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Cotton Zone Declared In Brewster

Texas, April 3—In an attempt to stop the spread of the pink bollworm, Gov. Dan Moody, at the request of the Pink Bollworm Commission, has issued a proclamation declaring a non-cotton zone in Brewster County and regulated parts of the regulated zone in Loving, Winkler, Andrews, Crane, Upton, Midland, Dawson and Glasscock counties and parts of the regulated zone in Howard Counties described as south of a line where the south fork of the Rio Grande crosses the Dawson County line, following the creek and ending at the corner of Howard County.

The proclamation declares that no person shall have certified seed cotton no longer exists in Brewster County it shall be unlawful to cultivate or grow cotton or to grow within that regulated zone it shall be unlawful to plant, cultivate and market cotton except under such regulations as shall be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of the pink bollworm.

The proclamation was issued after the commission had held investigations at Lubbock, Dawson County, Big Springs, Howard County, Presidio County; and Midland County; and the commission reported the Governor the proclamation that "a non-cotton zone in Brewster County and in parts of the regulated zone in other counties is necessary to prevent the spread of the pink bollworm."

Danger of Boll Worm

INGTON, April 3 (AP)—The boll worm infestation in Texas is curbed, might block development of cotton in the western States, in the opinion of E. Hinds, entomologist of the State Experiment Station at Raleigh.

On Tuesday before the Agriculture Committee in support of the Buchanan bill to authorize \$2,000,000 appropriation to assist in West Texas, Mr. Hinds testified that the only effective way to control the pest was to establish "non-cotton zones" in the infested areas, and a westward movement of the cotton industry.

Mr. Marlett, chief of the Agriculture Department's Entomology Division, told the committee that it would take two years to eradicate the boll worm when "non-cotton zones" were established and that such measures are necessary for complete control.

In the southwestern States are subsiding from Mexico, Hinds declared. As the bollworm has been between a 25 to 40 per cent of the crop, he added the pest controlled, might wipe out the cotton product in that region. In the south in Mexico there is less than in similar sections in this country, he added.

That the main cotton belt in Texas was watching the infestation with grave concern, Hinds added, "because there is no reason to expect the spread of the infestation to stop," he added, "because there are no means against shipments of cotton and lints from infested areas."

Representative Black of Texas and Representative of Louisiana both Democrats, and the Buchanan measure, Hinds made statements from the floor of Commerce of Marion Davis and Mount Pleasant, Texas, which asked speedy relief for the Texas situation.

Ben L. Cowden and Paul H. Hays returned Thursday from Dallas and were successful in getting the new Ford for our L. N. Nichols which will be his daily mail route. Mr. Nichols is proud of it as a child's toy.

PIPING FOR GAS LINE BEING UNLOADED HERE

On Wednesday of this week five carloads of 8-inch piping for the West Texas Gas Company arrived at the local freight yards. This piping will be used for the mains between Lubbock and Midland via O'Donnell which is now under construction. First of last week two large ditching machines were put to work at Lubbock headed south and are expected to reach O'Donnell within the next three or four weeks.

BASEBALL CLUB LOOKING GOOD

By taking up a collectino from the business people of O'Donnell and also the citizens the O'Donnell Ball Club will be sporting a set of new uniforms within the next few days.

A game will be played next Wednesday afternoon on the old diamond at three o'clock. The boys from Puntin Center playing under the name of Farmers Gin No. 2, will furnish the opposition for the local nine.

Everyone wishing to witness a real pre-season conflict be on hand and enjoy it, and incidentally give the team the "once over."

MR. AND MRS. SANDERSON LOSE GRANDSON

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sanderson, our prominent towns people, were called to Big Spring last Monday a week ago to attend the bed side of their grandson, Jacob Good, aged 14 years who was seriously ill with pneumonia. They arrived only in time to be with the little sufferer just a few hours before death claimed him, as he passed away at 11.45 Monday night.

All that kind, loving hands could do proved of no avail, as his condition grew more serious every hour till the end came.

Funeral services were held by Rev. R. L. Owen at the First Baptist church Wednesday and the remains were laid to rest in the Mount Olive Cemetery.

Classmates of the deceased were chosen for pallbearers while the girls of the Freshman Class were the flower girls. At the conclusion of the service at the grave side, his classmates who attended in a body, sang "Blest Be The Tie That Binds."

Jake, as he was known by those who loved him most, possessed the loveliest manners and happy disposition and by his many characteristics was known as an unusual boy. He was happy, care free, spending his vacations on the Good ranch, where he owned a herd of cattle all his own and was never better satisfied than when in the saddle riding over the ranch.

At the time of his death Jake was a member of the Freshman Class of the Big Springs High School, where he was very popular and loved by the entire student body.

During the hour of the funeral services the schools closed and the school en masse attended the funeral.

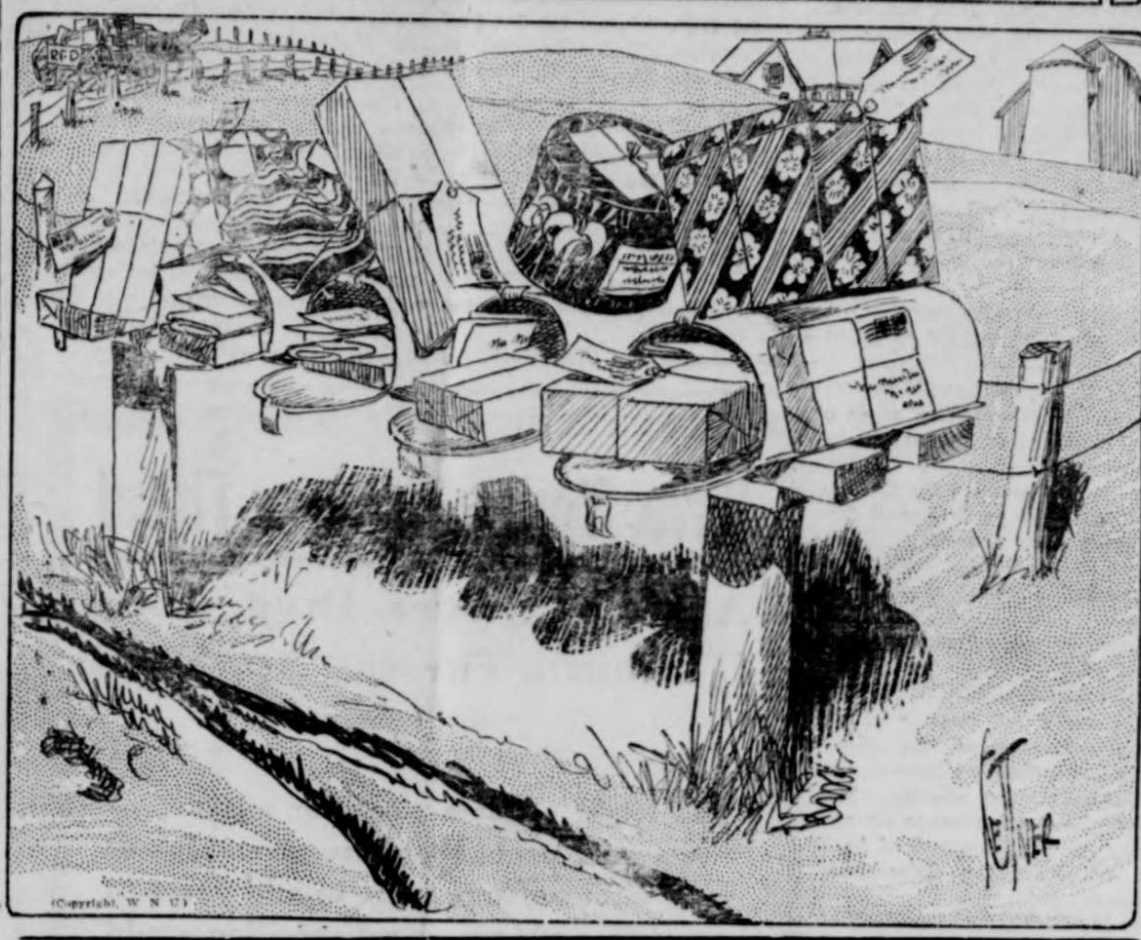
Surviving are his devoted parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Good, and sister, Modesta, and two brothers, Clarence and Jeff.

Following is a list of the relatives and friends who attended the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sanderson, O'Donnell; Mrs. Modesta Green, O'Donnell; Raymond Sanderson, Wink; Mose Sanderson, Crane; Mrs. Carl Cox, Crane; Mrs. J. C. Lyons, Portales; Gordon and Syble Lyons, Portales; Frank Good, Kenna, N. Mexico; Mrs. Kate Arthur, and Lloyd Arthur, Coppell, Texas; Elizabeth Good, Grand Prairie; and Grover Good of Dallas.

To the grief stricken family and relatives we extend our heart felt sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Tull, Miss Thelma Palmer and Fred Henderhon were in Tahoka Sunday.

Easter Week Mail



Kennedy Says New Road Will Be Built

Captain Ed Kennedy of Houston, promoter of the Snyder-Roswell railroad via O'Donnell, and his representatives, L. P. Ward, and J. W. Roach of the M. K. & T. Transportation Department and A. L. Dickerson of the Townsite Development Company of Houston, were in O'Donnell Wednesday morning checking up gathering tonnage data and other valuable information preparatory to making their final report before commencing work on the proposed line. They were accompanied by M. C. Evans, secretary of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce who will cover the entire route from Snyder to Roswell with the party assisting them in every way possible.

A meeting of the railroad committee and business men of O'Donnell was held at Fairley & Haynes office Wednesday morning at which time the visitors explained their mission. Capt. Kennedy stated, "There is no doubt as to us getting the road thru as we expect to complete final plans during this trip." He also stated he strongly favored the O'Donnell route believing it to be the logical route, and assured the people that when the road was built, if it did not come through O'Donnell it would not be his fault.

Each of the visitors spoke briefly and all were of the opinion that such a proposed road was badly needed and would be built in the very near future, and there was no doubt about

it being a paying proposition for some trunk line. Capt. Kennedy also stated that plans were under way for the completion of the route from El Paso to the coast which would be 195 miles nearer than any other route. In speaking of the future possibilities of O'Donnell and the South Plains Capt. Kennedy stated that when the new road was built it would bring many prospective investors to the South Plains and in his opinion nine out of every ten would be sold on the country because of its wonderful future possibilities which in his opinion offers more to the investor than any other section of the United States.

Talks were made by Hal Singleton, Sr., J. P. Aylor, president of the Luncheon Club and Dr. C. P. Tate. All assured Capt. Kennedy and his representatives of co-operation in every way possible, and at the same time impressing upon the visitors the importance of an east and west railroad and the advantages offered by coming the O'Donnell route.

Thursday morning the O'Donnell railroad committee accompanied by a few business men of the city motored to Brownfield where they are to meet with the Brownfield committee and Capt. Kennedy and his representatives where further plans will be discussed regarding the proposed east and west railroad. As we go to press we are unable to get a report of the meeting.

SLIGHT INTEREST IN CITY ELECTION

Very little interest was manifested in the election held at the City Hall Tuesday for the purpose of electing two aldermen, only 48 votes being polled. G. A. Haney and J. H. Hardberger were re-elected for another term.

Haney and Hardberger were the only names printed on the ballots. However, D. M. Estes received eleven votes and J. M. Christopher 8, while one vote was cast for J. R. Mayes. Following is the ticket as voted.

G. A. Haney	36
J. H. Hardberger	36
D. M. Estes	11
J. M. Christopher	8
J. R. Mayes	1

FIRE SIREN ALARMS TOWN TUESDAY EVENING

The shrill shriek of the Fire Siren called out the Fire Department in full force Tuesday evening when the report was turned in that there was a fire in the post office building.

The origin of the fire supposedly come through the carelessness of some perhaps striking a match to see if he had mail in his box and throwing the lighted match down in a corner on some papers and trash. By the time the Fire Boys arrived the fire fortunately had burned itself out.

It is positively a miracle that half the block on the north side did not go up in flames for had the pile of trash been large, and the hour later the fire could have gotten such head way that all the fire force in O'Donnell couldn't have made a showing at extinguishing the fire.

Two very serious needs of the city are brought to our minds because of this special catastrophe, which is the extreme need of lights in the front part of the post office so that there will be no need for parties to strike matches after night to see in their mail boxes. The other need—to be sure—is the installation of a water system in our city.

COLORED SCHOOL AT WELLS

During the past few weeks the Index has carried two separate news items in regard to the colored school at Wells and due to lack of information we misrepresented the facts according to members of the Wells Independent School Board.

The school has been operating for some time and at present has about 20 in attendance and is being maintained by the school board of the Wells district, out of local funds. The building is being furnished by Mr. McLaurin for the nominal sum of \$10 per month. Credit for maintenance of this colored school is due the people of the Wells Independent School District.

AGED MAN VICTIM OF SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Mr. F. W. Marchbanks, 85 years of age, who makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. Don Edwards, happened to a serious accident Saturday morning while walking in the yard when he stepped in a small puddle of water, and fell, breaking his hip.

Mr. Marchbank has made his home with Mrs. Edwards seven years and this is the first time in the whole time that he has been confined to his bed. He has been extremely healthy and strong for his age and is bearing this trouble with amazing fortitude.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hardberger left Wednesday for Crowell, taking Mrs. Hardberger's father, Mr. J. H. Teaff there for a visit. The Hardbergers will go to Dallas where they will be until the last of the week attending the Ginners Convention.

Mr. John A. Schooler of San Angelo spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. R. H. Schooler.

WILDER & MUSICK ERECTS FEED STORE

Wilder & Musick, who recently completed their new feed mill, have been enlarging their business the past week. They have just completed another building on their premises near the new feed mill which will be used as a general feed store.

They also announce they have just installed additional machinery in the mill for the purpose of grinding meal and invite the people of O'Donnell and territory to come in and have their corn made into that good home made meal.

MISS ELOISE FOSTER IN LUBBOCK HOSPITAL

Miss Eloise Foster is convalescing in the Lubbock Hospital at Lubbock following a serious appendicitis operation.

Miss Foster was taken suddenly ill last Monday night and was rushed to Lubbock where an immediate operation was advised. She is reported as doing nicely.

RESULTS OF INTER-SCHOLASTIC MEET

We were mighty sorry to have not been able to run these reports on the County Meet last week but for the benefit of our subscribers over the county we are giving to you this week a full account of the different events.

You will see by the summing up of the total points that Tahoka only beat O'Donnell 2 1-2 points, as their total was 102 1-2 points and O'Donnell's total was 100 points. We all know that to put a boy or girl on home ground they just naturally feel more at ease and we feel that Tahoka's victory of those tiny "2 1-2" points only lay in the fact that they were fighting on "home grounds."

Quoting the Lynn County News in their issue of March 29 where it is said: "In Declamation and other literary events Tahoka had a long lead."

Well, the "long lead" is about all they did have along the literary line as O'Donnell won 65 points to their 52 1-2 in the Literary Events there by winning the cup.

The music contests were not included in figuring the all around county championship but O'Donnell was extremely proud of the showing made in these contests.

In Junior Piano Contest our O'Donnell contestant, Miss Beverly Wells won first, by every vote being solidly cast for her.

It is true that the O'Donnell Orchestra and Girls Quartette won only by default, still had there been contestants from every school in the county, O'Donnell wouldn't have been afraid to put hers up.

But with all the county meet is a splendid thing and develops our boys and girls in many ways and not the smallest of these is the development of good sportsmanship, for it is truly said that "one cannot be a good winner who cannot be a good loser." And we take our hats off to Tahoka for being a splendid hostess the days of the meet were well and happily spent.

The ladies of the Tahoka P. T. A. served some splendid eats at a nominal cost which were delicious and refreshing. Hats off to all P. T. A.'s everywhere.

Following we are happy to give you the results of the meet which were supplied by the Secretary of the Meet

DECLAMATION RESULTS

High Schools
Senior Boys: Boswell Edwards, Tahoka; first; Frank Farris, New Home, second; Lloyd Roxburg, Wilson, 3. Senior Girls: Evelyn Wells, Tahoka, first; Ina D. Everett, O'Donnell, second; Matty Pearl Jones, Wilson 3. Junior Boys: Jake Burkett, O'Donnell Ward, first; Woodrow Balch, New Home, second; Junior Baze, Tahoka Seventh grade, third. Junior Girls: Helen Applewhite, Tahoka seventh grade, first; Kathryn Mary Jane Weathers, Tahoka Central, third.

Rural Schools: 5 Senior Boys: Fay Rogers, New Lynn, first; Smith Lawson, Grassland, second; Hershel Collins, Morgan, third. Senior Girls: Lucille Carmack, Magnolia, first; Lucille Inkiebarger, Grassland, second; Alice French, New Lynn third. Junior Boys: Mark Shannon, Magnolia, first; Coy Williams, New Lynn, second; Sherman Turner, Grassland, third.

Junior Girls: Francis Medlin, Dixie, first; Mattie Barton, second; Pauline Smelser, Tahoka South Ward, 3.

Tiny Tot Story Telling Contest

Debates and Extemporaneous Speaking Contest

DEBATES

Boys—Walter Gaston and Truett Hodnette, O'Donnell; first; Earnest Cowan and Henry Burkhalter, Tahoka, second.

Girls—Hester Gates and Mary Jo Gates, O'Donnell; first; Jeannette Cavenses and Faye Brown, Tahoka, second.

Extemporaneous Speech
Mabel Draper, Tahoka, 1st; Loren Fletcher, O'Donnell, second; Margaret Wetsell, Tahoka Seventh Grad and Wilmar Smith, New Home High School, tied for third.

Essay Writing
Class A High Schools
VeNoy Coughran, Tahoka, first; Florence Henderson, O'Donnell, second; (no entrant for third.)

Class B High Schools
Iola Wilkinson, New Home High (Continued on page 4.)

MOTHER'S DAY ESSAY CONTEST BEING HELD IN LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL

Much interest is being shown by the students in the local high school in a Mother's Day Essay Contest.

This contest is being sponsored by the King Candy Company of Fort Worth, manufacturers of King's Chocolates and Whitsett Drug Company, local agents for King's Chocolates.

A great deal of latitude is given students in their choice of subject matter for the essay can deal with the history of Mother's Day, the importance of Mother's Day, why our Mothers should be remembered on Mother's Day, or similar subjects. The essays are to be between five hundred and one thousand words in length.

The winner of this contest in the local high school will receive a \$5.00 package of King's Chocolates and the winning essay entered in the grand contest in which the King Candy Co. is giving away \$150.00 in cash.

The local contest will close April 15th, and the winner announced by April 25th. The winner in the grand contest will be announced by May 5th.

Mother's Day—always the second Sunday in May—is May 12 this year. On that date the Nation will pause to pay tribute to Mother, for it is the one day of the year set aside for her.

The idea of Mother's Day is credited to Miss Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia. In May, 1907, she with one of her friends observed the anniversary of her own mother's death and expressed a desire to dedicate a day to all mothers. The idea spread rapidly, and in 1913 a resolution was passed in the United States Congress to make the second Sunday in May a National holiday.

Today this occasion is observed in all parts of the nation and in many foreign countries. No other occasion has a greater sentimental appeal. Every person—man, woman or child—no what age or station in life, is affected by the deep emotional appeal of this day we honor our Mothers.

Mothers Day is observed not only in our schools and churches, but by some act of individual kindness to our living mothers whom we owe so much.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Coin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whigham visited in Colorado City Sunday. They were the guests of Mrs. Whigham's sister, Mrs. W. Sleugh and family. Besides spending a lovely day in Colorado City they were charmingly entertained with a picnic supper at Seven Wells Sunday evening.

MRS. HARVEY EVERETT ENTERTAINS WITH PARTY

Mrs. Harvey Everett entertained the Junior Missionary Society with an Easter Party at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Eighteen children were present to enjoy the excitement of an Easter egg hunt, which occurred on the lawn. Miss Kathleen Veazey was given a pretty Easter basket for finding "an especial egg."

Games were played on the lawn for an hour after the hunt. The guests were Misses Kathleen Veazey, Alice Joy Bowlin, Maudie Crawford, Lois Burdett, Lorena Beach, Johnnie Edwards, Mozelle Edwards, Louise Edwards, Mary Hamilton, Anna Belle Estes, Hope Shook, Frances Scott, Thyra Painter, Margaret Lucile and Billie Jane Johnson, Jimmie Lee Shook and Sonny Boy Bowlin.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEET APRIL 2

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church met Monday at 3 p. m. in a business meeting. Had thirteen members present.

Plans to take care of the Conference which meets in O'Donnell this month were taken care of.

Mrs. R. O. Stark was elected to go to Annual Conference at Seymour this month.

Business of several months were disposed of.

There was a call meeting of the Program Committee of the Home Demonstration Clubs of Lynn county in Tahoka Saturday evening. The object of the meeting was to arrange the programs for the month of April which will stress the Educational movement.

Mrs. W. L. Veazey, President of the O'Donnell Club, Mrs. J. W. Roberts Chairma of Program Committee Mrs. John Earls, secretary and Mrs. Ben Moore, council treasurer, were the ladies from the O'Donnell Club who attended the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Marchbanks of Shallowater arrived Monday for a visit with their father, Granddad Marchbanks and their sister, Mrs. Don Edwards and family.

P. T. A. ASS'N AND H. D. CLUB TO GIVE JOINT PROGRAM

On April 11, 1928, at the High School Auditorium at 4 p. m. the P. T. A. and H. D. C. of O'Donnell will give the following program on "Education in Texas".

Roll Call—Name one of our State supported schools.

Provision for State.

Education—Superintendent Caveness.

Number of schools in our county. (a) High Schools, (b) Independent Districts, (c) Grades taught in local schools.—Mrs. W. E. Vermillion.

Benefits of the Interscholastic League—Mr. J. A. Aickard.

Where Can We Get the Best Information on Texas School Laws and on State and Lynn County Activities—G. C. Grider.

Demonstration of School Work—O'Donnell Domestic Science Class of Girls.

Demonsartion of Club Work, (a)

—Mrs. Ben Moore, to display exhibits. Mrs. John Etter to display sewing exhibit.

PRESIDENT OF THURSDAY CLUB TO ENTERTAIN

Mrs. H. E. Gillespie, president of the Thursday Club, is to be hostess to the club Thursday at her home on 4th Street.

Mr. Dick Willetts, Southwestern Paper Company representative with headquarters at Amarillo, was in the city Wednesday.

Miss Mamie Lou Parr of San Angelo, who was Superintendent of the O'Donnell Schools in 1921 arrived Friday evening and visited in the home of Mrs. R. H. Schooler until Saturday when she went to Lubbock and visited relatives till Sunday returning through here on her return to San Angelo. Miss Parr is at this time County Demonstration Agent of Tom Green County.

Mrs. W. H. Guthrie and son, Scott Gross plan to leave this week for Wichita where they will spend the Easter holidays with their daughter, and sister, Mrs. Hawes.

J. L. Ray, of Austin, great uncle of C. E. Ray, local tailor, is spending a few weeks with the latter's family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith daughter, Miss Laynette, have returned from a six weeks' trip coast. They report a very enjoyable trip returning by way of Blue Dallas where they visited for several days.

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WAY ANNOUNCES FOR COUNTY JUDGE

Calway candidate has entered the County Judge, H. W. Calway city.

Calway served this county as commissioner, during the 1919 and 1920. He retired at the end of his term, not offering for re-election. He was at that time a citizen of the Draw community. Later he moved to Tahoka, and 1924 he was elected as a member of the council of the city of Tahoka. He has come to be quite a reputation but unremunerative position he is serving in this capacity at present time.

Commissioner, Mr. Calway is a faithful and valuable servant of the people, and as a member of the council of Tahoka at this time is giving his best thought and endeavor to advance the interests of the city and its inhabitants.

Calway was born in Coryell county, an event for which he was responsible, and it should not be gained in Mills county, but to his credit he moved away to be learned better. His first wife was to Runnels county, which was evidence of decided importance, and later he showed really good judgment by locating in him is that he still holds a way, for old Coryell and he expects to spend the remainder of his days in Lynn county, and wants an opportunity for the greatest amount of ser-

vice possible. Therefore he is asking for the office of county judge. He will appreciate your vote and influence.—Lynn County News.

PARENT-TEACHERS PARTY

Several members of the P. T. A. of O'Donnell were delightfully entertained by a wide awake committee Thursday night at the High School Auditorium.

Games of forty-two were enjoyed and general conversation between the patrons and teachers was not only pleasurable but profitable.

A delightful little contest superintended by Miss Christine Milwee was enjoyed after which the guests repaired to the home economics room where refreshments was served by Miss Edna House and Mrs. S. M. Clayton. The plates were very pretty with angel food cake and devils food cake and punch.

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Misses Wynema Sorrels, Alta Roan and Mrs. S. M. Clayton were joint hostesses for the evening's entertainment proving themselves exceedingly capable.

RUBY BREWER HONOR GUEST AT PARTY

Little Miss Ruby Brewer was made very happy by a birthday party honoring her birthday last week.

Clever little games and contests were enjoyed. Mrs. Wardie Doffern entertained the children with some very pretty songs.

The guests were: Ruby Lee Williams, Gladys Mae Williams, Della Blaylock, Barney Blaylock and Carney Blaylock.

Miss Hazel Morris of Post, Texas, was in O'Donnell Sunday. Miss Morris is a League officer in the Methodist Conference.

What's Doing In West Texas By W. T. C. C.

El Paso—J. B. Williams of the International Business College here has offered two scholarships in the Home Town Contest of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Ranger—Ranger was chosen 1929 host to the Oil Belt District convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at the annual meeting in Dublin March 28.

Flomot—Flomot has good openings for a first class dry goods business, a bank, a prescription druggist and doctor.

Throckmorton—A huge old-fashioned barbecue will be staged here May 1, celebrating the advent of the Cisco-Northwestern Railroad.

Carbon—Carbon High School is editing a school paper entitled "The Echo."

Memphis—Memphis is making rapid strides on the 1928 program laid out at its annual chamber of commerce banquet which was attended by 177 people.

Stephenville—Rebuilding of the local telephone plant is the first of record building projects for 1928.

Miles—Row crops, feed, and cotton are the principle crops for 1928 planting here.

Big Spring—The WTCC membership drive at Big Spring, resulted in securing of 83 members, more than doubling last year's record and placing the city next largest member between Sweetwater and El Paso.

Anson—Over thirty thousand dollars worth of business and residential buildings is underway here at the present time.

De Leon—A Luncheon Club for civic service is being organized here.

Baird—Over \$500 has been raised toward payment of bounties for wolves caught in Callahan county.

Lefors—The county seat of Gray county has been moved from this place to Pampa. Six large trucks conveyed the records to the new site.

Goree—Goree is making plans for its annual picnic for July 4-5.

Abilene—Simmons University is the sixth Texas college to offer a scholarship in the WTCC Contest to be staged at Fort Worth next June.

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Bomarton—Bomarton entertained citizens from all over Baylor county at a singing convention recently.

Hamilton—Dates for the Hamilton county Fair have been changed to July 25, 26 and 27.

Silverton—A high line is to be constructed by the Texas Utilities Company from Lockney to Silverton.

San Saba—A new tourists camp is under construction here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Christopher, and son, J. C., visited in Fort Worth last week, the guests of their sons, Lee and Wade and their families.

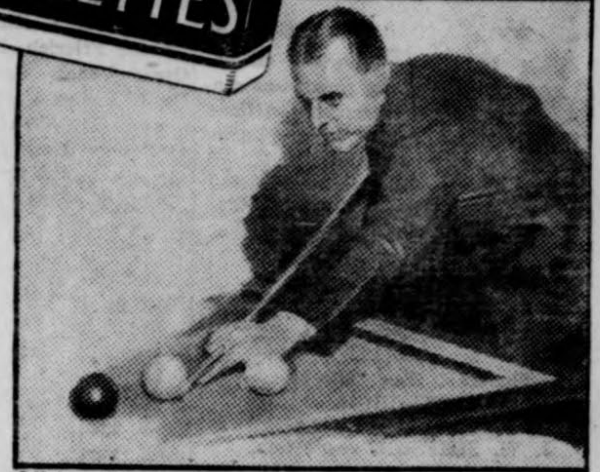
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Knight of Matar were guests last week of Mrs. Belle Knight and family.

Mrs. N. S. Frost was the week end guest of her son, Clyde Frost and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Weems of Lubbock were the guests Sunday of their parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Weems.



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POLITICAL Announcements LYNN COUNTY

The Index is authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for the respective offices, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 28:

- For District Attorney: T. L. PRICE, re-election. For County Judge: G. C. GRIDER. C. H. CAIN, re-election. For Sheriff & Tax Collector: J. H. YARBROUGH. B. R. (Jake) HOLCOMB. J. W. SIMPSON, re-election. B. C. KING. SAM W. SANFORD. For County Attorney: G. H. NELSON. L. C. HEATH, re-election. For County Assessor: J. S. WEATHERFORD, re-election. T. W. BROWN. For County and District Clerk: W. E. (Happy) SMITH, re-election. E. W. HOLLOWAY. TRUETT B. SMITH. For County Treasurer: MISS VIOLA ELLIS, re-election. For County Superintendent: H. P. CAVENESS, re-election. For Public Weigher: MELL PEARCE, re-election. For Commissioner, Precinct 3: J. T. YANDELL, re-election.

POLITICAL Announcements DAWSON COUNTY

For Sheriff & Tax Collector: (Dawson County) MAC W. HANCOCK.

RESULTS OF INTER-SCHOLASTIC MEET

(Continued from first page) School, first; (no entrants for second and third.) Ward Schools Verda Ballew, O'Donnell Ward, first; Louise Burkhalter, Tahoka, Central Ward, second; (no entrant for third.) Rural Schools Georgia Mae Langford, Grassland, first; Marjorie Higginbotham, New Lynn, second, Irene Harrell, Pride, third. Spelling and Plain Writing Senior—Fletcher and Florence Henderson, O'Donnell, first; Alice Frierich and Margaret Ervin, New Lynn, second; Jack McCormick and Evelyn Standerfer Wilson, third. Junior—Evelyn Wells and Hazel Anglin, Tahoka High School, and Anita Goodrich and Ester Barrington, Tahoka Central Ward, tied for first; Marydell Vermillion and Eula Belle Miles, second; Helen Applewhite and Margaret Wetsel, Tahoka Seventh Grade, third. Sub-Junior—James Applewhite and Alike Weathers, Tahoka Central Ward, first; Kirby Musick and Margaret Vermillion, O'Donnell, second; Mamie Banner and Clifford Williams, New Lynn, third. Arithmetic Contests Junior—Baze and Helen Applewhite, Tahoka Seventh Grade, first; Maurice Cowan, Esther Barrington and Clinton Walker, Tahoka Central Ward, second; Otis Speers and Ernestine St. Clair, New Lynn, third. Three R Contest Edith Hammonds, first; Bill Martin, Pride, second; Inez Strosner, Newmoore No. 1, third. Rural Pentathlon Ray Bevel, Newmoore No 1, first.

ATHLETIC RESULTS Rural Schools

Senior 100 yd. dash—Ray Bevel, Newmoore, 1st; C. Bosworth, Magnolia, 2nd. 220 low hurdles—Fay Rogers, New Lynn, 1st; Kit Medlin, Dixie, 2nd; Allen Moore, Dixie, 3rd. 880 yard dash—none. 440 yd. run—Lonnie King, Dixie, 1st; George Frierich, New Lynn, 2nd; Glenn Webb, Dixie, 3rd. 220 yd. run—Ray Bevel, Newmoore 1st; Fay Rogers, New Lynn, 2nd; Ben Ike Scott, Redwine, 3rd. 1 mile run—Oscar Veach, Redwine, 1st; William Chancey, Redwine, 2nd; no third place. Pole Vault—Kit Medlin, Dixie, 1st Lonnie King, Dixie, 2nd. Broad Jump—George Frierich, New Lynn, 1st; Ray Norman, Grassland, 2nd; Fay Rogers, New Lynn, 3rd; Ray Bevel, New Moore, 4th. Discus Throw—George Frierich, New Lynn, 1st; others none. High Jump—Kit Medlin, Dixie, 1st George Frierich, New Lynn, 2nd, Oscar Veach, Redwine, 3rd; Oney Reed, Redwine, 4th. Shot Put—George Frierich, Lynn, 1st; Oney Reed, Redwine, 2nd, Earl McNeil, Lynn, third. Javelin—Carl Carpenter, Lynn, 1st others none. Junior 100 yd. run—Claud Tankersley, Grassland, first; Carl Jones, Grassland, 2nd; E. D. Rash, Lynn, 3rd; J. P. Morgan, Magnolia, fourth. 50 yd. run—Claud Tankersley, Grassland, 1st; Carl Jones, Grassland, 2nd; J. P. Morgan, Magnolia, 3rd; Truman Elam, Lynn, 4th. 440 Relay—Magnolia 1st; Lynn 2, Redwine 3rd. High Jump—Claud Tankersley, Grassland, first; J. D. Morgan, and E. D. Rash, Lynn tied for second; Truman Elam, Lynn, fourth. Broad Jump—Claude Tankersley, Grassland, 1st; E. D. Rash, Lynn 2, Coy Williams Lynn third; R. G. Sessoms, Dixie, fourth. Pull UP—Clifford Williams, Lynn, 1st; Cecil Williams, Lynn, 2nd; Coy Williams, Lynn, 3rd; R. Early, Redwine, fourth. Rural Pentathlon—Ray Bevel, New Moore, 1st; others none.

Ward Schools

100 yd. run—Lewis Speers, Tahoka Central Ward, 1st; Lester Finley, Tahoka South Ward, 2nd; Guy Johnson, T. Central Ward, 3rd. 220 low hurdles—C. Crouch, New Home, 1st; Goy Johnson, T. Central Ward, 2nd; O. Bessire, New Home, 3rd. 880 yd. run—Monroe Dunham, T. Central Ward, 1st; A. Brown, New Home, 2nd; "Skinny" Edwards, T. Central Ward, 3rd. 440 yd. run—Dayton Short, Central Ward, 1st; O. Payne, New Home, 2nd; no third. 220 yd. run—C. Crouch, New Home 1st; Lester Finley, T. South Ward, 2nd; O. Brasire, New Home, 3rd. 1 mile run—Goy Johnson, T. Central Ward, 1st. Mile Relay—Tahoka Central Ward. Pole Vault—Monroe Dunham, Dayton Short, Tahoka Central Ward, and Earl George, New Home tied for first place. Broad Jump—C. Crouch, New Home, 1st; Lewis Speers and "Skinny", T. Central Ward, tied for second; Lester Finley, T. South Ward, 4. Discus—Dayton Short, T. Central Ward, 1st; O. Payne, New Home, second; J. W. Horton, New Home, third. High Jump—J. C. Welch, T. Central Ward, 1st; E. George, New Home 2nd; C. Crouch, New Home, 3rd. Shot Put—Dayton Short, T. Central Ward, 1st; A. Brown, New Home, 2nd; Goy Johnson, T. Central Ward, 3rd. Javelin Throw—O. Brassire, New Home, 1st. Junior— 100 yd. run—Charley Tyler, Wells 1st; B. Haney, New Home, 2nd; Tom Eastridge, T. Central Ward, third, Venson Cobb, T. South Ward, 4th. 50 yd. dash—Tom Eastridge, T. Central Ward, 1st; B. Haney, New Home, 2nd; Venson Cobb, T. South Ward, 3rd; Elwayne Nevells, T. Central Ward, 4th. 440 relay—Tahoka Central Ward 1st; New Home, 2nd. High Jump—Maurice Cowan, Tahoka C. Ward, 1st; Tom Eastridge, T. Central W., 2nd; J. T. Johnson, Tahoka Central Ward, 3rd; M. Hnexon, Wilson, R. Walker, New Home, R. A. Farris of New Home tied for 4th. Broad Jump—Maurice Cowan, T. Central Ward, and R. Walker, New Home tied for 1st; Raymond Jackson Tahoka Central Ward, 3rd; Venson Cobb, T. South Ward, 4th. Pull up—Hoyt Willingham, Tahoka Central W, 1st; Toy Ketner, Central Ward, 2nd; J. D. Ables, O'Donnell Ward, 3rd; Maurice Cowan, Central Ward, 4th.

Class B High Schools

Senior— 120 high hurdles—M. Fulton, New Home, 1st; W. Smith, New Home, 2; 100 yd. run—J. C. Holden, Wilson, 1st; Billy Key, Wilson, 2nd; W. McNeeley, New Home, 3rd; B. Fox New Home, 4th. 220 low hurdles—W. McNeeley, New Home, 1st; J. C. Holden, Wilson, 2nd; Billy Key, Wilson 3rd; Eth Morris, New Home, 4th. 880 yd. run—A. Crews, Wilhon, 1st L. Coleman, Wilson, 2nd. 440 yd. run—B. Hewlett, Wilson, 1st; G. Hancock, New Home, 2nd; Johnnie Key, Wilson, 3rd; V. Smith, New Home, 4th. 220 yd. run—W. McNeeley, New Home, 1st; J. C. Holden, Wilson, 2nd B. Hewlett, Wilson, 3rd; F. Morris, New Home, fourth. 1 mile run—none. Mile relay—Wilson, 1st; New Home, 2nd. Pole Vault—J. C. Holden, Wilson, 1st; V. Smith, New Home, 2nd; F. Morris, New Home, 3rd; Dick Franklin, Wells, 4th. Broad Jump—B. Fox, 1st; M. Fulton, New Home, 2nd; V. Smith, New Home, 3rd; Dick Franklin, Wells, 4. Discus—Billy Key, Wilson, 1st; Arthur Crews, Wilson, 2nd; W. McNeeley, New Home, 3rd. High Jump—B. Fox, New Home, and J. C. Holden, Wilson, tied for first place; W. Smith, New Home, and V. Smith, New Home, tied for 3rd Shot Put—A. Crews, Wilson, 1st; V. Grantham, Wilson, 2nd; B. Fox, New Home, 3rd; F. Morris, New Home, 4th. Javelin—A. Crews, Wilson, 1st; G. Hancock, New Home, 2nd; Juniors 100 yd. run—Vernon Jolly, Wilson, first. High Jump—Leo Davis, Wilson, first. Broad Jump—Leo Davis, Wilson, first. 50 yd. run—Leo Davis, Wilson, first.

Class A High Schools

Seniors -120 high hurdles—Oran Short, Tahoka, 1st. 100 yd. run—E. S. Evans, Tahoka, 1st; Edgar Edwards, Tahoka, 2nd; Jack Minor, Tahoka, 3rd; Raymond McLaurin, O'Donnell, 4th. 220 low hurdles—Kindrick Gaston, O'Donnell, 1st; Raymond McLaurin, O'Donnell, 2nd; Edgar Edwards, Tahoka, 3rd; Boswell Edwards, Tahoka, 4th. 880 yd. run—Donald Newsome, O'Donnell, 1st; Frank Sargent, Tahoka, second. 440 yd. run—Kindrick Gaston, O'Donnell, 1st; Oran Short, Tahoka, 2. 220 yd run—E. S. Evans, Tahoka, 1st; Jack Minor, Tahoka, 2nd; Edgar Edwards, Tahoka, 3rd; Dick Tune, O'Donnell, fourth. 1 mile run—J. W. Lowtry, 1st; Clifton Janak, Tahoka, 2n; Edward Welch, Tahoka, third. Mile relay—Tahoka first. Pole Vault—Harold Edwards, Tahoka, 1st; Gordon Slaughter, O'Donnell, 2nd; Ernest Cowan, and Liff Taylor, Tahoka, tied for third place. Broad Jump—E. S. Evans, Tahoka, 1st; Edgar Edwards, Tahoka, 2nd; Raymond McLaurin, O'Donnell, 3rd; Boswell Edwards, Tahoka, fourth. Discus—E. S. Evans, Tahoka, 1st Claud Williams, Tahoka, 2nd; Kindrick Gaston, O'Donnell, 3rd; Ernest Cowan, Tahoka, fourth. High Jump—Ernest Cowan, Tahoka, and Kindrick Gaston, O'Donnell, tied for 1st place; Gordon Slaughter, O'Donnell, 3rd; Oran Short, Tahoka, fourth. Shot Put—E. S. Evans, Tahoka, 1; Oran Short, Tahoka, 2nd; Kindrick Gaston, O'Donnell, 3rd; Walter Gaston, O'Donnell, fourth. Javelin—Short, Tahoka, 1st; Slaughter, O'Donnell, 2nd; Harold Edwards, Tahoka, 3rd; Junior 100 yd. run—J. C. Christopher, O'Donnell, 1st; Herbert Watson, Tahoka, 2nd; J. D. Donaldson, Tahoka, 3; 400 relay—Tahoka 1st. High Jump—Ed Clayton, O'Donnell 1st; Lester Prater, Tahoka, 2nd. Broad Jump—J. D. Donaldson, Tahoka, 1st; Prater, Tahoka, 2nd; Jack Childers, Tahoka, 3rd. Pull-up—Jack Childers, Tahoka, 1. 50 yard run—Christopher, O'Donnell, 1st; Donaldson, Tahoka, 2nd; Waston, Tahoka, 3rd. Volley Ball—All Schools O'Donnell High School, 1st; New Lynn, 2nd; Tahoka, 3rd Indoor Baseball—All Schools Boys—Tahoka 7th grade and Tahoka Central Ward tied for first place; New Home and Wilson tied for 3rd. Girls—Wilson, 1st; Tahoka Central Ward, 2nd; Tahoka 7th grade, third. Tennis—All Schools Boys Singles—E. S. Evans, Tahoka, 1st; George Frierich, Lynn, 2nd; Boys doubles—Evans and Robinson Tahoka, 1st; Tune and Milsap, O'Don-

nell, 2nd. Girls Singles—Vera Faye Franklin, Wells, 1st; Eula Belle Miles, O'Donnell, 2nd. Girls doubles—Louise Miles and Fannie Dell Busby, O'Donnell, 1st; Lavern McCormick and Chollie Huffaker, Wilson, 2nd. Athletic Championship (Class A High School) O'Donnell High School:— Tennis 20; Volley Ball, 15; total 35 Tahoka High School:— Tennis 20; track (Sr. and Jr.) 30; total 50. Declamation Championship (Class A High School) O'Donnell High School:— Sr. girl 2nd, 5. Tahoka High School. Sr. girl and Sr boy, 1st place each 20. Athletic cup and declamation cup to the Tahoka High School. Literary Champions (Class A High School) O'Donnell High School:— Declamation Sr. girls, 2nd, Ina D. Everett, 5; Junior spelling, 2nd Mary Dell Vermillion and Eula B. Miles 10 Senior spelling, 1st; Lorene Fletcher and Florence Henderson, 15; Essay Senior 2nd, Florence Henderson; only two entrants, last place 0. Debates, boys, 1st, Walter Gaston, and Truett Hobnetta, 15; girls, 1st, Hester Gates and Mary Joe Gates, 15; Extemporeous speech 2nd, Lorene Fletcher 5. Total 65. Tahoka High School:— Declamation, Sr. girls, 1st, Evelyn Wells, 10; declamator, Sr boys, 1st Boswell Edwards, 10; Jr. spelling, 1st, tie with Central Ward, Evelyn Wells and Hazel Anglin, 7 1-2; Sr. essay, 1st, Venoy Coughran, 15; extemporeous speech, 1st, Mabel Draper, 10; debates, boys, 2nd, Henry Burkhalter and Ernest Cowan, 0; girls, 2nd, Fay Brown and Jeannette Cavness, 0. Total 52 1-2. Cup for this was given to O'Donnell High School. Campions for Class B High Schools Ward Schols and Rural Schools Class B High Schools:— Literary champions, New Home 1st, Wilson 2nd; athletic champions, Wilson 1st; New Home 2nd; all around champions, Wilson first, New Home 2nd; Declamation champions, New Home 1st; Wilson 2nd. Ward Schools:— All around champions, Tahoka Central Ward 1st; Tahoka 7th grade 2nd, O'Donnell Ward, 3rd; athletic champions, Tahoka Central Ward 1st New Home 2nd; literary champion—Central Ward 2nd; Tahoka 7th grade 2nd; New Home 3rd. Rural Schools:— All round championship, New Lynn 1st; Grassland 2nd; New Moore and Dixie tied for 3rd; literary championship, New Lynn 1st; Grassland 2nd; Magnolia 3rd; Athletic championship, New Lynn 1st; Grassland and Dixie tied for 2nd; declamation, New Lynn 1st; Magnolia 2nd; Grassland 3rd. High Point Track Men Rural Schools:— George Frierich, New Lynn 21; Claud Tankersley, Grassland 15; Kit Meldin of Dixie and Fay Rogers of New Lynn 13 points each. Ward Schools:— Dayton Short, Tahoka Central Ward, 18; C. Crouch, New Home 17; Guy Johnson, Central Ward 12. Class B. High Schools:— J. C. Holden, Wilson, 20; W. McNeeley, New Home, 14; Arthur Crews, Wilson, 13. Class A High Schools:— Evans, Tahoka, 25; Gaston, O'Donnell, 18; Short, Tahoka 17. All around county—E. S. Evans, Tahoka, 1st; George Frierich, New Lynn, 2nd; J. C. Holden, Wilson, 3. All Around County Champions (Class A High School) O'Donnell High School:— Literary events, 65 points; Tennis Boys doubles, second, Milsap and Linses, 5 points; Tennis, Girls singles, 2nd, Eula Miles; 5 points, Tennis, girls doubles, 1st, Fannie Busby and Jesse Middleton, 10; Volley Ball, 1; 15; Track and field (High school Senior) 2nd and last, 0; track and field, High school Junior, 2nd and last 0; total points 100. Tahoka High School:— Literary events, 52 1-2; Tennis, boys singles, 1st E. S. Evans, 10; tennis, boys doubles, 1st, Evans and Jack A. Robinson, 10; track and field Senior team, 1st, 20; track and field, Junior 1st, 10. Total points 102 1-2. Cup for this event was given to Tahoka High School. Music Contests Sub-Junior Piano: Marjorie Wells, Tahoka, first; Jim Ellen Wells, O'Donnell, second; Martin Faye Thomas, Grassland, third. Junior Piano—Beverly Wells, O'Donnell, first; Evelyn Wells, Tahoka, second; Claudia Draper, Tahoka, third. Senior Piano—Cleone Wells, Tahoka,

ka, first; Bernice Warrick, Grassland second; Etta Mae Singleton, O'Donnell, third. Girls Solo—Charlene Maddox, Tahoka, first; New Home, second. Girl's Duet—Venoy Coughran and Kathryn Poer, Tahoka, first; Florence Henderson and Florence Gary, O'Donnell, second. Choral Club—Tahoka first; Draw,

second. Glee Club—Tahoka by default. Orchestra—O'Donnell by default. Violin, boy's duet, boys' solo, won by Tahoka by default. Girls' quartet won by Clyde Frost made a business Midland this week.

SPLINTERS

Published in the interest of the people of O'Donnell by Cicero Smith Lumber Co. Don Edwards Editor We suppose everybody sometime has run a newspaper of his own. We plead guilty. Mr. Roberts of the Index says running a newspaper is full of grief, but if we insist he'll rent us this little corner each week and it'll be up to us to make good. So we'll be here every Friday with Splinters in which we will talk about You People Our Community Its Improvements and maybe a little bit about the Lumber and Coal business. We'll promise to be interesting all the time, but we'll need your HELP with criticisms, comments and contributions. Mr. L. N. Nichols is repairing the interior of his home making it more attractive and convenient. Mr. Mack Garner is doing the work. Newspapers are full of advice by doctors on what to do when run down. The best thing to do to get the car's number if possible. Let's go to church Sunday, not only show our new suits and hats, but show our appreciation for what the church stands, your pastor will appreciate your presence. That improved Motor Windmill is humming, come and we will show you all about it. CICERO-SMITH LUMBER CO. Phone 18 O'Donnell, Texas

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COTTON REPORT MADE

Lynn County News
 county has ginned 41,734 cotton of the crop of 1927, according to the Government report for March 20, against 50,388 ginned for the year 1926.
 In one other county on the plains has ginned more cotton than any other county the past year, according to this report. Lubbock county ginned 46,241. Only eleven counties in west Texas exceeded Lynn county the past year, and only 28 counties in all Texas ginned more than Lynn county far surpassing counties as Dallas, Fannin, Grayson, Hopkins, Red River, Smith, Upshur, Tarrant, Johnson and Wilbarger.
 Lynn Dawson and Cross are the big cotton counties of the plains. The government reports the following ginnings during the past two years:
 1927 1926
 46,241 72,101
 41,734 50,338
 40,666 40,663
 33,972 74,087
 9,194 42,801
 11,797 47,505
 14,817 39,312
 14,679 28,500
 13,268 22,478
 22,237 19,552
 19,748 28,014
 It is seen that these 11 counties wholly or partly on the plains produced 268,353 bales in 1927 and 465,351 bales in 1926.
 Report of other west Texas counties during the past two years as follows:
 43,458 48,680
 29,058 42,619
 47,031 52,947
 32,014 45,996
 34,845 39,047
 15,184 25,551

El Paso	42,148	36,172
Fisher	34,012	48,732
Foard	21,556	24,298
Hall	49,984	69,738
Hardeman	49,772	50,414
Haskell	50,849	53,752
Hudspeth	9,470	8,637
Jones	63,948	84,088
Kent	12,035	18,031
Knox	48,209	44,930
McCulloch	21,279	29,600
Mitchell	29,729	41,188
Motley	18,615	26,354
Nolan	18,928	25,481
Runnels	54,139	62,526
Scurry	35,550	40,753
Stonewall	17,952	23,067
Taylor	41,971	53,837
Wheler	20,320	39,623
Wichita	21,735	25,958
Wilbarger	65,737	59,855

By the simple process of addition it will be found that these 38 west Texas and Plains counties produced 1,197,998 bales in 1927 and 1,588,155 bales in 1926. Besides, there are a number of West Texas counties producing smaller amounts not included in the above count.

BERRY FLAT NEWS ITEMS

The Borden County Interscholastic League meet was held at Gail Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31. Berry Flat was not represented however, although quite a few attended. There was a very interesting game of baseball between Mesquite and Berry Flat, the scores being 10 and 11 in favor of Berry Flat. Our boys have hopes of winning the game Thursday afternoon as they have had two weeks of splendid training.
 The home of Mr. M. F. Calcate was destroyed by fire here Monday afternoon, and practically nothing was saved. Mr. Calcate was washing and had left the house for a few minutes and when he returned nothing remained but the ashes. Mr. Calcate has the sympathy of the entire community.

Quite a few of this community attended singing at Mesquite Sunday afternoon.
 Miss Lorene Fletcher spent the week end here at her home.
 Quite a few of this community attended church at Plainview Sunday where Bro. Henderson filled his regular appointment Sunday and Sunday night.
 Our school is progressing nicely with regular attendance. We have two splendid teachers of whom we are very fond.

Mrs. E. T. Wells and daughter, Miss Beverly and Miss Ina D. Everett were in Lubbock Friday where the young ladies took part in the music festival, winning third place in the Thirteen Year Ensemble.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. House returned home yesterday from a week's visit to the north plains.

WIMBERLY SANDWICH SHOP CHANGES HANDS

The T. A. Wimberly Sandwich Shop changed from the hands of the former proprietor Saturday to Mr. R. F. Ash of Draw.
 Mr. Wimberly had a neat clean place of business and many loyal customers who will miss him from the business. Mr. Wimberly has not made known his intentions for the future.
 Mr. Ash has lived at Draw for eleven years and has a good reputation as a business man.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Frost were business visitors to Lamesa Tuesday.

Mr. Tom Good of Big Springs came up Monday bringing Mrs. W. R. Sanderson, his wife's mother, and Mrs. Cass Lyons of Portales, who is a sister of Mrs. Good's. Mrs. Lyons will spend a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sanderson.

PERSONAL MENTION

Highest market price paid for your maize at all times. See me at Henderson-Boone Gln. A. H. Koeninger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bowlin and daughter, Miss Alice Joy were in Lubbock Friday.

Mrs. S. D. Singleton returned Thursday from Odessa, Monahans and Wink where she had been to look after business interests.

Mr. H. B. Harville is in Dallas this week transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brown are among the local gin people who are attending the Ginner's Convention in Dallas this week.

We are selling guaranteed flour for \$1.95. It must be good or we make it good. City Grocery.

Lee Wright was in Big Springs Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Wright returned with him after having visited in Big Springs ten days with her mother, Mrs. Lane.

Mrs. W. H. Hancock and family had as week end guests her nephew, Mr. Bob Freman, wife and son of Abilene and her nephew, Mr. Jodie Lockart of Abilene.

Jesse Williams was here from San Angelo and spent the past week end with home folks.

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CRYSTAL GAZER COM- ING TO LYNN THEATRE

The Lynn Theatre announces an attraction extraordinary for the two nights starting Friday, April 13, in Khaym, the master mentalist.

Khaym features a mind reading act that is very unusual and rather freakish in its entirety. Persons passing into the theatre are asked to write questions and drop them into a box in the lobby. Then, claiming to offer a cash reward to any one who can prove he comes into contact with the questions, Khaym, by telepathy, read the questions and gives his answers.

With the aid of a crystal he picks out individuals in the audience, calls them by name, and tells them what the crystal reveals for them.

Whether believer or skeptic, Khaym has some real entertainment in store for you, and as his work is in addition to the regular picture program, the Lynn Theatre should be well patronized for the two nights starting Friday, April 13.

FORMER PRIZE FIGHTER MAKES SUCCESS OF MOVIES

There have been any number of warriors of the squared circle who have chosen the movies for a living, with but indifferent success. However, there is one, Tom Wilson, who is in the supporting cast of Fred Thompson in "The Pioneer Scout" which comes to the Lynn Theatre Wednesday and Thursday who has made it a lucrative pastime.

About fifteen years ago Tom Wilson announced to a group of friends that he was going to quit New York, go to Hollywood and enter the movies. Some of his friends were inconsiderate enough to laugh.

Tom had been a heavyweight boxer for a number of years; he had trained Bob Fitzsimmons and had been in vaudeville with him and he had played heavy roles on the stage in "Arty," "The College Widow" and "The Music Master." He had become tired of the stage and craved a new career, but he was no Adonis.

He listened to all the warnings, but bought a one-way ticket to Los Angeles. Almost immediately he was signed by D. W. Griffith as a member of his stock company. Later he played with Charlie Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks, Mary Pickford, Charles Ray, Tom Mix and Reginald Denny. For a time he was a member of the Fox and FBO stock companies.

"There were so many good looking youngsters trying to get in, that I was a novelty for the casting directors," says Tom in explaining his success.

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EARLY BEGINNING OF RAILROAD SEEN

Kennedy and Party Now in Snyder Checking Up On Details of Route From Snyder to Roswell.

SNYDER, March 31.—Captain Ed Kennedy, promoter of the Snyder Roswell railroad, of Houston, with his representative, L. P. Ward of M. K. & T. transportation department of the M. K. & T. and A. L. Dickerson, Townsite Development company of Houston, are here making check up for final report to commence work on this line.

The line will begin at Roswell and end at Snyder. The representatives are completely sold on the idea and remarked that there was not a better route in Texas today. Snyder with its abundant supply of water will receive a terminal and roundhouses.

Rail Line Needed

With the remarkable development of this section of the state a rail line has become a necessity. "We have our plans and there is no doubt as to us getting the road through," Captain Kennedy said. From the entire tone of these men Snyder and Roswell railway will begin construction as soon as this survey and the final routing is made.

Tonnage reports given by the local Chamber of Commerce are being used in determining the amount of volume in this territory. M. G. Evans, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce will go from one end of the line to another with the surveying, and assist these men along the route.—Lubbock Avalanche.

EL PASO HAS LARGEST SIGN IN SOUTHWEST

What is said to be the largest illuminated sign in the Southwest has been put into service on the roof of the Hussman hotel in El Paso.

The sign is 80 feet long and 42 feet high, equal in dimensions to a long three or four story building. It has 940 electric lamps which flash out words that can be seen 40 or 50 miles on a clear night. This phase of the illumination is interesting aviators who fly El Paso way.

Steel used in the construction weighed 32,000 pounds and the cost of the sign was \$6,500. Electricity is supplied by the El Paso Electric Company.

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EDMUND LOWE HAS STARRING ROLE IN NOVEL FILM FARCE

Edmund Lowe and Lois Moran are co-starred at the head of an exceptionally well chosen cast in "Publicity Madness," a rollicking farce of modern business methods, produced for Fox Films by Albert Ray which comes to the Lynn Theatre for a one day run Friday.

Having established himself as a character actor of ability through his Sergeant Quirt in "What Price Glory," Lowe is continuing to collect more honors in the same direction through his interpretation of wise-cracking, breezy young men who manage to get through life on their sheer nerve. His character in "Publicity Madness" is another one of these chaps whom Lowe endears to the public by making him entirely natural and thoroughly likeable.

Lois Moran changes from a demure little old fashioned Miss into a very modern flapper during the course of the picture. The change reveals a new Lois Moran to the public—one with comedienne tendencies despite her cameo-like face.

Beside the stars the supporting cast includes such old favorites as Arthur Housman, E. J. Ratcliffe, Bryon Munson, James Gordon and Norman Peck.

Andrew Bennison adapted the production from an original story by Anita Loos.

"Little" J. Y. Everett spent the week end in Post visiting relatives.

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TO ELECT NEW OFFICERS

The Parent-Teachers Association will elect officers for the coming year at their next regular meeting April 11. So all who wish a voice in the selection and election of officers pay your dues and be on hand at this date in the High School Auditorium.

The nominatin committee is composed of Mr. Gordon King, Mrs. H. L. Hohn, Miss Grace Harville and Miss Edna House who will have their paper ready to present at the opening of the meeting. However, this will not exclude nominations from the floor.

J. J. McKinney and wife of Floydada visited their sister, Mrs. Mack Garner and family last week.

Ben Moore was a business visitor to Tahoka Saturday.

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THIS FOOD IS PUT UP IN A VARIETY OF FORMS

A food outgrows the age of being a delicacy and becomes so universally a staple, a demand for various forms of it on the market. Not so tomatoes grew in old gardens as "love apples," but not eaten. Later they were good for the first tomatoes canned. Today, tomato sauce is bought in some dozen forms — ranging from tomato paste to tomato catsup. It is used to grow in royal glass. When it was that Hawaii could grow pineapples in the open fields, sun-ripened in cans, was a delicacy. Today, discovery that pineapple is a delicacy and is a variety of forms, ranging from crushed pineapple to the whole.

costing less, and very delicious. Crushed pineapple is primarily a culinary ingredient. It is just as choice as the slices—in fact, it is even better as far as flavor is concerned as it comes from the outer portion of the pineapple, nearest the shell and this shell is nearest the sun. The juice is pure juice of the pineapple, unsweetened so that it can be mixed with other liquids in sundaes, pudding sauces, etc. It contains all of the rich mineral properties and vitamins which make pineapple so vital a part of the health diet. Pineapple is put on the market in various size cans. They are: Buffet can, containing five slices of crushed pineapple; No. 1, a slightly larger flat can containing six larger slices; No. 2, a tall can, containing ten slices, or one pound of crushed; No. 1, a tall can, containing nine slices of pineapple, or eleven ounces of crushed; No. 2, a can, containing eight large slices of pineapple or one pound five ounces of crushed pineapple. Pineapple tid-bits and pineapple juice are obtainable in No. 2 tall cans. These tid-bits are especially suitable for salads or any dish in which small pieces of pineapple are needed.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB HAVE EASTER PARTY

The approach of the glorious Easter Season gave inspiration for the lovely decorations and appointments at the Club Wednesday afternoon when the meeting was devoted to a lovely Easter program opened by a sweet little Easter story told by Kathleen Veazey followed by a quaint and appropriate reading "When Grandmother Speaks" by Mrs. Harvey Everett.

Mrs. J. W. Roberts made a lovely and uplifting address on the "Origin of Easter."

Misses Eula Belle and Louise Miles gave a musical duet, and Miss Alice Busby followed with a piano solo, both numbers were beautifully rendered.

In a clever contest which Mrs. Jno. Earls had charge of, Miss Eula Belle Miles won the prize, a cunning little bunny.

Delicious punch and cake with pretty plate favors of little Humpty Dumpty and April Fool figures were served by Mesdames J. W. Roberts, W. H. Veazey, and Mrs. John Earls.

MRS. EDWARDS ENTERTAINS RUBY HENDRICKS SOCIETY

Mrs. D. A. Edwards, who is superintendent of the Ruby Hendricks Society, entertained the society at her home on 10th Street Friday evening.

The young ladies spent a very pleasant evening playing games and making candy, and all are unanimous in voting Mrs. Edwards a charming hostess as well as an ideal superintendent.

The following members present were: Misses Florence Henderson, Florence Gary, Louise Edwards, Heaster Gates, Christine Milwee, Grace Harville, Trixie Harville, Rebecca Schooler, Andys Ratliff, Beulah Estes, Mary Jo Gates and June Gary.

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FOR SALE—Hatching eggs, Single Comb Rhode Island Reds. \$1.00 per 100; 75c per setting. Gus Porter field, Draw, Texas. 26 stp

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Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hayes are rejoicing over a tiny baby daughter, Keva Lou, who arrived last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bradley and little son, Mac C., are at the Ginners' Convention in Dallas this week.

The City Grocery wants your business. Our prices are right and your business will be appreciated.—Holman and Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bowlin and family left Wednesday for Dallas where Mr. and Mrs. Bowlin will attend the Ginners' Convention. They will visit relatives in Fort Worth while on the trip.

The O'Donnell Ex-Senior Association staged a home talent play at Draw Saturday night with splendid success. The title of the play is "Cyclone Sally."

A splendid program on Christian Methodist church Sunday night by several members of the church and Stewardship was presented at the Junior Missionary Society.

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The Mesquite School and community was well represented at the county Track Mee at Gail Friday and Saturday. The literary events and Girls tennis took place Friday, also a baseball game between Mesquite and Berry Flat schools. Berry Flat won 10 to 9. Saturday the field, track and boys tennis events took place. We did the best we could for our school and succeeded in winning the All-Around County Championship cup, which was of silver.

Mr. Fisher and Mr. Williamson were visitors at the home of T. E. Martin and family Sunday.

Mr. Tom Hughes was a business visitor in the community last week from Rotan.

There was singing at the school house Sunday night.

Black Bottom,

Index Ads Get Results—Try Them

Better Homes Week Chairman Is Appointed; Work of The Organization Is Educational

VETERAN'S BUREAU STATION AT AMARILLO IS MOVED

Lack of Work Makes Removal of Panhandle Bureau Station A Necessity.

The U. S. Veterans' Field Bureau Station located at Amarillo, Texas, will be discontinued, effective April 3, 1928. This station has been operating since January 5, 1928, and the amount of work being accomplished does not justify its continuation. The personnel assigned to the Field Station at Amarillo will be transferred to the Regional Office of the Veterans' Bureau at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, all all veterans of the Panhandle Territory will conduct their business pertaining to the Veterans' Bureau directly with the Regional Office. The Oklahoma City office will have jurisdiction as in the past, over the twenty six counties in the Panhandle of Texas. All matters pertaining to compensation of World War Veterans and hospitalization for veterans of the World War, Spanish American War or Civil War will hereafter be handled through the Oklahoma Regional Office. Major Harry B. Gilstrap, Regional Manager of this territory has expressed regrets for having to discontinue this station, but the work has not been sufficient to warrant any further continuation of the station.

IN APPRECIATION

We have sold our sandwich shop to Mr. Asn who will operate same in the future. We wish to express our appreciation to our customers and friends who patronized us so loyally. It is our wish that you continue your patronage with the new management.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wimberly.

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MANSELL BROS. HDW. ENLAGE THEIR STORE

The Mansell Brothers Hardware Co is stretching out this week to celebrate the Easter Season and the past prosperous year.

The partition between the present place of business and what is known as the old Eubanks Grocery Store is being removed which will enlarge the furniture and hardware capacity of the store to about twenty by sixty feet. This will make room for a more complete display of the lovely furniture which they handle, as well as giving considerable more room for the shelf display. Let the good work go on.

Index Ads Get Results—Try Them

Mrs. J. F. Campbell has been appointed by Secretary Hoover as chairman of a committee to conduct a Better Homes campaign in O'Donnell, Texas.

Mr. Hoover is president of Better Homes in America, an organization which each year sponsors a nationwide educational campaign for Better Homes. The organization maintains an office at Washington, D. C., with James Ford in charge as executive director.

Better Homes in America was established to provide local communities with information as to ways of improving housing conditions and home life, the work being carried on in communities through volunteer committees of local citizens. The campaign is sponsored locally by such organizations as Parent-Teacher Associations, Women's Clubs, Civic Associations and others having an interest in home improvement.

A man or woman who is active in civic affairs is appointed in each community to serve as chairman of the Better Homes Committee for that place. This chairman then selects a committee of representative men and women to conduct the campaign. The campaigns vary according to the size and conditions of the community, and include programs of lectures, demonstrations and contests. Where ever possible a house is planned and built, according to best recognized standards of building and architecture, to show how a well designed well constructed house can be brought within the reach of families of modest means. The house is furnished attractively and comfortably, but at a cost in keeping with the cost of the house and the income and needs of a family that might occupy it. The house is opened to the public during Better Homes Week, and hostesses are on hand to explain the features of the house and its furnishing and give other information. Sometimes the furnishing of the house is taken as a project by home economics classes, the furniture being loaned by local merchants.

A feature of the 1927 Better Home campaign was the showing in several communities of houses designed and built by boys in carpentry classes of local schools. School home economics cottages have been planned and built by Better Homes Committees and permanent home information centers, where the homemakers of the community can be given practical instruction in household management and the use of labor-saving devices and methods, are being established in many communities through the work of the Better Homes Committees.

The demonstration of reconditioning an old, dilapidated house, to make it comfortable and convenient, is another phase of Better Homes work. Such houses are usually furnished with done-over furniture and both house and furnishings then become worth while object lessons.

The house demonstration is supplemented by contests, such as small house and garden competitions, lot

STATE AGRICULTURAL EXECUTIVE RESIGNS WILL STUDY COTTON

Dr. B. Youngblood, State Experiment Station Head, Will Follow Research Work

Dr. B. Youngblood has resigned as director of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station effective April 30, to continue the development of the cotton utilization research program of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture.

Dr. Youngblood was given leave of absence by the State at the request of the department in July 1926 and cooperative studies with the agricultural experiment stations of the Cotton States. This program involves inventories of grades and staples produced and consumed by American mills; studies of the elements of quality in fiber and their influence on spinning results; and the development of new uses for cotton.

Congress, through appropriations and other legislation, has recognized the importance of this work and provided for its development. Dr. Youngblood, in resigning his position at the experiment station, declared that, in view of the importance of this cotton research program and its national and international aspects, "it seemed that the opportunity for greatest usefulness to the people of Texas as well as to those of all other cotton growing States, lay in the Division of Cotton Marketing of the Department of Agriculture."

Dr. Youngblood has had an extensive agricultural experience in the South. He was reared on a farm in Milam County, and graduated in agriculture from the Texas A. & M. College in 1902. Later he was manager of the Office of Farm Management of a large Texas ranch, representative in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and southern Arizona, and since 1911, director of the Texas Experiment Station, one of the largest in the country. He brings to his work in cotton research at the Department of Agriculture a thorough understanding of the economic problems of the South.

Carl A. Holman and wife visited in Portales the past week end with Mrs. Holman's sister, Mrs. R. L. Stokes and family. Mrs. Stokes returned with them for a visit with her parents, W. L. Gardenshire and family.

Improvement contests and kitchen improvement contests. Schools participate usually through essay and poster contests, taking house building or home-making as their subject. Students of home economics give public demonstrations of the use of labor-saving devices and methods of performing household operations, such as table setting, serving and bed making.

The central office of Better Homes in America at Washington acts also as a clearing house for information on all phases of home building and home life.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

The Brownfield Baptist Workers Conference met at New Home on Tuesday, April 3rd. Those going from the First Baptist church here were: Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Middleton, Mrs. Ed Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Yandell, Mrs. Frank George, Miss Roberts, our two O'Donnell candidates, Messrs Yarborough and Crider, also Pastor Horn, wife and Jewel. The day was indeed one of the best we have had in months. A very large crowd was there from three counties—Lynn, Terry and Yoakum. The programme was full to the utmost. Yes, and the dinner was past describing. Yarborough and Crider are sure some what on the program at the meal hour. Of course Yandell and Middleton are so reserved in their ways that perhaps they were overlooked some what at the table. We are looking forward to the

time when the Fifth Sunday come our way. This will be the last of the month. Watch for the program in the Index. It is now to secure President of Simmons University the speakers of that meeting notice will be given if we are not able to get him. Saudifer is one of the best, orators this side of the Mississippi. So if you miss hear him you will miss half your life.

We are now in the midst of a revival meeting, and invite you to be with us, and help out. If you sing, come, if you pray, we will be glad to have you, and if you are just tired of rest and relaxation come to the room for all and sundry. There are things in life that are more than mere meat and drink, that is the souls welfare and your soul a chance.

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