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EMERGENCY CROP AND FEED LOANS READY IN TEN DAYS

Emergency crop loans for the year 1936, as authorized by the President's Executive Order of February 28, will be available within the next ten days, Governor W. I. Myers of the Farm Credit Administration stated today. Regulations governing the loans have been issued.

Governor Myers said the loans will be made through the same channels used in previous years. Farmers eligible may obtain applications from the field supervisors or the local emergency crop loan committees already operating in most counties.

He said the loans will be limited to the minimum amount necessary to meet the immediate and actual cash needs of farmers who are unable to obtain credit from any other source, and in no instance exceed \$200 to one farmer. Applicants who can get credit from any other source, including a production credit association, will not be eligible for emergency loans, he explained.

Loans will be made for the production, planting, cultivating, and harvesting of crops, for summer fallowing, for supplies where they are necessary for production of 1936 crops, or to produce necessary feed for livestock.

According to the Governor's statement, preference will be given to applications of farmers whose cash requirements are small, and no loans may be made for purchasing livestock or machinery or for payment of rents, debts or taxes.

The loans will bear interest at the rate of five and one-half percent and be secured by a first lien, or an agreement to give a first lien on all crops financed in whole or part with the proceeds of the emergency loan. Where loans are made for the production of feed for livestock, they will be secured by a first lien on the livestock to be fed.

Where farmers applying for emergency loans are the tenants of a private landowner or concern, the maximum amount of loans to the tenants of one landowner in one county may not exceed \$500. The maximum amount of loans to members of one household who are occupants of the same farm is \$200.

Clay County Farmers Receiving Cotton Parity Checks Now

Seven hundred and thirty checks totaling \$12,252.79 are being issued this week by the county agent's office to the farmers of Clay county for the 1935 cotton reduction contracts.

There are 717 cotton parity checks amounting to \$12,116.52, and 13 cotton rental checks amounting to \$136.27, which is the second payment.

Miss Velma Cooper of Wichita Falls, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cooper, Tuesday.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED FOR PIONEERS REUNION IN SEPTEMBER; NEXT MEETING IN APRIL TO OUTLINE PLANS

Resettlement Farm Women Make Good Record in County

Resettlement farm women of Clay County have made an outstanding record according to Mrs. Velma Kirkland, district home supervisor, who visited the local Resettlement Administration office at Henrietta last week.

Mrs. Kirkland was particularly pleased with what the women had accomplished in the making of hot beds, the preparing and planting of gardens and in the study of the household budget.

Gardens and budgets will continue to play an important part in the home supervisor's program. While a majority of the Resettlement families grew enough to carry them through this winter, future plans call for storing in quantities sufficient to carry the families through a poor garden year.

The second major objective—a change of clothing for every member of the family will be given greater emphasis this year. "This objective may seem unnecessary unless we realize all of these families were on relief or public works projects; and have not yet had an opportunity to do more than stock up on food and feed and make payments on their loans," Mrs. Kirkland said. As soon as the second objective is realized, each homemaker will work toward a third objective—ample bedding for every one of the 49,000 Texas families on Resettlement rolls.

"Margaret Marrs, the county supervisor, has already helped with the planning of 65 gardens and 120 household budgets for the 1936 season," Mrs. Kirkland said. "So closely is the production capacity of the land and consumption demands of the family balanced when the farm and home plans are made that inefficient management of the home may tip the scales away from success. To forestall failure for this reason, all resettlement home managers have available the technical advice of women who are trained and experienced in home making."

These supervisors see that every practical, edible product is grown and preserved on the farm—that cash sorely needed for health, education, comfort, and inspiration is not spent for products which can be produced at home. They are also charged with the job of seeing that Resettlement mothers have every assistance in making theirs a happy home for the husband and one the youngsters will be proud to claim. This includes instruction in canning and cookery, diets, budgets, clothing, homemaking, sanitation, gardening, and use of dairy and poultry products.

Mr. J. B. Quillan returned Tuesday from Houston, Texas.

Friday evening, March 13, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Douthitt in Henrietta, the first meeting of the Clay County Pioneer's Association was held to make plans for the reunion which will be held this year the 9th and 10th of September.

Much enthusiasm was shown at this meeting at which was present an unusually large crowd for the first meeting of the year. In the absence of Henry Sanzenbacher, business manager, Mrs. J. W. Douthitt presided.

It was decided to invite the Fort Sill soldiers and their band, who were present at the reunion last year, to come back again this year. The following committee was appointed to invite the regiment and make arrangements for their stay here: Donley Suddath, chairman, C. J. Sherrill, Claud Vaughn and Frank Bunting.

Following is a list of other committees appointed at the meeting Friday night:

Program committee: Mrs. J. W. Douthitt, chairman, Mesdames Frank Bunting, Fred Cummings, P. H. Boddy, Ambrose Douthitt and Miss Mae Fields.

Finance committee: L. B. Haggood, chairman, Troy Douthitt, Carl Green, C. S. Scheer, F. O. Moore, Ed Childs, Frank Bevering, Grover Thaxton, Mesdames Earl P. Hall and F. O. Moore.

Parade committee: J. V. Boyd, chairman, Carl Green, W. H. Kerbow, O. D. Worsham, E. P. Bomar, A. B. Staggs, Clyde King, Phillip Dietrich, Harry Myers, Virgil Johnson, Luther Thaxton, Dru Harding, Burford Scaling, D. J. Percifield, L. B. Haggood, Frank Bevering, Red Lyons, Sid Copher, R. T. Saling, C. B. McDonald, E. L. Ikard, Ed Childs, and C. S. Scheer. The vice-president of each community will have charge of their community's part in the parade.

On the following committees only the chairmen were appointed, the rest of the committeemen to be appointed later:

Hobby committee, Mrs. John Firestone, chairman.

Food committee: Claud Vaughn, chairman.

Rodeo committee: C. S. Scheer and Grover Thaxton.

Publicity committee: Mrs. Fred Cummings, chairman.

Exhibit committee: Mrs. D. H. Utley, chairman, and Mrs. Will Bevering.

Jim Alcorn was appointed manager of all concessions.

The next meeting of the association will be held in April, at which time further plans will be made for the reunion. The date and place of meeting will be announced at a later date.

Marriage License

March 9, Glen W. Sanders and Miss Edith Veal.

4-H CLUB BOYS AND GIRLS ATTEND FAT STOCK SHOW MON.

One hundred and fourteen 4-H Club boys and girls and sponsors of Clay county attended the Fat Stock Show Monday, March 16, which was designated as 4-H Club Day. It was made possible for the boys and girls to have free transportation through the following persons: Rex Gates, Claude Gates, Rev. E. L. Moody, J. G. Younger, and Henry Fields of Henrietta; J. J. Duwall of Doss, A. Bell of Vashti; County Farm Agent M. S. Duncan and Home Agent Margaret Stewart, and the Bellevue School district bus driven by Charlie McCann.

The morning was spent on a tour which took the group through Mrs. Baird's Bakery and Forest Park Zoo. At 12:30 all of the group was on the Fat Stock Show grounds and visited the various exhibits throughout the afternoon.

A most enjoyable time was reported by all and the boys and girls are most grateful to those who made it possible for them to make the trip.

THREE HENRIETTA MEN KIDNAPPED IN BOLD HIJACKING

Three men were kidnapped and approximately \$25 was taken in a service station holdup here shortly after 8 o'clock Wednesday night.

Jimmie Heath, filling station attendant, and Ben Reeder, Henrietta residents, and a vacuum cleaner salesman were kidnapped. They were later released unharmed.

The robbery and kidnapping was committed by two men driving a dark green 1936 coach bearing a California license plate.

The bandits drove into the Gulf station operated by Mr. Heath and ordered 12 gallons of gasoline. Flashing guns, they then forced the attendant and two bystanders into the car after holding up the station and taking the money and gasoline.

The three were carried out of Henrietta on the Wichita Falls highway and put out of the car a short distance from the main road. The bandits then drove east on the highway and then back west toward Wichita Falls.

No trace of the men had been found Thursday afternoon, although the highways were still being patrolled.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Tuesday, April 7, a City Election will be held in Byers, to elect one councilman and mayor.

H. D. Vaughter, Jr., Mayor.

Miss Faye Tucker and Mr. Babe Guthrie of Byers, and Mrs. Fields of Henrietta, visited the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, Wednesday.



CAPITOL NEWS LETTER

By W. D. McFarlane, M. C.

PWA and WPA Reports Filed
 In keeping with resolutions offered by Senators Hayden and Norris, the present status of all federal and non-federal projects under PWA and WPA were filed with the Senate last week. This information will be available for the use of the Committees in considering relief legislation later this session. Under the PWA report the present status of all electric power and gas projects are given. Further reference will be made to these reports as soon as available.

Impeachment of Judge Ritter
 The Senate last week was sworn in as jurors to try the charges filed and approved by the House of Representatives. These charges as approved by the House are divided into four counts, specifically pointing out the alleged high crimes and misdemeanors charged against Judge Ritter. The trial was set for April 6th, when evidence will be heard.

Relief and Tax Legislation
 These two remaining "must" measures occupy the spot light this week, the President is expected to send up a message outlining his recommendations on necessary relief legislation. His message of last week outlined his views on taxation. The sub-committee of the Ways and Means Committee is now wrestling with this important question. It now seems that the committee's recommendations will substantially follow the President's recommendations on taxation. Former Senator Jones, deceased, of New Mexico who served in the Senate from 1916 to 1927 was the first to advocate levying on reserves, as now being presented by the President—he first offered such legislation back in 1917. No doubt, if he were here he would feel that his tax theories are about to be vindicated.

War Clouds
 It seems that every day brings the

hovering of war clouds closer together in Europe, almost anything may happen over there at any time, Germany has marched more than 50,000 of her picked troops into the Rhine territory in violation of the Locarno and Versailles Treaties having previously broken said agreements in re-arming to full war strength—this last open threat directly challenges the signators of these treaties. The question is what are they—England, France, Italy and Belgium—going to do about it?

Crop Production Loans

The President vetoed the crop production loan, Senate bill 3612, however, he has issued an executive order providing \$30,000,000 to be distributed as follows: \$7,000,000 immediately; \$13,000,000 available by March 20th and \$10,000,000 available April 10th.

AAA Personnel

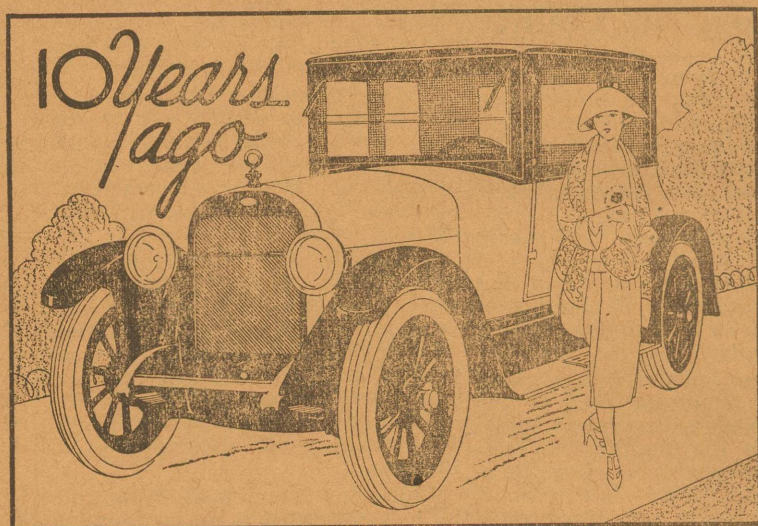
Since the demise of AAA the 5,600 employees have wondered their status. S. J. 223 requiring the Agricultural Department to use these employees in the new set up passed the Senate Thursday. It now seems this course will be followed.

First Baptist Church

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Mr. Clayton Edwards, superintendent of Sunday School.
 Morning Worship at 11:00 o'clock. Young People's Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.
 Week-Day Activities: Monday, 2:30 p. m. Woman's Missionary Society. Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Teachers and Officers meeting. Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Prayer Service.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT
 Rev. R. E. Harrison states that he is recovering nicely and will preach Sunday. If he is not present a visiting minister will preach at both morning and evening hours.

Miss Sybil Brown of Rock Springs, was the week-end guest of Miss Loveta Balch.



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March 20 - 21

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—o—
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TAILSPIN TOMMY

—in—
"THE GREAT AIR MYSTERY"

with Clark Williams and Noah Berry, Jr.

—o—
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DON'T FORGET OUR BARGAIN
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Night Only
"Trans-Atlantic Merry-Go-Round"

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JACK BENNY - NANCY CARROL
Gene Raymond - Sid Silvers
Mitzi Green - Frank Parker
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Bringing you new song hits, in the fastest moving musical comedy of the year!!

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—in—
"THE PERFECT GENTLEMAN"
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Comedy: "ONE TOO MANY"

WED. AND THURS.
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JEAN
HARLOW
SPENCER
TRACY

—in—
'RIFF RAFF'

with UNA MERKEL
The new Jean in a roaring waterfront story and is she a honey with that honey brown hair and what a thrill when this shantytown beauty starts going places. More exciting than "China Seas"!!

Comedy: "HIS BRIDAL SWEET"
Selected Short Subject

.. Additional Society ..

MARIE COOPER HONORED AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Marie Copper celebrated her thirteenth birthday at her home Friday evening. Interesting games were played followed by delicious refreshments. Those enjoying the affair were Olive Mae Tucker, Margaret Harrison, Winsten Fincher Beck Murray Jr., Leonard Adcox, Roland Adcox, Buddy Ligon, Loma Faye Ligon, Johnnie Lee Harrison, Mary Lee Warren, Wilma Roberts, Lynn Roberts, Lillian Hoffman, Patty

Ann Murray, Raymond Cummings, Nellie Reese, Imogene Cummings, and Marie Cooper.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. WINFREY HOSTS AT LOVELY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Winfrey delightfully entertained at their home Tuesday evening the faculty members and Seniors of the Byers High school.

The St. Patrick theme was used in the games and contests. Dainty and colorful refreshment plates were served to the guests.

METHODIST LADIES HOLD ALL DAY QUILTING

The members of the Methodist church school Wesley Class, and members of the Missionary Society enjoyed an all day quilting Tuesday at the church. Two lovely quilts were quilted and at the noon hour a delicious covered luncheon was served in the church dining room to members and their guests.

ROYAL SERVICE PROGRAM

"Woman's Contribution to the Kingdom," was the subject of the Royal Service program led by Mrs. J. E. Marshall and presented to the members of the Baptist W. M. U. at their weekly meeting Monday afternoon. Those present were Mesdames J. S. Richardson, R. G. Seals, F. J. Doyle, Doss Holloway, J. E. Marshall, Leo J. Curtis, A. P. Bates, and Ed Balch.

W. M. S. MEETING

The Methodist ladies of the Woman's Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the church. An inspiring devotional was given by Mrs. Stewart O'Dell followed by final lesson on their study work.

The following ladies were present: Mesdames W. E. Dyer, S. B. Householder, Bertha Dunn, Tom Chappmas, Ona Hopkins and Stewart O'Dell.

Local and Personal

Mr. S. O. Davis of Thornberry, a former resident of Byers, was severely injured in a car wreck Saturday. He is confined in the Clinic hospital at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Joe Wright and Mrs. Susie Tucker were in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mrs. G. W. Allard is convalescing at her home after an operation at the Clinic hospital in Wichita Falls last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith and son, Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Carpenter and Misses Ora May Carpenter

and Mildred Hodges were shopping in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harding and daughter of Amarillo, were guests of their parents this week.

Miss Annie Brown, a faculty member of the Byers school, spent the week-end with her parents at Gainesville.

Mrs. J. J. Cato of Spur, Texas, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alma Henderson, and Mary Ruth Henderson.

First Methodist Church

Church School, 9:45 a. m. W. S. Cummings superintendent.

Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m. The pastor, Rev. Stewart O'Dell, will speak to the Boy Scouts.

Young People's Meeting at 6:00 p. m.

Evening Worship, 7:00 Sermon by the pastor.

Week-Day Activities: Woman's Missionary Society at the church at 2:00 p. m. Monday.

Wednesday, 7:00 p. m. Prayer Service.

**No. 395
BANKS
OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF
FINANCIAL CONDITION
of the**

Continental State Bank

At Petrolia, State of Texas at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1936.

published in the North Clay County Journal, a newspaper printed and published at Byers, State of Texas, on the 20th day of March, 1936.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$49,521.86
Other bonds and stocks owned	14,722.83
Banking House	2,250.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,000.00
Real estate owned, other than banking house	1,281.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	51,203.67
Stock and/or assessment Fed. Dep. Ins. Corp.	176.44
TOTAL	\$121,155.80
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Income Debentures sold.....	10,000.00
Total Capital Structure.....	35,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,134.10
Individual deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	79,274.75
Time Certificates of Deposit	3,746.95
TOTAL	\$121,155.80

STATE OF TEXAS)
County of Clay)
We, H. W. Perkins, as President, and M. D. Frazier, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
H. W. PERKINS, President.
M. D. FRAZIER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1936.
F. T. WEBB,
Notary Public, Clay County, Texas.
CORRECT—ATTEST:—
J. A. BURRUS, E. M. PERKINS,
ROY R. FULTZ, Directors.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

BYERS, TEXAS

The Bank of Friendly Service

**FORMAL OPENING
OF THE
NEW AND ENLARGED
ORCHID SHOP**

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 23

7 to 10 P. M.

Wichita Falls, Texas

And we sincerely hope that our many friends and patrons will plan to attend. Since January 1st, while we were in temporary quarters, our service, we feel was slightly impaired and we take this opportunity to thank those of you who have so patiently borne with us. Our new store is now completed and we assure you that the usual courteous and efficient Orchid Shop service shall prevail as in the past.

Our new store has been practically doubled in size . . . new departments have been added and many improvements made. The modernistic design of the interior was planned by Grand Rapids Fixture Co. and a most modern air conditioning unit has been added to assure you every comfort for summer shopping.

We have just cause to be proud of this modern store and it is our pleasure and privilege to invite you to inspect it Monday evening at our formal opening.

The Orchid Shop
WICHITA FALLS

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Prompt and Courteous
Service at all times!

**Highest Market Price
Paid for Your Cream
and Eggs!**

GREEN'S GROCERY
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SOCIETY



MISS CUMMINGS AND MR. CASHION WED

Mrs. John R. Cummings announces the marriage of her daughter, Ruth, to Mr. Charles Ward Cashion, son of Mrs. C. R. Cashion of Waurika, Okla., on Sunday evening, March 1, at Seymour, Texas. The impressive ring ceremony was read by Rev. Ira A. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist church of that city.

The bride was attired in a brown travel crepe dress with accessories to match.

Mrs. Cashion who has lived in Byers, is a graduate of McMurry Academy of Abilene and an ex-student of the North Texas State Teachers College of Denton. Prior to her marriage she taught school in Clay county, but is now connected with the Tucker Insurance Agency at Burkburnett, Texas. Mr. Cashion, who received his education at the University of Oklahoma, is now serving his third term as Tax Assessor of Jefferson county in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Cashion will make their home in Waurika, Okla.

LOVELY LUNCHEON AT THE VAUGHTER HOME

Among the lovely affairs of the week was a luncheon given Monday night by Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Vaughter at their home to honor the official board and their wives of the Methodist church.

For the luncheon the reception and dining rooms featured attractive decorations of St. Patrick colors.

The attractively appointed luncheon tables were covered with white linen cloths. The delicious two course luncheon was served at 7:30 o'clock. Guests included Messrs. and Mesdames W. L. Graves, W. C. Murray, Q. R. Harbour, Stewart O'Dell, W. D. George, Sam B. Householder, W. S. Cummings, C. E. Harding, H. D. Vaughter Jr., and the hostess and hostess, Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Vaughter.

ALARM CLOCKS

DOES YOUR ALARM CLOCK HAVE THE DATE OF PURCHASE ON IT?

Is it guaranteed for TWO YEARS? If it should stop will the dealer who sold it replace it with a new one?

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BLUE BONNET CLUB

Mrs. Beulah Smith was the lovely hostess to members of the Blue Bonnet Club at her home Thursday afternoon.

"Edna St. Vincent Millay" was the subject for study. A brief business session was held, the president, Miss Harding, presiding, followed by the study work, Mrs. Leo J. Curtis as leader.

Mrs. Hiram Vaughter discussed the plays, reading with comments, the play "Two Slatterns and a King," giving estimate of Miss Millay's achievements as a writer of poetic drama.

The poems by Miss Millay were discussed by Mrs. Beulah Smith. She read several poems showing the simplicity of the singing lines, the simplicity of expression and homely similes in her poems. Concluding with the place Miss Millay stands in American literature as the greatest woman poet America has produced.

Those present were Mesdames Leo J. Curtis, W. L. Graves, Stewart O'Dell, Hiram Vaughter, John R. Cummings, Misses Madeline Harding, Pauline Rowe, Annie Brown, Alice Graves, Grace Lawrence, and the hostess, Mrs. Beulah Smith.

ARDEN STUDY CLUB

The Arden Study Club of Petrolia, met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. C. Bock to study "Modern Turkey."

A Victor recording, "Turkish March" from "Ruins of Athens," by Beethoven, opened the program. Mrs.

DOROTHY THEATRE - HENRIETTA, TEXAS -

FRIDAY - SATURDAY

March 20th - 21st

"PROFESSIONAL SOLDIER"

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VICTOR McLAGLEN

Freddie Bartholomew - Gloria Stuart

A great team in a great triumph! Rife with romance! Rollicking with adventure! Spiked with excitement! Flaring with laughter! Uproarious as only a Damon Runyon yarn can be!!

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SATURDAY NIGHT PREVUE
SUNDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT
BING CROSBY

Ethel Merman - Charlie Ruggles

-in-

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Broadway's biggest and best musical comedy in years smashes across the screen in one grand outburst of merriment with Bing Crosby, torch singing Ethel Merman, and funnyman Charlie Ruggles!

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MONDAY - TUESDAY

March 23rd - 24th

"WOMAN TRAP"

-with-

Gertrude Michael - George Murphy
Roscoe Karns

It is excitement . . . danger . . . romance . . . you crave!! Here's your picture, paced to thrill!!

Musical Act and Color Cartoon

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY

ALL SEATS 10c

"HER MASTER'S VOICE"

Edward Everett Horton

Peggy Conklin - Laura Hope Crews

Elizabeth Patterson - Grant Mitchell

The play that rocked Broadway for eight months becomes eight reels of musical hilarity with Horton crooning love songs to a million women just to win the one in a million he wanted!!

-also-

BUSTER KEATON in

"GRAND SLAM OPERA"

Entertain Your Family and Friends

AT THE DOROTHY!

Bob Brannan, leader, and Mrs. Edd Cantrell gave special topics concerning important cities, people, and customs of Turkey, taking the material from "Bible Lands Today" by Ellis, "From Job to Job Around the World" by Fletcher and "Eminent Asians" by Hall.

Fifty colored lantern slides "Children of Different Lands," with a lecture by Mrs. Moon, concluded the

program.

Those present were Mesdames C. C. Bock, Henry Long, K. W. McDonald, G. W. Perkins, Bob Brannan, Edd Cantrell, M. W. Moon, and Miss Dorothy Pitt.

Mrs. J. H. Graves and Mrs. Grover Thaxton and Miss Ada Graves of Henrietta, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Graves Sunday.

ST. ELMO BEAUTY SHOP

Shampoo	15c
Finger Wave	15c
Rinse	15c
Henna Rinse	50c
Henna Pack	75c
Clairol	\$2.00
Eye Brow and Lash Dye	25c
Manicure	35c
Oil Manicure	50c



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\$1.00 Push-Up Croquignole, 2 for	\$1.50
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\$3.00 Sogua Art	\$2.00
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Fashion News
for Spring 1936



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Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BYERS

IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS,
MARCH 4, 1936

ASSETS

Loans and discounts	\$119,247.23
Overdrafts	53.18
Other bonds, stocks and securities	2,082.50
Banking house, \$7,700.00, furniture and fixtures, \$6,400.00.....	14,100.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	2,362.52
Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	9,197.01
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	29,998.08
Cash items not in process of collection	118.71
Other assets, deposit insurance fund	293.68
TOTAL ASSETS	\$177,452.91

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations.....	\$122,477.14
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	16,600.00
State, county and municipal deposits	3,116.01
Not secured by pledge of loans and or investments	\$142,193.15
Total deposits	142,193.15
Capital Account:	
Common Stock, 250 shares, par \$100 per share	\$25,000.00
Surplus	9,250.00
Undivided profits, net	1,009.76
Total Capital Account	35,259.76

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$177,452.91

State of Texas, County of Clay, ss:

I, W. L. Graves, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. L. GRAVES, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of March, 1936.

(Seal) G. A. Shields, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest: Leo J. Curtis, R. L. Ligon, W. S. Cummings, directors.

Home of Society Brand Good Clothes

A HIT LAST YEAR . . . AND HEADED FOR
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THE IDEAL SUIT
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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Jones and little son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Henderson Sunday.

Mr. Sam Baker Householder was the guest of Mr. Matthew Tucker of Burkburnett, Saturday.

Miss Velma Cooper of Wichita Falls, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cooper, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Green and Mrs. Jack Taylor of Valentine, were Sunday guests of Mrs. G. W. Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pastusek of Nona, are guests of Mrs. Pastusek's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Aubrey and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. Aubrey's mother, Mrs. H. J. Albee, of Burkburnett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Henderson returned home Saturday after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Meadows, of Indianoma, Okla.

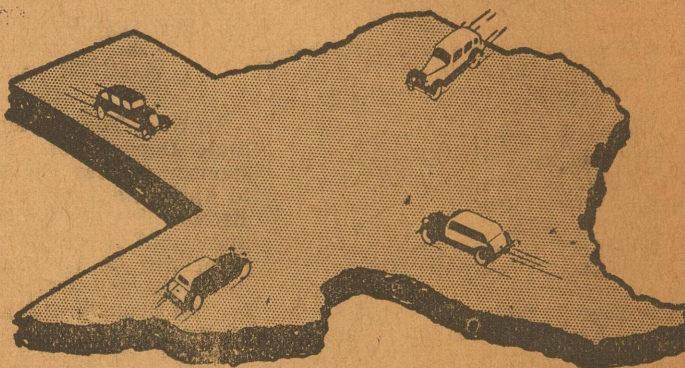
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Cheer up, Grandpa, don't you cry. You'll wear diamonds by and by. Uncle Sam has money mills Made to grind out brand new bills. He will help you in your cause With his old-age pension laws. No more worry over bills, Butchers' duns, or doctors' pills. No more panic over rent, Leave that all to the Government. Dine on squash and caviar. Sport a streamline motor car. When the blizzards bliz a bit, Off to Palm Beach gaily flit. Lead the life of pleasure bent, But you MUST spend every cent! Whoopee, Grandpa! Stay alive! Life Begins at sixty-five!

—T. V., Detroit.

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Elaborate Centennial Celebrations make it especially interesting to travel Texas this year! Every section offers interesting attractions—events that come once in a century! Read the calendar printed at the right. For more detailed information, write the Chamber of Commerce at the cities you are interested in.

**VISIT THESE INTERESTING
CENTENNIAL
CELEBRATIONS**

(March 13 through
April 28. Revised
to March 1)

- MARCH 13-22—FORT WORTH — Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show.
- MARCH 17—CRYSTAL CITY — Spinach Festival.
- MARCH 27—GOLIAD—Pontifical Field Mass.
- MARCH 28—AUSTIN—Texas Centennial Relays.
- APRIL 2-4—AUSTIN—Texas Round-up.
- APRIL 3—COLLEGE STATION — Centennial Cotton Festival.
- APRIL 4—BELTON — Texas Literary Parade. (At which 100 Texas writers representing 100 years of Texas will review literary achievements at Mary Hardin-Baylor College.)
- APRIL 6-9—PLAINVIEW — Panhandle Plains Dairy Show.
- APRIL 10—EDNA—Educational Fair.
- APRIL 10-11—GEORGETOWN — Agricultural and Cultural Fete.
- APRIL 12-21—HOUSTON — San Jacinto Association Celebrations. (Ten-day festival, parades, banquets, concerts, and patriotic events, including Catholic field mass of great national importance.)
- APRIL 14-16—SINTON-TAPT — San Patricio County Celebration.
- APRIL 15—VICTORIA — Field Mass and Pageant. (Commemorating a mass held on the banks of the Guadalupe in 1689 by Alonzo de Leon.)
- APRIL 15-21—EL PASO—Schools' Centennial—Portraying the History of Texas.
- APRIL 17—RAYMONDVILLE — Texas Onion Fiesta.
- APRIL 17—KINGSVILLE—Historical Celebrations. (In heart of world's greatest cattle domain, the King Ranch.)
- APRIL 20-25—SAN ANTONIO—Fiesta de San Jacinto. (Gay festival of San Jacinto, Battle of Flowers parade, April 24.)
- APRIL 21—PARIS—"Texas in the Making" Pageant. (Cast of 600.)
- BIG SPRING—"Rose Window" Operetta.
- BOWIE—Centennial Folk Festival.
- KILGORE—Centennial Pageant.
- LULING—Caldwell County Centennial Celebration.
- RALLS—Crosby County Centennial Round-Up.
- TEMPLE—Bell County Music Festival.
- APRIL 22—CROCKETT — "Texas Under Six Flags" Pageant.
- APRIL 25—BAY CITY—Centennial Play Day.
- APRIL 27-MAY 3—VERNON — Historical and Industrial Review.
- APRIL 27-28—CROWELL — Foard County Jubilee Celebration.

For dates beyond April 28, write
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TEXAS CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS
Dallas, Texas

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 25, 1936:

For Congress 13th District:
W. D. McFARLANE
(Re-election)
ED. GOSSETT
BEN G. ONEAL
GRADY WOODRUFF

For District Judge:
EARL P. HALL
of Clay County.
HOMER B. LATHAM
of Montague County.
H. S. CALAWAY
of Montague county.

For District Clerk:
JESSIE C. CHESNUTT
(Re-election)

For Sheriff:
E. P. BOMAR
(Re-election)

For County Judge:
C. J. SHERRILL
(Re-election)

For County Attorney:
PIERRE M. STINE
HOUSTON McMURRY

For Assessor-Collector:
W. H. (HAM) DOUGLASS
(Re-election)
HOLLIS B. MOORE

For County Clerk:
JEAN C. CALLAWAY
(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
J. C. PAYNE
(Re-election)

Public Weigher, Precinct 2:
CLIFF DAVIS (re-election)

Mrs. T. H. Ellis of Nocona, visited relatives here Sunday.

State Department of Health Sponsoring "Clean Up Week"

Austin, Texas, March 19.—The State Department of Health will sponsor a Clean Up Week, March 29 to April 5, according to Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. He urges that every citizen in the State co-operate in this campaign to improve the appearance of the property, and promote the general welfare of the citizens.

This is Centennial Year and thousands of persons will visit Texas, and Texas will be on parade for the approval of these visitors. If all property holders will repair and paint their buildings, and replace all weeds and rubbish with flowers and shrubs, a more favorable impression will be made on our visitors. Every effort should be made to have the best sanitation possible under local conditions.

The Centennial visitors will be in all parts of the State. City officials can help in this sanitation program by having a pure milk and water supply and by applying all known methods of preventing the spread of communicable diseases.

During this week special campaigns will be held to prevent fires, and to promote health among the Negroes. All should join together and make Texas the healthiest and most beautiful, and the cleanest State in the Union.

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 - Men's \$1.98 Kangaroo Pants \$1.00
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 - Men's Paymaster Overalls \$1.00
 - 79c House Dresses, 2 for \$1.00
- and hundreds of other Dollar Bargains!
- THIS IS PIECE GOODS WEEK AT SAUL'S
- Hope Domestic, yard 9c
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- One Range Cook Stove at COST—This is a Bargain!!
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- Winchester Shotgun Shells, per box 65c
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An EVENT!

Our Spring Opening of Smart New

DRESSES

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"Glen-Row Frocks" have done wonders at this low price! Washable prints, navies, new dusty tones in quality crepe—fashioned to the minute! You must see them to believe it! Sizes 12 to 52!! The \$4.98 frocks alone would make Spring Opening a feature event! All the new style touches that dresses must have to be "spring-y"! Full sleeves, scads of pleating, colorful prints, dusties, lots of navy! 12-46!

Fishtails

ARE UP IN SPRINGS SWAGGER

COAT

FASHIONS

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Everyone likes the breezy swing of these extra-wide fishtail swaggers! In soft ombre or light multi-colored plaids—sizes 12 to 20! Come early and catch 'em while we've plenty in stock!

Another PENNEY Fashion Event!

SPRING SUITS

at a surprisingly low price—made possible by buying EARLY!!

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Here are reefer suits, stroller suits, classic jacket suits to a queen's taste—priced sensationally low! Mannish tweeds, herringbones, checks, plaids, chevron polo types, montones! Sizes 12 to 20! Come in, try one on!

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(Wichita Falls)

HENRIETTA CITIZENS HAVE HOBBIES OF GATHERING RARE AND INTERESTING RELICS; HISTORICAL VALUE IN MILLIONS

Nearly everybody in Henrietta has a hobby.

Mrs. Cyrus Coleman gives her spare time to collecting pitchers. She has 200 of every size and hue.

Mrs. T. E. Slagle has many dolls, some of them more than 50 years old.

F. O. Moore has pipes from all over the world.

Mrs. J. W. Douthitt has collected old pictures which have been appraised by the archives of the University of Texas as being of untold value, particularly in this Centennial year.

Bert Schwend, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, has the largest collection of show guns in the world. He has one that was used by Joshua Parker, one of Stephen F. Austin's colonists. He also has

Bonham's gun that was found in the ruins of the Alamo. He has six Texas Revolution guns and one of the first Texas Ranger guns, which is called the Henry rifle. It was the first rifle used in America for a metallic cartridge, and came from Goliad, Texas. He has 120 pistols and 105 rifles each with a thrilling history. This gun collection was started 50 years ago by Mr. Schwend's brother.

There are numerous other hobbies in Henrietta. The hobby display was a unique feature of the semi-annual meeting of the Women's Federation of Clubs of Clay county. More than 200 women came from various communities in the county to attend the meeting.—The Fort Worth Press.

'Good Neighbor' Role Safest World Policy Texas Speakers Find

Dallas, March 19.—Playing the role of "good neighbor" in world affairs, and co-operating actively in international efforts to promote peace, should be recognized by the United States as the most effective means to prevent war, economic authorities concluded Saturday after a five-day meeting of the Institute of Public Affairs.

The Institute, sponsored by the Southern Methodist University as an educational highlight of the Texas Centennial year, and underwritten by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, presented during the week such names as Clark W. Eichelberger, director of the League of Nations Association, W. E. Dunn, assistant director of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Peter Molyneaux, editor

of the Texas Weekly, and nearly 30 others.

Recommended strongly by the Institute were downward revision of the tariff structure, affiliation with the World Court and League of Nations in a concerted effort to prevent war, and general restoration of world trade to bring back prosperity. It was pointed out that Texas, as the nation's leading exporting state, was more vitally affected than any other state by world economic tendencies.

WEDDINGS

Goehring-Compton

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Lily Compton of Prairie Flower and Gus Goehring of Cambridge. The ceremony was read Friday, March 6, by Rev. H. M. Cowling, pastor of the Methodist church of Henrietta.

The couple motored to Houston on a short wedding trip. They will make their home in Cambridge.

Real Estate Transfers

Furnished by Henrietta Abstract Co. A. V. Slagle, Manager

T. L. Bennett et al to Jake Faulkner, 1 acre of T. E. & L. Co. Survey No. 3251. \$10.00.

Rex Gates et al to Albert Grinke all of lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, block 17, Edwards & Stokes Addition to Halls. \$20.00.

R. L. Patterson et ux to Dorothea Mae Pennington, 1 acre of W. A. Farris Survey, abstract No. 146. \$100.

Helen Hurn, feme sole to Frank R. Hurn, all my interest: Various blocks and parts of the Parker County School Land and Angelina County School Land. \$1,100.00.

Myrtle Spencer et vir to Frank R. Hurn, all our interest: various blocks and parts of blocks of the Parker County School Land and Angelina County School Land. \$1,100.00.

J. H. Hurn et ux to Frank R. Hurn, all our interest: various blocks and parts of blocks of the Parker County School Land and Angelina County School Land. \$1,100.00.

Blanche Weaver et al to P. H. Boddy, all lots 5, 6, 7, 8 in block 20 R. R. Addition to Henrietta. \$50.00.

T. V. Brannan et al to C. B. Nelson, N. W. one-fourth of block 37 of Specht & McCutcheon Sub. containing 40 acres. \$1,400.00.

Wallace C. Tomy et ux to W. J. Ausbrooks, 76.23 acres of T. & N. O. R. R. Co. Survey No. 1 and 6. 53 acres of Ambrose Crain Survey. \$2,300.00.

Lewis Turner to Clay County, Precinct No. 4. 5 acres of E. E. & L. Co. Survey No. 3250. \$112.50.

Car Registrations

C. H. Brooks of Henrietta, a Ford tudor.

Earl Nutter of Henrietta, a Chevrolet Master coupe.

Lee Faulkner of Bellevue, a Ford pick-up.

Harry Carter of Bellevue, a Ford truck.

Ray Gill of Buffalo Springs, a Chevrolet Master sedan.

D. C. Dodson of Henrietta, a Chevrolet touring sedan.

Dru Harding of Byers, a Ford tudor.

C. W. Goehring of Henrietta, a Plymouth sedan.

T. A. McDonald of Henrietta, a Chevrolet coupe.

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SHORTENING 8 lb. carton 89c

SUGAR, cane 10 lb. cloth bag 49c

BOLOGNA, Per lb. 12½c

PORK AND BEANS, can 5c

FLOUR, Success, 48 lbs. \$1.40

Verabest, 48 lbs. \$1.75

Red & White 48 lbs. \$1.85

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Early Breakfast COFFEE— Look for the Red and White package, lb. 19c

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JOHN'S GROCERY

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Tomatoes, lb.10	Flour, guarant'd 48 lbs. \$1.40
Delicious Apples, doz.15	Meal, 20 lbs.43
Cheese, lb.18	Corn Flakes, pkg.10
Macaroni, pkg.04	Prunes, large, lb.06
Milk, Pet or Carn., 7 for....25	Coffee, we grind it, lb.14
Bacon, sliced, lb.24	Salad Dressing, quart25
Cherries, red10	Tomato Juice, can05

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BEWLEYS BEST FLOUR 24 lbs.94c
48 lbs.\$1.85

SHORTENING Swift Jewel or White Ribbon (limit) 89c

COFFEE Folger's, One lb.29c
2 lbs.56c

BACON Wilson's Laurel, lb.26c
Armour's Star or Wilson's Certified, lb.35c