 63, in Ft. Tuesday last week. She, night and their son I. T. of Pampa attended the Thursday.

Mrs. C. R. Copeland and Mrs. C. R. Murrell to Lubbock, Monday had a medical appointment Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Paul Powers and White Deer, visited the family, Mr. and Mrs. Galmor, Sunday.

C. J. Trusty and sons of Sunday guests of Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. M. S.

Mrs. O. L. Vernon continued On Last Page

Wheeler Lady Mobs in Amarillo

was received this morning death of Mrs. Ollie V. Hubbard Wednesday morning, March 21, at 3:00 p.m. according to a report from Hubbard.

services will be in at the Methodist Church Sunday, March 21, at 3:00

SPELLING BEE FRIDAY P. M.

The Wheeler County Spelling Bee, a part of the Amarillo Globe News elimination contest, will be held at the Courthouse in Wheeler on Friday afternoon, March 22 at 2:30 o'clock, according to Jesse J. Dyer.

Mrs. Frank Wofford will be the official pronouncer; Mrs. Dorothy Bisner, Helen Franklin, and Alice Bell Helton will serve as judges, according to Mr. Dyer.

Each school in the county is allowed two representatives in the senior division. The last one of these contestants from each school to be spelled down will receive a Papermate pen. Mr. Dyer announced this week. He stated that he already had the pens for the awards.

Senior division winners will participate in the Amarillo Spelling Bee to be held at a later date.

11 Miles Farm-Market Road Bids Opened Wed

Bids for construction of approximately 11 miles of Farm to Market Road 592 will be opened at 9 a.m., Wednesday at State Highway Dept. headquarters in Austin.

Bids call for grading, structure building, and hardsurfacing of a strip starting at State Highway 152, nine miles east of Wheeler, and extending 11.308 miles north to Farm to Market Road 1046, near Allison.

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PLAY CONTEST HERE THURSDAY

The Interscholastic League One Act Play Contest for District 10-B will be held in Wheeler Grade School Auditorium Thursday, March 21, at 7:00 p.m. Miami will present "The Neighbors; Mobbettie, a cutting from "Time Out For Ginger"; Kelton, "Circumstances Alter Cases"; and Wheeler, "I'm A Fool".

Students appearing in the play from Wheeler will be: Sharon Green, Elvie Williams, Tillie Green, Bruce Taylor, Garth Nash, Joe Hyatt, Freda Pond, and Georgia Pond.

Directors for the plays are Mrs. Morgan, Miami; Mrs. Buster Walser, Kelton; L. R. Reaves, Mobbettie; and Carroll Killingsworth, Wheeler.

Miss Helen Schafer, speech instructor in Pampa High School, will judge the contest.

The public is cordially invited to attend the contest. There will be a small admission charge.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hays of Sunday are the proud parents of a baby boy born March 13th, in the Dumas Hospital. The little fellow weighed eight pounds and has been named Ricky.

The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hays of Briscoe, and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Green of Dumas, who are former Wheeler residents.

HOSPITAL NOTES

PATIENTS ADMITTED
S. A. Maxwell, Wheeler, March 13
Kelly Lewis, Wheeler, March 14
Lucille Bradshaw, Wheeler, March 15

PATIENTS DISMISSED
Mrs. T. B. Henderson, Twitty, March 14
Bobby Robison, Shamrock, March 14

Mrs. Floyd Morse and baby girl, Allison, March 15
S. A. Maxwell, Wheeler, March 17
Kelly Lewis, Wheeler, March 17

Aunt of Local Residents Passed Away in Tenn.

Mrs. Eldora Franklin, 6102 Easton Rd. Knoxville 20, Tenn. passed away March 12, 1957. She is survived by one son, C. R. Franklin, and three grandchildren also two brothers, and two nieces and a nephew of Wheeler, Mrs. G. A. Martin, Wheeler, Mrs. Julia Williams and Chester Morgan of Mobbettie.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

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

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—**GREETING:**

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause to be published for not less than 20 days, exclusive of the day of publication before the return day hereof, in The Wheeler Times, a newspaper published in Wheeler County, Texas, a copy of the following notice: **THE STATE OF TEXAS**

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF P. P. CORCORAN, Deceased, No. 1056, County Court, Wheeler County, Texas, Ellen C. Hanning and Charles Corcoran Administrators in the above numbered and entitled estate filed on the 26th day of February, 1957 their verified account for final settlement of said estate and requests that said estate be settled and closed, and said applicant be discharged from their trust.

Said application will be heard and acted on by said Court at 10 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from date of publication, the same being the 1st day of April, 1957, at the County Courthouse in Wheeler, Texas.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby cited to appear before said Honorable Court at said above mentioned time and place by filing a written answer contesting such application, should they desire to do so.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT at office in Wheeler, Texas, this 26th day of February, A. D. 1957.

Harry Wofford
Clerk of the County Court, Wheeler County, Texas.
By Wanda Pruitt
Deputy

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION OF PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

TO: MARY ELLEN CULLIS, THE HEIRS, UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF MARY ELLEN CULLIS; THE HUSBAND, IF ANY, OF MARY ELLEN CULLIS; ALL PERSONS CLAIMING ANY TITLE OR INTEREST IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW¼) OF SECTION SEVENTY (70), BLOCK THIRTEEN (13), H&GN RR CO. SURVEY, WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS, UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE POSSIBLE EXISTENCE OF A DEED FROM MRS. FRANCES GORDON TO HER DAUGHTER MARY ELLEN CULLIS PURPORTING TO CONVEY THE SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 70, BLOCK 13, H&GN RR CO. SURVEY, WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS, AND REFERRED TO IN AFFIDAVIT OF MRS. FRANCES GORDON DATED MARCH 2, 1936, RECORDED IN VOLUME 89, PAGE 593, DEED RECORDS, WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS;

GREETINGS:

You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 31st Judicial District Court of Wheeler County, Texas, at the Courthouse in Wheeler, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the issuance hereof, same being Monday, the 22nd day of April, 1957, and make written answer to the plaintiffs' original petition filed in said Court on the 6th day

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of March, 1957, said suit being cause No. 4666, wherein Jay Gordon, James J. Gordon, Helen Gurley, a feme sole, Minnie Gill, a feme sole, and Gordon Barnes are plaintiffs and Mary Ellen Cullis, the heirs, unknown heirs and legal representatives of Mary Ellen Cullis; the husband, if any, of Mary Ellen Cullis; and all persons claiming any title or interest in the Northwest Quarter of Section 70, Block Thirteen (13), H&GN RR Co. Survey, Wheeler County, Texas, under and by virtue of the possible existence of a deed from Mrs. Frances Gordon to her daughter Mary Ellen Cullis purporting to convey the said Northwest Quarter of said Section 70, Block 13, H&GN RR Co. Survey, Wheeler County, Texas, and referred to in affidavit of Mrs. Frances Gordon dated March 2, 1936, recorded in Volume 89, Page 593, Deed Records of Wheeler County, Texas, are defendants.

The nature of said suit is as follows:

Said suit is an action in trespass to any title as defined by the Statutes of the State of Texas and prescribed by the Rules of Civil Procedure of the State of Texas, alleging ownership in fee simple by plaintiffs Jay Gordon, James J. Gordon, Helen Gurley, Minnie Gill and Gordon Barnes of the title to the following described land and premises located in Wheeler County, Texas, to-wit: All of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section No. Seventy (70), in Block No. Thirteen (13), H&GN RR Co. Survey, Certificate No. 2/295, Wheeler County, Texas, save and except an undivided one-fourth interest in and to all of the oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from said land, as conveyed to Park T. Grimes by Frances R. Gordon in mineral deed dated May 12, 1934, recorded in Volume 80, Page 534, Deed Records, Wheeler County, Texas; plaintiffs' title also now being subject to outstanding oil and gas lease to E. K. Caperton, lessee; plaintiffs alleging additionally that plaintiffs have title under the three years statute of limitations prescribed by Article 5507, the five year statute of limitations prescribed by Article 5509, and the ten year statute of limitations prescribed by Article 5510, all of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas; that the defendants actually own no interest therein and any apparent interest should be removed as a cloud upon plaintiffs' title and seeking recovery of the title to the land and premises above described, together with the removal of any apparent cloud upon the title of the plaintiffs, costs of suit and general relief.

If this citation be not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Witness Mrs. Rena Sivage, Clerk of the District Court of Wheeler County, Texas.

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Wheeler County Soil Conservation District News

Grass planting season is here and a lot of seed are going into the ground. The Soil Bank has created a demand for seed that is much bigger than the supply. Seed of native grasses will not make a stand unless the land has enough cover to prevent blowing. The Soil Bank program has recognized this and provided a payment for getting cover.

Payment will be made for planting sudan or sorghums for cover in which grass may be seeded in 1958. If your land is not in good shape for seeding this year, it would be well to consider seeding it to cane or some similar crop this year. Payment for the grass seed will be available in 1958 on the same land.

Waterways are in the local program this year. Payment includes both shaping and seeding.

Soil Conservation Service personnel assisting the Wheeler District will help you with Soil Bank problems. This includes selecting land for the conservation reserve or selecting the grasses or mixtures of grasses best suited to the land you select.

Norbert Schlegel of Shamrock has been helping out conservation jobs on a part time basis since D. J. Johnson went to Nevada.

Jackie Johnson visited Gale Guthrie in Erick, Okla., Sunday.

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WHEELER P-TA HAS PROGRAM

"The P-TA is not a money organization," stated Mrs. Guy Hardin of Shamrock, guest speaker at the recent meeting of the Wheeler P-TA. "The primary object of the Parent-Teacher Association is the welfare of children, but like any other organization it must have money to function," she added.

Mrs. W. A. Goad, Jr., presided during the business session. The association voted to accept the recommendation of the scholarship committee and give a \$150 scholarship to a graduating senior this year. Mrs. Doris Hutchison, Mrs. Bill Owen and Mrs. Harold Nash were elected to the nominating committee to nominate officers for the coming year.

An announcement was made that Mrs. Goad has been appointed to the District Nineteen Board of Managers and will serve as publications chairman.

In observance of Texas Teacher Appreciation Week the Wheeler teachers were introduced and presented small corsages and boutonnieres by Mrs. Roy Ford. Mrs. Frank Wofford and Mrs. Adrian Risner gave short readings in tribute to the teachers. In appreciation for her twelve years of service in the Wheeler school system, Mrs. Ida Farmer was presented a gift from the local unit.

Mrs. Chester Tindall, Spiritual Life Chairman of District Nineteen, and Mrs. Valta Tarbet both of Shamrock were guests.

Local Women Win Honors in Convention

Honors won by the Wednesday Study Club at the 36th Annual Convention of District VII Federation of Women's Clubs held at Amarillo, Thursday and Friday of last week were:

First place in The Texas Heritage Department, Texas Authors and Folklore Section. This report was written by Mrs. W. L. Williams, and won a \$5.00 award, which was given to Boy's Ranch in honor of The Wednesday Study Club.

First place in Consumer's Section of The American Home Department. Mrs. Nelson Porter wrote this report.

First in The Christianity Section of The Religions of the World Department, written by Mrs. Max Wiley.

Mrs. C. J. Meek won third place in Government Studies Section of The Americanism Department.

Mrs. R. Wm. Brown won third with her music report in The Fine Arts Department.

Theme of the Convention, "What Is Your Challenge?" Mrs. Jess Moore and Mrs. Harry Wofford, delegates of The Progressive Study Club and The Wednesday Study Club, respectively, attended all the convention sessions.

Mesdames R. Wm. Brown, Nelson Porter, and C. J. Meek attended on Friday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation for the many acts of kindness, cards and floral offerings received during the illness and passing of our loved one. Many many thanks to all.

Mrs. Leona Arganbright
Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hiatt
and family

Briscoe Woman in Japanese Tournament

Mrs. Gene Haddox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hefley of Briscoe, recently was in Central Japan's Women's Basketball Tournament. Their team won second place in the tournament and Earline Haddox made 102 points in three games.

They were given a nice banquet and Mrs. Haddox made a talk.



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Anglins To Celebrate Anniversary March 23

J. Walter Anglin and Maud Mooney were united in marriage March 23, 1902, in Baxter County, Arkansas, near Cassville, Ark., by a Baptist minister, Rev. Grant Walker.

They left there in a covered wagon in 1907, and came to Vinson, Okla., where they lived for ten years, then moving on to Wheeler.

Three children were born to this union. Two boys, Lloyd of Wheeler, and Don of California. One daughter, who passed away at the age of four years old.

They will celebrate their 55th Wedding Anniversary, with the John Reeds, in the Reed home this Saturday, March 23. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Entertains Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Burgess entertained Monday night, March 18th, with a 42 party in their home.

Delicious refreshments were served to: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Finsterwald, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dyson, Mr. and Mrs. Claudy Brotherton, Mr. and Mrs. Farmer Hefley, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Martin and Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Helton and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Burgess.

Mrs. F. Farmer Hostess To Wednesday Study

Mrs. Fred Farmer was hostess when The Wednesday Study Club met on March 13th for a program on friendship.

Mrs. L. C. Laffin, program leader, read a selection of poems on friendship. In a discussion of friends of literature, Mrs. M. McIlhany brought out the fact that opposites in social position and age were frequently friends. Mrs. McIlhany "The qualities necessary for friends are confidence in each other and liking to be together." Her illustrations included Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn, Naomi and Ruth, Joseph

Addison and Richard Steele, Paul and Timothy, Shelly and Keats, and Jonathan and David. Mrs. Carlton Thomson invited group participation in discussing her topic, "Qualities of a Friend." Club members were handed sheets of paper and asked to list words descriptive of a friend beginning with any of the letters, f-r-i-e-n-d. Mrs. Thomson summarized with the words: fraternal, respect, intimate, esteem, and dependable, showing how each was fundamental to friendship.

Mrs. Harry Wofford, president, presided at the meeting. The club report which will be given by Mrs. Wofford at the Annual Convention of Seventh District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Amarillo, was read.

A delicious salad plate was served by the hostess to: Mesdames Harold Nicholson, R. J. Holt, Jr., D. O. Beene, T. M. Britt, R. Wm. Brown, Cora Hyatt, L. C. Laffin, M. McIlhany, C. J. Meek, H. E. Nicholson, George Porter, Madge Porter, Nelson Porter, Frank Walker, H. M. Wiley, Frank O. Wofford, Harry Wofford and Carlton Thomson.

John Reed's To Hold Open House

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TUESDAY
 Ham Hock and Red Beans, Breaded Tomatoes & Okra, Celery Salad, Corn Bread, Butter, Milk, Jello Fruit Salad and Cookies.

WEDNESDAY
 Hamburgers, Potato Chips, Pork & Beans, Milk and Apple Cobbler.

THURSDAY
 Irish Stew, Cheese Crackers, Celery Hearts, Milk, Butter and Butter Scotch Pie

FRIDAY
 Creamed Tuna Fish, Buttered Peas, Spring Salad, Home Made Hot Rolls, Butter and Apple Sauce

ALLISON NEWS
 Mrs. Lester Levitt

Roy Morse was a patient in the Wheeler hospital suffering from double pneumonia.

All of the faculty, except Mrs. Jo Helm attended the Texas State Teachers association meeting at Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chandler and Kathrine were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harrison Sunday. J. D. Wallace and family of Stinett visited in the Harrison home also, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Levitt and Randy from Borger were week end guests in the Lester Levitt home. Mrs. Lester Levitt was on the sick list a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weibe of Tulla visited in the Nick Weibe home over the week end.

Mrs. John Bryant left last week for Los Angeles, Calif., with two of her daughters, who came after her. She plans to be gone about three months.

Raymond Jones and family from Pampa visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Fred Begert of Dinnitt and Gene Levitt and Ed Begert of Canyon spent the week end here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Peterman visited relatives at Littlefield the last of the week. Ray Peterman of Borger spent the week end here with his parents.

Lloyd Jones and family and Linda Miller spent the week end in Lubbock with the Troy Dean Jones family.

Mrs. John E. Jones is in Amarillo with her daughter, Juanita, who recently suffered a heart attack.

Mrs. J. J. Dyer and Mrs. George Porter were in Pampa on Friday. Jesse J. Dyer made a business trip to Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams, Jr., of Borger are visiting his and her parents, the W. L. Williams, Sr., and the Jess Moore's.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Huffine of Sulphur, Okla., visited in the Lloyd Lewis home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Laycock and family of Sunray visited relatives in Wheeler over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Ford and Donna Sue visited Mrs. Ford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hildebrand, in Delhi, Okla., over the week end.

Mrs. Ella Mitchell and son, E. G. of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sartor and Joe, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sartor.

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MOBETTIE P-TA HAS MEETING

The Mobettie P-TA met Monday evening, March 18, at 7:30. Mrs. J. R. Patterson, president called the meeting to order. Monroe Rogers led the group in singing "The Eyes of Texas." Rev. C. R. Copeland gave the invocation.

At the business meeting, Mrs. Patterson appointed the following ladies as the Nominating Committee: Mrs. Murel J. Trout as Chairman, Mrs. C. R. Copeland and Mrs. A. G. Caldwell.

The program was a musical recital by Mrs. Lindon Sims' music pupils and a one act play. Those in the recital were: Phyllis Grimes, Linda Devitt, Judy Bailey, Eddie Hodges, Berenda Rogers, Mary Margaret Trout, Glynda Beck, and Loretta Copeland.

The One Act Play, "Time Out for Ginger" was given. Wanda Gene Gudgel, Donna Risner, Laura Lancaster, Marcella Patterson, Kaye Quarles, Alford Corcoran, DeWayne Trout and Ferrell Baird.

This drama will be presented Thursday evening in Wheeler, competing for first place in Wheeler County in one act plays. Superintendent L. R. Reaves is director.

CARD OF THANKS

We are sincerely grateful to friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of sympathy during our sad bereavement upon the loss of our loved one, Mrs. Mary Banta. Our appreciation cannot be adequately expressed.

Mrs. Ted Banta and The Morgan Children

Clyde Newsome and family of Shamrock visited with relatives in Wheeler, Sunday.

C of C Notes
 By DICK GUYNES, Sec.

The membership committee of the Chamber met for a kick-off breakfast at Nora's Cafe. With two of the solicitation teams still unreported 11 new members have been added to the Chamber roll.

Johnny Campbell of Pampa was the speaker of the evening. He delivered a thought provoking talk on human activities in community affairs.

He developed three categories. Appropriation — taking something to ones self. Appropriate all the knowledge possible about as many topics as you can. Appropriate understanding of others and the community. Appropriate appreciation of beauty, other individuals acts, community, etc.

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Geo. Hefley gave the invocation and Thomas Daughtry the benediction.

Briscoe 4-H Club Meets In Home Ec.

The Briscoe 4-H club met Tuesday, March 12, 1957, in the Home Ec. Department. We had no business meeting because Miss Crispen made the cake we are to enter in the County Bake Show.

Those present were: Estelle and Mozelle Fillingim, Ann Riley, Cheryl Wheeler, Charolette Austin, Carolyn Abbott, Violet Fillingim, Beth Hefley, Marikay Wilhelm, Jacquelin Dodd, Saundra Meek and a visitor, Mrs. Lee Barry.

Reporter, Saundra Meek

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 Out of town relatives and friends here for the funeral of W. C. Sivage were: Mr. and Mrs. Ace Johnston and family of Franklin, La.; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hunt of Ruidosa, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sivage and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Oldham, Alford Lee Gillman, and Lila Robinson of Portales, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller of Mobettie; Mrs. W. A. Riley and Harry Johnston of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Martin of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Happy Martin and Becky of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Johnson and Sharon of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Reed and son of Lampasa; Dalton Reed of Brownfield; Mrs. Lillie Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lewis Mr. and Mrs. Tom White and Forbis White of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Pond and Jimmy of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Sivage and family of Chickasha, Okla.; Ed Randall and Johnnie of Gunnison, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cook and Mrs. Marie Galloway of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. David Smith and Mrs. Lois Reuel of Lawton, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Yarborough and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yarborough of Wellington; Mrs. Sherman White of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Red of Perryton; Mrs. Irene Chaney and Lester Red of Chowchilla, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Jennings were called to Lubbock, Saturday on account of illness of their daughter, Mrs. Bob Beckham, who had undergone an emergency operation, to remove a pin, which she swallowed when she was only three years old. The pin was lodged in her lung. Part of her lung and part of the bronchial tube had to be taken out, to remove the pin which had been in her lung for fifteen years and had never given any trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Beck of Panhandle spent Sunday with the C. C. Robisons.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wm. Brown visited their son, Lt. Richard Brown, in Houston and Galveston over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mitchell and Marla of Dell City, Tex., are visiting relatives in Wheeler and Briscoe this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hubbard and son of Amarillo, Mrs. Berniece Hubbard and Joan of Canyon were Wheeler visitors over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie visited his brother, Lamar Guthrie and family, in Erick, Okla., Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris of Pampa spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos May.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Robertson and daughter of White Deer, visited in Wheeler, Wednesday afternoon, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Herd of Amarillo spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Herd.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burrell and daughter visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burley Mann Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis and children of Plainview, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Farmer this week. They plan to go on to Kansas City, Mo., to visit his parents some time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anglin returned home Tuesday, after spending several days with their sister-in-law, Mrs. J. T. Anglin, of Amarillo.

Ray Cole Johnson received his discharge from the Army, March 14, at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Tex. At present he and his family are in Wheeler, but will make their home in Pampa, where he has employment with the Halliburton Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Hancock of Mountain View, Okla., were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Vaughan of Briscoe.

Those attending Mrs. Mary Banta's funeral in Pampa last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Farry Hefley, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Dyson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnston, Mrs. Pearl Bailey, Mrs. Leticia Johnston, Mrs. J. C. M. Mrs. Roy Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Farris, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lamb, Mr. Aaron Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Rock Lee.

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LIPTON'S 16 BAGS	23¢
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Relatives attending the funeral of Mr. J. T. Meadows in Paradise, Tex., were: Mr. and Mrs. Allen Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Meadows, B. F. Meadows, and Brady, Grant Meek, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Vise and Becky, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hefley and Dennis, Roy Meadows and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. James and Mary Alice of Matador visited recently in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Marshall, Carla and Jana.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Douthit and family visited relatives in Plainview over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Yell and Randy and Ed Thames all of Amarillo visited friends and relatives in Wheeler and Briscoe this week end.

Mrs. Inez Kennedy of Muleshoe was a week end visitor in Wheeler in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wofford, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wofford, and Ben Wofford.

Mr. and Mrs. Delton Sanders of Pampa visited in the P. L. Farmer home over the week end.

Maurice Pettit of Borger spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Pettit.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Merritt visited in the Glen Hostutler home in the Gam Community, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gandy and family spent the week end in Hereford visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bowen, Mrs. Audrey Pearce and children Bill and Mrs. Leonard Gaines of Wheeler and Mrs. Creed Petree and Dixie of Canadian spent the week end in Lubbock, visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. T. May and family.

Mrs. K. L. Franklin was surprised with a birthday dinner in the home Sunday, when her brothers and their families J. E. Flynt, and family, and J. W. Flynt and family came down and brought the dinner to the Franklin home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Brock and family of Canadian, spent Sunday with the Grady W. Harris's at Mo-

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MOBEETIE NEWS

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shopped and attended to business in Shamrock, Friday.
Mrs. Floyd Ritchie of Pampa, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Atkins and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morgan, Wednesday last week.
Miss Nancy Copeland spent a busy night, visiting her sister at home.

W. Burch attended to business in Pampa, Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Murrell visited J. K. Ribble in the Shamrock Hospital, Wednesday last week.

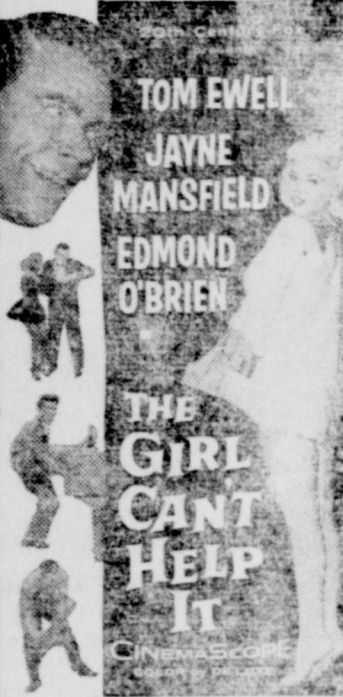
J. Aaron Meek of Pampa, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meek, Saturday morning.

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LAVENA HIATT SERVICES HELD

Lavena Mae Hiatt was born in Cameron, Missouri, on August 28, 1897. She passed away in Wheeler, Texas, March 13, 1957, at the age of 59 years six months and 15 days. She had been in ill health for the past three years.

She came to Wheeler, from near Cheyenne, Okla., in 1947, and had been employed at the Wheeler Hospital and also at Clay's Food Store. She was a member of the Baptist Church in Wheeler.

Funeral services were conducted from the Baptist Church in Wheeler, on Friday, March 15, 1957, at 10 a.m. with Rev. M. B. Smith, of Pampa officiating. After the service in Wheeler, the body was taken overland to Hammon, Okla., where another service was held in the Baptist Church, at 3:00 p.m., with the same minister and pallbearers serving, as was used in Wheeler. Interment was in the Hammon Cemetery, beside her husband, who passed away in May 1948, with Kirk Funeral Home in charge.

Serving as pallbearers were: Harry Wofford, Percy Farmer, Gene Waters, John Holcomb, Jack Garrison, and Cecil Denson.

Survivors are: her mother, Mrs. Leona Arganbright of Wheeler, one son, Dale Hiatt of Strong City, Okla.

Also surviving are one granddaughter, three step brothers, Nashville Arganbright, Wheeler, Ira Arganbright of California and Asa Arganbright of Oklahoma and one step-sister, Mrs. Iva Stafford of Washington, D. C.

SERVICES HELD FOR W. C. SIVAGE

William Clifford Sivage was born in Erath County, Texas, on March 7, 1894. He passed away suddenly about 7 1/2 miles east of Wellington, on Tuesday evening, March 12th, 1957, at the age of 63 years and five days.

He was married to Irene Lewis, in Erath Co., in February 1920. He came to Wheeler County in 1924. He was a farmer and had served in the army in World War I.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in Wheeler, on Thursday, March 14, 1957, with Rev. Carlton Thomson, assisted by Minister E. M. Borden, Jr., officiating.

Serving as pallbearers were: Chuck Hogan, Harry Wofford, Clarence Dyson, Robert Holt, Spud Moore, and Cecil Martin. Interment was in Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Kirk Fun-

eral Home.
Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Irene Sivage, three sons, Palmer and Harold Sivage of Wheeler, and Vernon Sivage of Hays, South Dakota. Four grandchildren also survive.

Other survivors are: two brothers, L. V. Sivage of Briscoe, and Herbert Sivage of Portales, N. M., and four sisters: Mrs. Mattie Hunt of Ruidosa, N. M., Mrs. Covia Oldham of Portales, N. M., Mrs. Edna Johnston, Franklin, La., Mrs. Ardie Martin of Briscoe. His mother, Mrs. Annie Sivage also survives.

His father, one daughter, three brothers and one sister preceded him in death.

Election Day

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only tax-paying voters may vote in the bond referendum.

In the State-Wide U. S. Senate election Wheeler (box 3) will vote at the school Gym with Joe Rogers as judge, Stanley (box 5) Wheeler) will vote at the courthouse, with Ben Trout as election judge.

Election judges working in the April 2 election are:
Box 1 Mobeetie, S. W. Williams;
Box 2 Briscoe, H. J. Finsterwald;
Box 3, Wheeler, Joe Rogers;
Box 4, Allison, Clarence Zybach;
Box 5, Stanley, Ben Trout;
Box 6, McBee Leonard Rathjen;
Box 7 Twitty, Billy Cantrell;
Box 8, Kellerville, J. B. Brown;
Box 9, W. J. Chilton, Jr.;
Box 10, Lela, Robert Terry;
Box 11, Magic City, Hubert Bentley;
Box 12, Shamrock, Glynn Bell;
Box 13, Kelton, George Davidson;
Box 14, Pagan, Paul Macina;
Box 15, Shamrock, W. H. Walker.

Absentee Ballots, J. W. Hooker.

NOTICE

Everyone welcome to the Cox-Pride Wedding on Sunday, March 24, at 2:00 p.m. in the Church of Christ.

WHEELER FLOAT PLACES FIRST

Wheeler entered a float in the Community division of the Saint Patrick's Day Parade in Shamrock last Saturday. It took first place in the division.

Wheeler's Mustang Band placed second in Class B Bands entered in the parade and contest. Dick Guynes played in the old fiddler's Contest on the sound stage Saturday afternoon.

Tillie Green was the Wheeler Colleen representative in the affair.

Vote For

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advantages for less at any future period. It is either now or never as expressed by most of those present.

As to the added cost of the bonds if they are sold it was pointed out a taxpayer could expect to pay from a third to a half more taxes than were assessed this year. However in figuring the increase it is necessary to take other taxes into consideration. City property taxes are deductible for income tax purposes. This automatically cuts the increase of the city tax by the amount of 20%, which is the minimum tax assessed by the government or any income. Thus if your total tax bill increases \$15 the government would actually be paying three dollars of it and you would only pay \$12.

The tax rate of necessity may be higher now than at future times as revenues from the extended sewer and improved water supply may pick up part of the revenue necessary for the operation of the city government thereby enabling future city councils to lower the part of the tax required to carry out the functions of the city.

In setting up the bonds a fixed tax against a specified valuation must be used. This amount must be sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the bonded indebtedness. Other monies required by the city government must then be added to this amount to arrive at the needed tax rate. The rate required for the bonds will remain constant during the life of the bonds if the valuation remains constant. However money needed by the city for its other functions will vary from time to time and may necessitate a change in the tax schedule either up or down as the need requires.

With the tax valuation as its present level of \$1,131,292, a tax rate of around 83c is necessary to retire the bonds and pay the interest each year. If this valuation varies the rate will need to vary as the tax income for the new bond issue will remain constant once the bonds are sold. At the present time the City has a tax bond obligation which will require an added 9c in the tax rate. City government costs another 46c in tax rate so the tax rate figured on the present valuation would need to be around \$1.28.

It may be possible in a few years to reduce this rate as more revenue accrues to the city in that the revenue bonds are paid off and all revenues can be applied to the operating expenses of the city. Again at a later date the present bonded indebtedness of the city will be required and the 9c rate now assessed to retire same will no longer be needed for that purpose. These two possibilities are in the distant future and should not be considered too much in this issue.

If the bonds are not sold and the water and sewer projects carried out we still need more water. Another well at least will have to be added to the present system and if it is not, Wheeler may find itself in the position of other towns where water will of a necessity be sold in stores like milk.

Another saving to the taxpayer will be the saving of fire insurance when and if the bonds make possible adequate water for fire protection. This is a sizable saving now with adequate water may be even more in the future. You pay your neighbor's fire loss insurance when you buy your own protection.

Let's face the facts. If we do not get behind the issue and vote for the sale of the bonds we may be signing the death sentence to our city as we cannot stand still. We have reached the maximum of our growth at present and we must either grow or die. Which will you help it be. Think before you vote. Tell your neighbor you want the bonds to carry in the election. Solicit his vote FOR the sale of the bonds in propositions one and two in the election Tuesday, April 2.

Bond Ballot

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and four if you vote FOR the sale of the bonds in propositions one and two, but to make your ballot more complete you should vote AGAINST the Revocation and Cancellation of them in propositions three and four.

The ballot, as it will appear at the polls is carried on page four of this issue of The Time for your convenience in studying its wording and marking. Only persons having rendered taxable property in the city of Wheeler and being otherwise a bonifide voter in the City will be eligible to vote on the bond referendum, the Mayor stated.

The voting will be done at the Chamber of Commerce Office in both the Council race and the bond referendum. Separate poll lists will be used and only those who are qualified will be permitted to vote in the bond Referendum.

Masons &

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ner promise plenty of ham, beans, potato salad and pie.

Percy Farmer, one of the entertainment committee, says he is willing to guess there will be between 200 and 250 members and guests present.

The main address of the evening will be made by the Rev. Taft Holloway, Pastor of the Line Ave. Baptist Church of Amarillo. Bro. Taft will need no introduction to those present, because he is a former well beloved pastor of the local Baptist Church and is one preacher that everybody loves.

All Masons and Star Members, regardless of where your membership is now located are invited to bring their wives or husbands and attend this fellowship meeting, a spokesman for the group stated this week.

NOTICE

Everyone is invited to Open House at John Reed's home at 1000 Shamrock St., for the 55th Wedding Anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anglin, on March 23, Saturday afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Both couples are celebrating together.

J. T. MEADOWS SERVICES HELD

John Tolbert Meadows was born in Troy, Alabama, in 1868. His family came to Fort Worth, Texas, in 1877 and settled near Keter in Wise County. He was married to Alice Horton in 1887. Six children were born to this union. Five of the six children are still living.

Mr. Meadows passed away in Decatur, Texas, March 11, 1957. He had been in ill health for several years. One son, Brady Meadows, preceded him in death.

He is survived by his widow, four sons, Allen and Fulton of Briscoe, Henry and Tom of Paradise, Texas, and one daughter Ester, of Paradise.

He is also survived by 19 grandchildren and 33 great-grandchildren. Two sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Stinnett of Paducah, and Mrs. Sallie Wolf, of Sayre, Okla., also survive.

Pallbearers were: Pat Mann, Lon Kelly, Albert Livengood, Dave Pierson, Bob Cleveland and Bill Williams. Interment was in Cotton Dale Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Meadows and Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Meadows had been at the bedside of their father since Friday, March 21st.

Newspaper Advertising Pays!

MRS. M. E. BANTA SERVICES HELD

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Banta was born in Gray County, Texas, February 7th, 1903. She passed away March 8th, 1957, at the age of 54 years, one month and one day.

Funeral services were held in the Dunkel-Carmichael Chapel, in Pampa, March 12, 1957 at 2:00 p.m., with Rev. M. B. Smith of Pampa officiating.

Pallbearers were her nephews: Chester D. Morgan, Sidney Joe Phillips, Elvin Lamb, James Carlton Morgan, Morgan Spurrell, and Allen Richard Martin.

Interment was in the Jericho Cemetery under the direction of Dunkel-Carmichael Funeral Home. Survivors are her husband, Ted R. Banta of Topeka, Kans.; six sisters, Mrs. Alta Lamb of Bushland; Mrs. Dottie Phillips of Amarillo; Mrs. Julia Williams of Mobeetie; Mrs. Helene Martin of Wheeler; Mrs. Chlorene Spruell of Amarillo; and Mrs. Alice Bailey of Mobeetie; three brothers, Chester, of Mobeetie; Willie of Montiniallo, Mo., and James A. Morgan of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Killingsworth Jerry and Paula visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Killingsworth of Sherman.

Mrs. Curtis Hall of Amarillo was a week end guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Zybach.

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Each voter shall vote on the propositions hereby submitted by placing an "X" in the square beside the expression of his choice on EACH proposition, or said voter may scratch or mark out one of the expressions for each proposition, thus leaving the other expression as indicating his vote.

PROPOSITION NO. 1

- FOR the sale of the waterworks improvement bonds, and the levy of a tax rate sufficient to redeem the same as they mature.
- AGAINST the sale of the waterworks improvement bonds, and the levy of a tax rate sufficient to redeem the same as they mature.

PROPOSITION NO. 2

- FOR the sale of the sanitary sewer improvement bonds, and the levy of a tax rate sufficient to redeem the same as they mature.
- AGAINST the sale of the sanitary sewer improvement bonds, and the levy of a tax rate sufficient to redeem the same as they mature.

PROPOSITION NO. 3

- FOR the revocation and cancellation of the waterworks improvements bonds.
- AGAINST the revocation and cancellation of the waterworks improvement bonds.

PROPOSITION NO. 4

- FOR the revocation and cancellation of the sanitary sewer improvement bonds.
- AGAINST the revocation and cancellation of the sanitary sewer improvement bonds.



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