

## SCHOOL TAX INCREASE IS ANNOUNCED BY BOARD

When members of the Brownfield School Board met Monday night, school taxes were raised, a budget for the year presented and approved, the Gomez school problem discussed, four faculty resignations were accepted and six new teachers hired.

Taxes were raised from \$1.30 on one hundred dollars valuation, to \$1.45. Five cents of the increased amount goes into interest and sinking funds to retire bonds, and ten cents will be used for school operational cost. The board explained that the tax raise was necessary in order to offset a cut in the amount of funds to be received next year from the Texas Education agency.

Each school district has an option of contributing their share of the budget either by paying an assignment made by the Texas Education Agency, or by multiplying the local tax rate by the value of the district as used for state and county taxation. The latter method is the one used by the Brownfield school district to determine its assignment.

Brownfield's original index assignment was \$55,000 after the enactment of the Gilmer-Aiken law in 1949. Last year the index assignment was reset for a four-year period at \$119,000. Under the options its assignment was \$88,000. This year because of an increase in state and county valuation within the school district, Brownfield's assignment has been set at \$109,000, which means funds received from the state will be reduced approximately \$15,000. The 10-cent increase was necessary to offset this reduction.

Total budget for Brownfield schools for the coming year's operation was set and accepted as \$393,378.87. Annually, \$62,656.50

## Funeral Services Held Here Sunday For J. A. Benton

Funeral services were held on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. in the First Baptist Church for Jack A. Benton, 53, of Lubbock and formerly a longtime resident of Brownfield. Rev. Jones W. Weathers, pastor of the church, conducted the rites.

Benton died of a heart attack about 8 a. m. Friday in a Lubbock hospital, after he had been rushed from his residence at 2821 Thirty-fifth street, to the hospital by ambulance.

The body was taken to Brownfield Funeral Home by a Rix Funeral Home coach. Burial was in Terry County Memorial cemetery.

Moving to Terry County in 1907, Benton lived here until about a year ago, when he moved to Lubbock to accept a position as supervisor of an insurance company.

Survivors are his wife, a son, Jimmy Benton, Lubbock, two daughters, Carolyn Benton, Lubbock, and Mrs. Harley Rodgers of Brownfield; a brother, W. R. Benton of Brownfield; a sister, Mrs. Carl Marshall of Odessa, and his mother, Mrs. J. D. McCollough of Brownfield.

Earl and J. C. McCollough of Brownfield, survive him, as stepbrothers, and surviving stepisters are Mesdames Willie McDonald, Brownfield; Gladys Sheridan, Dallas; Vivian Johns, Dallas; Ollie Ross, Marshall; and Roy Taylor, Mulshoe.

Active pallbearers were: Gay Smith, Carr Austin, J. B. Armstrong, Martin Line, Crawford Burrow and L. B. Forbus.

Among the honorary pallbearers named by the family were W. C. Brown, Ed Mayfield, C. C. Primm, Eunice Jones, Alvis Black, E. W. Wilgus, Bob Brown, L. H. Dean, Otto Butler, C. L. Aven and James H. Dallas.

## Rotary Club Will Welcome Dist. Gov.



ALTON B. CHAPMAN

The Rotary Club of Brownfield tomorrow will be host to Alton B. Chapman, Governor of the 183rd District of Rotary International, who is making his annual official visit to each of the 37 Rotary Clubs in West Texas. He will confer with President John Hill and Secretary Graham Smith and other local officers on Rotary administration and service activities.

Judge Chapman is District Judge of the 110th District of Texas and resides in Floydada, where he is a member of the Rotary Club of that city. He is one of the 207 District Governors who are supervising the activities of some 7,600 Rotary Clubs which have a membership of 360,000 business and professional executives in 83 countries and geographical regions throughout the world.

Wherever Rotary Clubs are located, their activities are similar to those of the Rotary Club of Brownfield because they are based on the same general objectives—developing better understanding and fellowship among business and professional men, promoting community-betterment undertakings, raising the standards of business and professions, and fostering the advancement of good will, understanding and peace among all the peoples of the world.

Each year, this world-wide service organization continues to grow in numbers and in strength. During the past fiscal year, for example, 219 new Rotary Clubs were organized in 32 countries of North, South and Central America, Europe, Asia, Africa, and the Island of the Pacific.

## Cotton Is Suffering Some In Terry

Took a little round to look at the crops Sunday afternoon, along with the Triggs, Jr. and Mary Ann and the Mrs. Saw the Wellman-Challis section, the Johnson, Pool, Needmore, Meadow areas and from there into Brownfield. Prediction: If we can get a good rain soon, we will still make a lot of cotton in old Terry, as the fields, apple orchards, cow and horse lots and hen runs are all planted in cotton.

But all cotton we saw needs a shower, and some of it a good shower, especially in low places, or the tighter lands, where the rainfall has been a bit shy. It is fruiting nicely, and we noted that none we saw was blooming in the top as was a lot of cotton we saw on our recent trip through Texas, Arkansas and west Tennessee.

We believe if there was any better than any other crops that we saw, it was from Johnson to Needmore, but we saw the most advanced suffering in the Needmore-Meadow area, as they have tighter lands.

As we were away almost a week, this was the first time to see the crops since Sunday, the 20th. There had been a big growth since that time.

## Program Is Thorough, Attendance Light At Agriculture Improvement Field Day

A thorough program of modern farming methods was staged for approximately 250 farmers, officials and guests from Terry and surrounding counties Thursday at the Agriculture Improvement Field Day sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Attendance was less than one-third of the number anticipated.

The program opened at 2 p. m. at the Brownfield Experiment Station headquarters with several types of farming equipment not previously displayed in this area on exhibit. Following a discussion and explanation of equipment, a tour of the experiment station was conducted. Questions

and answer periods were conducted after each phase of the program.

Types of grasses were discussed by Henry Williamson, soil conservationist, and a general discussion on crop poisoning followed. Both tractor and aerial spraying equipment were demonstrated and explained. Advantages of each method were pointed out and compared.

Defoliation was the topic discussed by Dave Sherrill, Lubbock County agent. A thorough study of fertilizers and their uses was made, and deep breaking was demonstrated with disc plows. R. J. Purcell pointed out the advantages of deep breaking for this area.

Neal Randolph, district Extension Service entomologist, answered questions on cotton insects and poisons.

During a relaxation period before the deep plowing demonstration, refreshments were served by members of the Johnson Home Demonstration club.

Attending the field day activities were residents of Hockley, Lamb, Lynn, Gaines, Dawson, Lubbock, Yoakum and Terry counties.

Cows have a habit of chewing on most any kind of sack whether it tastes good or not. Let's save the cows. They are valuable.

## Farmers Should Burn Their Poison Sacks

County Judge Leonard Lang asked us to state that three or four cows have been poisoned from chewing on sacks that had contained insect poison, in Terry county. Judge Lang believed that the best way would be to pile all used poison sacks up and burn them.

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## Posse Members Have Monthly Meeting

The Terry County Sheriff's Posse held its regular monthly family supper Monday night, August 4, at the posse club house. A chicken barbecue dinner was served to approximately 18 members and their families. Plans were completed for the posse to attend the Big Spring Rodeo August 6, and Tucumcari, N. M., Friday, August 15th.

Following the business meeting square dancing was enjoyed by the members. Hosts for this meeting were Mozell Ratliff, Horace Fox, Buck Howell and Clyde Wilson.

## Mrs. Sophia Aytes Dies Here Monday At Jones Residence

Mrs. Sophia Aytes, 90 of Lubbock died Monday at 7 p. m. in the Brownfield home of her daughter, Mrs. O. L. Jones, where she had been visiting. The elderly woman had been ill for about 10 days.

A resident of this area for the past forty years, Mrs. Aytes has made her home either in Lubbock or Brownfield. During the past few years she has resided with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Green of Lubbock.

On June 29, her birthday was celebrated with a picnic in MacKenzie State park, with over 50 persons in attendance. Mrs. Aytes came to Brownfield about two weeks ago.

Funeral services were read Tuesday at 2 p. m. in the Crescent Hill Church of Christ. Burial was in the City of Lubbock cemetery. Officiating minister was Joe Chisholm, assisted by T. J. Finley.

Survivors are a son, H. C. Aytes, Van Nuys, Calif., and seven daughters, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Green, and Mrs. Edna Mack of Lubbock, Mrs. O. J. Bradley, El Paso; Mrs. O. J. Clark, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mrs. J. S. Smith, Van Nuys, Calif.; and Mrs. M. A. Montgomery, Cookeville, Tenn.

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REVIVAL LEADER.— Pictured above is Rev. P. D. "Dick" O'Brien of Big Spring, who will lead the services for a revival opening Friday at the Meadow Baptist Church. Vance Zinn of Lakeview will be in charge of singing. The public is invited to participate in the revival by Rev. Matthew Doyel, regular pastor of the Meadow church.

## An Uninstructed Delegation From Terry County

As per schedule, the Democratic party precinct delegates met last Saturday to elect three delegates and alternates to the State Convention, which meets in Amarillo, Tuesday, Sept. 9.

The convention voted to send an uninstructed delegation to the State Convention, and J. O. Gilham, Burton G. Hackney and Leonard Lang were elected. The alternates are W. T. McKinney, Al Muldrow and C. K. Kendrick.

## W. Gilbert Nunn Becomes Partner At Palace Drug

Warren Gilbert Nunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nunn, entered into partnership at the Palace Drug with his father, effective August 1. The young man will remain in Brownfield for the remainder of the summer, and in the fall will return to Weatherford, Okla., to continue his advanced pharmaceutical studies.

Arthur Nunn has been associated with the Palace Drug store since April 1, 1945, when he entered into partnership with B. R. Greathouse of Midland. Earlier this year, Nunn bought the Midland man's interest in the business and has been the sole owner until being joined by his son.

Chicken Fry Staged By Dennis Q. Lillys

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Q. Lilly entertained with a chicken fry Wednesday night of last week at their home for employees of the First National Bank and their families. Salads, iced tea and cocconut pie were served with fried chicken.

Bank employees attending were John J. Kendrick, E. Crawford Taylor, Thomas C. Wideman, Lillian Cameron, Donah R. Cates, Billie Louise Chambliss, Carmen Porter Davis, Harlene Louise Glenn, Frank H. Gorton, Mrs. Charlie E. Herron, Mrs. Marvin McDaniel, Pat McMillan, Stanley Miller, Bonnie Reeves, Juanita A. Sewell, Gene Willingham and Mr. Lilly.

Other special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cornell, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Farrar, Mrs. Jim Farrar, Mrs. Pat McMillan, Mrs. Stanley Miller, Mr. Chambliss, Mr. Herron, and families of John J. Kendrick, Crawford Taylor and Thomas Wideman.

AT LEGION CONVENTION

Burton Hackney, Dr. A. H. Daniels, Orb Stice and Will C. Brown left Brownfield Wednesday morning for Dallas, where they will attend the State American Legion convention Friday through Sunday.

Revival Is Planned For August 17-24 At Crescent Hill

Crescent Hill Church of Christ will hold revival services August 17-24. Preaching will be daily at 10 a. m., and 8 p. m., with C. E. 25-Gatch as evangelist of Springfield, Mo., in charge.

Tommy Hicks will serve as revival song director.

The public is invited to attend each service during the meeting. Radio station KITY will also broadcast a special revival program daily during the services. Monday through Friday, broadcast time will be 1:35 p. m., and on Sunday, the special program will begin at 4:30 p. m.

Demonstrations Are Set For Sewing Machines At Appliance Service

E. G. Allen, owner of the Lamesa Sewing Center at Lamesa, will sponsor a demonstration of Bel-Air and Fabulous Adler sewing machines at the Brownfield Appliance Service, 514 W. Broadway. Leldon will conduct demonstrations for the public Friday, from 10 a. m. until 4:30 p. m.

## CLAPP PREDICTS 120,000 BALES TERRY COTTON

K. N. Clapp, who represents Anderson-Clayton Co at Lubbock, handed in his first estimate of South Plains cotton production to the Avalanche-Journal, Sunday. His estimate was based on the 20 south Plains counties, and he gave them a probable yield of 2,065,000 bales, perhaps half of the Texas yield this year, judging from reports we have heard.

The four high counties in production are, Lubbock with 300,000 bales, Hale with 220,000, Lamb

215,000, and Hockley with 185,000. These four counties are high in irrigation, with Hale having 3/4ths of its cotton acreage under irrigation. Lynn was also high, but like Terry, rather shy on irrigation, comparatively speaking, with 165,000 bales. Dawson, one of the worst hit with drought affliction, was given 100,000 bales.

Terry county had a total of 275,000 acres in cultivation, with only 20,500 under irrigation, and a probable yield of 120,000 bales. Yoakum had a total of 60,000 acres with 10,000 under irrigation, and probable yield of 25,000 bales, probably twice as many bales as it ever produced before.

With many of the old southern states cut low this year on account of drought, and much of Texas in the same boat, we predict that cotton is going to be as high as a cat's back, and at least the farmers should have some money if the rest of us don't.

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Complete explanations of the machines and their operation will be made. The Bel-Air and Fabulous Adler machines feature a life-time guarantee.

## EX-KNOX COUNTIANS TO HOLD REUNION

The Ex-Knox County settlers will have their annual reunion or get-together on regular date, Sunday, August 10, this year. Basket dinner, watermelon and a good time in general will be the order of the day.

## AT 4-H ENCAMPMENT

Area boys who attended the Summer 4-H encampment in Lubbock recently were Don Bowman, of Meadow, Leon Willis of Brownfield, Deryl King of Gomez, Roy Mason and Dan Willis of Brownfield.

## Bell County Reunion At State Park

LUBBOCK — The annual Bell County Reunion will be held in Mackenzie State Park here August 10, Bajley Guess, Idalou, president of the group, has announced.

The location will be at the northeast corner of the park. Plenty of chairs, tables and ice water will be provided.

Lunch, he said, will be spread out a common table, "or however the group desires."

Guess and Jeff Reed, secretary from Ralls, issued special invitations to all people who have lived in Bell County.

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Well, since the campaign is over except a short ticket for the runoff, politically speaking, we are left as barren as a skeleton on a desert. But folks, are we pleased at the way Texas folks handled the mess that beset us? They really took the job by the horns, and they did it by the dilemma to suit us just the same as if we had been standing right behind them and pointing to the guys we wanted to have the nomination. This applies fully and conclusively as far as State officers are concerned. And as for county and district, most any way would have suited us, as we knew most of them personally, and they were high class people and citizens. We almost wish all of them could have been elected, but we don't need them all; so the voters trimmed them down to a stand, except a few in the runoff. And it will be fine for us no matter which gets the nomination—all are fine citizens and well qualified for the place they seek. But you talk about hot politics, but the fireworks were just opening up good back in Tennessee, and are they going to have a hot election come August 8th. Up to the National Democratic convention, we would say that Gov. Gordon Browning had a walkover for re-election. But many fine Tennesseans, we found, had turned their back on him and were for his opponent, a little known man in the state as a whole, by the name of Clement. Just like us ex-Tennesseans, they fell out with Browning when he voted the 28 delegates from Tennessee against seating the Virginia delegation. Browning was trying to explain that matter away in the Commercial Appeal in its issue of Sunday, July 27th. His explanation was not very plausible, and failed to satisfy the rank and file of voters in the old Volunteer state. Then while back there another thing came to light that was bothering Browning and his followers. The story went that the governor had his agents buy a hotel for \$600,000, then sold it to the state, presumably for an office building for \$1,200,000. That fact had not been denied when we left. It remained for a poetically inclined Tennessean to get up a fine parody on the Tennessee Waltz in unsigned circulars, and they were freely distributed wherever Browning spoke, to his utter anger. So, next Tuesday it may just so happen that a very little known man—many could not remember his

name—will be named the next governor of that state. Will add, however, that while not widely known, Clement is said to be a good man and citizen, and well qualified to be governor. And the many mistakes that Browning has made in the past few weeks may cost him the governorship. We noted, however, that most of the people of wealth were still for Browning. Then there was the case of 84 year old Senator McKeller of Memphis, the Boss Crump supported man. He is opposed by Congressman Albert Gore, who is well known, and the aged McKeller may be unseated, as Crump does not have the pull he had a few years ago. Remember how he tried to beat Kefauver in 1948? And as far as that goes, Browning was not supported by Boss Ed Crump two years ago. Then there was Arkansas, and we might add that their politics were not exactly iced down. There is Gov. Sid McMath, an ardent New Dealer, who stands a good chance of being eliminated this year. The people seemed to be pretty well fed up with McMath. The common run of Arkansawyers believe that Mack is the candidate of the oil and utility interests. We believe they had their primary last Saturday. What amused us was the remarks some of our folks made to us when we told them we were for the re-election of Gov. Shivers. Says one, "why be is a crook." "Who said so?" we asked. "Why that fellow Maverick from San Antonio." We then asked him if he had seen the returns from the election in Texas in that morning's Commercial Appeal. While meager, the Tennessee paper gave the statewide and higher offices like Governor and US Senate, and it showed that Shivers was being re-elected by some 2 to 1 majority. And that reminds us of our little State Observer down Austin way had to "eat its crow" and like it. Of course it wound up by bemoaning Shivers and the truly elected delegation from Texas, calling them "Shiversrats" and other hard names. But the Maverick-Yarborough crowd were not only hopelessly defeated in the conventions, but in the primaries as well. The people of Texas have spoken. And we are satisfied.

Mrs. Thorn Smith and children of Odessa were here making short visits with friends Monday. The late Mr. Smith was a former employee of the Herald.

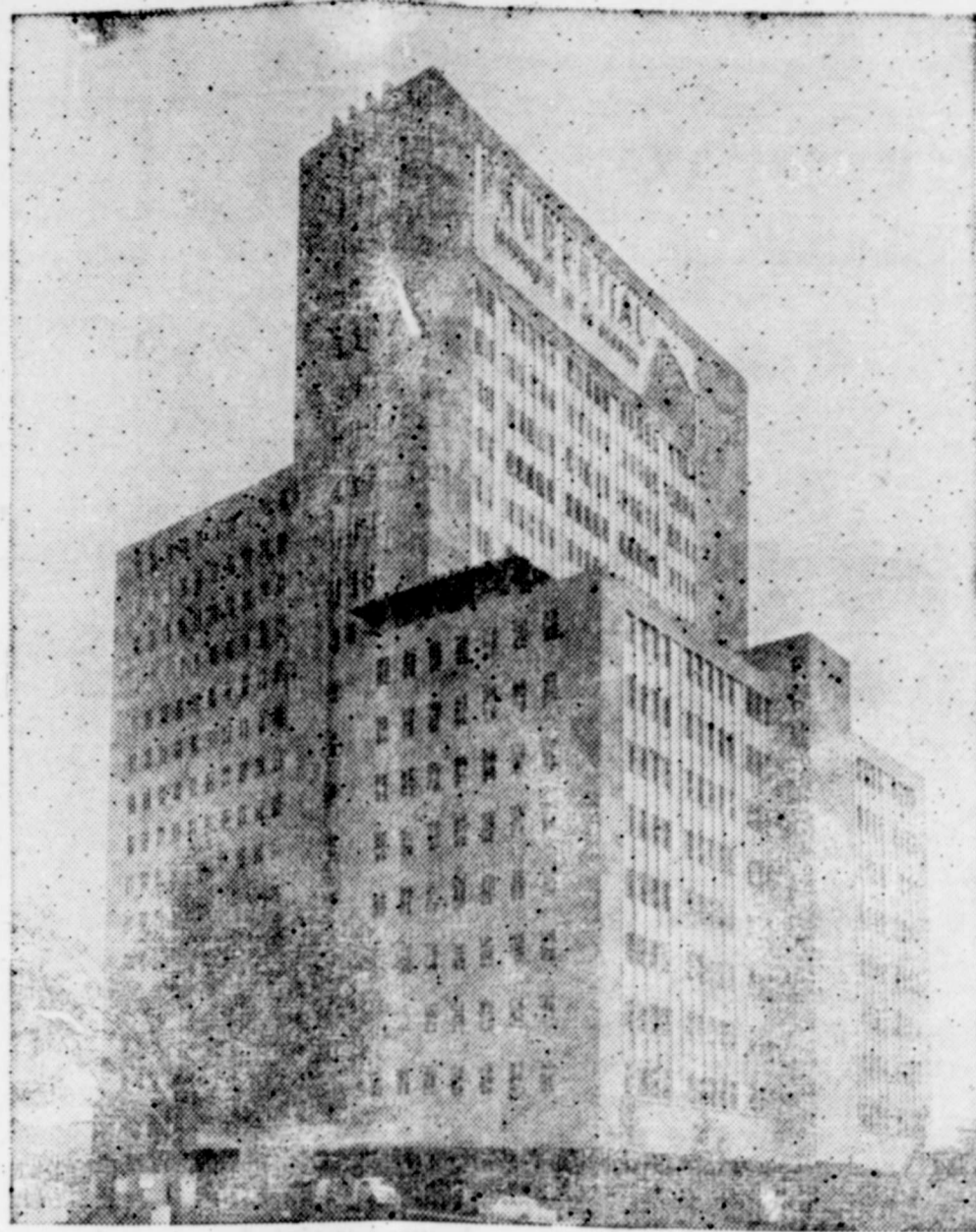
## A Sad Mission to Tennessee Recently

Phillip Rogers of the Harmony community received the sad message by telephone from his brother-in-law, Benton Stricklin, of Paris, Texas, Saturday 26, that Phillip's dad had just passed away in Tennessee, at the age of 82 years. Phillip asked that the writer make the trip back there with he and family. We sorter regretted the decision after we found how much we crowded he and wife and their four little fellows. This was especially true when night came and the kiddoes wanted to sleep. And was it hot? Anyway, they tried to make us feel that we were not intruding in the least, but when a lady sits in the back seat, and holds a child several months old all night, as Faybelle did, we know she felt shot to pieces the next morning. But that gal never complains. She slept some, or at least had her eyes closed. As for Phillip and the Old He, neither closed our eyes except to blink from the time we left here at near noon Saturday, to arrive in Middleton, Tennessee, at around 8 a. m. Sunday. A 1100 mile drive in 20 hours.

We say we never closed our eyes, Phillip did for just one instant, Sunday after daybreak between Little Rock and Memphis, and came near hitting a slow car in front. We were making around sixty. We yelled just in time for him to go around the car, and we were lucky that little traffic was on the highway at that early hour to block the other side of the road. We kept talking to him constantly after that experience. We had not been too well of late, and was perhaps weaker than we thought, and was completely exhausted when we arrived back there. Relatives sized us up, and suggested that we rest and try to sleep instead of going to the funeral that afternoon, which we did. The temperature was 105.5 at Memphis that day, and that is hot—especially back in that humid section. We perspired more that day than we had all the year out here.

Now just a few words about William Franklin Rogers, the man we went back to see for the last time on earth. If there ever was a good man, good neighbor, husband and father, Will Rogers was just that. This fact was demonstrated by the huge bank of flowers, words of condolence and telegrams from all over the country, sent to the bereaved family. Despite the torrid weather, the old New Hope Church of Christ, of which he was a member and elder for years, was crowded to accommodate those who wished to hear the last rites due a fine citizen of that community.

We want to add just a personal word here for the man who married our first cousin. Will and the writer were born within some half mile from each other. He was some 12 years our senior, but when we were with him, after he



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became a man, and we a boy of 12 years, we had just as good time when we visited him, or hunted with him, as though the same age.

Will used to raise some colts each year, and he would call on us to break them to ride. Stock back there at that time were all gentle, hand-raised critters—no mustang blood—and breaking to ride was easy, and we were light on a colt. The main thing was to teach them to be bridle wise. Will would mount a gentle old mare, perhaps the colt's mother, and here we would go down the road, over the hills and down the dale.

So, we have known Will Rogers both as a young man and an elderly man, and his record is A-plus all those years, and we do not have to say this with our tongue in our cheek. Like all flesh, the good, the bad and the indifferent must pass to the other side. But it has been a joy to have known Will Rogers. Peace to his ashes, and condolence to his immediate family.

Found the balance of the folks

## MEADOW NEWS

A program was given by the Brotherhood and WMU Circles at the Baptist Church last Tuesday night. A barbecue supper followed the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Kiser are on their vacation.

The FFA boys and Dock Babbs left Wednesday for San Angelo and continued their stay until Sunday. They reported a grand time.

The beauty shop in Meadow is now open for business three days a week.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Crowover to Meadow. He is the new school janitor and has al-

back there well as usual, but of course, complaining of hot, dry weather. The old corn is gone beyond redemption, and the young corn badly damaged. Cotton has done its do, as it is blooming in the top. More about the folks and crops between here and Tennessee next week, as this article is getting long.

ready begun his duties.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Corbitt of Lamesa visited their daughter, Mrs. Fred Terry, Sunday.

The Roland Evans grocery has a new employee, Mr. Bucke Cates. The Cates family will be moving to Meadow soon.

The Baptists will begin their revival meeting August 8. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. Lorene McAllister is on our sick list this week. She has been a patient in the Plains hospital, but is home now, and improving. Also on the sick list is Mrs. Turner.

Mrs. James, Mrs. Fred Finley and Mrs. Paul Whitaker spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Minter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bugg Miller visited in the U. G. Decker home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sites of Kalgary visited in the Barret home this weekend. Mrs. B. R. Parrish entertained her father, C. D. Caswell on his sixty-fifth birthday, Sunday. The Caswells have eight sons beside the daughter. All were present with their families. The sons are C. W. Caswell, Levelland; Otis, Meadow; Earl Caswell, Brownfield; Charlie Caswell, Meadow; Olan, Meadow; Neal Caswell, Levelland; Norman and Cleatus Caswell, Meadow.

J. W. Eubanks, Jimmy Castleberry, Joe Tongate and Bobby Rutledge left Wednesday for a vacation. They visited El Paso, Juarez, Balmorhea and Ruidosa, and other places of interest.

Mrs. Carruth has moved into her new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Boatman, our new principal, have moved to Meadow. A hearty welcome to them and all our newcomers.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Redford have returned to Meadow for a short stay. They will be moving as soon as they rent or sell their place, to El Paso, where they will both teach next year.

Billie Kennedy of the lumber yard is on a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ming and children and Mrs. Bernard Lay went to Durango, Colo., last Thursday to attend the Indian ceremonies. They will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKinley of San Angelo, and Mrs. J. A. Roberts and daughter Letha Nell of Coahoma, who are there for an extended stay.

## The Triggs Return From California

About 2 a. m. last Monday, the 28th, while the Old He was in Tennessee, the children and grandbaby, Mr. and Mrs. H. Trigg and Sara Beth, slipped in from California, after spending two months out there. We had predicted after the last roaring, tumbling earthquake that they would be in that weekend. We missed it a day.

But they took plenty time coming through mountain sections of

Arizona and New Mexico to view the scenery, and it was cool. But we had some fun teasing them that they got scared of earthquakes, and they did not deny it very strenuously.

But they did say that Miss Sara Beth, aged 2, slept through the worst of the shocks.

Miss Yvonne Sammanns of Tulsa, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Frank Ballard, 702 East Cardwell, all last week. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sammanns, came for her Saturday and spent the weekend in the Ballard home.

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## Legal Notice

### BIDS WANTED

This is to give notice that the School Board of the Brownfield Consolidated Independent School District will open bids for the Audit of the Tax Collector's records for the term beginning September 1, 1951, and ending August 31, 1952.

In submitting your bid for a detail audit of said records the Board wishes you to submit two bids, one for the year now about to end and the second bid for a three year contract including the year ending and two additional years with the understanding one third of your bid will be paid each year when your annual audit is approved by the Board. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any bid submitted.

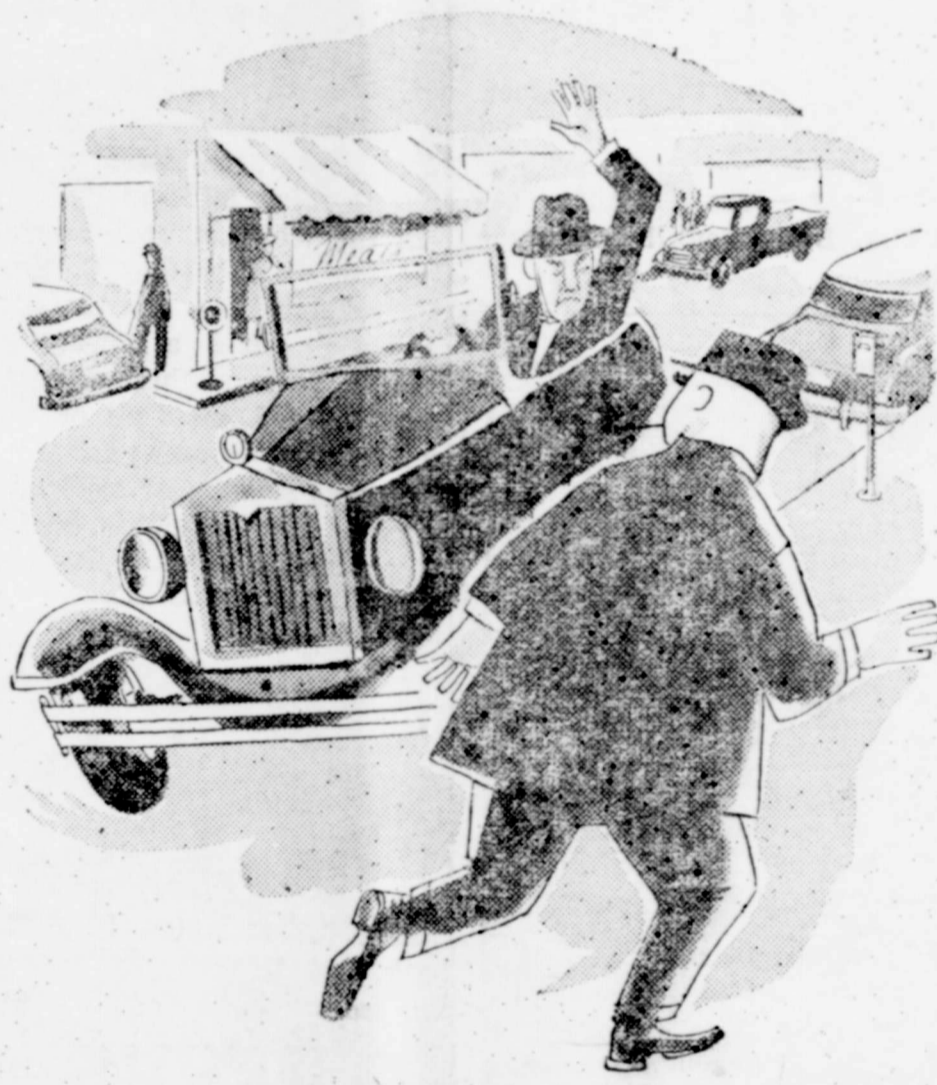
Your sealed bid should be sent to the Secretary of Records, R. A. Simms or Superintendent O. R. Douglas.

**C. G. GRIFFITH,**  
 3c President of School Board

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Terry County, Texas, will meet at 10:00 o'clock a. m. on August 25, 1952, at the Courthouse in Brownfield, Texas, for the purpose of considering the County Budget for the year 1953.

Any tax payer of this county shall have the right to be present and participate in said hearing.  
**L. M. LANG,**  
 County Judge.



Pete Progress and the driver who went around in circles

"Why don't you look where you're walking?" shouted an irate voice. Pete jumped back on the curb, just in time to see an old jalopy turn on two wheels into Main Street. He shook his head, and kept on walking. Suddenly that same irate voice shouted again, "Hey, you, look where you're walking!"

"Wait a minute, mister," yelled Pete. "What goes here anyhow?"

The car pulled to a stop with a screech. "I'll tell you what goes," said the driver. "Me, I'm going crazy."

"Make one! Now, you're the one who's off his rocker," said the driver. "I'm no engineer. This is no bulldozer I'm driving."


"No, I know it," said Pete, "but if this town needs better parking facilities, it must trouble a lot of other people, too. Why don't you talk to them and do something about it?"

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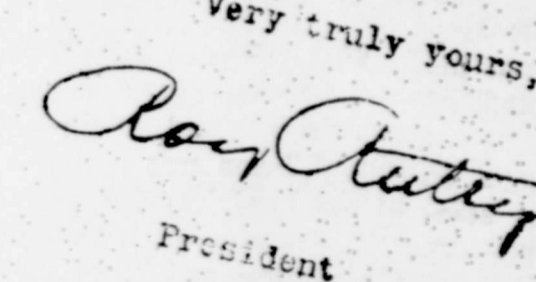


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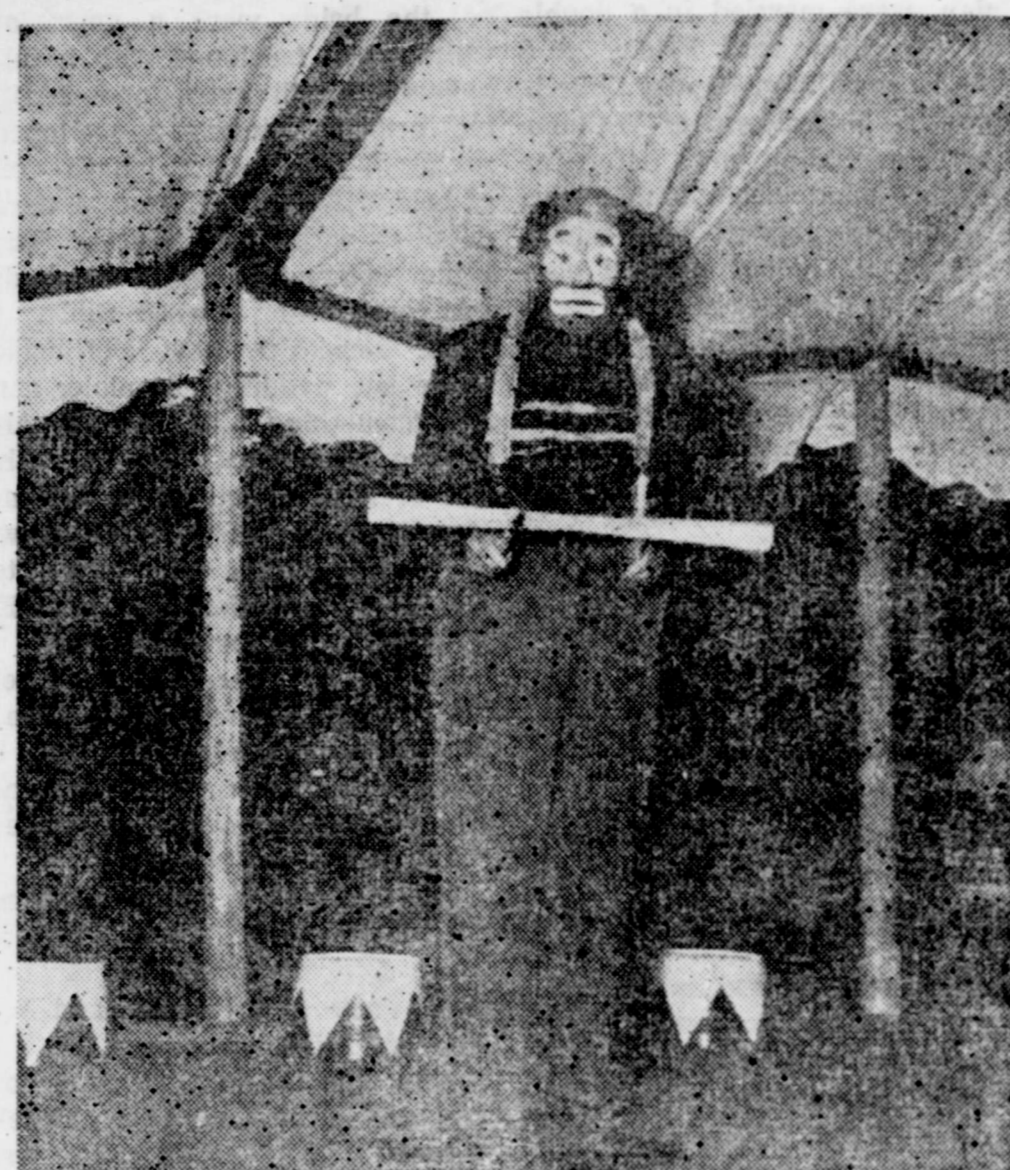
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**BOZO THE GREAT**, famous circus clown, may steal the show at the combined Annual Meeting and Electric Fair sponsored by the Lyntegar Electric Cooperative and Poka-Lambro Rural Telephone Cooperative at the City Park, in Tahoka, August 12. Bozo will be there all day, along with other headline entertainment and free barbecue.

### Many Texans Will Die Heart, Blood Disease

AUSTIN.—State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox has forecast the death this year of some 30,000 Texans due to heart and blood vessel diseases. Twenty thousand will be men, and at least half the total figure—both men and women—will be less than 70 years old.

The problem of worn-out hearts, thickened blood vessels, and kidney disorders is an old one, he asserted, but said the longer length of average life isn't the whole reason for the great numbers of heart disease deaths.

To prove that point he quoted these figures: Of the 30,000 Texans that cardiovascular (heart and blood vessel) diseases will kill in 1952, about 15,000 will be less than 70 years old, 700 will be in their 30's, 2,000 will be in their 40's, 4,500 in their 50's, and at least 7,000 in the 60's.

Since 1941 the male death rate has exceeded the female rate by something like 70 per cent, the health officer said. For those 75 and over the risk of death from heart disease is a fourth again as great for men as it is for women.

These ever increasing deaths to heart, kidney, and blood vessel disorders have been observed for the last 30 to 40 years.

"If a statewide heart program is to develop," he declared, "it will be necessary that there be provided a professional coordinating committee that will counsel on program procedures and give necessary directions on essential medical services."

He credited the American Heart Association with "successfully influencing" fund appropriations, and for formulating a heart control program for the nation.

### Ernest Northcutt



TO THE PEOPLE:

I sincerely thank you for the splendid support you gave me in my campaign for the Court of Civil Appeals. I will appreciate your vote in the runoff August 23.

### Lyntegar Coops Meet In Tahoka Aug. 12

Something new will be seen for the first time in this area when the members and friends of the Lyntegar Electric Cooperative and the Poka-Lambro Rural Telephone Cooperative gather for their annual membership meeting, August 12. The combined Annual Meeting and Electric Fair will be presented by the Cooperatives on that date at the City Park in Tahoka, complete with circus atmosphere, prizes, a continuous program of entertainment and a big exposition of electrical home and farm equipment.

Under three big tents, the regular business meetings this year will be combined with displays and demonstrations of the latest electrical equipment, plus a troupe of professional entertainers headed by Bozo the Great, famous circus clown.

One of the headline attractions of the show will be the amateur talent contest which is sponsored on a statewide basis by a major appliance company. The contest is open to all in this area, and the winner here will receive a radio and will automatically enter competition for a valuable state winner prize to be awarded later in the summer.

The Electric Fair portion of the show is brand new this year and is co-sponsored by the Lyntegar Electric Cooperative and the Texas Power Reserve, state association of electric cooperatives. Tahoka is one of seventeen locations in Texas which will have the fair this year.

The appliance exhibits and a continuous program of entertainment will fill the morning with registration beginning at 9:30 a. m. Free barbecue will be served during the noon hour.

After lunch will come the regular business session of the Cooperatives, with the reports on operations during the past year and the election of directors.

### Estacado Reunion to Be Held Aug. 24

We have notice this week that the annual Estacado Reunion will be held at Mackenzie State park at Lubbock, Sunday, August 24. Plenty chairs will be furnished, but those who attend are requested to bring basket lunches. If you don't already know it, old Estacado (meaning Stockade) was established by a Quakers colony back in the 80ties.

Harry Kelsey, Lubbock, is the president; Bob Brown, Lorenzo, chairman, and Mrs. Frank Hill, Tahoka, secretary. By the way, Estacado was the first stopping place of the wife's dad and family when they landed on the Plains in 1904.

She states that a man by the name of Uncle Cy Kelsey was living at Estacado at that time.

Both hydrogen and helium are lighter than air and so can be used to fill balloons to lift objects.

### On How Weather Affects Humans

During hot, still August most Texans are hoping for an early fall—and in August some might even prefer winter! It's no secret that climate influences the way man feels, the way he acts, and even the diseases which he has.

In the United States is found as great a variation in climate as in any other portion of the world. The Gulf Coast with its long, hot, humid summers; the upper Mississippi basin with its rugged winters; the Southwest with its arid, more even year-round weather—each of these areas, as well as others in the country, offers a contrast with distinct advantages and disadvantages. And varied climatic conditions account for differences in the make-up, both physical and emotional, of the people in the respective regions.

For example, changing weather in the northern and eastern sections of the country is responsible for greater energy in its people and more resistance to infection.

For example, changing weather in the northern and eastern sections of the country is responsible for greater energy in its people and more resistance to infection. Persons living in these regions pay a price, however, in having more diabetes, toxic goiter, and other diseases of the metabolic system, the set of organs which has to do with the building up and breaking down of body tissue. They also have more mental and nervous breakdowns, as shown by the suicide rates. An exception to the rule that there is heightened resistance to infectious diseases in the North is the rise during the winter of infections of the respiratory tract and complications such as rheumatic fever.

The native Southerner, unlike his northern brother, is forced to slow down his activities during what one authority on climate and

its effect upon health calls "a moist blanket of heat" which prevails a large portion of the year. This means that he is less prone to the metabolic diseases because of a more or less self-imposed rest period during at least part of the year. However, he is more likely to contract infections, particularly fungus infections. His vitality may be at such a low ebb during hot weather that he slows down to a turtle's pace! Indeed, a little farther to the south in the tropics, natives because of low energy often become so careless about sanitation and other health measures that outsiders must see that they are carried out.

Among proved physical differences between people of the regions of the United States are the rate of growth in both sexes and the start of the menstrual cycle with the related beginning of fertility (the ability to have children) in women. In hotter regions where it is hard to get rid of excess body heat, the average body build is that of a slender person of light weight and low stature, the so-called "stringy" type. On the other hand, in cooler areas human beings grow more rapidly, both in height and weight. Since with the onset of fertility in women growth of the long bones is believed to cease, northern women are not as tall as those of the South, where sexual functions are gained later—contrary to some popular beliefs.

Talk about the weather never did much good, but it might be remembered that in general, for each disadvantage which can be named, there is a corresponding advantage. In other words, Nature provides a sort of shock absorber for whatever type of weather she hands out.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Treadway and son, Stanley, of Albuquerque, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Burrow last week.

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### Decline of Texas' Small Farms

What has become of the "40 acres and a mule?"

Where are those small farms which were passed from father to son and worked by all members of the family? Why is the younger generation forsaking the land to seek a livelihood in large cities?

The larger trend towards a larger metropolitan population and a corresponding decrease in rural residents is being viewed with alarm by many persons. The question foremost in their minds is: "Will the declining rural population in Texas hurt the state's future agricultural productivity?" A parallel situation arose about 150 years ago when Thomas Robert Malthus, a brilliant but rather short-sighted English economist, forecast starvation for the human race. The world population, warned the Englishman, is fast outstripping agricultural production.

But Malthus underestimated the farmer's ingenuity in constantly improving his crop raising methods. Because of this ability, and the advantages of mechanization, the present day farmer produces enough food for himself and 18

### Dewey Runnels Thanks Voters

Dewey Runnels, who made a good race for Commissioner Precinct 2, but failed to make the runoff grade, has asked us to say for him that he appreciates the votes that he received. Also that he holds no ill will toward any of his opponents, or any of the voters who did not vote for him. The Runnels family took off for Missouri last week for a vacation, and a visit with relatives.

### SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

Santa Fe carloadings for week ending July 26, 1952, were 23,912 compared with 23,154 for the same week in 1951. Cars received from connections totaled 10,183 compared with 9,163 for same week in 1951.

Total cars moved were 34,095 compared with 32,317 for same week in 1951. Santa Fe handled a total of 35,820 cars in preceding week of this year.

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## Society, Church & Club News

### Mural to Honor Late M. V. Brownfield

Mrs. Roscoe Wilson, nee Effie Brownfield, was here part of last week going over old photographs of the early days. They are to be used by the famous painter, Peter Hurd, in a mural of the deceased west Texas pioneer and rancher, to be hung in the rotunda of the Texas Tech Museum. It is expected that the painter will start work October 3.

Mrs. Wilson is particularly interested in old pictures of early model automobiles, buggies, old store, lodge and other buildings, waterworks, harvesting, ranch scenes, trains and track laying, and pictures of early pioneer individuals.

This memorial mural will be given by the five living children of the late Mr. Brownfield, Mrs. Wilson and Messrs. Dick, Ray and Dee Brownfield, and Mrs. Frances Chrestman. The latter is a half-sister to the other children.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wingerd left Wednesday for an extensive tour of western and northwestern states. From Seattle, Wash., the two couples will sail for Alaska.

### BAPTIST CIRCLES IN MEET MONDAY

The Baptist Circles met Monday, with the study from the "The Woman of Destiny" in the Old Testament, by Mrs. C. A. Copass. The chapter was on Rahab and Ruth.

The Lucille Reagan Circle met Monday at 4 p. m., with Mrs. James Fitzgerald. Five were present and Mrs. Otis Lerner taught the lesson.

Blanche Grove Circle met at the church with the Lottie Moon Circle at 4 o'clock Monday. Ten were present. Mrs. J. T. Auburg taught the lesson.

Tuesday at 9 o'clock, the Jeanette Doyle Circle met with Mrs. George W. Nicholson. Mrs. Lucy Cowan taught the lesson. There were thirteen members and one visitor present.

The Bagby Circle met at 9 a. m. Tuesday with Mrs. R. D. Shewmake. Six were present and Mrs. D. P. Carter taught the lesson. Individual circles will meet next Monday for Mission study.



RECENT BRIDE—Pictured above is Mrs. Lynn J. Wright, who was Miss Christine Gorman before her marriage Sunday, July 27, at 2 p. m. in the First Baptist Church. The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Gorman, 512 South Seventh, wore a ballerina length wedding dress of chantilly lace and tulle over white slipper satin. The fitted bodice was fashioned with an off-shoulder effect scalloped yoke filled in with illusion, and was buttoned down the back with tiny self-covered buttons. The long fitted sleeves fastened at the wrists with tiny matching buttons. Her fingertip veil of imported bridal illusion cascaded from a tiara of illusion detailed with seed pearls. The bridal bouquet was an arrangement of red roses carried atop a white Bible.

### Miss Alma Faye Baker, Jave Van Dill Are Married in Double Ring Ceremony

Miss Alma Faye Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Baker of Union, and Jave Van Dill, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Dill, also of Union, were married in a double ring ceremony read Friday at 8 p. m. in the Union Baptist Church. Rev. B. H. Baldwin of Wellman read the wedding vows before an altar decorated with a double heart arrangement lighted by tapers. Bouquets of orchid gladioli completed the decorations.

Providing a musical background for the ceremony, "Always" and "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life" were sung by Mrs. Otis H. McKee, accompanied by Mrs. Joe Arrp, who also played traditional wedding marches.

### Open House Is Held By Odd Fellow, Rebekah Members

Open house was held by members of the Brownfield Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges recently at 8 p. m. in the IOOF hall. Mrs. W. B. Brown served as master of ceremonies for the evening.

Opening the program, Mrs. Kenneth Wall, pianist, played "Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight." Sherry Don Spears and Patti Winn sang several duet selections, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Charles Winn. A reading, "The Wedding of Miss Bray and Dr. Rudd," was given by Mrs. Eddie Moore. Jean, Sonny and Don Curtis also entertained with several musical selections.

Mrs. Clemmie Hamilton served as chairman of the Hospitality committee, assisted by Mesdames E. E. Preston, Kenneth Wall and Lois Taylor. On the Foods committee were Mrs. Lillie McPherson, chairman, and Mrs. Claude Bryant, Mrs. James T. Bryant, Dr. August Curtis, E. V. Riley and W. N. Lewis.

A buffet supper of fried chicken, salad, cake, pie, pickles, potato chips, iced tea and coffee was served to approximately 90 members and guests. Centering the table was a watermelon basket filled with fruit and melon balls.

### HOLT FAMILY REUNION HONORS MRS. E. HOLT

Coleman Park was the scene of the annual Holt family reunion held Sunday in honor of Mrs. Edna Holt, 601 East Main, who celebrated her 79th birthday. Mrs. Holt had all of her children together for the first time since 1930.

Members of her family are: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt and Mrs. Marvin H. Wilson of Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Lillie Hill and Mrs. Ila Smith of Wichita Falls; Mrs. Dave Perry of Kerrville; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Holt of Tatum, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bell of Meadow.

Grandchildren and great-grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Holt and children, Gregg and Janis; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Burdine and Brian of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Bell of El Centro, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Carol Hulise and children, Laverl and Max, of Brownfield.

Other relatives attending were: Mrs. Mary Holt Taylor of Burlington, Mrs. Lillie Holt Dickinson of Lubbock, Mrs. W. T. Clinton, Mrs. J. W. Clinton and daughter, Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Benson, all of Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Arnold of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones of Plains, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Kelton of Pecos; Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Robinson and grandchildren, Nancy June and Thomas Charles; Bess Robinson of Sweetwater, and Mrs. W. L. Clisbee of Lovington, N. M.

### WCS HAS MEETING ON AUGUST 4

Woman's Society of Christian Service met in Fellowship Hall Monday, Aug. 4, at 9 a. m. Mrs. J. H. Carpenter was program leader for "Christian Social Relations." Mrs. W. T. Briscoe brought the devotional, "Fruit of the Spirit," and gave the scripture reading Leviticus 27:28, followed by prayer. The group sang "Jesus Calls Us."

Mrs. James Warren discussed "The Things that Belong Unto Peace." Mrs. Glenn Harris told of "What the United States Membership in the United Nations Means to Us."

Mrs. Geo. Weiss gave a very interesting report of the School of Missions she attended in Lubbock last week. Mrs. Sampson ordered two books for the library in the Junior Department. The books were "Hungry Hollow" and "Davey in the Sandhills." Mrs. Mary Ruth Nelson gave the library the book, "Boy of Nazareth."

The WCS is to have a Silver open house at the John Pertwood home Thursday evening, August 9, 7 to 9 o'clock, and Friday morning, 9:30 to 11 o'clock.

It was voted to try to get the picture film, "Christian Social Relations."

Visitors were Mesdames Mary Ruth Nelson and G. N. Brown.

### PARTY COMPLIMENTS MRS. WAYNE SMITH

Complimentary to Mrs. Wayne Smith, who is moving to Plainview September 1, a coffee-bridge party was given at the Seleta Jane Brownfield clubhouse on Tuesday morning at 9 a. m.

The honoree was presented a semi-porcelain hostess set by the hostesses, Mesdames Herbert Cheshir, K. B. Sadler, Lewis Simmonds, Crawford Burrow and George Steele.

In the games high score was made by Mrs. Harmon Hoyze. Bingo was won by Mesdames Leonard Cheshir and H. H. Bearden.

Guess were Mesdames George Weiss, Mon Telford, Loe Miller, George Sibley, Monk Parker, W. N. Lewis, Leonard Cheshir, Lloyd Hahn, J. O. Burnett, T. C. Wideman, Harmon Howze and H. H. Bearden.

Members present were Mesdames R. L. Cornelius, R. J. Purcell, J. H. Carpenter, Ida Belle Walker, B. J. Hill, B. L. Thompson, Anna Hare, U. D. Gorton, W. T. Briscoe, James Warren, D. S. Sampson, Glenn Harris, Jim Griffith, R. M. Henderson, Ernest Latham, Hogue, Dallas D. Denison, Lula Singletary, Joe Johnson, G. S. Webber, Geo. Weiss, and Miss Maude Bairuth Nelson and G. N. Brown.

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### Miss Bobbie Bartlett Weds Sgt. Lewis In Double Ring Ceremony at Meadow

Miss Bobbie Bartlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bartlett of Route 1, Meadow, became the bride of Sgt. Joe E. Lewis of Reese Air Force base in Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Lewis of Conway, S. C., in a double ring ceremony read Saturday at 6 p. m. in the home of the bride's parents.

Rev. Matthew Doyel, minister of the Meadow First Baptist Church, performed the vows before an arrangement of greenery centered by two large white wedding bells tied with pink streamers. Flanking the central altar, white tapers burned in branched wrought iron candelabra, and white and pink gladioli were arranged with palm fronds in baskets held by white wrought iron stands.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a frock of white organza over embroidery.

shaded white taffeta, fashioned with a fitted bodice and a full gathered ballerina-length skirt. The high collar was detailed with embroidery and the rolled cuffs of the cap sleeves had matching embroidery detail. Her tiny white lace hat was set with rhinestones. For something borrowed she wore a wedding ring belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. Fred Melton of Slaton. For something old, she carried a white pongee handkerchief made by her great-grandmother, and something blue was a blue garter. Her father placed a penny in her shoe for luck. The bride's bouquet was an arrangement of red roses.

Miss Daunita Dowell of Lubbock, cousin of the bride, served as maid of honor, and wore an aqua organza dress designed like the bride's. Her bouquet was of pink carnations. Paulette Dowell, also a cousin of the bride from Slaton, was flower girl. Sgt. Clint DeLong of Lubbock served the bridegroom as best man, and candlelighters were James Donald Bartlett, brother of the bride from Meadow, and Sandy Sanders, cousin of the bride from Earth.

"Indian Love Call" and "I Love You Truly" were played preceding the ceremony, and traditional wedding marches were used.

A reception was held following the reading of the vows on the lawn of the Bartlett home.

Mrs. Marvin Sanders, aunt of the bride, from Earth, poured punch, and cake was served by Mrs. Raymond McGeehee of Post, cousin of the bride. Mrs. Curtis Dowell of Slaton, also an aunt of the bride, registered guests in a white satin bride's book.

Out of town guests attended from Lubbock, Post, Earth, Slaton and Brownfield.

Immediately after the reception the couple left for a wedding trip to Ruidosa, N. M. They returned to Meadow Tuesday and will make their home in Lubbock, where Sgt. Lewis is stationed as supply sergeant at RAFF.

For traveling the bride wore a black and white linen suit with white accessories. Her corsage was of red roses.

The bride is a graduate of Meadow High school, and attended Texas Technological College for two years. She has been employed by the First National Bank as a secretary. The bridegroom attended Conway High school. The bride's family lived in this area since 1927.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bond of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bond of Brownfield vacationed in Colorado last week.

### PINK AND BLUE SHOWER HONORS MRS. McCLUSKEY

Mrs. Bob McCluskey was honored with a pink and blue shower recently in the home of Mrs. Erwin Moore, 707 East Oak. Assisting Mrs. Moore as hostesses were Mrs. Grady Patton and Mrs. L. G. Moore.

Guests were registered in a baby book covered in blue crepe and lace, which was a gift of the hostesses to the honoree. Other gifts were presented in a bassinet covered with yellow and white organza.

Yellow and white gladioli and green tapers centered the mantel. The refreshment table was covered with white lace over pale green and centered by a single green candle surrounded by an arrangement of yellow snapdragons. Pink punch and cookies were served.

Attending were Mesdames Carl Hogue, Don Cade, Harold Shaw, Gordon Patton, Melvin Moore, Carl Elliott, L. G. Chambliss, D. L. Patton, the honoree and the hostesses. Others sent gifts.

### Ella Wood Weds Sammie L. Wallace

Wedding vows were read for Miss Ella Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wood, and Sammie L. Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wallace, Saturday, July 26, in the First Methodist Church.

Rev. Dallas D. Denison, pastor of the church, officiated for the ceremony.

After a short wedding trip to Ruidosa, N. M., the couple is at home at 401 North A.

A pre-bridal personal shower honoring Miss Wood was held in the home of Miss Betty Cabbinson on the afternoon of July 18. Refreshments were served to 12 guests. Others sent gifts.



**AUGUST BRIDE**—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ray of Route 5, Brownfield, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Betty Joyce Ray, to Derrell D. Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lewis of the Union community.

### GOLDEN WEDDING PARTY SUNDAY FOR THE W. F. BANKS

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Banks, old-time Terry county settlers, are being honored with an open house Sunday at their home in Lubbock, 318 Avenue W., in celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

Children of the couple are entertaining with the golden wedding celebration, and calling hours are from 2 until 6 p. m.

### Mrs. Shirley Winner In Golf Tourney

Mrs. Jack Shirley was winner of the second flight at the Ladies' Invitational Golf tourney held at the Cree-Meadows Country Club in Ruidosa, N. M., August 28-31.

Other Brownfield residents making the trip to Ruidosa were Jack Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank you, our friends, for your expressions of sympathy during our time of sorrow.

At a time like this we realize how much our friends really mean to us—The Family of J. A. (Jack) Benton.

### SOUTH PLAINS SQUARE DANCE TONIGHT

The South Plains Square Dance Association will have their regular monthly dance tonight at 8:30 at the Veteran's hall, with Seminole Square Dance club host. Good music. Everyone is invited to attend.

### PERSONAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lewis and son Randy, spent the weekend at Floydada visiting her parents. Her father has been quite ill.

Mrs. Val Garner and two children, Valdecne and Tommie, are visiting Mrs. Garner's sister in Indianapolis, Ind., for two weeks. Her husband plans to go for her.

Mrs. Viola Crowe and daughter, Mrs. Jordan Nash, of Seagraves, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stricklin Jr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Edwards of Duster, Okla., were here the latter part of last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Money Price and other friends. They are also visiting their son, Curley Edwards, Mrs. Edwards and family at Sundown.

### Haislips Leave Monday For Short Vacation

Rev. and Mrs. Homer W. Haislip will leave Brownfield next Monday, for a short vacation. Several days will be spent in the Ozark Mountains visiting with relatives at Chester, Ark. Then they will visit with Rev. Haislip's father at Morris Chapel, Tenn.

The Haislips expect to return home by way of Gulfport, Miss., New Orleans, Galveston, San Antonio and Kerrville. They plan to return to Brownfield on Sept. 4.

During the pastor's absence the elders of First Christian Church will make plans for supply preaching. Joe Shelton is chairman of the board of elders, and Herbert Chesshir is general chairman of the church board.

### First Christian Church

Homer W. Haislip, Minister

Church School meets at 9:45 a. m., with D. L. Pemberton as general superintendent.

"Prayer that Prevails" will be the sermon subject used by the pastor, Rev. Homer W. Haislip, at First Christian Church Sunday at 11 a. m.

Christian Training Fellowship meets at 7 p. m., under the direction of Joe Christian. Adults will study the eighth chapter of Acts.

"The Voice of America" will be the subject of the pastor's sermon at 8 p. m. Many timely and important problems will be discussed in light of modern facts and divine Truth. Members of the congregation are urged to invite their friends to this service.

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This week County Democratic Chairman, Burton G. Hackney, gave us the official vote on the office of constable, Luther Jones having received 1507 votes and Roy Moreman 1721 votes. Mr. Hackney also stated that the official count made little change in the other offices from the unofficial count of last week.

You will note that there are two candidates on the August 23 ballot, Martin Dies for Congressman-at-large, and Earl McNeil, for Commissioner Precinct No. 1, who have no opponents. Mr. Hackney stated that when the second high man in the race withdrew, that fact would give the high man a majority of all votes cast, but the name of high man had to appear on the ballot anyway.



Socialistic schemers and their well-meaning dupes are now engaged in talking about Free Enterprise as if it were a new invention of the powerful and the rich.

I don't think they will be successful, because every American knows that the Free Enterprise system is the traditional American way, and that this nation has become a great country under it.

But simply because the Socialists and their allies are waging a big campaign, and using a lot of

loose language, I'd like to ask just four basic questions:

One: Which system, Free Enterprise or Socialism, has produced the greater amount of goods for its people to enjoy?

Two: Under which system, Free Enterprise or Socialism, is wealth better distributed?

Three: Which system leaves the individual citizen the greater freedom to lead his own life?

Four: Which system has the best machinery for correcting whatever abuses may arise?

The answer is Free Enterprise, every time. The record proves it.

Production: American production leads the world. So does America's total wealth, and America's wealth per capita. America leads the diversity of goods produced, in the number of businesses both large and small, and in the accumulated savings of the people, in cash, in bonds, in insurance, in pension funds, etc.

Distribution: The average American's share of this great wealth is higher than that of any citizen of any country in the world. Whatever an American may be, whether bank clerk or farmer, mechanic or school teacher, butcher, bus driver, executive or laundress, he or she lives on a far higher economic level than any such person anywhere else in the world.

Freedom: Not only do Americans live well, but they have the best chance to move up into still better positions. Our youngsters can choose a line of work they think they'll like. Our people can change jobs. They can save money, and either risk it or invest it.

Abuses: When and as abuses do arise, the American voter can take power into his own hands. He can change the political complexion of his government, and even, by amendments to the Constitution, alter the fundamental laws under which we live. No socialist regime anywhere in this world offers the mass of the people even the smallest fraction of such freedom.

America is looking now toward a great national election, under our two-party system. From the offerings of the parties, free voters will make free choice. The Free Enterprise system thus operates even in the field of politics.

Who could dream of exchanging this for the Russian system, which is Socialism in its fullest development? What American, in this election year, can fail to thank God for past blessings and future hopes?

### Dock Settles Thanks Voters

I take this means of expressing my thanks for the vote and support given men in the recent primary. I deeply appreciate the consideration of my candidacy by others, even though they did not vote for me.

I also wish to congratulate each of my opponents for the very clean campaign they conducted, and feel that any of my opponents could have filled the office in a capable manner.—"DOCK" SETTLES.

### Wife of Early Day Sheriff Passes

We noted the passing of another real old pioneer down at Seagraves last week, account of which was in the Gaines County News, Seagraves, at which place the lady made her home since 1917, the year the railroad reached that city. She was Mrs. C. W. Hudson, 83, wife of the late Lum Hudson, who was believed the first sheriff of Yoakum county after it was organized.

At least Yoakum county had only been organized two or three years when we landed in Brownfield in January 1909, and Lum was then serving his first or second term, and was elected several more, or about as long as he wanted the office. Lum passed on in February 1932.

Grandsons acted as pallbearers at the funeral of Mrs. Hudson at the Baptist church in Seagraves Monday, the 28th.

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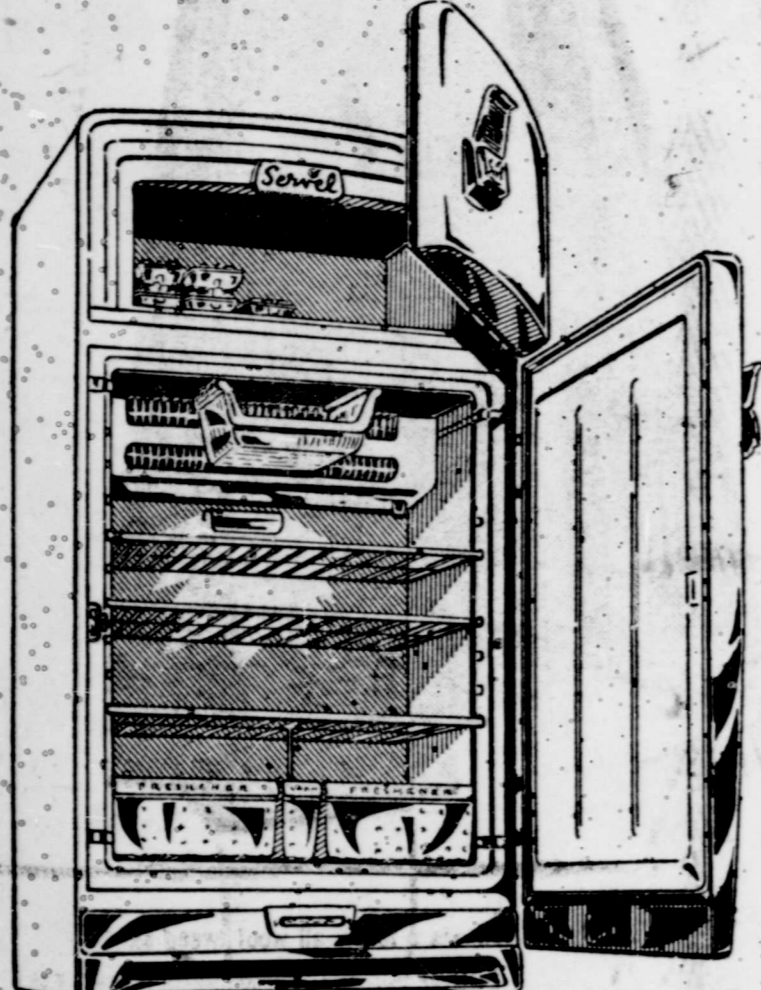
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Evening Worship ..... 8:00 p.m.

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By C. L. LINCOLN

Terry County Service Officer

**Part I—COMPENSATION**

Compensation is payable by the Federal Government to veterans of all wars who have been discharged or separated from active service under conditions other than dishonorable, who as a result of such service suffered an injury or disease contracted in line of duty, or aggravation of a pre-existing injury or disease, and not the result of the veteran's own misconduct.

**World War I Service Connected Disability**

Compensation to Veterans of World War I for war service con-

nected disability was provided and approved March 20, 1933.

**Pension for Non-Service Connected Total and Permanent Disability**

Part II provides for payment of pension to any person who served in the active military or naval service for a period of 90 days or more during either World War I or II, and who has been discharged or released from service under conditions other than dishonorable; or who having served less than 90 days, was discharged for disability incurred in line of duty, who is shown to have been in active service therein before the cessation of hostilities, for permanent total disability, not the result of his misconduct and which is not shown to have incurred in any period of military or naval service.

**1. Service (World War I): Re-**

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**G. I. QUESTIONS and ANSWERS**

Q. I'm a World War II veteran drawing disability compensation, on a graduated rating for arrested tuberculosis. I understand there's a new law that pays statutory awards to veterans with arrested TB. Will I have to apply for these awards, or will I get them automatically?

A. So long as you're receiving compensation for arrested TB on a graduated rating—a sliding scale that's adjusted downward periodically—you will not have to apply for the statutory awards. They'll be paid automatically. A veteran who is not receiving compensation for arrested TB on a graduated rating, however, must apply for the new statutory payments.

Q. I obtained a GI home loan during the early days of the GI Bill, when the top guarantee was \$2,000. Now I want to sell my house and buy another one. Will I receive an additional entitlement, even though my first house has been guaranteed for the entire \$2,000?

A. Yes. You may be entitled to the difference between \$2,000 guarantee already used and the law's current top guarantee of \$7,500 for home loans—or a home loan guarantee of \$5,500.

Q. I'm in the Regular Army, assigned to a college to teach military subjects in connection with an ROTC program. I'm also eligible for GI training, since I was discharged in 1946 and reentered service sometime later. Would VA consider me to be a school teacher and allowed me to take summer courses under the GI Bill that lead to a degree, so long as I continue with my ROTC teaching the rest of the year?

A. No. VA would not consider you as a full-fledged school teacher, since you are not employed by the school, and have been assigned to your present duties for a temporary period of time in lieu of other regular military assignments.

Q. Is it possible to pay GI insurance premiums in advance, rather than on a monthly basis?

A. Yes. If you pay in advance, you save a certain amount every year. Payments in advance may be made either quarterly, semi-annually or annually.

War I can be met in any of the following ways:

a. Ninety days continuous service. The ninety days continuous service could have commenced prior to April 6, 1917, and extended beyond that date, or it could have commenced prior to November 12, 1918, and extended beyond that date.

b. The total of 90 days service during one of the enumerated wars can be composed of two or more periods of service, if all such periods are within the war period.

c. The required 90 days can be accumulated by a re-enlistment in the military or naval service on or after November 12, 1918, and before July 2, 1921, where there was prior service between April 6, 1917, and November 11, 1918.

d. Ninety days continuous service if enlistment was subsequent to November 11, 1918, provided the service man served with the U. S. Military Forces in Russia prior to April 2, 1920.

e. Less than 90 days, if discharged for disability incurred in line of duty.

Service (World War II): Ninety days continuous days service, soon after December 6, 1941, and before 12 o'clock noon December 31, 1946. The computation of the required 90 days service may include continuous service in an enlistment beginning before December 7, 1941, and continuing in the World War II period; or in an enlistment beginning before 12 o'clock noon December 31, 1946, and continuing into the following period.

2. Character of Discharge (WW I and II): Under conditions other than dishonorable.

3. Disability (World War I and II): Permanent and Total.

4. Income (World War I and II): (a) Single, annual income not to exceed \$1,400.

(b) Married or has minor children, annual income not to exceed \$2,700.00. Income means "net income." United States Government Life Insurance and National Service Life Insurance Payments are not considered as income.

5. Conduct (World War I and II): Disability not due to own willful misconduct or vicious habits.



**IT'S THE LAW in Texas**  
A public service feature of the State Bar of Texas

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law).

Is there a counterpart of our American "Bill of Rights?" Texas lawyers believe that for every Guaranteed Right, there is a corresponding Responsibility on the part of every citizen.

Recently the American Citizenship Committee of the State Bar was presented an award by the Freedom Foundation for its work during 1950-51. One of its projects during that time, and one factor in earning the award, was the development of the following "Bill of Responsibilities:"

I. It shall be the duty of every citizen to render undivided allegiance to the Constitution of the United States, to work for its betterment and perpetuation, to respect the sovereignty of the people's government, and to defend the nation against all its enemies whomsoever.

II. It shall be the duty of every citizen to be familiar with the Constitution of the United States and to be informed as to what rights and liberties are his, and to use these rights in such manner as is consistent with his own welfare and the welfare of his fellow citizens.

III. It shall be the duty of every citizen to defend with his life the rights and liberties granted to him and his fellow citizens by the Constitution, to obey the laws of the land and aid in their enforcement, and to oppose vigorously any persons whose intention is to transgress the law or to oppress the rights of others.

IV. It shall be the duty of every citizen to make honest, wise and courageous use of the free and secret ballot at every election; to exercise freedom of thought, speech, and worship; to protect the freedom of the press; to safeguard the right of trial by jury and to render willing jury service when called upon; and to perform all other acts conducive to the perpetuation of the rights set forth

**Early Day Doctor Visiting Son Here**

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Copeland recently made a trip to Coolidge, Ariz., to visit his grandmother, Dr. C. A. Copeland, and his aunt and uncle, Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Campbell. Dr. Copeland accompanied them home, and is at present in Plainview for a physical checkup. Dr. Copeland and her late husband are pioneer west physicians, having practiced at Loraine and Ralls before moving to Brownfield many years ago, where they with their late sons, Morgan and Andrew, bought extensive real estate and bank holdings. However, they never practiced medicine here.

**in the Constitution**

V. It shall be the duty of every citizen to protect and sustain the unwritten liberties and rights vested in him by custom and usage and to perpetuate the ideals of the equality and dignity of the individual, upon which the Constitution is founded.

VI. It shall be the duty of every citizen to be active in the political party of his choice, and to be vigilant of the public officers, to render all possible aid to them, and to serve in public office by appointment or election when qualified and when called upon to do so. It shall be his duty to strive for the selection of public officers of ability and upright character; and when holding public office, to serve in such manner as will subordinate private or minority interest to those of the people at large.

VII. It shall be the duty of every citizen to achieve the highest practicable level of education, and to work for the advancement of education by supporting and improving the public schools and by fostering the desire for education among his fellow citizens.

VIII. It shall be the duty of every citizen to defend the right to buy and sell, to own land and other property, to engage in commerce, and to work and earn a living wage, as a fundamental guarantee of the freedom and welfare of the nation.

IX. It shall be the duty of every citizen to instruct his children in the principles of freedom and to spread the ideals of democratic government at home and abroad.

X. It shall be the duty of every citizen to preserve an attitude of self-reliance, and to use all legitimate means to achieve financial independence and security; to practice thrift and economy in his own affairs and to require the same of local, state and federal government.

Have news? Call the Herald!

**Legal Notice**

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—Greeting:

You are hereby commnded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Terry County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: J. Y. Jones, Defendant,  
Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Terry County at the Courthouse thereof, in Brownfield, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a. m. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1952, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1952, in this cause, numbered 4089 on the docket of said court and styled Helen Jones, Plaintiff, vs. J. Y. Jones, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce. Alleging legal residence of Plaintiff, and that Defendant's place of residence is to Plaintiff unknown; grounds, cruel treatment. Also for custody of one child, Johnnie Lee Jones, a boy, 6 months of age, and for \$50.00 per month child support, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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

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.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Brownfield, Texas, this 4th day of August, A. D. 1952.

Attest:  
(Seal) ELDORA A. WHITE,  
Clerk, District Court,  
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To the People of Terry County I Personally want to say **THANK YOU** for your support during my campaign.

I have enjoyed meeting you and I am looking forward to serving you as your County Clerk.

I appreciate the confidence you have shown by electing me to represent you as one of your officials.

I would also like to compliment Jack Bynum and Gwendolyn DuBose for a clean race. If I can be of service to the people of Terry County in the future, please feel free to call on me.

**Wade Yandell**

Something to Consider When You Go to the Polls

August 23

LET'S ELECT

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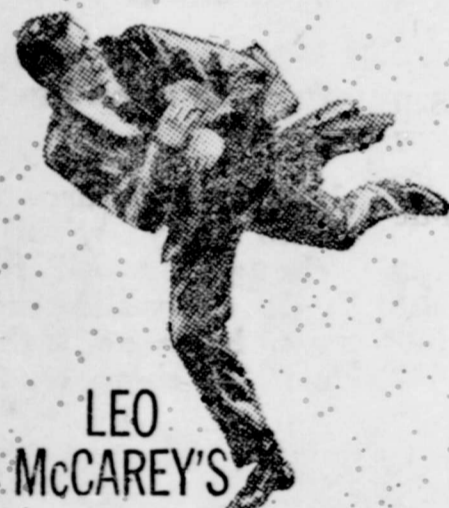
News—Feathered Bullets  
Fair Weather Friends, cartoon

Sun. & Mon.  
August 10-11



News—Little House, cartoon

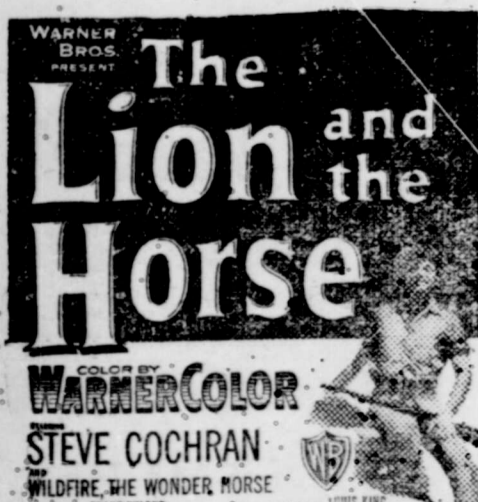
Tues. & Wed.  
Aug 12-13



News—Phooney Ponies, cartoon

Thurs., Fri. & Sat.  
August 14-15-16

KING OF THE JUNGLE AGAINST THE KING OF THE WILD HORSES!



News—Phooney Ponies, cartoon

## RIALTO

Phone 228

Daily Matinees at the Rialto. One show each afternoon starting at 2 p. m.

Fri. & Sat., Aug. 8-9



She Took a Powder—News—Helper, cart.

Sun., Mon. & Tues., Aug. 10-11-12



News—Wacky Weed, cartoon

Wed. & Thurs., Aug. 13-14



Laughs From the Past  
Let's Stick Together, cartoon

## RIO

Phone 156-R

Fri. & Sat., Aug. 8-9



Chapter 5, Captain Video, serial  
Painter and the Pointer, cartoon

Sunday, August 10



News—Wrong Room, cartoon

Thursday, August 14



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## RUSTIC DRIVE-IN

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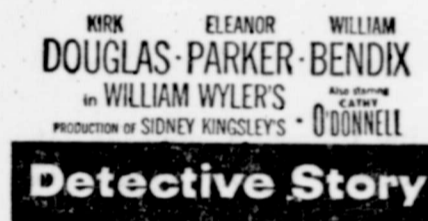
Ted Williams—Painter and the Pointer

Sun. & Mon., Aug. 10-11



News—Figero & Frankie, cartoon

Tues. & Wed., Aug. 12-13



A Paramount Picture  
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Thursday, Aug. 14



Melody Time—By Leaps and Hounds, cart.

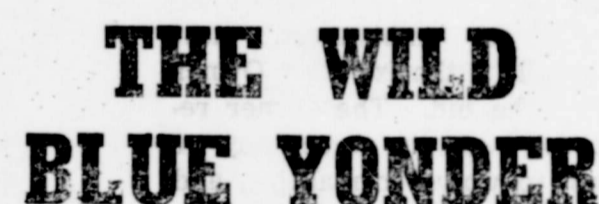
## RIG DRIVE-IN

Fri. & Sat., Aug. 8-9



Scrambled Brains—Wonder Dog

Sun. & Mon., Aug. 10-11



The Painter and the Pointer, cartoon

Tues., Wed., Thurs., Aug. 12-13-14



Bridal Bells—Injun Trouble, cartoon

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### To the Voters of Precinct No. 3

I want to sincerely thank each of you for your vote in Saturday's election. I had four good men opposing me in this race, and I want to thank them for a clean pleasant race.

I appreciate your cooperation in the past and I have tried to be worthy of your trust in me, in handling the duties of this office to the best of my ability.

I solicit your vote and influence in the second primary—LEE BARTLETT.

### Thanks Voters

I take this means of expressing my deep appreciation to all the voters in the primary election, and for the many courtesies and kindness extended me.—WAYLAND (MONK) PARKER.

### Thanks a Lot, Folks!

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking the voters and citizens of precinct 3 for the splendid vote I received. Let me ask each and every one of you for your continued support and influence. Will try to see each of you between now and August 23.—Yours truly, B. R. LAY.

### Behind The Scenes

By REYNOLDS KNIGHT

NEW YORK.—This is Christmas time!

So it's the middle of summer and no snow is expected for several months, but for manufacturers and retailers this is the time of year when the real work is done to make Christmas what it is commercially.

Many larger stores have Christmas promotion plans well developed. Orders for clothing, accessories, sporting goods, specialty gifts, ribbons and wrappings are going out and being filled.

Manufacturers of gift items are stepping up production in anticipation of demand and are preparing advertising and promotions to aid dealers in making the most of the holiday season. Retailers will soon be receiving such promotional material, if they haven't already done so.

All but businesses which lean heavily on Christmas for their profits, none is merrier than the toy industry. It will be a good year. One authoritative estimate puts this year's sales at \$900 million compared with record 1951's \$720 million.

Moreover, this heavy buying in toys is being spread more evenly through the year. Christmas this year is expected to account for only 65 per cent of the full-year total, down 10 per cent from last year. The main reasons for this trend seems to be a shift in habits in purchasing for the bumper kiddie crop and the high consumer spending power which permits the folks to buy at Christmas and still have something left for later in the year.

### Wide Open Democratic Convention Selects Stevenson-Sparkman Ticket



Adlai Stevenson

When the tumult and the shouting died, and the captains and would-be kingmakers had departed, the Democratic party had selected a reluctant, but fighting presidential nominee, Gov. Adlai Stevenson of Illinois, as their competitor for the GOP's Dwight Eisenhower.

Governor Stevenson's nomination came in that ideal way of which all politicians dream, a grassroots draft, relatively free of the complications of major trades and deals. This put him in a position to take command of the party which had shouted and struggled through six days of grueling infighting, but which closed its deliberations with strong manifestations of sincere unity. His demonstrated political address will serve him well in the job of welding the party into a fighting organization for this year's campaign.

But while the battling was rough, it was relatively clean and above board. Governor Stevenson's running mate, Sen. John Sparkman of Alabama, summed up that characteristic of the convention in his speech accepting the vice presidential spot. And there was good evidence for such an assaying of the situation, for certainly "the big loser," Senator Estes Kefauver, returned from battle with as much political graciousness as has been witnessed on a convention platform in many years. So did Senator Richard Russell of Georgia go down to defeat in a spirit of true sportsmanship.

Sparkman was the doctor who was expected to treat the almost-critical political wound that resulted from the Moody "loyalty pledge" resolution in an extremely bitter fight Thursday to get the non-signing delegations from South Carolina, Louisiana, and a Virginia seat.

The most remarkable single fact of the Democratic convention was the angry manner in which the warring factions struggled with each other and yet managed to come away leaving the impression that had erected a facade of unity that somehow would hang together.

Stevenson's Welcome  
In his address of welcome to the delegates on Monday and again in his speech of acceptance in the early and clamorous hours of Saturday morning, Adlai Stevenson revealed himself as a sincerely humble, spiritually erect man, intelligently aware of his limitations as a human being confronted with the awesome responsibilities of the presidency.

Yet, an objective analysis of the convention's proceedings could not in all truth say that Stevenson's nomination was a genuine draft. There was too much work put in on it by the practical politicians behind the scenes. There were too many pressures exerted on the opposition—mainly consisting of Sen. Estes Kefauver—to let the Stevenson "draft" be a thing of complete purity.

Truman's Choice  
It was known to the men working on the inside for Stevenson that President Truman had tabbed him as the man to whom he wanted the nomination to go. And Frank McKinney, Democratic national chairman, was a tireless and effective behind-the-scenes operator on Stevenson's behalf.

Jacob Arvey, Democratic national committeeman of Chicago, had the bulk of the large Illinois delegation in line and handed 53 out of the 60 votes to Stevenson on the first ballot. James Farley of New York threw his shrewd support to Stevenson after Vice-President Alben Barkley withdrew from the running.

Those and other elements of the Stevenson boom were capped by Averell Harriman's previously determined decision to turn his votes, mostly located in the New York delegation, to Stevenson at the right moment.

Dever Keynote  
The first two sessions Monday ambled along to the accompaniment of thousands of words of mediocre oratory, including an entirely uninspiring keynote address by Gov. Paul Dever of Massachusetts who succeeded mainly in shouting himself hoarse.

But it was Monday night—or

other savage struggle that arose over a motion to adjourn by Sen. Paul Douglas of Illinois. Douglas and Senator Kefauver wanted to get away from it all in order to regroup their forces in an effort to get their "stop Stevenson" drive rolling. In that sense, the following roll call was a decisive and accurate test of strength between the Kefauver and Stevenson groups.

The motion that finally went to another bone-wearying roll call vote was to table Douglas' motion to adjourn. Final vote was 671 to 533 to table the motion—a defeat for Kefauver.

Then the wrangle over seating the South Carolina and Louisiana delegations began, with Gov. James Byrnes of South Carolina battling heads with Gov. G. Mennen Williams of Michigan, one of the young liberals who were espousing the Moody resolution.

In the end, Chairman Rayburn, a tough and incisive parliamentarian, gavelled through a motion to seat the two disputed delegations on the strength of a somewhat decisive standing vote. Rayburn had had his instructions and obviously was determined to push through the seating of the delegates in order to bring harmony back to the stricken party and clear the way for the presidential balloting Friday.

A field of 11 nominees entered the lists—Stevenson, Kefauver, Russell, Harriman, Kerr, and Barkley, who had been nominated Thursday despite his previous withdrawal from the race, were the major contenders. Favorite sons were Gov. Paul Dever of Massachusetts, Sen. Hubert Humphrey of Minnesota, Sen. William Fulbright of Arkansas, Oscar Ewing, and Senator Murray of Montana.

The seemingly interminable first ballot, marked by the dawning polls of 11 delegations, concluded with Kefauver holding 340 votes, Russell 268, Stevenson 273, Harriman 123, and Barkley 46.

By the end of the second ballot, Kefauver, with 362, had gained 22 1/2 votes, but Stevenson's total had jumped to 324 1/2. Harriman retained 121, including 54 1/2 from the New York delegation which was bidding its time. Barkley went up to 76 1/2, and Senator Kerr of Oklahoma was hopelessly out of it with 5 1/2 votes.

The lightning struck on the third ballot—time of day: 8:59 p. m. Immediate cause of the swing to Stevenson, which left Kefauver backers stunned and helpless, was Harriman's announcement that he was withdrawing and was urging his supporters in the New York delegation to cast their votes for the Illinois governor.

When the call of the states was completed, Stevenson had 615 of the required 615 1/2 votes for a majority. However, many states began casting for recognition to change their votes for Stevenson. Utah was the first recognized, and with its 12 votes in the Stevenson column the deed was done.

Platform Adopted  
One of the surprises of the convention was the fact that the party's platform, containing its controversial civil rights clause, was adopted by the convention without even a vestige of a floor fight. The party leaders in Chicago had done their work well in smoothing over a threatened factional split before the platform was presented to the convention.

In general, the Democrats were pleased with the platform to which they promised to adhere. The civil rights plank was surprisingly strong, calling for a Fair Employment Practices Commission, although not spelled out by that title.

The plucky portion of the plank reads: "At the same time, we favor Federal legislation effectively to secure these rights to everyone: the right to equal opportunity for employment; the right to security of persons; the right to full and equal participation in the Nation's political life. . . . We also favor legislation to perfect existing Federal civil rights statutes. . . ."

Following the other generally established policy lines of the present Democratic administration, the platform called for a continuation of the principle of collective security in conjunction with other free nations of the world, as well as support of the United Nations and a strong system of national defense.

The platform also pledges the Democrats to combat inflation by means of the pay-as-you-go income tax plan and by economy controls, "so long as the emergency requires them."

As is the custom at national political conventions, there were plenty of ovations for party leaders who found their way to the platform on one pretext or another. The biggest of these, offered by the Democrats this year went justifiably enough to Vice President Alben Barkley when he strode to the front of the platform for his Wednesday night fighting speech.

In a magnificent example of extemporaneous oratory—he didn't use a note—Barkley spoke brilliantly for almost an hour, defining the spiritual values and attributes of his party as he has seen and felt them during 40 years of service. He pulled a sagging convention back together and gave every person in the hall some sense of the true underlying meaning of American politics.

It was entirely to his credit that he let absolutely no note of vindictiveness against the men who had forced him out of the race creep into his speech.



John Sparkman

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