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W. Goad Announces For County Judge

The following paragraphs, he asks for himself, and asks the cooperation of our readers in the completion.

To the Voters of Lynn County: I am announcing my candidacy for the office of County Judge of Lynn County. I say that I have never before run any public office.

I am forty-four years old, have a family and six children. I have lived in as all my life with the exception of three years that I lived in Tillman, Oklahoma. I lived in Ellis and county, Texas until twelve years ago when I moved to Lynn county and located in the New Home community and have resided there since that time. I am willing to stand fall upon the record that I have made in the twelve years that I have lived in Lynn county.

I have received the larger part of my education from practical experience by the turning of each midnight. I have always taken a definite stand upon all issues pertaining to the welfare of my community, nation, state and country.

I have not been solicited by a great many of people to make the race for County Judge but have received quite a lot of encouragement, for this I am most grateful. I am entering this race on my own accord, feeling that I am able to give the people of Lynn county valuable service in this capacity. I give the duties and responsibilities of this office much consideration. I feel that I am thoroughly qualified in every respect.

I expect to conduct my campaign on my own merits and qualifications, not upon the demerits and disqualifications of anyone else. May I say here that I am not a lawyer, but do feel that I have had experience in legal matters that I can take care of the duties of this office in a business and legal way. I have been engaged in farming all my life until four years ago at which time I accepted the management of Farmers Cooperative Gin at New Home and have maintained that position ever since. I have experienced hardships, trials, and tribulations of life, and have been fairly successful in overcoming the most of them. Therefore I feel that I know the needs of the masses of the people in this county that would not be possible for anyone to know that has not experienced some of these hardships.

There has been in the past three years a number of appropriations made by the State and National governments to relieve the unemployed situation and to aid the more unfortunate of the nation. It is not necessary for me to go into a discussion of you about whether these appropriations should or should not have been made because there are many different views but we all can and do agree they have been made and they have been paid. I feel like that the people of Lynn county are entitled to our share of these appropriations and I assure you that if elected, I will use my power, influence and ability to do for this county as much of these appropriations as it is possible to secure. I assure you that if I am elected County Judge of Lynn county that I shall have no voice too low to be heard, regardless of your position in the county and there shall be no powers so weak as to influence me against the interest of the masses of the people. I further assure you, that if I am elected you will find me in my office at least one day regular, six days a week, ready to meet, greet and you.

I do not want to make you a lot of promises that I cannot keep because I know you have been promised all manner of things in the past by the silver-tongued politicians and because I know promises are more easily made than kept, but I do want to promise you that if elected, an economical and business-like administration. I realize that the most of government of the county, state, and Nation has increased by leaps and bounds until taxes have become a burden upon the people. I mean to say that I will be able to do the best that I do mean to say I will hold the expenditures of

D. L. Adcock Is Candidate for Office

We are this week authorized to place the name of D. L. Adcock in our political column as a candidate for the office of commissioner from Precinct 2, Dawson county.

Mr. Adcock's formal statement will appear later. Pending that article, however, permit us to recall to the minds of our readers that Mr. Adcock made this same race in 1932, and that during that campaign became well acquainted with voters in this end of the county. He has been a resident of Dawson county for about twelve years, being a property owner and tax payer throughout the entire period. He has a family, and is considered by his neighbors to be a splendid citizen and friend.

Watch for Mr. Adcock's personal statement to appear in another issue of the Index.

45 Grade Students Make Honor Average

Forty-five students of the O'Donnell Grammar School made an average of 90 or above during the semester which has just closed, according to a survey made by teachers this week.

This average is one of which any student might well be proud, and the Index joins with the community in extending congratulations to such pupils. We hope to have the honor list from the high school next week.

Grammar school honor students are listed below by their classification:

First Grade: Essig Arnold, Arthur Lee Stokes, Joe Baker Stokes, and Edna Mae Edwards.
Second Grade: Ruth Marie Yandell, Billy Schooler, Ronnie Williams, C. L. Tomlinson, Jr., Wade Yandell, Wayne Carroll, and Betty Jo Coleman.
Third Grade: Dorothy Ackers, Valerie Buchanan, Jo Anne Campbell, Berta Mae DeBusk, Billie Jane Johnson, Glenna Mae Mires, Billie Jean McKee, Betty Ruth McKee, Addie Pearl McKibbin, Doris Payne, Alice Nell Walker, Loleida Bond, Donald Carroll, Jimmie Schooler, and Frank Stokes.

Fourth Grade: Clifton Harris, Joyce King Edwards, Juanita Vargas, J. L. Petty, J. C. Brantley, C. E. Bryant, John Ellen Beach, Aubra Lee Shook.
Fifth Grade: Allie Joe Schooler, Francis Procter, Marcille Lambert, and Billy Payne with averages of 95, 92.3, 93.1 and 90.3, respectively.
Sixth Grade: Geraldine Bond, 94.3; Mary Louella Gant, 92.6; Frances Mae 90.3.

Seventh Grade: Betty Rhea Caldwell 97; Yvonne Westmoreland, 92; Betty Lynn Middleton, 92; Betty Lou Pierce 92.

the county to a minimum, so far as is within my power to do so. I find that to see them reduced if I find that it can be consistently done and still maintain a sound form of government. I promise you further, that if elected, every case pending upon the docket of this court shall be tried at the appointed date or a good reason will be given and not an excuse. It costs the taxpayer too much money to maintain and operate the courts of this land for cases to be allowed to be passed from one term of court to another except where they have a good reason for doing so.

I assure you that every decision that I am called upon to make will be made by me and not by proxy. I, of course, will appreciate wise counsel and advice at all times, but I will not accept or tolerate dictations from any person or persons.

It is my purpose to make a thorough canvass of the County and to meet personally, but should I fail to meet you during my campaign, I will appreciate any consideration that you may give my candidacy. I want to assure you that if I am elected to this office and fortunate enough to serve the people of Lynn county in this capacity for four years, if I feel that I have not prepared myself for broader and more efficient service, in other words if I feel that I am not entitled to promotion at that time I shall be my purpose to retire to private life and thus make place for a more progressive person.

I will be guided strictly by that old Democratic principle, "Equal rights to all and special privileges to none." Upon these issues and principles I earnestly solicit your influence and support.
P. W. GOAD.

Beacons Along the Route



Second Snow of Season Falls Here

The second snow which has penetrated this far south this season fell here Friday night and Saturday, following several days of spring like weather. Friday was balmy as April or May, and a number of local people spent the day working in rose gardens and flower beds.

Soon after dusk, however, a norther blew down from the Panhandle with its customary whistle and bluster, and by eleven o'clock the temperature was decidedly uncomfortable, unless one happened to be a polar bear. Saturday morning the ground was covered lightly with snow and sleet, much of which appeared to have been blown in from regions farther north. Heavy snow began falling about eight-thirty or nine o'clock, continuing through most of the day.

For the most part, this change in weather was greeted with favor by residents of our section. The ever-present question of moisture for this year's crop had begun to come to the front, and it is believed that this snow will be of more benefit, perhaps, than would have rain, as the snow fell and melted, soaking into the ground rather than running off, as a rain might have done. The greater part of the crops, even the last of the grains, have been harvested, and stock is generally in good shape to withstand the rigors of a cold spell. So, barring the discomfort of always incident to extreme cold, the snow and norther have been pleasing to most O'Donnell folks.

And if it hadn't been pleasing, we hardly know what any of us could have done about it.

Mrs. Palmer's Father Dies at Hamlin

Coming as a distinct shock to the family here, news of the death of D. M. Poe, father of Mrs. W. L. Palmer, was received here at an early hour Tuesday morning. Mrs. Palmer, accompanied by her daughters, Mrs. Fay Westmoreland and Miss Thelma Palmer, and by her grand-daughter, Miss Yvonne Westmoreland, left immediately for Hamlin to be present at the funeral service.

As we go to press, we have heard no further details, but it is believed that the rites will be held at Hamlin today (Wednesday).

Mr. Poe had been in rather poor health for some time, but so far as Mrs. Palmer had been told, was as well as customary until Monday. For this reason, it is supposed that death must have been due to a cardiac complication, and that it was very sudden.

The Poe family is one of the real pioneer families of that section of West Texas, Hamlin having been the seat of the family home since before the town was started and named. Mr. Poe was one of the most highly esteemed and respected men in that county, and his loss will be keenly felt. He and Mrs. Poe celebrated their golden wedding anniversary some four years ago, and on that occasion more than a thousand friends called at the reception in their honor, while daily papers of the state carried accounts of the event, paying tribute to the grand old couple.

The Index joins with other members in extending sympathy to Mrs. Palmer and other members of the bereaved family.

W. L. Palmer made a business trip to Big Spring Tuesday.

Farmers School Slated at Tahoka Next Week

We are asked to announce that an all day meeting pertaining to farm financing and adjusting of farm debts will be held at Tahoka on Tuesday of next week, which will be January 28. This is one of a series of similar meetings being held in this part of Texas. The subjects under discussion at this time will be of much interest to a number of farmers in our territory and for this reason they are urged to be present.

The program has been announced as follows:

10:00 A. M. Introductory remarks, reasons for such meetings, etc. by George Gregg, F. D. A. Regional Specialist, Lubbock, acting as Chairman of the meeting.
10:15 A. M. Intelligent Use of Farm Credits, by S. A. McMillan, Extension Economist in Farm Management, A. & M. College; or address by Professor Wheeler Barger, instructor in Economics, A. & M. College.

10:55 A. M. Farm Debt Adjustment service by R. J. Murray, Assistant Regional Director, Dallas.
11:40 A. M. Taking an inventory of those present by J. S. Fischer and Hugh F. Weaver, District Supervisor Amarillo and Lubbock respectively.

12:00 Noon lunch hour.
1:00 P. M. Farm Credit Administration set up by A. C. Williams, General Agent, Farm Credit Administration, Houston, Texas; or Lewis Rogers, General attorney for Federal Land Bank, by W. M. Burkes, State Field Supervisor and Loan Officer, Resettlement, Houston, Texas.
1:40 P. M. Rural Resettlement Set-up Administration, Dallas.
2:20 P. M. Round table discussion.

Highway Work Is Progressing; More Men Still Needed

Sufficient men to make up the necessary crews have at last been secured and work on the highway from the Dawson county line north toward Tahoka is progressing much more rapidly during the last few days. For a week or more it was actually feared that the work would have to be abandoned because of lack of labor.

F. C. Stanley, engineer in charge, states that still more men are needed, however, and asks that anyone eligible for this kind of work get in touch with the office at Tahoka. W. B. Bishop is in charge of registration with the National Re-Employment Service, and has his office in Room 5 in the Thomas Building. Every person who desires work should register with him immediately.

More than 300 men have been at work last week and this week on the section between here and Tahoka. They have been working in two shifts of 150 men each, about five hours each day. Caliche is being laid, and is almost finished on a strip of about three miles.

Mr. Stanley could not say when work on the loop through town will be started, but it will likely be sometime in the near future he says.

A number of the men and their families were able to find living quarters and have located here, but we are sorry to say that only a small number of these families could be accommodated in this O'Donnell. As was stated in last week's Index, the housing problem is fast becoming a serious one in O'Donnell.

Mrs. Willis Kyle is visiting her mother in Carlsbad, N. M.

Lubbock District Methodists Plan Series of Meetings

The Reverend Dr. W. M. Pearce, presiding Elder of the Lubbock district of the Methodist church has recently announced a series of Group Christian Education Institutes which will provide training for every church in the district to be conducted during the period from January 30 through February 7.

These institutes, according to the local pastor, the Rev. M. R. Pike, will be one of the most important features of the district training program for 1936, and will be conducted for pastors, local preachers, officials and teachers, group leaders, and any others interested in each church. The same program will be conducted at each of the all-day institutes, with a number of charges taking part in each meeting.

The O'Donnell church will have its institute on February 7 at Lamesa, with churches of Lamesa, McCarty, Mt. Olive, Liberty, Ballard, Higginbotham, Munger, Welch, Patricia and Hancock. Dr. Pearce will preside at all these institutes. Each program will have some visiting speakers, but will be conducted mostly by persons included in the institute. The general program will be as follows:

- 10 A. M.—Worship; theme, Evangelism.
- 10:20 — How to revive and sustain interest in the church school.
- 10:30 — Relation of one's conversion to Christian education.
- 10:40 — Church boards of Christian education and workers councils.
- 10:50 — Sources of programs of work —how do we get them?
- 11:00 — Pre-Easter plans; value and how planned and how conducted.
- 11:10 — Essentials of a successfully working board of stewards.
- 11:20 — Importance and best ways of using lay speakers.
- 11:30 — A Christian Education sermon.
- 12 noon to 1:45 — Lunch.
- 1:15 to 2:30 — Division groups, meeting separately. Children workers meeting with Mrs. Pearce or some one designated by her as leader; young people with Miss Lucille Lilledahl or someone designated by her as leader; adults with J. R. Griggs or some one designated by him as leader.
- 2:30 — Points of emphasis in WMS work in this quarter.
- 2:45 — Relation of church school to total finance of church.
- 2:50 — Church school records; importance and essentials of a good record.
- 3:00 — Why an every-member-week-10-50 plan.
- 3:10 — Keeping up with the calendar — special days, weeks, seasons, etc.
- 3:20 — Resume and announcements.

Blizzard Breaks Monday; Season Is Helped

Brilliant Sunshine Monday practically finished the melting of the second snow the South Plains has had this winter, though the atmosphere was still crisp enough to make one's topcoat or heavy wraps decidedly comfortable.

It is estimated that from one to two inches of snow fell during the brief cold spell which lasted from Saturday afternoon through Sunday.

Pipes were frozen in several instances, resulting in some slight property damage, but so far as we have heard, no inside pipes burst. Stock which had no shelter suffered greatly during the height of the storm, but we have heard of no losses in that quarter.

Indeed, as has already been stated, the cold wave and the accompanying snowfall are considered very beneficial at this time. As is usually the case, there has already been some concern as to moisture, especially a bottom season for the coming crop, and while the snow was too light to be of much help, every little bit helps in this part of the country.

Among O'Donnell young people who have enrolled recently in one or another institution of higher learning is Miss Rena Hester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hester. Miss Rena enrolled two weeks ago as a student in Dr. Branch's Business College at Lubbock. Her many friends here extend her best wishes for a successful school career.

Dan Davis Blocker was compelled to remain at home from school Tuesday, ill with a severe cold.

Home Demonstration Clubs Report Successful Year

Miss Sylvia Robb, county home demonstration agent, was kind enough to furnish us with figures and statistics compiled at the close of the year's work of the Home Demonstration and 4H club members of Lynn county. We are glad to publish these figures as proof of the value and worth of this work in this section of the state. It has been our pleasure on several previous occasions to compliment Miss Robb and her club members on the standard of their products and of their work in all departments, and we are glad to have actual statistics to back us up in our seemingly extravagant praise.

More than 216,643 quarts of fruits, vegetables, meats, preserves, jellies and pickles were canned by these club members during the year just closed.

According to government standards, a total of \$46,613.69 can be counted in dollars and cents as the value of these containers. In addition, 117,118 pounds of stored vegetables, cured meats, lard and butter were provided by the club girls and women of the county, with a value of \$27,371.85, making the astonishing total of \$73,985.54 as the value of this canned and cured products. Cream was sold in the value of \$6,256.88.

By making their own clothing, the club members saved an additional sum of \$3,133.60, having made a total of 3,133 dresses and 1,014 undergarments. Not only did the members save money, but were also assured of being becomingly and appropriately dressed at all times.

Better methods of growing poultry and caring for market products resulted in a further saving of \$14,082.70, as well as supplying the family tables with food products of this nature. This sum added to the above figure results in the amazing total of \$101,697.82, which is a sum not to be sneezed at in any times, and least of all in times like these.

But important as this financial value appears, the clubs have proved their worth in other ways. Improvement of homes cannot be valued in money, but there is no doubt as to the mental and spiritual value of such work, which is one of the highest aims of home demonstration and 4-H clubs. Bedroom improvement was featured this year, with the report of 220 rooms improved, 127 floors refinished, 536 pieces of furniture refinished, 244 pairs of curtains added, 1624 pieces of linen added, 34 candlewick spreads, and 46 standard mattresses.

In the living quarters of the home, we find a report of 23 tables added, 89 lamps, 146 chairs, and 43 book shelves or book cases. Forty-two kitchens were improved during the past year, and 58 other rooms have been improved in some manner.

The Index challenges any other institution in the county to show a better profit, or more decided improvement in every way. The girls and women of the county are due a rousing cheer from their families and from the rest of us.

Master Buri Keeton was quite ill Tuesday of this week, suffering from a heavy cold.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dorman of Route 3 are among our new subscribers. Thank you folks; we sincerely hope you will like the Index.

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Senator Nelson's Plan Getting Wide Notice

Very gratifying to this section of Texas is the wide discussion and attention which has been aroused by the new plan recently proposed by State Senator G. H. Nelson of this district. His plan, which he himself named the unicameral, calls for a legislature composed of two representatives from each of the districts of the State, these men to remain on duty at all times, with an annual salary of \$5,000.

Monday's Star-Telegram editorial column devoted considerable space to a discussion and comment of this plan, the tenor of the article being uniformly favorable in every respect. We agree with the Telegram's opinion that this is one of the most sensible proposals which has ever been put before the legislature of this or any other state.

As the editorial commented, such a salary would make it possible for really capable business men, or professional men, to give up their own work and devote their entire time to the duties of the state without fearing that their

families would be deprived of the comforts of life. In the situation now stands many of our representatives in the halls of the state capital are forced by economic reasons to continue their private business or profession, thus having time and attention divided between this work and their duties as representatives of the people of their districts.

Too, as Mr. Nelson sensibly points out, this plan would still cut down expenses of the state in salaries and in mileage. Whether or not the plan is ever presented to the vote of the citizens of Texas, we believe Mr. Nelson will go down in history as one politician who really carried out his campaign promises of trying to find the most economical means of carrying on the state's business.

Mr. Hoover Finds Many New Plans

We have been much interested, along with the rest of the nation, in reading the many new plans which have been brought out of the lab by Mr. Herbert Hoover, famous for that great statement, 'It might have been worse.'

On some four occasions Mr. Hoover has seen fit to attack the present administration on every flank, and to advance interesting plans for bringing prosperity back to the nation. The only spot on these fair prospects is the wonder why the gentleman did not carry out these plans during those dark days from 1929 to 1933, rather than serving up those optimistic statements that prosperity was just around the corner. The only trouble was that nobody could ever find the corner.

Quoting Chas. A. Guy in Sunday's Avalanche-Journal: 'It is too bad that Mr. Hoover did not think of all these plans and then put them to work to help the farmers when he was living in the big house at the end of Pennsylvania Avenue. But when Mr. Hoover was in office—as any busy-wake will tell you—he was too wide-awake for prosperity to 'turn the corner' to pay much attention to the man of the soil. True, he and his aides dished out collection after collection of high sounding words and phrases about and to the farmer, but that's as far as he got. Upshot of the whole matter was that the present national administration—whether by methods constitution or unconstitutional—is first to turn words and plans into deeds and action and that was the point overlooked by Mr. Hoover in his fourth speech attacking the administration which followed his own.'

Very nicely put, Mr. Guy; very nicely indeed.

FARMERS MORE INTERESTED IN CERTIFIED SEED

South Plains farmers, among whom are listed many O'Donnell men, are showing more interest than ever in the purchase and use of state certified sorghum seed, according to a statement last week from Don L. Jones, superintendent of the state experiment farm at Lubbock.

It was at the Lubbock station that state certified seed has been developed during the past ten years.

Mr. Jones amplified his statement by pointing out that farmers are writing in to ask about securing the seed. Due to a fire in one of the storage houses two years ago, the station is short on seed this year, but will recommend breeders in the area who can supply the demand. A number of local grain dealers have secured these seed, we are informed, and will be able to meet the demand locally.

COUNTY JUDGE'S FAMILY HAS NEW DAUGHTER

We tried unavailingly all last week to learn whether or not the young lady whose birth was announced from a Lubbock hospital to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith of Tahoka was a daughter of our county judge and Mrs. Smith, but were unable to secure definite information until too late to publish in

last week's Index.

This week, however, we are offering our congratulations to Judge and Mrs. Smith on the safe arrival of the little lady on January 8. Having two daughters ourselves, we feel that we are speaking from experience when we tell them that business is just now picking up for them.

Index readers will remember that Mrs. Smith has only recently returned from a hospital after receiving a heavy fall as she crossed the floor of her room, breaking an ankle. Because of this, reports that she is doing nicely were received with much relief.

Substitute Farm Plan Decided Upon By National Leaders

President Roosevelt, Secretary Wallace and other administration leaders conferred all last week with representatives from the various departments of the AAA, outlined by a decision handed down by the Supreme Court two weeks ago, in an effort to bring some order out of the chaos left in the wake of the decision. Seventy or more representatives spent most of the week in Washington with the President and his counselors, and the result of their deliberations was published Friday in a substitute plan which hopes to carry out at least a part of the aims of the AAA.

The White House conference plainly labeled the plan as immediate 'temporary farm legislation' for the purpose of continuing federal payments to farmers. While details still remain to be worked out, the general plan will incorporate the following steps:

1. Crop production will be adjusted through retirement of acreage as a soil conservation and erosion measure.
2. Farmers will be reimbursed for land thus retired through Federal 'rental' payments.
3. Such authorization as is necessary will be sought through amendments to existing laws rather than new ones.
4. An appropriation of \$300,000,000 to \$400,000,000 will be asked to finance the programs estimated cost in 1936.
5. An additional appropriation of about \$300,000,000 will be requested to reimburse farmers under the invalidated 1935 adjustment contracts.
6. A permanent program may be sought later this session or deferred until next year.
7. Provisions of the AAA untouched by the Supreme Court's decision will be strengthened and more fully utilized.

Supervisor Explains Business Census

W. E. Innon, supervisor of the business census which is scheduled to begin in Lynn county some time this month, has this week answered a number of questions concerning the purpose of the census.

'It is designed,' he said, 'to supply a definite answer to the question of how many concerns there are in business, the total volume of annual business, and the total payrolls and employment. More than 100 representatives, delegated by the various business associations in each field to be cover-

ed, met recently with census officials and formulated the questions to be asked.'

Retail trade will be divided into two size classifications: Stores with total sales of \$50,000 and over, and stores with sales of less than \$50,000. Commodity data will be sought from the larger group and all wholesale establishments including exporters, importers and limited function wholesalers.

For the first time, Mr. Innon announces, the Census includes banking and finance for the entire range of commercial, agricultural, and mortgage and personal credit finance, as well as security brokers and dealers.

Construction is included again as in 1929. General contractors, operative builders and subcontractors are to be covered.

Highway and street transportation, including trucking for hire and bus operations are included in the census for the first time. Commercial warehousing is also included in the comprehensive plans announced last week.

A census of the business of operating office, commercial and other nonresidential buildings will be made in cities of more than 10,000. For the first time the operation of insurance companies agents and brokers, real estate brokers and dealers, management and rental agents as well as the business aspects of non-profit associations and organizations of every type (exclusive of religious bodies) are included in the census.

The census of Service Establishments which in 1932 included only personal, business and mechanical repair services, is extended in the plans to include certain classes of professional-trained persons. Mr. Innon explained that these include advertising counselors, architects, auditors, certain public accountants, engineering services, private detective agencies, market research services, map drawing and cartography services, and sales consultants. Theatres and hotels are to be covered as in 1929 and 1932.

The reason for securing this information, he states, is to answer the request of business for dependable 1935 information for sounder planning of expansion programs, and is a continuation of the similar business censuses of 1929 and 1932.

Two Hard Falls Cause Serious Injuries

E. W. Hester, well-known farmer and Jersey breeder of this section, is much the worse from results of two hard falls which he sustained this week.

Sunday Mr. Hester strolled out on the back stoop to see about the weather. The small porch is built on something of a slope, and being on the north, was thickly coated with ice. In some manner his foot slipped, and he slid and skated to the very edge before he fell heavily. This accident left him rather banged up, but not seriously injured.

Not content with this fall, Mr. Hester went to the field Monday to assist the boys in getting in some feed. The furrows were frozen so hard that the wagon began pitching and rolling with such force that he was thrown from the load of feed. Fortunately the team was gentle, and stopped instantly when Mr. Hester called 'whoa' as he fell,

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landed under the heels of one of the horses. Due to his presence of mind in stopping them, he was not dragged or hit by a wheel, but the fall was hard enough to break several ribs on the right side, as well as inflict sundry other bruises, cuts, and abrasions. Mr. Hester plans to lead a very quiet life for the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Townzen and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Barnes and little daughter, Bobby Lucille, spent a few days last week at Skellytown, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richter.

FOR SALE: Good young mares and horses. Eiland and Whitsett Co.

D. M. Estes has been in Big Spring this week on business, going down Monday.

Mrs. W. T. Huff and daughter, Miss Wynona, were in Lubbock on business Wednesday of last week.

W. R. Gibson made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday of last week. Mr. Gibson accompanied him as far as Tahoka, where she spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Randall Gibson.

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In SOCIETY

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER FOR RECENT BRIDE

Honoring Mrs. Woodrow Ables, who was Miss Pearline (Lou) McKee before her marriage several days ago, Mrs. Boyd Barnett was hostess last Thursday afternoon at a miscellaneous shower at her lovely country home east of town.
Fifty or more guests were present for the 'community social,' as the occasion was described to Mrs. Ables when she was invited. The true purpose was not revealed to her until after the close of games and contests which marked the social hour.
When these had been completed, the hostess asked her to assist in serving, and she was requested to take the cover from the dining table, and when she did so, the gifts were found piled in a huge heap.

MRS. BETTY HONORED WITH FAREWELL PARTY

Honoring her sister, Mrs. C. C. Betty, before her departure for Jail to make her home, Mrs. C. C. Caldwell was hostess Monday afternoon at a delightfully informal bridge-tea at her home in the central part of town.
Games of bridge were enjoyed during the afternoon, high score going to Mrs. Fred Henderson and consolation to Mrs. Fay Westmoreland and the honoree, Misses Theima Palmer, Jim Ellen Wells, and Martha McCluskey of Big Spring.

As a parting courtesy to the honoree, each guest surprised her, and the hostess as well, by bringing a dainty and appropriate farewell gift. Mrs. Betty expressed her appreciation in her own gracious manner, and added her regrets in leaving her friends here.
MISS CLEO PETTY AND KENNETH FARRIS MARRIED
Of interest to O'Donnell people was the marriage last Monday evening of Miss Cleo Petty and Mr. Kenneth Farris. The ceremony was read at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Petty, at their lovely country home south of town. Mrs. Pearl Keston, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, reading the rites in the presence of only members of the families and intimate friends.
For her marriage, the bride chose a becoming brown silk ensemble.
Both young people are well known in this section of the county, and have scores of friends who join with us in extending hearty best wishes for their happiness and prosperity.

JOE BAILEY TEACHER HONORED WITH SHOWER

(Received too late for last week)
Mrs. O. D. Pierce, who was Miss Faye Brown before her recent marriage, was named honoree last Thursday evening when Mmes. Tom and Joe Brewer entertained with a community social. Mrs. Pierce is primary teacher of the Joe Bailey school and has visited O'Donnell on numerous occasions on school business. She has many acquaintances and friends here who will join us in extending hearty best wishes for her continued happiness and prosperity.
The social took the form of a miscellaneous shower of useful and attractive gifts. At the close of a most enjoyable occasion, a delicious refreshment plate was served to Mesdames W. A. Skinner, V. C. Rames, Burley D. Taylor, R. A. Metcalf, L. W. Newton, Woodrow Bryan, Pierce, and J. C. Bryan; Misses Ila D. Skinner, Oleta Durham, Velma Harris, Ann and Annette Brewer, and Irene Beckham.

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WELLS M. S. MEETS IN BOLCH HOME

Members of the Wells Missionary Society met last week at the home of Mrs. Bolch, at which time an interesting and instructive program was enjoyed. A good attendance was reported. The next meeting was planned to be held at the Joe McLaurin home. The eleventh chapter of Joshua will be discussed. All members are urged to be present.

MR. AND MRS. PHIPPS LEAVE FOR SAN ANTONIO

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Phipps are leaving our section for an indefinite stay, we are indeed sorry to report, due to the lady's ill health. They plan to locate in San Antonio for the next six months at least, hoping that a change in climate and altitude will be beneficial.
Mrs. Phipps has already gone, she expects to follow within the next few days, as soon as all their property here is provided with caretakers, etc. He called at the office long enough to have their Index changed to the new address, and to leave greetings for their many many friends in this territory.
The Index joins with other friends in sincerely regretting that Mrs. Phipps health has been so unfavorable, and in the hope that she may soon return to us fully recovered. In the meantime, we shall make every effort to see that they are always well supplied with news from home.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Church School 10:00 A. M.
Order of Services:
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Service 7:00 P. M.
Church Loyalty night, Wednesday, 7:00 P. M.
Board of finance meets last Monday night in each month.
W. M. S. Monday afternoons at 3:00 at church.
You will always find a cordial welcome awaiting you at the Methodist church.
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Let's Talk about Clothes

TEXAS STATE COLLEGE WOMEN (G.A.)
Denton, January 20—How many women give no thought and very little attention to the appearance of their eyes? So many have remarked, "Eyes are just eyes, and there's nothing you can do to improve them," that the state man has become fixed in the opinion of people, and the idea of using eye makeup seems frivolous.
Of course we wouldn't want all women in the world to walk around with beaded lashes and slathers of vivid shadow, but a bit of discreet eye makeup does more for the average face than any beauty aid save perhaps lipstick. Paleness about the eyes, by which we mean the effect when eyes are not striking is a beauty ill of which you are apt to be unconscious.
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Abilene after a several weeks visit with his brother, George Rhea.
Mr. J. L. Child and son, Doyle, were in Lubbock over the week end.
There will be prayer meeting services every Wednesday night. We are having a Bible Study Course, "The Origin and Growth of the Bible". This course will continue for 12 weeks. Everyone is invited to attend these services.
Mr. E. T. Williamson of Lytle spent a few days with his son, Theibert, this week.
Doris Cresswell entertained the League with a social last Friday night. Arametta Bell of Big Spring was in Ackerly Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Moore and Mrs. S. D. Moore visited in the Mack Moore home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. White and daughter of Lamesa were guests in the Salsor home Sunday.
Paul White is on the sick list this week.
—Hazel Ward, corres.

INSURANCE COMPANY SHOWS HIGH DEGREE OF LIQUIDITY

Unusual conditions of the past five years have had a marked effect on the investment portfolio of life insurance companies. While few companies have increased in size, measured by total investment in force, changes in the character of assets of some of the companies are apparent. A brief analysis of the balance sheet of Southwestern Life, the first of the large Texas companies to publish its annual statement reveals a high degree of liquidity. The net liability to policyholders is less than 27 million. The company owns securities valued conservatively at 30 millions. Of this amount 15 millions is represented by U. S. Government bonds, cash and the highest grade State, county and municipal obligations, which could be sold on today's market for a million dollars more than the amount at which they are carried in the balance sheet. The remaining 15 millions is invested in first mortgage loans on Texas real estate. In addition the company owns real estate, including the home office building, worth about 3 millions.
Five years ago Southwestern Life had only about one-ninth as much invested in bonds, but owned one-third more real estate mortgages than it does today.

The gain in insurance in force for 1935 is approximately the same as for 1934, and the company is now larger than at any time previous in its history, with a total of 288 millions of insurance on the lives of approximately 140,000 Texas citizens. During recent years the amount of the average policy has decreased slightly. The rate of mortality for 1935 among Southwestern Life policyholders was almost the same as for the previous year. Lapses are steadily decreasing and loans against policies have remained at about the same level.
Increased liquidity of assets has resulted in lower interest earnings, but the net return for 1935 was 4 1/2%, which the company considers highly satisfactory under present conditions.

King Cotton's Price Depends on Supply and Amount Used

Outlook for Domestic Consumption Has Improved

Cotton Consumption Varies With Industrial Production

American Cotton Supply Affects Price (million bales)

1932-33	1933-34	1934-35
6.5	9.7	12.4

COTTON consumption and industrial production move together. The rate of cotton consumption in this country is influenced more by the general business situation than by cotton prices. Cotton consumption in the United States was the highest for this November than for any November since 1932. This increase in consumption reflects an increasing industrial and retail demand, Government purchases, and the existence of a large volume of reserve orders.
The chart in the lower right corner shows that excessive world supplies of American cotton depress prices and that prices recover with reduced supplies. The supply in 1932-33 was 25,961,000. With that large supply on the market, cotton prices could not recover. As contrasted with such excessive supplies, the World supply of American cotton in 1934-35 was only 27,000 bales, and prices improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer LaGrone were called to Arizona last week by news of illness in her family.
Joe Alexander, editor of the Dawson County Courier at Lamesa, was here on business Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Thompson has this week renewed her subscription to the Index. This lady is one of our most consistent subscribers, always renewing right on the dot. Thank you, ma'am.

ON TEXAS FARMS

From Brown county come reports that soil conservation work is carried on affecting 417 acres on 11 farms in December. Road machinery built terraces 24 feet wide and 1 1/2 feet high on 8 farms at a cost of \$137 per acre. A tour was arranged on which 83 farmers and 4-H club boys visited four of these soil conservation demonstrations.

We are this week placing the name of J. D. Coff, Route 1, on our list of subscribers. Thank you Mr. Coff.

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TOMATOES, No. 2, 3 for	25c
APRICOTS, gallon cans	40c
CORN FLAKES, R & W	10c
BRAN FLAKES, R & W	10c
PEACHES, R & W No. 2 1/2 tin	16c
CHERRIES, Red Pitted, No. 2 tin	12 1/2c
BLACKBERRIES, Texas, No. 2 tin	10c
PINEAPPLE JUICE, R & W, 12 oz.	9c
HOMINY, Lady Alice, 300 size tin	5c
PEAS, Kumer's Garden, No. 1 tin	9c
PORK & BEANS, B & W, two 16oz. tins	11c
BEANS, B & W Mexican Style	8c
MARSHMALLOWS, R & W, 1 lb. pkg	16c
PICKLES, Lady Grace, quart, sour	15c
PANCAKE FLOUR, R & W	11c
MINCE MEAT, Red & White	9c
CRISCO, 3 pounds	62c
CATSUP, Frazier, 14 oz. bottle	13c
CRACKERS, 2 lb. A-1	17c
DATES, Red & White, 10 ounces	16c
CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP, 5 bars	19c

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Johnson Trial Resumed At Big Spring

Scores of local people have been in Big Spring this week attending the new trial of Deputy Sheriff John Johnson on a charge of murder in connection with the highway killing of Hank Beal three years ago. Details of the tragedy need not be told here, as Index readers are all familiar with each phase of it.

A change of venue was sought and obtained several months ago by the State, and one trial at Big Spring at the last term of court resulted in a hung jury, result of the trials in this district.

As the Index goes to press Wednesday nothing definite has been done but we hope to have a full report on the proceedings in time for next week.

Bonus Bill Passed By Huge Majority

A bill calling for immediate payment of the full 1945 maturity of the soldiers bonus was passed by a wide majority in the Senate Monday. The vote stood 74 for, 16 against. The house had already passed the measure, so that only the president's signature is now necessary.

The bonus will be paid in baby bonds of \$50 valuation. The measure appropriates \$2,237,000,000, and also makes available \$234,000,000 in the adjusted service certificate fund to defray the ultimate cost of the bonus of \$2,491,000,000.

Beginning next June 15, the \$50 bonds and as much cash as would be necessary to care for odd amounts, would be made available to approximately 3,500,000 bond holders. These bonds would be payable at post offices rather than at banks.

By the time this issue of the Index is in the hands of our readers, the bonus bill will likely have been made into a law, or will be well on its way to the White House.

Schoolboy Age Limit Increased to 19 Years

The executive committee of the State Interscholastic League announced Saturday that the age limit for participation in activities of the Interscholastic League events has been increased from eighteen years to 19 years as a result of preferential referendum vote by member schools. It was also voted to retain the eight semester rule.

This referendum was ordered where a number of schools protested the action of the committee last May in reducing the age limit from 20 years to 18 years. The new ruling would have become effective on September 1.

The referendum carried four proposals: 19-year limit retaining the eight semester rule; 18 year limit abolishing the semester ruling; 19-year limit retaining the eight semester rule and 19-year limit abolishing the eight semester rule.

The local schools voted for the winning proposal, we are informed by Coach Fletcher Johnson.

New Rules Apply on Car License Purchase

Owners of motor vehicles, accustomed until last year to a February 1 deadline for registering machines, seem somewhat confused this year, state tax collector-assessor Aubra M. Cade.

From the state highway department at Austin, Mr. Cade has secured this information: Vehicles registered for 1935 may be re-registered for 1936 as early as February 1, but the plates can not be legally used until March 1.

Any new and unregistered machines placed in service in January, February or March are required to be registered for 1935, or rather for the remainder of the fiscal year, up to April 1, on or after February 1, however, both sets of plates may be bought. Last year new plates could not be used legally until April 1, beginning of the registration year.

Local Teacher Resigns; Accepts Lubbock Place

The resignation of J. E. Hancock, head of the General Service department in the local high school, was accepted with much regret at the last meeting of the board of education.

Announcement of the resignation comes from the office of Miss Beverly Wells, business manager of the school and secretary of the board.

Mr. Hancock came to the local school system last fall from New Lynn, where he had been employed for the past two terms. He had recently been offered a more advantageous position with the school at Lubbock, at an increased salary, and the board here felt that it would be an injustice to demand that he complete the term here. We understand that he will move to Lubbock and take up his work there at the beginning of the second term, which



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If you work your starter only eight or ten times a day, from now till March 21st, that will be 400 to 500 starts altogether. Let's say you only cut your time in half on each start, using Winter Blend Conoco Bronze gasoline. Even so, that's something like saving your battery 250 starts before next Spring!

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Both Mr. and Mrs. Hancock have made many friends since coming to O'Donnell, and their loss will be keenly felt among students, patrons of the school and their other friends here.

Townsend Club Will Be Organized Here

We are asked to announce that there will be a meeting of eligible persons at the City Hall here Saturday afternoon beginning promptly at three o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a chapter of the Townsend Club.

D. M. Estes authorized us to make this announcement, and to urge that any persons interested in this move make every effort to be present.

As most of our readers already know these clubs are for the purpose of furthering the proposed Townsend old age bill, which calls for an income of \$200 monthly for all citizens of the United States of more than sixty years. Similar clubs have been formed in a number of South Plains towns during the past several months, and a number of local people have become much interested in the project. A good attendance will, therefore, likely be present Saturday afternoon.

The Index has gone on record previously as favoring some sort of old age insurance or pension, call it what you choose. It seems to us that the sum suggested by Mr. Townsend is somewhat larger than is entirely in keeping with common sense, especially as his bill specifies that none of this income can be banked or otherwise saved, but must be spent. For the first three or four months, most elderly couples could easily dispose of \$400, but when a comfortable home, good furniture, adequate clothing, car, etc., has been purchased, just how could two old folks dispose of that much money alone? And as it has been explained to us, another provision of the bill is that such elderly people are not to support a family of grown children or dependents.

However, the problem of spending that much money would be up to them. We have more than half a lifetime before we would be eligible for this income. And it would do our hearts good to know that some of our old friends, who are now dependent on erratic charity or the fully as erratic care of their families, will be assured of comfort during the remainder of their lives.

There's just one other problem that puzzles us in connection with this proposed pension — where will the money

come from? It seems that everything which can be taxed at all is already beyond endurance, from gasoline to cigarettes down to the sales and amusement tax, and an income of \$200 per month for the several hundreds of thousands of people who will be eligible will be no small item in the national budget.

But we sincerely hope that all these questions can be worked out and that an old age pension will be available in the immediate future.

RECREATION CLUB MOVED TO NEW LOCATION

The Broadway Recreation Club, an amusement center which has had a rather precarious career here for the past two years, was moved last week from its old location in the old bank building to the property of its owner, Mr. Shorty Gibbs.

Mr. Gibbs bought the club from Pete Beal several weeks before Christmas, turning the active management over to Shorty Wright and Alabama Stewart. Under their guidance, with an occasional word of advice from Mr. Gibbs the institution has become a popular one among local people, and has enjoyed a good patronage.

The new location is in the former Chandler store building on eighth street which Mr. Gibbs secured last summer from E. B. Street. Until recently he has had his repair and tire shop in this place, but has now moved it back to his filling station on the Lamesa highway.

FORMER O'DONNELL RESIDENT BUYS BUSINESS PROPERTY

A real estate transaction of interest to O'Donnell and the territory was completed last week when Curtis McMillan, a former O'Donnell boy, purchased half interest in the Eagle Cafe. Maynard Hubert has been controlling owner and manager of this establishment for several months.

Mr. McMillan was reared in O'Donnell, and was a student of the local public schools. For a number of years he was associated with various cafes here, and has had still more experience in this line of business at Hobbs, Tahoka, Lubbock and other places. Some three years ago he married a local girl, and they are now the proud parents of a fine young son. Index readers will remember that this was the first 1933 baby born in O'Donnell.

The McMillan family will make their home here, and he has already assumed the duties and responsibilities at

the cafe. The Index joins with other friends in welcoming them back home.

NEW TIME PAYMENTS ANNOUNCED BY FORD

Ford Motor Company announced several days ago the beginning of a \$5-a-month time payments on a new UCC six per cent finance plan. Lamesa Motor Company, local dealers, are anxious to explain the plan in detail to prospective car buyers.

"This \$5-a-month time payment plan enables you to buy a new Ford on low monthly terms," W. P. Ayrlett pointed out yesterday. "After the usual low down payment is made, \$5 a month is all you have to pay for any type of new car, including insurance and financing." The plan applies to pleasure cars and commercial units but not to trucks.

COMPLETE SANITATION URGED DURING CENTENNIAL YEAR

Austin, January 20—If Texas is going to entertain millions of visitors during the great Centennial celebration and have them think kindly of us, then every citizen must insist on complete sanitation, declared Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer.

Cities should see that their water systems are free of contamination, that proper sewage facilities are available, and that all public eating places and rooms are spotlessly clean.

Dr. Brown further stated, "Every home owner should start now to clean and beautify their yards, this would include also sanitating of water supplies and having proper toilet facilities. The State Department of Health will furnish plans upon request."

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tion. It is hoped that full advantage of this will be taken and that cities are kept sanitary in order that the celebration of one hundred years of independence will not be marred by any epidemics.

W. R. Perry dropped in one day last week to ask that we change his Index address from O'Donnell Route 2 to Lamesa, Motor Route C, which means that the family is moving to another farm this year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Betty, who have made their home early in the spring, have a week to Jal, New Mexico. Betty will have charge of Mr. and Mrs. Betty have friends here who will regret that they are leaving us.

W. J. Jordan has recently a Terraplane sedan from the car company at Lubbock.

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