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Peace Officers Seek Cemetery Despoilers

Dawson and Lynn county officers are working this week with city officers on clues which lead to persons who have despoiled O'Donnell cemetery lots. As far as can determine, this is a crime which has heretofore never been known in this part of the country. Nevertheless, it apparently has happened before in Texas, because the laws of the state provide stringent penalties for such inhuman deeds.

For some weeks those families who are trying to keep shrubs, plants, and flowers near the last resting place of their loved ones have noticed that their efforts were not meeting with success. Investigation has revealed that some so-called human beings have been taking cuttings from rose bushes and other shrubs, cutting blooms from plants, and in some instances have even walked on the graves themselves.

Public indignation has been roused to a high pitch by means of steadily actions, and when the identity of these persons is determined, the full penalty of the state law will be exacted.

To our mind, this affair is a disgrace to the community as well as to the individual who has been so cruel, so criminal, as to do such a thing. We cannot imagine anyone so lowdown, so unfeeling, so lacking in common decency, as to deliberately desecrate a grave, but it seems that we have such buzzards in human form. And it seems incredible that anyone could do such a thing from mere love of flowers and the desire to have some of their own. Anyone capable of caring for growing things would know that any friend or acquaintance who takes cuttings from their own flower beds. Considering the case from this angle, it seems that such desecration has been done out of sheer greed, depraved inhumanity. Too, this offense cannot be blamed on thoughtless young people who refuse to believe that any of our boys and girls are capable of such a heinous thing.

It is the sincere hope of this entire community that the perpetrators of this crime may be quickly tracked down to pay the penalty for the deed.

CHEVROLET JUNE SALES FAR EXCEEDED 1938

Chevrolet dealers' retail sales for the first 20 days of June 1939 exceeded those for the entire month of June, 1938, according to figures released at company headquarters here today. Deliveries of new cars and trucks, in the second 10 days of the month, continued at high level. Sales for the period were 22,493, a gain of 68.3 per cent over those for the second 10 days of June a year ago. They brought the company's deliveries to date to the month to date to 46,111, which is 65.1 per cent above the corresponding 1938 figure.

Truck sales played an important part in the increase, the records reveal. They gained 1,667 units over sales for the same period last year, reaching 4,692, for a 56.1 per cent gain.

Continued steady movement of used cars reflected a balanced operation in the field. Dealers reported the sale of 66,866 used cars in the 10-day period, making 94,108 sold in the first 20 days of June. This is an increase of nearly 200,000 units over the used car sales for the June 1-20 period in 1938.

Combined new and used car sales for the second 10 days were 69,234 units, and for the month to date, through June 20, 140,219, as against 103,420 one year ago, an increase of 35.6 per cent.

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION WILL ELECT OFFICERS

A special meeting of the O'Donnell Cemetery Association will be held Monday afternoon at 4:30, at the home of Mrs. W. W. Hancock. Everyone interested in the cemetery is asked to attend.

The meeting is for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and making plans to continue beautification of the grounds.

MR. MILLER'S MOTHER DIED AT STEPHENVILLE

J. R. Miller has received word of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. F. M. Miller, at Stephenville.

Mrs. Miller is at the advanced age of 88 years, so that any illness is the cause of much anxiety to the family. We sincerely trust that favorable news may be received in the near future.

C. C. DRYGOODS STORE ANNOUNCES SPECIALS

Attention of our readers is called to an ad in this week's Index in which C. C. Drygoods store announces close-out prices on several mid-summer items.

The quality of merchandise handled by this store is well-known, and for this reason it is unnecessary to point out that these specials will be well worth investigation.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bradley spent the holiday in Ft. Worth.

Pension Burden Under New Bill

AUSTIN, Tex.—Writers of the departmental appropriations bill made certain that the full burden of old age pension payments would be on the state's chief executive after September 1, a high state official pointed out today.

This was done by specifically providing that all funds, and all responsibilities, of the present old age assistance commission—which is the board of control—should pass to the new department of public welfare at the end of the current fiscal year.

That such a provision was needed was proved by the fact that two years ago, the legislature also passed a bill establishing a state department of public welfare, but it never made operative, no money having been appropriated for two of the department's main functions, care of dependent children and needy blind.

Now, the new state department becomes effective Sept. 1 and is charged definitely with the duty not only of paying old age pensions but of taking care of children and blind.

It is known that members of the board of control—who have many major duties—will be relieved when the burden of administering the pension law is lifted from their shoulders. Whether the governor will be as happy as he is to assume responsibility was not known; in event, one of his early jobs is to name the new commission which will form the new social security set-up.

The appropriations bill rider also provides that the new welfare commission take over the job of paying off the old age assistance fund, the state's largest liability due in October of this year, and which have threatened to take a big slice of the funds available for assistance.

Under the new setup, the welfare commission acts in a nonpay supervisory capacity something like that of the Relief Commission—and the burden of setting up the new state department falls upon two persons, an executive director and his assistant.

It is contemplated that the federal social security board will also demand the right to look over the new pension assistance plan before the federal government starts matching under the welfare department setup.

SHORT COURSE IS WEEK JULY 5-13

College Station, July 5.—Between five and six thousand farm people will visit the Texas A. & M. campus during the Short Course week of July 5-13. H. H. Wilson, director of the Texas Extension Service, estimates.

Accommodations have been provided for 2,500 boys and girls during the 4-H Club Short Course of July 5-7. He said around 200 boys are expected to camp out, and another 900 will be housed under the stadium, while the girls and the remainder of the boys will have dormitory rooms.

Registration of farm and ranch men and women at the July 12-14 Farmers Short Course is expected to reach 2,500. In addition a number of special groups will meet at the same time. These include the Institute for Cooperatives, the Texas Agricultural Workers, Texas Agricultural Writers, and Texas Horse, Jack, and Male Breeders' association.

County agricultural and home demonstration agents will gather July 10-11 for their annual session, as will workers of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

D. L. Weddington, in charge of arrangements for accommodations, said rooms and meals would be available in excess of the expected attendance. "So none who wants to attend the Short Course need stay away," he pointed out.

U. S. DEFICIT BELOW BUDGET ESTIMATE

WASHINGTON, July 5.—The Treasury said Monday the federal deficit was \$430,000,000 less than the fiscal year ended last Friday midnight than was estimated in the January budget.

Representative Rayburn of Texas, House Democratic leader, made public a letter from Herbert E. Gaston, acting Treasury secretary, which said the actual deficit for the year was \$3,342,000,000.

The Budget Bureau had estimated in January the excess of expenditures over receipts would run \$3,972,000,000.

The difference, Gaston asserted, was due to revenues higher than had been anticipated and lower expenditures.

Glenn Everett was here from Ft. Worth to spend the Fourth with home folks and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Rae and Jimmie Ruth, spent the Fourth in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henley.

Glenn Everett of Ft. Worth spent the Fourth here with relatives and friends.

Santa Fe Names New General Mgrs.

The appointment of H. B. Lutz as general manager of the Santa Fe System's Eastern Lines, with headquarters at Topeka, and that of John A. Gillies as general manager of the Santa Fe Western Lines is announced today by W. K. Etter, vice-president in charge of operations. Lutz succeeds Frank A. Lehman, who is retiring on his own volition after more than 50 years of loyal and faithful service. The appointments were effective July 1.

Lutz, born August 2, 1876, in Pekin, Ill., has spent his entire career of 40 years with the Santa Fe. He was educated in public schools of Topeka, Kans., and entered the employ of the Santa Fe September 8, 1890, as office boy for the railway in Topeka. Since that time he has been stenographer, transportation clerk, assistant president's office, assistant chief clerk, to the general manager in Topeka, chief clerk, assistant to the general manager and in 1916 was appointed superintendent of the Middle Division at Newton, Kans.

He was named assistant general manager of the Northern District Western Lines with headquarters at La Junta, Colo., and in 1932 was appointed general manager with headquarters at Amarillo.

His successor, Gillies, is no newcomer to Amarillo and the Southwest at his entire career has been with Santa Fe and its subsidiaries. He has been assistant general manager at Topeka since July 1, 1938. Born at Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, August 15, 1889, he entered service with the Santa Fe in 1907. In New Mexico he has been quietly worked on New Mexico, Colorado, Rio Grande and other Divisions. He was connected with the engineering department since 1918 when appointed trainmaster at Dodge City, Kans. He was elevated to assistant superintendent of the Western Division in 1923, superintendent of the Slaton Division in 1925, superintendent of the Colorado Division in 1927 and in 1937 became assistant general manager of the Western Lines. In 1928 he was appointed assistant general manager of the Eastern Lines at Topeka.

Other appointments effective July 1, are those of John R. Skille, superintendent of the New Mexico Division at Las Vegas, to fill the post of assistant general manager, Northern District, Western Lines, succeeding G. C. Jefferis at La Junta, with the latter being elevated to the post of assistant vice-president at Chicago in 1938. Earl E. McCann, promoted, Skille has been in the employ of the Santa Fe since 1911 and has served in the operating departments at Winslow, Las Vegas, Amarillo, La Junta, and Raton, where he was appointed chief dispatcher. Promoted to trainmaster on the New Mexico and Western Divisions until 1936 when appointed superintendent of the Slaton Division. He was named to the New Mexico Division in 1931 serving in that capacity until his present promotion.

Daniel T. Trahey, superintendent of the Panhandle Division at Wellington, Kansas, was appointed superintendent to succeed Skille. Trahey is well known in the Southwest after his Santa Fe career as a check boy in 1901. He became transportation inspector at Amarillo in 1920 and was trainmaster of the Slaton and Pecos Divisions from 1922 to 1937 when he was promoted to the superintendent of the Panhandle Division.

F. A. Baker, trainmaster at Las Vegas since 1938, was appointed superintendent at Wellington succeeding Trahey. Baker's career, likewise, has been centered in the Southwest. He began as brakeman at Amarillo in 1907. He served as general yardmaster at Clovis, N. M. and Amarillo and was made trainmaster in 1928, serving as such on the Plains, Slaton, Pecos and New Mexico Divisions.

Walter S. Cummings, trainmaster at La Junta since 1937 was named to succeed Baker at Las Vegas. He began as operator on the Middle Division in 1905. Subsequently, he was promoted to dispatcher, night chief dispatcher, chief dispatcher with headquarters at Dodge City. He was made trainmaster in 1937.

J. W. Weller, trainmaster at El Paso was appointed District Engineer at La Junta. He is another railroad worker who has seen much service in the Southwest territory. He will be succeeded by J. W. Murphy at El Paso. Murphy has been general yardmaster at Albuquerque.

Our good friend and subscriber, Mrs. G. W. Kyle, was in town on business Wednesday afternoon and dropped by the office for a short visit renewing her Index subscription for two years. Thank you, mam.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Line and children spent the Fourth in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cathey and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond James spent the Fourth at Buffalo Springs.

Baldridge Oil Test Will Be Deepened

Lynn county will get further oil play in the immediate future, Dean Nowlin announced Thursday, as the result of the closing of a deal for the completion of the Baldridge No. 1 Alamo Lumber Co. test well one mile northwest of Petty and about twenty miles northwest of Tahoka. The hole is located in the southwest corner of section 151, H. E. & W. T. survey.

This test was spudded in during January, 1938, and because of complications was stopped at a depth of 4,430 feet. The rig was moved away. Negotiations for completion of the hole were renewed recently, and Murry & Griffey, Tulsa, drilling contractors have been engaged to complete the contract depth of the hole to 5,900 feet.

They began moving equipment to the site Wednesday from Graham.

Leases are being renewed on the acreage, and most of these have already been secured.

BANK BUILDING BEING REPAIRED THIS WEEK

The First National Bank Building is this week undergoing a number of repairs and improvements in the form of stucco, door and window fitting, roof repairs, etc.

Messrs. Torne and Frazier are in charge of the work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hays announce the birth of a son on Friday, June 30, at a Lamson hospital. Mother and son are doing well.

Mrs. I. M. Wright returned Wednesday from Crosbyton, where she had spent a few days with relatives. She is recovering as rapidly as could be expected from recent injuries received when she fell.

Mrs. Cecil Tredway and little son Richard Lee, returned Wednesday to Colorado City after having spent several days here with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tredway.

COUNCIL NAMES JOHNSON AS CITY MARSHAL

That a good man can always find a job was amply proven here last week when former deputy sheriff John Johnson was elected to the office of city marshal within twenty-four hours after receiving official notification through the county sheriff's department of his dismissal from that office.

Mr. Johnson was notified Tuesday morning that his services were no longer necessary as deputy sheriff. The city council met Wednesday and offered him the new job.

COTTON WAREHOUSE IS DAMAGED BY WIND

High wind which lasted fortunately, only a short time Saturday night efficiently scattered one of the big cotton warehouses over the landscape near the highway north of town.

Light service was cut off for a short time due to lightning and wind, but this inconvenience was of only a few moments' duration. Light showers fell over a part of the territory.

So far as we have been able to learn, the wind did no other material damage.

Macedonia Baptist Church

Members of the church have plotted and planned for some time to put on a finance drive to raise funds to complete the building which was started some time ago. We highly invite the public to come and hear our new preacher, Rev. J. W. Randal and Rev. Sister G. F. Randal from Houston. Special seats have been arranged for white friends. Come out and hear these able speakers.

W. D. Matthews, Deacon, Sister A. S. Lee, secretary-treasurer, Rev. J. W. Randal, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ballou of Post spent the week-end and the holidays here with relatives and friends. They were accompanied home by Misses Lois Howard and Dorothy Walls and Mr. Earl Howard, who spent a few days there.

Holman Grocery Moves; Miller Variety Enlarged

Two important changes were made in O'Donnell business circles this week when E. D. Holman moved his grocery store into the Campbell building, and J. R. Miller of Miller's Variety leased that part of the Sanderson building and began renovations to enlarge space for his stock.

This change will give both businesses much more room, and will have the added feature of providing two entrances for each.

Mr. Holman moved fixtures and stock Tuesday, and work of refinishing walls, etc. was begun Wednesday for Mr. Miller.

CITY AND COUNTY TAXES ARE BEING ASSESSED

Property owners in the O'Donnell Independent School District and in the City of O'Donnell are asked to begin figuring how much their holdings are worth (or not) so that they may make renditions for this year's taxes.

Miss Beverly Wells will take renditions for school taxes, Miss Jim Ellen Wells for the city. Both young ladies will contact you in the next few days, so have your thinking caps on.

Mrs. Blackweider Home from Hospital

Mrs. O. C. Blackweider was able to be brought home from a Lamson sanitarium Monday of this week after being there for several days with pneumonia. She has not improved as rapidly as had been hoped, but is doing fairly well.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Lehman and sons of Tahoka were guests a short time Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cabool.

Mrs. Reese Hamlin and son of Hobbs spent several days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tomlinson.

Close-Out Specials

In order that we may have room for early fall merchandise, we are herewith listing a number of specials for this week-end. Here is your opportunity to secure high quality frocks and shoes at immense savings.



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Russia-British Pact Reported

British Keep Eyes on Tension Between German and Poland Over Free City of Danzig

LONDON, July 4.—Soviet Russia circles said tonight that Britain, France and Soviet Russia had reached agreement on all main points of a proposed mutual assistance pact but that some minor questions remained to be settled.

The report came while the British government kept close watch on the tension between Germany and Poland over the Free City of Danzig.

The foreign affairs committee of the cabinet heard the report of Sir Howard William Kennard, British ambassador to Poland, at a lengthy meeting and expected to hear Germany's views tomorrow from Britain's envoy to Berlin, Sir Neville Henderson.

Instructions Sent
 Sir Neville arrived from Berlin by airplane late today.

New instructions, it was said, will be sent immediately to Britain's diplomats in Moscow. Ambassador Sir William Seeds and Special Envoy William Strang, who were expected to renew conversations with Russian Premier-Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov later this week.

The ministers' foreign affairs committee, at a second meeting tonight, was said to have considered both the Danzig situation and the Moscow negotiations.

Progress Made
 "There is no doubt that good progress was made in the last talks in Moscow," a source close to the Soviet embassy declared. "And there is considerable grounds for optimism that a full agreement will soon be reached."

Among other points settled, this source said, was the difficult question of guarantees for Russia's Baltic neighbors. All three powers, he said, have now agreed to guarantee these states against aggression and to name them in the projected pact as Russia has insisted.

The chief stumbling block in negotiations that have been in progress for months both in London and Moscow was said to have been Russia's insistence that Finland, Latvia and Estonia be guaranteed as a condition for her partnership with London and Paris.

France and Britain were said to have been reluctant because of the fears of the three Baltic states that their neutrality might be jeopardized by specific pledges.

Mrs. Merritt Clark and children of Lubbock were guests during the holidays of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Huff.

Mr. and Mrs. Shack Blocker and family spent the Fourth at Buffalo Springs.

Sheriff B. L. Parker was in oncoming on business Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cabool spent today with friends in Lubbock.

City marshal John Johnson was in Big Spring on business Wednesday.

Harvey Line made a business trip to Seagraves Wednesday.

Miss Lois Day of Tahoka was Wednesday to visit her father, J. Weems. She took Mr. Weems to Lamesa for examination and treatment.

J. Barnes has been seriously ill for several days this week, but is able to be out of bed Wednesday.

J. Whitsett was in Lubbock on business Wednesday.

Miss Jettie Kirkland is visiting her parents here this week.

Mr. G. B. Johnson was up Monday from the ranch near Big Spring, bringing Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hendon and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Sutton of Lubbock were guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mansell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Preston were in Big Spring Tuesday for the 4th July celebration.

Working at Seagraves
 Cecil Tredway has gone to Seagraves, where he is employed at the Halsey Drug Store.

Frank Rutliff was brought home from a Lubbock sanitarium Tuesday of this week, and is apparently doing well after his operation for appendicitis.

Miss Margie Lee Buchanan spent her week-end in Lubbock with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Alice Baucum.

SEAGRAVES TECH STUDENT LOST IN NEW MEXICO

SANTA FE, N. M., July 4.—A force of 50 state police, CCC employees and mounted patrolmen went into the Sangre de Cristo mountains north of Santa Fe today in search of James Ortiz, 26-year-old college student of Georgetown University, Washington, D. C. State Police Sergeant H. K. Dalry said the youth went on a picnic yesterday at the head of Little Roque canyon, eight miles north of here, and left his party to climb a mountain. He was not seen again. He is a brother of Miss La Ortiz, secretary to Gov. John Miles.

Ortiz was vacationing with relatives here and planned to leave for Georgetown in August to resume studies at Georgetown university, where he was a student for four years. Last year he attended school at Texas Tech, Lubbock.



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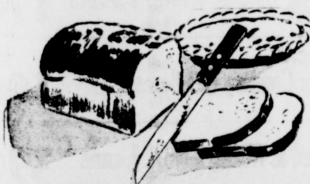
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KONGENIAL KLUB MEETS WITH MRS. MIDDLETON

Mrs. Dewey Middleton was the gracious hostess Friday afternoon to members of the Kongenial Bridge Klub, when two tables of guests enjoyed games of bridge. At the close of play, a delicious salad course was served with iced tea to Mrs. Gibson, Singleton, Nayman, Everett, Brewer, Street, Roy Everett, Stark, and W. H. Ritzenthaler of Salisbury, Mo.

ATTENDED STAMFORD RODEO DURING HOLIDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McLaurin, and Mrs. and Mrs. Levi Gray were among Lynn county people who were present Tuesday for the Cow-boys' Reunion at Stamford, leaving here early Tuesday morning. Mrs. Lena McMillan was Tahoka's sponsor, which made the Stamford event a personal interest to the party.

TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB WITH MRS. HENDERSON

Mrs. Fred Henderson was hostess Monday afternoon to members of the Tuesday Bridge club, entertaining the day earlier because of the holiday which fell on the regular date.

Mrs. Wyn. Fergy won high score, slams prizes going to her and to Mrs. M. J. Whitsett. Stuffed tomato salad, olives, wafers, glazed cookies, and iced tea were served to Mmes. Campbell, Bradley, Davis, Fergy, Noble, Robinson, Wells, and Whitsett.

STATE LEGION MEET IN WACO AIG.

By Johnnie Brown
WACO.—To encourage Americanism, law and order, and national defense are three big objectives of 27,000 American Legion members, who are planning for the twenty-first Texas-wide convention to be held in Waco, August 28-29. The Waco convention is expected to be the largest in the history of Texas Legion.

Officers of the convention city corporation, an organization which is responsible for convention arrangements, emphasized in recent statements that they are putting every effort possible to center the program of events and speeches for this year's encampment upon the present day problems of the legion and the public in general. The program is expected to be released to the Waco offices within the next week. Inserts will be made to include the local arrangements. Present plans are being made by the department commander, Vincent Chiodo, of Houston, and his associates. Chiodo will also invite a number of distinguished guests from out of the state to the meeting.

Chairmen of the convention constitutional committees are as follows: Child welfare: Dr. T. J. McElhenney, Austin; rehabilitation: H. Miller Ainsworth, Luling; community service: Tom Cheatham, Cuero; publications: Van W. Stewart, Perryton; Americanism: Tom Owens, Dallas; disaster and preparedness: Bolton Hyde, McAllen; junior baseball: H. K. Deason, Port Arthur; legislative: George Moffatt, Chillicothe; law and order: Judge Clarence McGaw, Longview; musical organizations: W. H. Daniels, Port Arthur; Sons of the American Legion: Dr. J. G. Brittan, Harlingen; membership: Ernest S. Goens, Tyler; foreign relations: Tom Conally, Marlin; graves registration: A. D. Farrior, Houston; convention city: Gene Eberole, Galveston; national defense, Col. Gaston Howard, Austin.

Non-constitutional committees: Boy Scout: Ralph D. Holman, Henderson; liaison, Clark Thompson, Galveston; safety: Ross R. Cole, Houston; uniforms: Craig Laine, Fort Worth; aeronautics: William McGraw, Austin; highway beautification: M. J. Benefield, Brady; veterans employment: C. D. Bennett, Weslaco; distinguished guests: Roy Hatch, Waco; public health: J. W. E. H. Beck, Austin; boys' state: Carl Nesbitt, Austin; "On To Chicago" committee: Neil D. Armstrong, Kilgus; publicity: Walter Buckner, San Marcos.

McMILLAN FAMILY REUNION IS HELD HERE SUNDAY

The hospitable home of Mr. Henry McMillan was the scene Sunday of one of those old-time family gatherings for which it has long been noted, when all five of the brothers were present for dinner at one o'clock and visiting through the day.

Other members of the family assisted in the bountiful dinner which included those fried chickens, salads, pies and cakes at which the ladies are master hands and seventeen were present for the occasion.

Guests were Mr. Henry McMillan and Mr. and Mrs. Arlie McMillin of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McMillan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McMillan and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther McMillan and family.

Miss Bernice Holt spent the 4th with relatives and friends at Floydada.

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TEN-YEAR OLD GIRL HAS CHARGE OF CHICKENS

While Virginia Montgomery may not be THE outstanding 4-H girl for Lynn county, the young lady is doing some remarkable work. Though only ten years old, Virginia has taken as her club project for the year all the care of her flock of 300 White Leghorn chickens, in addition to doing the milking helping with the crop, and various other chores which make up the routine of a well-regulated farm.

But the chickens are her special responsibility, and she takes her job seriously. All the feeding, watering, cleaning, and doctoring are up to her, and she looks after her job in a most efficient manner.

Editor's note: And we can vouch personally for the quality of those chickens: Virginia sent two nice friers in for us last week, and did we enjoy them!

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Welch and children of Jacksonville spent the 4th here with her mother, Mrs. L. N. Nichols, and Miss Claire Ruth. Mrs. Nichols accompanied them home for a short visit.

MISS WYONA HUFF AND RAYMOND JAMES MARRIED

A single ring ceremony said in the reception rooms at the parsonage of Lubbock First Methodist church Saturday evening united two of O'Donnell's most popular young people when Miss Wyona Huff became the bride of Mr. Raymond James. Dr. L. N. Lipscomb, pastor of the church, said the rites. Witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wiley of Lubbock and Mrs. Jack Summers of Levelland.

For her marriage the bride chose a dainty organdie lace frock with touches of blue, and wore blue accessories. She is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Huff, and has spent the greater part of her girlhood in O'Donnell, graduating with the class of 1932. She later became a student at old College of Industrial Arts at Denton, spent one year at Texas Technological college, and several months in a secretarial training school in Dallas. She has been active in social circles of the town.

Mr. James is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed James, and is well and favorably known to a wide circle of friends throughout the county.

Mr. and Mrs. James will be in O'Donnell for several days before going to Artesia to make their home.

Their many friends here will join with us in extending hearty congratulations and best wishes.

CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES

We are delighted with the way the Lord's work is holding up. We have just taken a love offering to our beloved elder, J. J. Weems, who has been sick for about one month. It makes the tenth special offering we have made in a year, amounting to about two hundred and fifty dollars. This is one of, if not the best, congregations I have ever labored for in this respect. We were also pleased to get the third call for a meeting this summer, which will keep us busy until the first of September.

Services next Lord's Day: Preaching—10 a.m. and 8:30 p.m. Bible Study—10 a.m.

I want twenty-five in my class so come and study with us, also visit the Ladies' Bible Class Wednesday, 3:30 p.m.

Don't forget our meeting August 18th with Brother Cox doing the preaching.

—R. P. DRENNON

Miss Allen ill with Diphtheria. Miss Katherine Allen is quite ill this week with diphtheria which developed Tuesday night. She is under the care of a local physician at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Allen.

Miss Edwards Home From Hospital. Miss Louise Edwards was brought home Tuesday from a Lubbock hospital where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is doing nicely.

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