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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dowd of St. Jo are here visiting their daughter Mrs. C. C. Ham and family. Over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Dowd also of St. Jo, stopped by for a visit enroute to Yellowstone Park on a vacation trip. Mrs. Ham and her parents visited over the week end with relatives in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Patrick stopped by Tuesday for a brief visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Patrick. Walter and his wife are moving to Clarendon where he will be connected with the SCS office. He was an honor graduate in June from Tech with a major in agriculture.

Mrs. Glen Downs and daughter Glenna Rae came down Monday from Panhandle for a visit with her father W. F. Brittain. Glenna Rae remained for a longer visit with her grandfather and Mrs. Brittain when her mother returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsey and Olivern were here this week in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Nell. Mrs. Lindsey and the baby planning to remain for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Rodgers of Tyler arrived Saturday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Hamilton.

Ralph Carter is improving after a spell with an infected leg. He is up and about the house this week with the aid of crutches.

Mrs. Darline Youngs of Kansas City is here for an extended visit with her sister Mrs. Jim Shy and family.

Mrs. Bessie Lewis came in Saturday from Houston, her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Setliff and Bobby, meeting her in Childress. She will make an extended visit here with the Setliffs. Miss Dorothy Hulen of Phoenix, Ariz., left Saturday after a two weeks visit here with her sister Mrs. Bruce Eddleman and family.

E. L. Boyett was in Amarillo this week attending a meeting and instruction course for Chrysler dealers.

Miss Juanita Machen was here this week from Plainview visiting her mother Mrs. Matthew Owens and family.

Lee Roy Hamilton and family, accompanied by Clint Hicks and family of Matador, and Miss Othelia Woodruff left Tuesday for a vacation visit in Arkansas, Oklahoma and East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gragson and daughter Inantha and Mrs. Calvin Click, of Las Vegas, Nev., are here visiting his brother A. E. Gragson and family and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moss and Mrs. J. C. Moss of Anson visited over the week end with the J. T. Bradley and Mrs. H. C. Kell and other relatives and friends here.

Items of Interest From the SCS Office

The Cap Rock Soil Conservation District Supervisors' met Wednesday, August 11, 1948 at 10:00 a. m. with the following members present: Earl Cantwell, Bray Cook, L. A. McJimsey and Bill Helms. Mr. Leo White, County Agent, and Glen M. Jamison, Work Unit Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service were visitors.

Work was started on a field tour which will be held sometime this fall.

The following applications for assistance were approved: D. N. McGavock; Clarence Anderson; Cleat Miller; H. Roy Brown—Arnold Brown; H. P. Rampley; E. C. Rampley; E. C. Fowler and W. L. May.

Three Farmer-District Agreements were approved for H. E. Fowler, Owner; C. R. Quillan, Operator; R. C. Hutsell; and Mrs. Carl Vaughan, Owner; Seymour Brannon, Operator.

Technicians of the Soil Conservation Service staked off terrace lines on the Walter Graham farm which is operated by A. E. Gragson and is located two miles south of Quitaque. Mr. Graham is a cooperator with the local Cap Rock Soil Conservation District.

LUCKY FOLKS

Winners of the \$40.00 in merchandise given away last week the first two days of the August Clearance Sale at Salem Dry Goods at Turkey were Mrs. D. T. Eddins of Estelline and Mrs. I. F. Reed of Quitaque route.

Mrs. Eddins won the award given away Friday for the largest individual purchase that day, and Mrs. Reed won Saturday's award in a like manner. Twenty dollars in merchandise was given away each day, Friday and Saturday.

Miss Lucille Mayhall is a lucky girl. Her name was the lucky one chosen to receive the pretty dress given away last week by the Toggery at Turkey. And about a month ago Miss Mayhall received a Philco radio combination in a similar contest at Amarillo.

SPEAKER SUNDAY AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

There will be an interesting speaker Sunday morning at the Methodist church, with a report on the laymen's retreat at Ceta Canyon which was held last week. The meeting at Ceta Canyon proved very interesting and the laymen who attended have returned to their various churches full of enthusiasm and with lots of information and plans to present to their co-workers. Everyone is urged to be present, and especially the men, to hear this interesting message.

Let's have a good turn-out and try to have a house full.
Roscoe Trostle, Pastor

Briscoe Pioneer Family Reunion at Ruidosa

The Gregg family, pioneer settlers of Briscoe county, held a reunion last week in Ruidosa, NM., choosing that city because it was centrally located as a gathering place for the five brothers and three sisters, and their families.

An entire tourist camp of seven cottages was engaged for the occasion and the group had a delightful visit through two days, Saturday and Sunday. Lots of food was prepared at home, including three baked hens, and cakes and pies galore. Eggs by the case were consumed along with lots of other good things. A visit to the Indian reservation was a highlight of the week end's fun.

It was the first time in quite a number of years that all the brothers and sisters were together. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Gregg, Phoenix, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gregg, Silverton; Arthur Gregg, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gregg, Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ewing, Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gregg and children Dennis and Wanda Lee, Mrs. Bessie Frier, Miss Lizzie Gregg, and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bingham and children Raye and Tommie Phil, all of Lovington, NM.; Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Medlin and children Lynn and Billie Royce, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Frier and children Amelda Iris and Phillip, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Frier and children, Nella and Loyce, all of Tatum, NM.; Mrs. Amp Boling and son Jimmie Dale, Kress; Mrs. Buster Snodgrass and children Mary Jo and Linda Faye, Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Isbell, Bob, Charlene and Glen, Albuquerque, NM.; and Miss Charlene Gregg, Amarillo.

IMPROVEMENTS AT THE QUEEN

Quite an important bit of improvement was made this week at the Queen theatre when a new arc lamp was installed. A crew from the National Theatre Supply company of Dallas was here Monday and worked all day installing the new equipment, which Mgr. Ham says makes the pictures much clearer—and about 50 per cent brighter. Monday night was a bad one to test the new equipment since the lightning threatened to put the light on the "blink" several times, but next time you visit the Queen, notice how much brighter the pictures show.

IN NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lanham made a scouting trip the first of the week through Floydada, Plainview and Tulla, doing some finishing shopping for their new home which they will move into this week.

QUEEN THEATRE

QUITAQUE, TEXAS
Admission 12c & 30c—Tax Inc.

Thursday-Friday Aug. 12-13

Escape Me Never
Errol Flynn, Ida Lupino
Eleanor Parker
Short: **EASTER YEGGS**

Saturday Mat. & Night Aug. 14

Rustlers Of Devil's Canyon
Allan Lane as Red Rider
Bobby Blake, Martha Wentworth
Peggy Stewart
Short: **THE SHEEPISH WOLF**
Chapter 9 of **THE SEA HOUND**

Sunday-Monday Aug. 15-16

On The Old Spanish Trail
In Color
Roy Rogers & Trigger, Jane Frazee
Andy Devine, Bob Nolan
Short: **SNOW MAN**

Tuesday-Wednesday Aug. 17-18

Palooka Fighting Mad
Joe Kirkwood, Jr., Elyse Knox
Leon Errol
Short: **THE CRACK POT KING**

Thursday-Friday Aug. 19-20

Christmas Eve
George Raft, George Brent
Randolph Scott, Ann Harding
Short: **FATAL KISS**

C. E. Anderson Will Take Silverton Bride

The approaching marriage of Miss Dorothy Bailey of Silverton and C. E. Anderson, Jr., of Quitaque was announced at a tea Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ben Garvin at Silverton. Guests called from 4:30 until 6 o'clock.

In the receiving line with Miss Bailey, were her mother, Mrs. Austin Bailey of Dalhart, formerly of Silverton, Mrs. Garvin, Mrs. Bob Smith and Mrs. C. E. Anderson, Sr. of Quitaque.

Miss Betty Burson of Texas Tech presided at the guest book. The refreshment table was in charge of Mrs. Kenneth Morehouse and Miss Jeanne Dudley.

The clever decoration announced the approaching marriage. The refreshment table, covered with a white linen cloth was centered with a mirror representing a frozen pond, and a small ice skater was poised at the edge where "Dot and C. E.—Sept. 1" was written announcing the date of the wedding. On the buffet was an arrangement of two hugh rings, with tiny rosebuds as settings, signifying a double ring ceremony.

The bride-elect wore a corsage of white gladioli edged with silver tulle, and others in the house party wore corsages, some of pink gladioli and some of multi colored gladioli buds, denoting the colors to be used in the wedding.

About 45 guests called during the afternoon. Those from Quitaque were Misses Patsy Stark, Rinkey Holcomb and Mrs. Anderson. Other out-of-town guests were Mrs. Alton Anderson of Flomot, Mary Sue Anderson of Phillips and Polly Bryan of Plainview.

THE DR. SHYS HAVE A NEW DAUGHTER

Dr. and Mrs. Jim Shy are the parents of a new daughter, born about noon Wednesday at the Plainview sanitarium. The doctor played a very minor role in the arrival of this young lady, merely standing on the sidelines. Mrs. Shy has been in Plainview since Saturday awaiting the baby's arrival, and Tuesday evening the doctor and Jean and Mrs. Shy's sister, Mrs. Youngs visited her, and left her feeling ok. They did not learn of the newcomer's arrival until notified Wednesday that she was there. The doctor set the date, August 11, and was consulted about the name, Rhonda D'Ann, and bought the cigars.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bedwell and Jo Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gibson made a trip Wednesday to Amarillo. (JP Gibson was buying a new tie when we caught this item, and we guessed he was getting fixed to perform his first wedding ceremony, acting as justice of the peace. He says so far he's managed to avoid performing that duty, but he's brushing up and will be ready for the fall rush.)

GEM THEATRE

TURKEY, TEXAS
Admission 12c & 30c—Tax Inc.

Thursday-Friday Aug. 12-13

The Arnelo Affair
John Hodiak, Frances Gifford
Short: **THE INVISIBLE MOUSE**
Pathe News

Saturday Mat. & Night Aug. 14

Oregon Trail Scouts
A Good Western
Short: **BROTHERS KNOW BEST**
Chapter 3 of **THE SEA HOUND**

Sunday-Monday Aug. 15-16

Best Years Of Our Lives
Myrna Loy, Frederick March
Dana Andrews
Short: **ALPINE CLIMBERS**

Tuesday-Wednesday Aug. 17-18

Return Of The Badmen
Randolph Scott, Jacqueline White
Short: **DRIP DRIPPY DONALD**

Thursday-Friday Aug. 19-20

The Other Love
Barbara Stanwyck, David Niven
Short: **THE CLOCK CLEANERS**
Pathe News

Many Friends Call To Congratulate Vaughans

Friends and relatives from over a wide area began calling early Tuesday, before noon, to offer felicitations and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughan on their Golden Wedding Anniversary. All of their children and their families were present for the day. Mr. Vaughan's stepmother, Mrs. E. J. Vaughan, 96 years old, was there, and his brothers Cornelius of California, Moten of Weatherford and Ed of Silverton; his sisters, Mrs. Flower of Perryton and Mrs. Artemis Stephens of Silverton. Mrs. Vaughan's sisters who came from afar were Mrs. Bradshaw of Grayson county, Mrs. Sally Williams of Haskell county, Mrs. Elvie Stokes and family of Lubbock and her brothers, Sam Kitchens of Lubbock and Morris Kitchens of Silverton.

Dinner was served at the noon hour picnic style in the yard.

Beginning at 3:30 in the afternoon, a service was held in the shady yard where chairs were arranged for guests. The service opened with songs directed by George Seaney. Accompaniments were played by Rev. Cecil Vaughan on the guitar. Several special numbers in song were presented.

Rev. Ellrod, Baptist pastor of Silverton spoke, choosing as his subject "The Union." Rev. Adcock, Methodist pastor of Silverton spoke on "Discipline of the Home." Rev. Cecil Vaughan of Fayetteville, Ark., son of the honoree, chose as his subject a text from the story of Isaac and Rebecca, "I will go with this man."

In the guest book 230 names were listed but more called who did not register. The reception throughout the day was informal, with guests coming and going, greeting the honoree, viewing the room full of lovely gifts, and enjoying refreshments.

The house was decorated throughout with a profusion of flowers, with yellow predominating and yellow rose buds featured. On the refreshment table a hugh three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom, was surrounded by a wreath of the rose buds, and Mrs. Vaughan wore a pretty corsage fashioned of the yellow buds. Many of the bouquets were gifts from friends. A surprise gift to Mrs. Vaughan from her husband was a beautiful diamond ring.

NEW "BABY" MODELS OF GRAHAM PLOWS

The new 'baby' model of the revolutionary Graham Plow is now available to farmers announces the Graham-Home dealer Odell Setliff of Quitaque Plow Co.

Designed for use with Ford or Ferguson tractors, Jeeps or horses, the five- and six-foot models will supply a market heretofore deprived of the benefits of "the plow which gives life to the land."

Odell says that the new sized plows are smaller plows in width only, as they have the same heavy, carefully-balanced construction as the large Graham plows. All models are built to last a life-time. Most models, including the smaller sizes, may be increased in width by the addition of standard extensions.

The small plows use the same tilling equipment, spikes, chisels, sweeps, lister-sweeps, or the patented Graham knife attachment used by the larger plows.

Although intended primarily as a tool for preparing land for planting, many of the smaller sizes of the plow are used as field cultivators.

The Graham plow has redeemed a foul and abandoned lands, and has proved its value in preventing erosion from wind or water. Lowered plowing costs and increased production following the use of the plow has impressed farmers. The Graham plows are made in sizes ranging from five to 44 feet in width.

See the illustration of this plow in the Quitaque Plow Co. adv., and for further information contact Odell Setliff at the Quitaque Elevator.

Claude Thrasher and small daughter Margaret Ann were here this week from Fort Worth visiting his sister Mrs. Ordis Chandler and family and other relatives.

This And That About One Thing and Another

Quitaque sport news has switched from the ball park to the golf course west of town, and Sunday afternoon, 21 ambitious golfers were hitting (or aiming at) the ball. A real golf tourney is in the planning stage, with entries from Turkey, Silverton and Quitaque.

A light shower fell here Monday evening with heavier precipitation in scattered areas around. South of town about an inch of rain was reported, but hail fell with it and several farmers in that section suffered as a result. The Walter Cobbs lost some of their feed which had come up since the first hail several weeks ago destroyed their promising crop, and their cotton also was damaged. The Nashes also suffered damages from the hail, and the Howard Standefers. A number of other farms in that area were in the hail zone and while the crops were hurt, they did not think the damage would be too great.

We've been enjoying some delicious peaches, for which we wish to acknowledge our appreciation. Mrs. E. E. Burgess shared with us some of the luscious fruit which Mr. Burgess brought back recently from Arkansas, and no one can deny that Arkansas peaches are hard to beat. This week we have some from the C. C. Ham's back yard, where it seems the peaches grow just as delicious as the ydo in Arkansas.

And this brings us back to the recipes. Once upon a time, we had a wonderful recipe for peach cobbler, made with a batter crust. We have lost ours, but does anyone have a recipe for peach cobbler where the crust is made of a thin batter that just rises to the top when it is baked and makes flaky, crusty, delicious past. Please.

Recently we came across a quote Post published Dec. 19, when the paper was just years old. One item which our eye was a note by the who said he was looking for respondent for Flomot, secured one temporarily. The Post is still looking for a correspondent from Flomot community—a permanent one.

Another thing we saw in the paper was the athletic news. Most lines were about football—and for been awarded by lineup included: tain, Blake Witte, Marcus Graham, Carson Leatherwood, Frank Hawk, Troy Taylor, Bill Wise, A. C. Bickford, Jack Womack and J. W. Scheid had just come as coach.

Another story rather told of Miss Dude B receiving a trophy at a time at Dickens, and went "The Quitaque girls were ed the best sports and the girls at the meet."

Other headlines were "Team Is After County Ho", "Quitaque Wins Opener From verton Cagers", "Junior Basketball Teams Play Turkey", "Invitation Out For Basketball Tourney". As we mentioned before, E. W. Scheid was coach.

In the grade school news it was mentioned that Jack Hutcheson, Henry Gardiner, Melton Baker, Ruth Craig and Letha Mae Cantrel were honor roll students in the sixth grade.

The paper was evidence of a busy period, with ten pages carrying a good line of advertising. Another noticeable feature was that most of the visitors came from near-by towns, Gasoline, Turkey, Silverton, etc. Paved highways and good cars were not so prevalent in those "good old days."

Cash farm income in June from the sale of Texas farm products dropped 2 per cent from May, and 30 per cent below June 1947. For the first half of this year farm income has been running somewhat below last year; for the first six months of 1947 farm income totaled \$570,845,000 in comparison with \$530,182,000 for the first half of 1948.

COMING

GEM THEATRE, TURKEY
SUNDAY AND MONDAY

The Best Years of Our Lives

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Dana Andrews, Teresa Wright,
Virginia Mayo, Hoagy Carmichael

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MONDAY NIGHT AT 8 O'CLOCK
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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Johnson attended a dinner Saturday night at Dimmitt for managers of the Willson & Son lumber yards.

Willson and Son
Lumber and Hardware Company
"Where Most People Trade"

Buster Snodgrass was here over the week end and returned home his wife and children who had been visiting relatives here several weeks. The Snodgrases now live in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mr. Ordys Chandler, Pearl Maurice and Claudie made a trip Tuesday afternoon to Floydada where the latter had an eye examination. Willie Wade Reynolds accompanied them over for the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Fawver and Glenna Gene of Fort Worth visited last week end with the Ralph Carters.

Mrs. Watts of Freeport, Texas, was here this week visiting her sister Mrs. Tom Pierce and family.

Gibbs Rucker stopped by Monday for a visit with relatives enroute from a trip to Denton to his home at Bellview, NM.

Mrs. Irene Kuykendall came in this week from Rule to attend to business and look after things at her home here. She is visiting her sister at Rule and will return to stay a while longer until school starts.

FOR SALE—1947 Ford truck; 1945 Dodge truck; 1940 GMC pickup; 1947 bicycle; 25 ft. semi trailer (cheap.)—John Garner, Quitaque. 30-1

Miss Iva Dee Womack of Oklahoma City is here visiting her brother Everett Womack and family.

Miss Lucille Mayhall returned Saturday to Amarillo after a visit here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mayhall and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Noah of Amarillo were here last week to get their young daughter who had been visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mayhall, and take her home.

Mrs. Bill Clutter of Hereford was here last Thursday visiting her father W. F. Brittain and Mrs. Brittain.

FOR SALE—Wind charger, battery and wiring, 16 foot tower in good condition. Also a piano in good condition, which is also a player for roll music. S. H. (Babe) Kimbell. 30-2

E. J. Hamilton spent last Friday, Saturday and Sunday, at Ceta Glenn Methodist encampment attending a laymen's retreat.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pittman and young son of San Antonio are here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Rucker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Gardiner returned Monday from a week end visit in East Texas, taking his sisters who had been visiting here, back with them and visiting their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bogan and Carolyn at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Finney, Jr., of Davidson, Okla, visited last week in the H. B. Finney home.

Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Thompson stopped by Tuesday for a little visit, enroute from Follett to visit their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Woolen, Jr., at Lubbock and to attend to business in Terry county.

Mrs. George Owens and Miss Betty Owens accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ebbs to Plainview Sunday evening for a few days visit.

Mrs. O. L. Wineinger and children of Amarillo visited last week with her brother Seburn Neatherlin and family.

O. A. Sumner and family of Winslow, Ariz., were here last week visiting his sister Mrs. Marvin Reynolds and family.

Mrs. Diviny of Burlington, Iowa, came in this week for a visit with her niece Mrs. Orlin Stark and other relatives at Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stell were down Sunday from Plainview and returned home their daughter Miss La Juan who had been visiting.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Purdy were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Purdy of Smyer and Mrs. Ellis and son and Mr. and Mrs. Anderson White and children.

Merrell Food & Produce

PHONE 5-M

Quitaque, Texas

Friday & Saturday Specials

Cigarettes

carton - 1.79

Pure Lard

4-lb carton ----- 1.19

Fruit Jars

Quarts, doz. ----- 79c
Pints, doz ----- 69c

Matches

Diamond — carton ----- 34c

Dot Chocolates

8-oz. ----- 33c

Everlite Meal

10-lb bag ----- 79c

Smoked Bacon

lb ----- 49c

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Pint ----- 25c

Hamburger

lb ----- 45c

Admiration Tea

lb ----- 69c

Prune Plums

No. 10 can ----- 71c

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Mrs Jack Ellis and David of Oakland, Cal., are here for a 3 weeks visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Purdy of Folley, and other relatives at Flomot and Quitaque.

Mrs. Letha Mae Jacobs and son Grady Lee left Monday morning for a week's vacation at Ruidosa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brown and her small daughter Jo Ann of Carlsbad, NM. stopped by last week for a visit with her sister Mrs. Elmer Lanham.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Chandler and Miss Ineatha, and Mr and Mrs. Bill Clark of Quannah spent the week end fishing at Lake Texoma.

Mrs. Lillie Watkins who is working at Matador, was over for a visit with friends Tuesday.

And did you ever notice that the man who belittles humor and pooh-poohs the ability to make people laugh is usually a sour-puss himself? Like the rooster who was about to have a fight with a horse and the rooster said, "Before we start, let's agree not to step on each other's feet."

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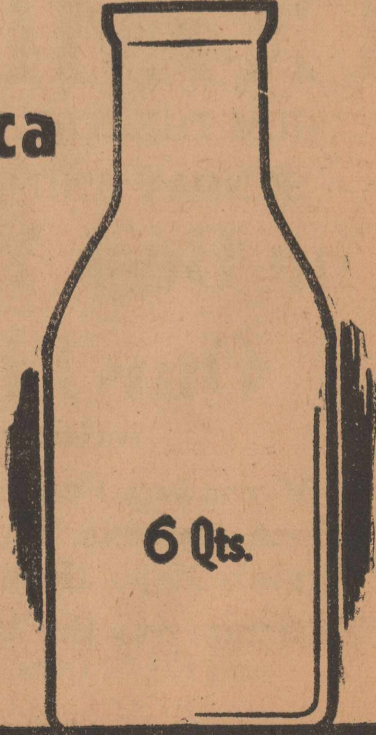
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West Texas Gas Company

Saturday, Aug. 14 Is The Last Day Of OUR CLEARANCE SALE

We still have a good selection on some items.

85 DRESSES
We still have a good run of sizes
To Go At 1/2 Price

16 LADIES PURSES
To Go At 1/2 Price.

Plenty of
SUMMER PIECE GOODS
On SALE

A FEW LADIES SLIPS
In Big Sizes Only
ON SALE

A Good Selection Of
SUMMER DRESS PANTS

Mens Sport Shirts
Boys Sport Shirts

Remember Friday and Saturday,
August 13-14 are the last days of our Sale.

The winners of the \$40.00 in merchandise that was given away Friday and Saturday, the opening days of our sale, are Mrs. D. T. Eddins of Estelline, the winner for Friday; and Mrs. I. F. Reed, route 1, Quitaque, is the winner for Saturday.

Salem Dry Goods

TURKEY, TEXAS

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

**H.J.R. No. 30
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**
proposing an amendment to Article 111 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto another Section to be designated as "Section 60" to authorize counties of this State to provide insurance for county employees; providing for the Governor's proclamation, and submission to the electorate.

Be It Resolved By The Legislature Of The State Of Texas:
Section 1. That Article 111 of the State Constitution be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto another Section following Section 59, to be designated "Section 60" to read as follows:
"Section 60. The Legislature shall have the power to pass such laws as may be necessary to enable all counties of this State to provide Workman's Compensation Insurance, including the right to provide its own insurance risk, for all county employees as in its judgment is necessary or required; and the Legislature shall provide suitable laws for the administration of such insurance in the counties of this State and for the payment of the costs, charges and premiums on such policies of insurance and the benefits to be paid thereunder."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing Workman's Compensation Insurance for county employees," and "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing Workman's Compensation Insurance for county employees." Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such manner that each voter may vote

on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.
Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

**H.J.R. No. 35
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**
proposing an amendment to Article V111 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for all State purposes; providing the effective date; providing for the submission of said amendment to a vote of the qualified voters at an election and providing for necessary proclamation and publication.

Be It Resolved By The Legislature Of The State Of Texas:
Section 1. That Sections 1-b and 1-c be added to Article V111 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to read as follows:

"Section 1-b. Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for all State purposes.

"Section 1-c. Provided, however, the terms of this Resolution shall not be effective unless House Joint Resolution No. 24 is adopted by the people and in no event shall this Resolution go into effect until January 1, 1951."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment exempting Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads from all State taxes," and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment exempting Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the

assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads from all State taxes."

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

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

**H.J.R. No. 36
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**
proposing an Amendment to Section 61, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to provide that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, county law enforcement officers including sheriffs who also perform the duties of assessor and collector of taxes, and their deputies, constables, deputy constables, and precinct law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis in all of the counties in this State beginning January 1, 1949; providing for submission of this Amendment to the vote of the people of Texas; providing the time, means and manner thereof.

Be It Resolved By The Legislature Of The State Of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 61, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 61. All district officers in the State of Texas and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more, according to the then last preceding Federal Census, shall be compensated on a salary basis. In all counties in this State, the Commissioners Courts shall be authorized to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that it shall be mandatory upon the Commissioners Courts to compensate all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, county law enforcement officers including sheriffs who also perform the duties of assessor and collector of taxes, and their deputies, on a salary basis beginning January 1, 1949.

"All fees earned by district county and precinct officers shall be paid into the county treasury where earned for the account of the proper fund, provided that fees incurred by the State, county and any municipality, or in case where a pauper's oath is filed, shall be paid into the county treasurer when collected and provided that where any officer is compensated wholly on a fee basis such fees may be retained by such officer or paid into the treasury of the county as the Commissioners Court may direct. All Notaries Public, county surveyors and public weighers shall continue to be compensated on a fee basis."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables and other law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis"; and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables and other law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis."

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

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

**H.J.R. No. 39
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**
proposing an Amendment to Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 1-a, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of Appellate Courts and Judges of District and Criminal District Courts on account of length of service, age or disability, and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed; providing for the submission of the Amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

Be It Resolved By The Legislature Of The State Of Texas:
Section 1. That Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as "Sec-

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tion 1-a", which shall read as follows:

"Section 1-a. The Legislature shall provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal Courts on account of length of service, age or disability, and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the second day of November, 1948, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal District Courts of this State on account of length of service, age or disability and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

ment to active duty where and when needed."

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal District Courts of this State on account of length of service, age or disability and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Van Meter and his mother Mrs. A. F. Van Meter, Sr., returned last Thursday from Hot Springs and Mountainair, NM., where they had been to

return Mrs. Nettie Byrnes, mother of Mrs. J. M. Van Meter. Mrs. Byrnes became very ill while visiting in Guthrie, Okla., and her daughter and husband went there for her bringing her as far as Quitaque for a few days rest before taking her to her home in New Mexico.

Visiting their grandparents and Mrs. Victor Hall for the two weeks are David, son of and Mrs. Jack Hall, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Hall, who came up from Wednesday night with Way remained when he returned Thursday.

Cecil Boyles has brought his family to Quitaque and will remain here through the year, while Cecil is with Hart.

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GASOLINE NEWS

FINGERS CUT OFF
By Mrs. Sid McFall
Snookie Martin, small son of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin had the misfortune getting the ends of two middle fingers on his left hand cut the power lift while riding his dad last Thursday. He is doing real nicely, the doctor thinks and there is a chance for saving both fingers.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon McCracken left Friday for a few days visit with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Polk at Temple and the John Feltons in Okla.

Guests in the H. B. Finney home a few days last week were his brother and wife from Oklahoma.

Billy Joe McFall from Clarendon is visiting home folks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helms and boys visited in Lockney in the home of

her parents, her brother being there from New Mexico for the first vacation he has had since he came from service about two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. King of Paducah visited a few days last week with their son and family Mr. and Mrs. John King. Sunday Mr. King and Billy Winton were back for the day to get a refrigerator they had bought from the Finneys. Mr. and Mrs. Joe King and boys were also present for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Reed left Sunday for an extended vacation and health trip to cool Colorado.

DEEP SEA FISHERMEN

O. C. Love, Jack Hutcheson, A. F. Van Meter, Jr., and Odell Johnston left the first of this week to try their luck at deep sea fishing. The boys are fishing at the world's greatest tarpon fishing grounds, where the fish jump up and grab the hook before it hits the water. If we don't get a bait of fish out of this trip, we're going to stop baiting the fishermen and try baiting the fish ourselves (we hope). The fishing grounds is at Port Aransas, Texas, at the entrance to the Corpus Christi channel, and every imaginable kind of fish is plentiful, Spanish mackerel, red fish, sun perch, pompano, jack fish, flounder, stone crabs, oysters, shrimp, the oversized tarpon and rock fish. There's surf fishing, casting from the jetties into the deep break waters, and fishing from boats for about 15 miles into the Gulf. When the boys called home the middle of the week, they hadn't tried the boat fishing but that was next on schedule.

Some Schools Need More School Aid

Austin—If comparable educational facilities are to be made available throughout Texas, state equalization aid must be extended to more districts, Miss Emma Mae Brotze, President of the Texas State Teachers Association, declared here today.

Higher costs of operating schools make it imperative that some of the poorer districts be given even more aid than they are receiving, she said.

Twenty-seven school districts were unable to pay the minimum salaries for teachers as prescribed by law last year, Miss Brotze said.

"These districts all had a high rate of taxation and most of them had a high valuation on property for assessment purposes," the State Teachers' president said. "They were, however, unable to meet expenses."

"With costs rising almost constantly, I fear that even more districts will be unable to meet the minimum teacher salary requirements and keep their doors open for nine months during the next school year."

The state is now spending \$18,000,000 annually for equalization aid. It is a fund intended to help districts which cannot obtain sufficient money from local taxation, plus the usual state per capita apportionment, to bring their schools up to standard.

This aid is now limited to school districts with not more than 1,500 pupils and large consolidated districts. Miss Brotze listed the Palestine school district as an example of the inability of some to pay their way.

"Palestine, the county seat of Anderson county, has a tax rate of \$1.45, just five cents under the maximum allowed by law. The wealth in the district, however, is low as compared with many districts. The property value totals \$8,654,371."

"The Palestine district has seventy-three teachers and paid them \$206,659, yet fell \$28,000 short of meeting the requirements of the minimum salary law. There are 2,794 pupils in the Palestine schools."

Cuero, a district with 1,555 students, just 55 too many to be eligible for equalization aid, levies the full \$1.50 tax. It was another of the districts unable to comply with the salary law, Miss Brotze said. Cleburne, with a \$1.25 tax rate, and Waxahachie, which has a \$1.22 tax, are other typical examples, she declared.

"It is certain that with our present rendition of values we cannot ever reach equality of educational opportunities throughout the state unless equalization aid is extended," Miss Brotze declared.

"Where there are many populous counties which have many children and land values are low, the state is paying 60 to 75 per cent of the total cost of the schools, although these cases are rare. Yet we find in those sections of the state poor buildings and poorer equipment."

"On the other hand there are many counties with sparse population in which the state is paying as little as 25 per cent of the cost. But because of oil discoveries there are great modern buildings, splendidly equipped, which are badly in need of more pupils to be able to carry on a varied program."

"A re-allocation and extension of equalization aid funds appears to be the only answer," she concluded.

FOLLEY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Reed have gone to Pagosa Springs, Colo., where they will stay for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Tiffin and Joyce visited in Oklahoma last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Rattan were guests in the Ike Reed home Friday.

Mrs. Gordon Turner was hostess Sunday at a dinner party honoring her husband on his birthday. The Turners live on the Gilbert place

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at Flomot. The delicious meal featured a big birthday cake along with other good things to eat. Present beside the honoree and family were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Turner, Ray B. and Richard, Mrs. Mertie Gould and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ward and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burgess and girls returned Tuesday evening from a vacation at Red River, NM.

Roy said the fishing was pretty good, but it took a lot of prompting to get a story from him. He said the water was pretty cold and the fish were frozen when they were pulled out. Which reminds us of a fish story we heard several years ago about the water being so hot the fish were stewed when they were caught. (The fish were stewed, that is.)

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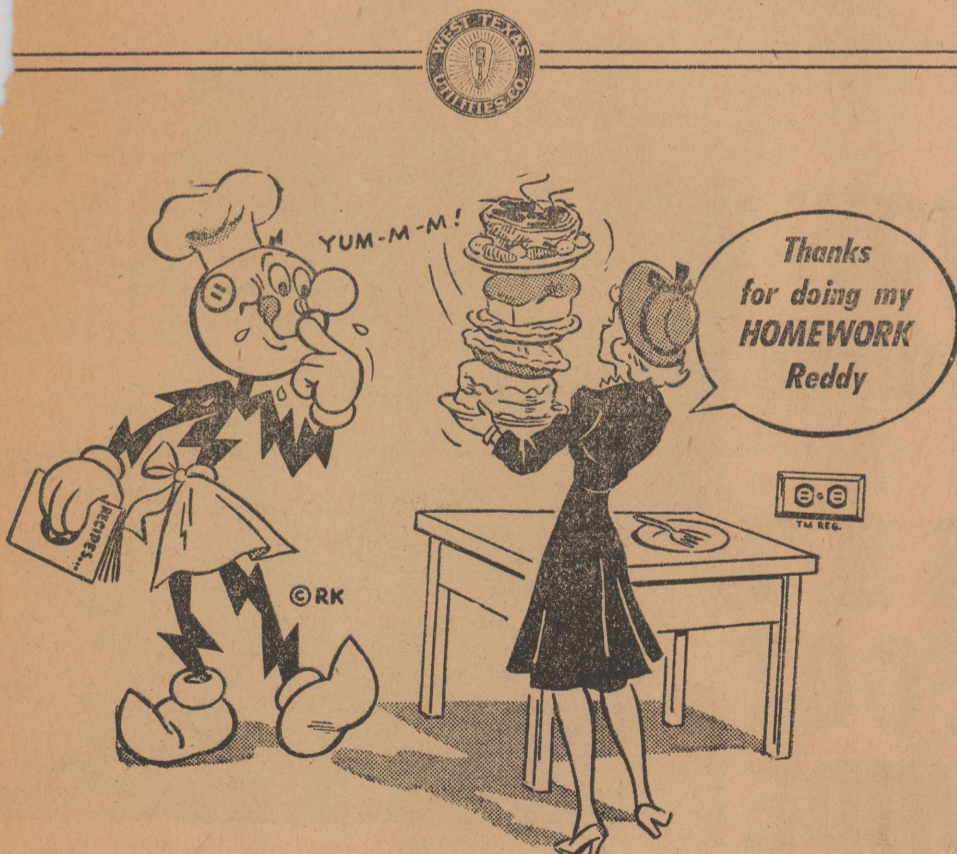
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