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A Common Paper for Common People

Regulation Change Permits Returning Burrs To The Soil

County agent H. M. Breedlove of Donley County has been advised by the State commission of Agriculture that Donley County has now been released from the pink boll worm law and that cotton burrs can be hauled to the far mfrom the gin this fall if they are immediately distributed over the land. Farmers in Donley County will welcome this change as it has been a good practice for years to distribute cotton burrs on the land. The county agent says that this change in the law is effective as of July 6, 1952 and farmers can make plans now if they wish to carry burrs home from the gin, if any changes are made at a later date the county agent will notify you.



MISS EVELYN VADEN

Revival Services Start July 20 at Assembly Of God Church

Revival services will be conducted nightly at the Assembly of God Church beginning July 20th. Miss Evelyn Vaden, an instructor at Southwestern Bible Institute, Waxahachie, Texas will do the preaching. The public is cordially invited to attend each night at 8:00 p. m. stated Rev. E. E. Spilman, Pastor.

Funeral Services For Mrs. G. R. Grant Held Sunday Afternoon

Funeral services for Mrs. Millie Louanne Grant, 80, were conducted at 3 p. m. Sunday in the Clarendon First Baptist Church. Rev. Howard E. Scott, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. Ernest Phillips, pastor of the Martin Baptist Church.

Mrs. Grant died Friday in a Groom hospital. She suffered a broken hip the previous Tuesday in a fall at her home in Clarendon.

She was born July 16, 1871, in Hardin County, Tenn., and was married to G. R. Grant, August 17, 1890, in Forestburg, Tenn. They came to Donley County from Oklahoma 36 years ago and lived in the Golden community for 24 years before moving to Clarendon. Mrs. Grant had been active in the First Baptist Church and club work. At the recent July 4th celebration in Clarendon, she and Mr. Grant were the oldest married couple to register for the Old-Timer get-together.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Clyde Hudson, Goodnight, and Mrs. Warren Bray, Little Rock, Ark.; two sons, Vonnie W. Grant, Kansas City, Mo., and Wayne A. Grant, Amarillo; a brother, George Churchwell, Steptoe, Wash.; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were P. C. Messer, Z. D. Davis, Carl Naylor, Wilson Gray, D. E. Stevenson, and Neely Hudson.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home. Burial was made in Citizens Cemetery.

Clarendon Youngster Receives Broken Arm

Robert Rhode, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carman Rhode, received a broken arm, a cut on the head and a number of bruises when he fell from an apricot tree while playing in the alley behind his home late Thursday afternoon, July 10th. Robert was alone at the time of the accident and his parents haven't decided if Robert's parachute failed to open or if he was just taking a short cut home. At any rate, we doubt if he will be climbing any more trees for a few weeks. He is being kept busy right now by the small fry as well as growings of his neighborhood autographing his cast. He is greatly improved at this time and able to be up and around.

Who Will Be The Meanest Woman & Ugliest Man?

Don't forget the Candidate Rally Friday night, July 18th at the Martin School House. Pies will be sold at auction and a contest will be held with cakes being used for prizes. Prizes will be given to the Meanest woman and the Ugliest man. You will hate yourself if you miss the fun. Everyone is invited to come out, especially the candidates.

Funeral Services For Horace E. Parker Monday Afternoon

Funeral services for Horace E. Parker, retired service station operator here who died in a Groom hospital Sunday afternoon, were held Monday at 4 p. m. in the Clarendon Baptist Church with Rev. L. A. Sartain and Rev. Howard E. Scott officiating.

Parker, 57 years old, had been a resident of Donley County since 1917. He was a native of Wood County. He and the former Vera Jones of Clarendon were married here on January 4, 1920.

Mrs. Parker survives. Parker was a member of the Baptist Church, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the American Legion. Failing health compelled him to retire from the active management of his business here several months ago.

Palbearers were Luther Hall, Curtis Jones, Oscar Jones, Ross Jones, C. P. Jones, and K. S. Irwin.

Besides his wife, survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Burke of Phillips; Miss Betty Parker of Clarendon; three sons, Bobbie of Clarendon, and Charlie and Horace Jr. both of Borger; two sisters, Mrs. Viola Lambert of Alva, Texas, Mrs. Annie Prather of Torrance, Calif.; two brothers, R. F. Parker of Grand Prairie, W. M. Parker of Oregon; and nine grandchildren.

A. S. Johnson Rites Held Sunday

Funeral services for Albert S. Johnson of Hedley who died Friday in a Groom hospital were conducted at 2 p. m. Sunday in the Church of Christ at Hedley. Shelby W. Sanders, minister of the church officiated. Burial was made in Rowe Cemetery. Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home of Memphis was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Johnson, 70, had lived in Hedley for 57 years. He was a retired farmer. He was born Feb. 19, 1882 in Wise County, Texas.

Survivors include one son, Clifford A. Johnson, McFarland, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. Forrest Smith, Watonga, Okla.; two stepsons, Elba Harkness, Lubbock, and Weldon Harkness, Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. Annie Rogers, Detroit; and two brothers, Jess Johnson, Gainesville, Texas, and Tom Johnson, Wolfe City, Texas.

Legion Dances Postponed

At their regular meeting Tuesday night the American Legion voted to postpone weekly dances until further notice.

Music School Starts at Memphis Baptist Church, July 21st

Jake Arthur, Panhandle Association Music Leader, announces that starting next Monday evening at 8 p. m. in the First Baptist Church of Memphis, there will be an Associational Music School under the direction of Mr. J. B. Langston. The school is being sponsored by all the Baptist Churches of the Panhandle Association and is for the benefit of their Choirs and any other choirs in the vicinity that would like help. The school will run five (5) nights—Monday thru Friday.

Mr. Langston is at present the Music Director of the Temple Baptist Church of Amarillo. He is a graduate musician and well qualified and comes to our association highly recommended by Dr. J. D. Riddle, Director of the Department of Church Music for Texas Baptists. Mr. Arthur stated. All singers are invited to attend and take part in the singing school.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS; DO YOU WANT PAVING?

On June 21st there was voted a special bond election in the amount of \$100,000.00 providing for water, sewer and street improvements. These bonds will become final on July 21st. Work can commence as soon after that date as the projects can be planned and determined.

The City Commission has asked the Chamber of Commerce to assist in getting the street paving in the residential areas lined up so that bids can be secured and the contracts let immediately after the bonds become final.

Therefore it is necessary to contact and determine the people who want paving, so that it may be planned in an orderly manner.

Name..... Telephone Number.....
Post Office Box.....
Location of Property..... Footage.....
Will you pay cash?..... Or need financing?.....
This Form must be completed and returned to Chamber of Commerce

Check Pays Off Indebtedness On Rodeo Arena and Grounds



It is a happy occasion as J. W. Murphy, president of the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association hands a check for \$3,764.70 to Bill J. Greene to pay off the indebtedness on the Rodeo arena and grounds. Interested onlookers are Fontayne Elmore, Jimmy Faulkner, manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Secretary of the Association, Loyd T. Shelton, an association director; J. Alfred McMurtry, Association Vice-Pres.; Bob Head, Association director and Charlie Hunt. Other members of the Association Board of Directors not shown are Joe McMurtry, C. T. McMurtry, Pat Slavin, W. J. Lewis and R. S. Brumley, treasurer.

DR. J. W. MARSHALL

Dr. J. W. Marshall To Fill Pulpit Sunday At First Baptist Church

J. C. Arthur, minister of music and Education, of the First Baptist Church, announces that Dr. J. W. "Bill" Marshall, president of Wayland College, Plainview, Texas, will fill the pulpit at both the morning and evening services on Sunday, July 20th, in the absence of Bro. Howard Scott, pastor, who is away in a revival meeting.

John Deere Dealer To Announce New Heavy-Duty Tractors

Two new heavy-duty John Deere 2- and 3-plow tractors, successors to Models "A" and "B", will be announced Saturday, July 19, by Bennett Implement Co.

According to C. W. Bennett, owner, these new tractors feature a host of engineering advancements and major improvements which make them the greatest values ever offered by John Deere. Mr. Bennett states that one of the new models will be on display Saturday, July 19, and he extends a cordial invitation to everyone to stop by and see the new tractor.

There will be a registration for a door prize, Mr. Bennett said.

July 4th Celebration A Financial Success

"We have had the most successful celebration yet," was the comment of J. W. Murphy, President of the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association. "Our indebtedness has been cleared and we are going to have some money in the bank, just how much we can't tell till we get the bills in at the first of the month, but it looks like about \$1,000.00," Murphy concluded.

Directors of the Association in a special called meeting last Saturday night in the Chamber of Commerce office heard a partial financial report showing the Association will be able to pay all its indebtedness and have a working balance of about a thousand dollars to build some two thousand new grand stands.

"As soon as all bills are in, sometime soon after the first of August, a complete financial report will be prepared by the Association and published," commented Jimmy Faulkner, Association Secretary.

Youth Revival Evangelist



DOUGLAS DILLARD

Rev. Douglas Dillard, Temple, Texas, will be the evangelist in the youth centered revival to be sponsored by the First Baptist Church August 10th through 17th. Rev. Dillard is the pastor of the School Creek Baptist Church in Lampasas County, and is a student in Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth.

One of a group selected by the Youth For Christ Movement, Rev. Dillard toured Japan on a preaching mission in 1950. During his sojourn in the Orient, Rev. Dillard being an enthusiastic photographer, made many colored slides of the work being done in that country. A feature of the services will be the showing of these slides.

At the conclusion of the evening services Rev. Dillard will conduct a forum for the young people only. They will have the opportunity to discuss their problems and if so desired, Rev. Dillard will welcome the opportunity to counsel with them.

The First Baptist Church extends a warm welcome to the youth of our city and of this community to make this YOUR Youth Revival.

Dusters To Play St. Francis Here Sunday Afternoon

This coming Sunday afternoon the Clarendon Dusters will play hosts to the St. Francis ball club on the local diamond. Reports coming to us state that the St. Francis club is very strong this season, being supplemented by several good ball players from the Amarillo Air Force Base. This will be another Caprock League game, so make your plans now to be on hand to yell for the Dusters. This game will be no push over for either team as both clubs will be playing for keeps.

CAP WEATHERLY DIES SUDDENLY IN CALIF.

Mrs. R. C. Weatherly received word Friday night that her son Cap. J. Weatherly, had passed away suddenly in Los Angeles, Calif. Mrs. Weatherly left immediately for Calif.

Cap Weatherly was reared here but was only a youth when he left and had lived in California for more than 30 years. He had been in ill health for some 2 years.

Besides his mother, he is survived by two brothers, Robert Weatherly of Houston, Texas, and Wallace Weatherly of Fontana, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. C. L. Smith of Los Angeles.

INSTALLATION SERVICE

The local Odd Fellows and Rebekah organizations motored to Childress Tuesday night where they held a public installation service. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Donald had charge of the service, and 8 Rebekahs and 7 Odd Fellows attended from here.

Mrs. A. L. Cobb and Miss Billie of Claude attended the old settlers meeting and barbeque, then visited in the Clyde Gilbert home the 4th of July.

Final Deadline For Car Safety Inspection Is September 6th

Owners and operators of official Inspection Stations here in Clarendon state that a good two-thirds of the automobiles and trucks here in the county have not been inspected, to comply with the new state law. This law must be complied with sometime before September 6th. If you wait until the deadline, you are not only running a risk by violating the law but you will be working an undue hardship on the Inspection Stations. Since there are only 50 days remaining, before the deadline, all car and truck owners are urged to act now and have their vehicles inspected to avoid a last minute rush.

Panhandle Funeral Directors Association Meets Here Tonight

The Murphy-Spicer Funeral Directors here will be hosts this Thursday night to the Panhandle Funeral Directors Association. The meeting will be held at the Donley Hotel where a dinner and program awaits the visitors. An interesting program has been worked out and the many problems confronting Funeral Directors will be discussed. Meetings of the Association are held somewhere in the Panhandle every three months.

Range Land & Crops Needing Rain

Crop conditions and ranges in Donley County are needing rain says county agent H. M. Breedlove. Recent showers are spotted over the county and with a good general rain over the county crop conditions would be boosted a great deal. We have fair prospects at this time if we are lucky enough to get the rain fall. Young cotton planted after the hail in parts of the county is looking good but a good rain at this time will be a big help. The crop condition of the county could be described as fairly good if we can get some moisture very soon.

SISTER OF LOCAL PEOPLE DIES IN AMARILLO

Funeral services for Mrs. Wilma G. Anderson, 43, who died Friday in an Amarillo hospital, were conducted Saturday in the Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel. Rev. J. Perry King, pastor of the Industrial City Mission, officiated. Burial was made in Llano Cemetery. Mrs. Anderson had lived 10 years in Amarillo.

Included among the surviving relatives is a brother, R. C. Hill of Clarendon; Two sisters, Mrs. R. R. Riley and Mrs. L. L. Waldrop, both of Clarendon.

CLARENDON LADIES TO ATTEND FESTIVAL IN CENTRAL CITY

Mrs. Jim McMurtry and Miss Anna Moores left Friday morning to join a party of music lovers from Canyon and Amarillo, to leave at 6 o'clock in an air conditioned special bus to attend the Music Festival in Central City. They will spend Friday night in Denver where they will hear a prominent choir of ninety voices, in an opera 15 miles out from Denver. Saturday they will go to Central City sightseeing. In the afternoon they will attend the Grand Opera, La Bohemia. Saturday night they will attend the Grand Opera of Metropolitan Stars in Marriage of Figaro. On the way home Sunday they will visit the Garden of the Gods and several other points of interest.

Visitors in the Jake Arthur home Friday afternoon were Rev. and Mrs. O. L. Lowe and son Dean of Norwalk, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Claiborne and son, Bobby of Amarillo.

Ronnie Pool from San Angelo is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pool.

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Sheffy Mahan Voices Move For More Economy In D. A. Office

When Sheffy Mahan announced for the office of District Attorney the voters of the 100th Judicial District were told at that time that the public was entitled to have the District Attorney's office operated in an efficient and competent manner without any unnecessary, unreasonable, and unwarranted expenses being placed upon you as taxpayers. You, as taxpayers, are now burdened with such expenses by reason of a special law, passed by the last Legislature, which provides for a private stenographer for the District Attorney at a salary of \$200.00 per month, and this same law further provides for office space and additional supplies, all of these expenses are in addition to the very adequate salary and expense allowance paid to the District Attorney from the funds of the State Treasury. This special law applies to the 100th Judicial District only; it is Art. 326K-20, Vernon's Tex. Ann. Civ. Stat. Remember that this tax money does not come from the state



SHEFFY MAHAN

treasury. It comes directly from the tax payers of Donley, Collingsworth, Childress, Hall and Carson Counties.

This law providing for the present District Attorney's priv-

ate stenographer was passed at the insistence of the present District Attorney at the last session of the Legislature in 1951. This expense adds absolutely nothing to the efficient operation of the District Attorney's office. Sheffy Mahan will not burden the people of Donley, Carson, Hall, Clingsworth, and Childress Counties with the expense of a private stenographer for the reason that the duties of the District Attorney do not require this expense to insure an efficient discharge of the duties and responsibilities of the office of District Attorney.

A public official is a public servant, charged with a responsibility to the people. Sheffy Mahan will work hard at the job. Sheffy Mahan will discharge the duties of the District Attorney's office to the very best of his ability. Sheffy Mahan will not hire a private stenographer at the expense of the taxpayers.

Your vote and support will be sincerely appreciated.

(Paid Pol Adv.)

School Tax Office

Due to the fact that the amount we pay into the Foundation Program was increased \$9,110.18 last year, and has been increased again for this year in the amount of \$3,434.04; and since the School Buildings must be renovated; it will be necessary to increase tax valuations from 60% of the 100% valuation, to 70% of the 100% valuation, or 10% across the Board.

The Board of Equalization for the Clarendon Ind. School District will meet on August 2, 1952, at the School Tax Office.

Jo Anne Davis,
 Tax Collector
 Clarendon Independent
 School District.

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Delaware was the first state to ratify the Constitution.

GLENN R. LEWIS OF SAN ANGELO



FOR PLACE 1 SUPREME COURT

Fifty years old, Lewis has been practicing law since 1925. He is a graduate of Clarendon College, 1921, and of Trinity University and the University of Texas law school.

Lewis was district attorney at San Angelo, 1931-1936.

He was Assistant Attorney General of Texas, 1939-1942, under Gerald C. Mann; head of divisions handling tax, school, land and bond matters; wrote over 200 of the Attorney General's legal opinions; served as acting Attorney General many times.

One of Lewis' opponents lives in Houston and another in Fort Worth, yet there is one man from each of these cities already on the court. There are vast areas in the state unrepresented geographically on the court. The process

of doubling up from any city should be stopped before it gets started. Vote for Glenn R. Lewis of Tom Green County.

(Paid Pol Adv.)

Gabie Betts Burton Library Notes

By May L. Prewitt

One of our book review publications suggests that all our best novelists are "in the doldrums" or have retired. Costain who is best known for his "Black Rose" has turned to "Biblical Romances." I purchased a few of these but they do not seem to be interpreted as our readers here always appreciate.

On the non-fiction list we received "Human Adventures In Happy Living" by William L. Stidger. This was a gift. We have an excellent collection of this type of reading. Among them are Peal's Dulse's and many others.

Our children's books are receiving daily wear, but we will try to keep them in tact and readable for a few more weeks. After September first there are two months to do work of this time before theme writing is in order.

We received a copy of "Narcotics - The Menace to Children" by James B. Leong, M. A. It is also entitled "The Trail That

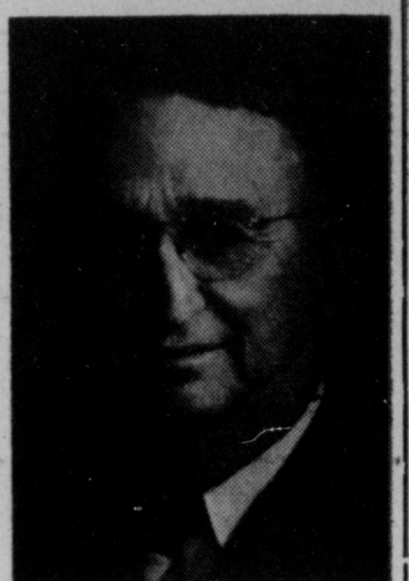
Leads To Living Death." Apparently it reveals facts that we should all be eager to know.

Mrs. Joe Shadle and Barbara Estlack visited Mrs. Shadle's grandmother, Mrs. L. O. Dennis, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Rhode returned home Wednesday afternoon from attending a reunion of the Rhode family at San Antonio, Texas and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rhode at Pleasanton, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. V. V. LaBaue and family of San Antonio.

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Rasins 2 lbs. 35c Calif. Seedless, Home Pak	Sardines 5 oz. Cans—2 for 19c EATWELL
STEAK 79c LOIN, Good—1 Pound	BANANAS 15c Golden Ripe—1 Pound
PICNIC HAMS 41c 1 Pound	New SPUDS 25c RED—5 lbs.
CHEESE 55c American—1 Pound	ORANGES 13c California Sunkist—1 Poundk
OLEO 21c Grayson—1 Pound	Fresh SQUASH 25c Yellow—2 lbs.
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GOLDSTON

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reed of Clarendon visited Wed. night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Blanks and Bobby of Amarillo visited Sunday with her mother Mrs. Walter Godston.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls visited Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reed of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Putman and girls visited Monday night with Mrs. M. L. Putman and Guy of Clarendon.

Mrs. Bones of Clarendon spent last week with her daughter Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gray visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moss and family Saturday night.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls visited in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. Kenneth Jackson visited Friday night with Irene Moss.

Mrs. Kenneth Jackson visited last Sunday in Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. Mode Hatley visited with Mr. and Mrs. V. Sittler Saturday night.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Littlefield and family visited a while Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Sue Tally visited Sunday with Irene Moss.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Allen of Amarillo who has been visiting their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moss and family returned home Sunday.

Ruby Peggram of Petersburg is spending this week with her grandmother Mrs. Jim Peggram.

Mr. Alford Peggram of Petersburg spent the week end with Mrs. Jim Peggram.

Mrs. Kenneth Jackson is visiting with her aunt Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Christopher and son.

Those visited, through the 4th in the J. C. Ashcraft home were Mrs. Ashcraft Mather from Burleson, Mrs. C. L. Hogue and girls from Louisville and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Owens and children of Dumas.

Keith and Ondria Covington spent the week end with their aunt Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and family, their Mother and father was called to Perryton to be at the bed side of her father Mr. L. W. Trussell who had an emergency operation.

We were sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. G. R. Grant. She was an old timer of our community and was loved by all. We send our sympathies to the family. And may God bless them all in our prayer.

We also regret the passing of Mr. orace Parker who lived in our community. At one time he ran a store and was our school bus driver, and we send our sympathy to the family.

MARTIN

Mrs. W. H. Morrow

son and girls from Artesia, N. M. Mr. Buster Nance and Bobby Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Kidd, also Mrs. Ray from Carlsbad, N. M. visited Balford Roshell from Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunsucker from Pantex and Anna Clawson from Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams, and Mrs. Williams from Amarillo all visited their Sunday.

We were sorry to hear about the death of Mrs. L. L. Waldrop at Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop attend he funeral of Mrs. L. L. Waldrop's sister at Amarillo, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited Mrs. W. H. Corbin and girls Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton Sibley and families of Amarillo visited Mr. Guy Sibley and girls and grandmother Sibley Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. Cox of Clarendon is visiting grandmother Sibley this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop, Beth, Tommie and Bobby all took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lamor Aten and Wayne Sunday.

Miss Della Word visited Mrs. C. J. Talley and her daughter Mrs. Kate Walters Friday afternoon.

Miss Della Wood visited Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wood Thursday and also visited Mrs. Homer Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert visited Miss Della Wood Sunday afternoon.

at the school house Friday night, every one is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chiles and There will be a candidate rally Mr. and Mrs. Robert Talley and daughter of Amarillo visited there father Chester Talley over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Webb and family visited Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Reynolds Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds and family visited Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Reynolds Sunday night.

Mrs. Ray Robertson and family of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan Sunday and attended Mrs. Grants funeral.

Bro. Phillips, Pete Land, Chester Talley, and Mr. Foster helped the ladies varnish the new table Monday at the school house.

The ladies that worked down there were: Willie Roberts, Minnie Cannon, Ruby Jordan, Ora Aten, Dorothy Sullivan, and Mary Myers.

Even though I may not be able to see everyone before election time, July 26th

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Mary Mann of Chamberlain spent Saturday night with Francis Helton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vallance visited Sunday in Memphis, Texas.

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Wallace - Wise

The First Baptist Church of Clovis, was the scene for the recent wedding of Doris Jean Wallace, Clarendon, Texas and Marvin Kennon Wise of Shangaloo, La.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wallace of Clarendon, Texas, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wise of Shangaloo, La. The service was read by Dr. Maddox of Clovis. The bride's sister, Mrs. Arthur Hays of Amarillo was matron of honor and a cousin of the bridegroom, Mr. Lavelle Wise was best man.

After the wedding trip the couple will make their home in Shangaloo, La.

SOCIAL EVENTS HONOR HARRYETTE EPPLER

Misses Ramona Rhea, Doris Jean Wallace and Mary Edna Elmore, who have been attending summer school at WTSC at Canyon had as their guest this week end, Miss Harryette Eppler of Abilene, also a student at Canyon.

A number of social events honoring Miss Eppler were enjoyed during her visit. Among those were: Friday evening an enchilada supper in the home of Mary Edna Elmore; Saturday afternoon card games and refreshments in home of Doris Knorpp; Saturday evening a buffet supper and entertainment in home of Doris Jean Wallace. Those present for these events were honoree Harryette Eppler and Misses Ramona Rhea, Mary Edna Elmore, Doris Wallace, Glenda Sue Davis, Sandra Shelton, Inelle Cox, Mary Ann Landers, Doris Knorpp, Joan Sibley, and for supper Saturday evening, Billy Jean Poole.

MRS. TOMMY HODNETT HONORED WITH SHOWER

Mrs. Tommy Hodnett, the former Nellie Jon Heathington before her recent marriage, was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the Patching Club Rooms Friday, July 11, from 3 until 6 p. m.

Those forming the receiving line were honoree Mrs. Tommy Hodnett, her mother, Mrs. John Heathington, his mother, Mrs. Earl Hodnett.

Barbara Estlack furnished piano music throughout the afternoon.

Refreshments of individual cakes and punch were served from a lace covered table bearing a centerpiece of pink garden flowers. The pink and green color scheme was also used in the cakes and flower arrangements. White napkins bearing the inscription, "Tommy and Nellie," printed in gold were used. Mary Lou Fitzgerald served cake and Dora Lynn Lemons ladeled punch.

Approximately 50 guests called during the entertaining hours.

Hostesses for this occasion were Mesdames M. H. Lemons, Billy R. Young, R. C. Jenkins, F. A. Fitzgerald, H. G. Bobbitt, B. N. Adams, S. T. Allred, Clyde Barker, Carl Saye, Herman Cross, C. A. Morgah.

THE SR. H. D. CLUB

This club has postponed their meeting date. Watch your paper for announcement of next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Plaster, Cynthia, John Charles of Canyon and Buddie Clifford of Calif. attended the rodeo and visited Mrs. Plaster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gilbert.

PINK AND BLUE SHOWER

Mrs. Duane Naylor of Killeen, Texas, the former Mae Morris, was honored with a pink and blue shower Saturday, July 5th, Ladelle Cox serving as hostess in her home.

The pink and blue color scheme was carried out in an appropriate arrangement of pink roses and blue ribbon on the coffee table. The dining table bore a "stork" centerpiece surrounded by gifts.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake, using the pink and blue color, were served to honoree, Mrs. Naylor, Mr. Sam Lowry, and Nickey, Mrs. Bill Chilton and Pat, Mrs. Jim Lovell, Mrs. Miller Morris of Canyon, Mrs. Tommy Vandiver and Jan and Mrs. Jimmy Jenkins of Amarillo Mrs. Hayden Baker of Estelline, Misses Shirley Brumley, Elba Jean Bal- lew and hostess, Ladelle Cox.

HARMONY S. S. CLASS

The Harmony Class met in the home of Mrs. J. R. Brandon with Mrs. J. R. Gilliam as co-hostess.

The class president opened the meeting and business was discussed, Mrs. Edith Barnes brought the devotional for the afternoon. Mrs. Biggs led in prayer.

Lovely refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to members, Mesdames Lee Holland, Edith Barnes, Frank Phelan, Sr., Barcus Antrobus, Paul Shelton, O. C. Watson, Ralph Porter, Janie Lowry, Walter Hutchins, Otis Naylor, Roy Beverly, H. T. Warner, visitor Mrs. Biggs, hostess and co-hostess Mrs. Brandon and Mrs. Gilliam.

THE NEEDLE CLUB

The Needle Club met July 10 in the home of Mrs. Oren Hott as hostess. The evening was spent visiting, hemming tea towels and crocheting.

Refreshments were served to members Mrs. Harvey Shaw, Mrs. Gilbert Mann, Mrs. Ross Darby, Mrs. Carl Barker, Mrs. Henry Mann, Mrs. Amel Carter and hostess Mrs. Oren Hott.

Visitors Miss Wanda Keys, Frances Mann and Vickie Bowling. Next meeting will meet Aug. 13 with Mrs. Henry Mann as hostess.

LAWN PARTY HONORS MIDWAY CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes entertained thirty eight guests Saturday evening at their beautiful country home with a lawn party and picnic supper.

The guests were taken on a

vacation tour by Mr. and Mrs. Eanes with their projector camera. They started in Clarendon on Main street July 4th, visited Palo Duro Canyon, Santa Fe, New Mexico, Aspen, Colorado, San Antonio, and other points of interest in Texas, Washington

D. C., Siloam Springs, Arkansas, and ended with scenes of some beautiful sunrises in Donley County at the Eanes country home.

Those present at this lovely affair were, members of the Midway Club and their families.

Misses Minnie and Eva Naylor, and Mr. and Mrs. Lou Fields of Amarillo. —Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Estlack and Jackie left Wednesday night week ago for a ten day vacation at Platoro, Colo.

Vote For Harold M. LaFont For State Senator

30th SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Record of Harold M. LaFont

Practiced law for 23 years in Hale County, Texas.

Farmed for the past 15 years.

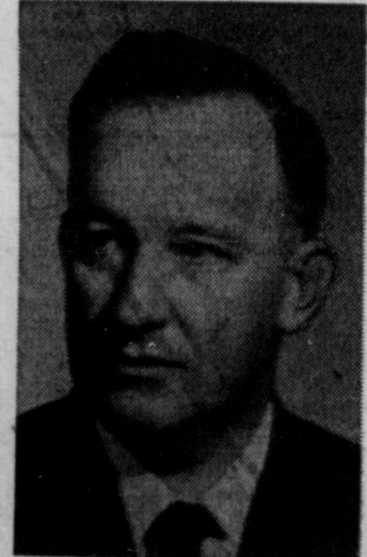
County Judge of Hale County from 1932 to 1939.

District Attorney of the 64th Judicial District from 1942 to 1949.

President of the West Texas County Judges' & Commissioners' Association in 1936.

President of the State County Judges' & Commissioners' Association in 1937.

Member of the Legislative Council of Texas.



CLEAN RACE

Harold M. LaFont believes the people of this area want a man who will run on his own merits and not on the demerits of any other candidate for this office.

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SURFINE

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HUNTS

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MILK
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1.89 Coffee

WHITE SWAN Pound85



SALAD FESTIVAL
LETTUCE Large Crisp Heads-Each 15c
GRAPES Thompson Seedless-Pound 25c
SQUASH Yellow-Pound 10c
BANANAS Golden Fruit-2 lbs. for 27c

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Society

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Richard Maxey entertained with a party Sat. afternoon July 12 in celebration of her daughter, Marsha Kay's 4th birthday.

The little guests gathered at the Maxey home at 3:30 and enjoyed playing games until refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream were served, small favors were given each guest.

Those present, honoree, Marsha Kay Maxey; guests, Randall Butcher, Dana Estlack, Melissa McCully, Clyde Douglas Flowers, Janet Kay and Rhonda Gay Goodman, Jackie McClellan, Mike Mears, Sharon Kay Dillard of Austin. Mothers present, Mesdames Doyce Flowers, Dewey Goodman, Billy Goodman, Junior Mann, J. A. Warren, hostess Mrs. Richard Maxey.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

The Circle of the Women of the Church, met July 9th, in the Church basement class room, with Mrs. Ruth Kennedy and Mrs. Homer Glasco as hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by the president Mrs. Heckle Stark and opened with prayer by Mrs. J. H. owze.

Roll Call was answered by 11 members reporting 14 visits made. Following Minutes of previous meeting, announcements and correspondence were read in regard to the work of the Church.

The program "Has Your Life Been Changed" continuing the study of the book of Colossians, was well given by Mrs. G. L. Green.

The Survey Article "Christian

Citizenship" was given by Mrs. Ed Dishman.

Meeting was closed with the Mizput Benediction. Refreshments of cookies and iced tea were served by the hostesses.

The next meeting will be held July 23, at the Church wit Mrs. Jon Potts and Mrs. F. H. Lumpkin as hostesses and Mrs. Ed Dishman as Leader on "The Life of John Knox."

MYSTIC WEAVERS CLUB

The Mystic Weavers Club of Lelia Lake met Wednesday, July 9 in the Seago home with Mrs. Henry Parker as hostess.

Fourteen regular members answered roll call with three new members, Mrs. Eddie Williams, Mrs. Lessie Myer, and Mrs. Lonnie Shields. The visitors were Mrs. Fleta McCauley, Marilyn Ayers, Bobbie Richey, Sue and Bobbie Nell Seago. One quilt was finished and other sewing and hand work was done.

Bobbie Nell Seago favored us with several songs and piano selections.

A covered dish lunch was served at noon.

The next meeting will be July 23, in the afternoon with Mrs. Ollie Johnson. —Reporter

KILL KARE KNEEDLE KLUB

Mrs. J. R. Bartlett was hostess to this club at her home Thursday afternoon.

Potted plant and garden flowers added to the pleasant atmosphere of the entertaining rooms.

Polyana gifts were exchanged during the afternoon. The president Mrs. Homer Mülkey presented the secretary and treasurer Mrs. R. R. Dawkins and Reporter Etta Harned with lovely gifts for their splendid cooperation during her term as president.

After opening and admiring the gifts a very refreshing ice course was served to members, Mesdames Homer Mülkey, Major Hudson, E. H. Noland, Frank Whitlock, R. O. Dawkins, C. E. Lindsey, R. O. Thomas, A. H. Hefner, Misses Ida and Etta Harned by the hostess Mrs. J. R. Bartlett. The next meeting will be a breakfast July 24th. The place to be announced later.

TEXAS MU GAMMA

Texas Mu Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi were entertained with family night at the Country Club on Thursday, July 10th, with Frances McCully as hostess. After swimming and a picnic supper a business meeting was held in the club house. The sorority surprise was won by Essie Putman. Ruth Roper and Catherine Rogers of Amarillo Lambda Theta Chapter gave a discussion of the ritual of Beta Sigma Phi. The following members and their families were present:

Bet Garland, Marion and Jimmy, Geo. Schollenberger, Kay and Butch, Jack Gray, Barry and Freddie, Bill Williams and Connie, Clyde Putman, Maurice Lane, Cap Morris, Joe Bownds and Richard, Redell Henson, Sharon and Wes, Miss Annie Reeves, Claude Fussell, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roper and Miss Catherine Rogers of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Mike McCully, Melissa and Mikey.

SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Arthur and the R. A. Boys of the Baptist Church surprised D'Nard Arthur with a birthday party at the Park Friday evening, although his birthday wasn't until the 15th.

A variety of out-door games were enjoyed until the many nice gifts were opened and refreshments of home-made ice cream and cake were served to 20 guests.

BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. Kenneth Jackson, the former Miss Carolyn McDonald, was honored with a bridal shower at the Goldston community house Thursday, July 3, from 2 till 4.

The bride's chosen colors of lavender and white were used in the decorations. Punch and cookies were served. Twenty-six guests were present and many sent gifts who were unable to attend.

Hostesses were Mrs. Edgar Talley, Mrs. O. L. McBrayer, Miss Irene Moss and Miss Sue Talley.

Dusters Lose To Groom, 5 to 1

The Clarendon Dusters received a hard jolt last Sunday afternoon when they lost to the Groom nine, 5 to 1. The defeat sent the Clarendon club into second place and let the Hedley boys move into the top notch, at least for the time being, so say the hard hitting Dusters.

Both clubs made more than the usual errors, but the Groom team cashed in when the time was right. Clarendon fans are of the opinion that it was just one of those days as far as the local club was concerned. A member of the local club summed it up about right when he said: "That Groom team is plenty good and it would be foolish to ever figure them otherwise. It wouldn't surprise me any to see them knock off Hedley when they meet again."

Farm Safety Week July 20-26

COLLEGE STATION — Farm and home accidents are creating such a serious problem that President Truman has issued a special proclamation urging farm residents and all persons interested in farm life to observe National Farm Safety Week, July 20-26. Estimates just released from the National Safety Council show that 14,500 farm people were accidentally killed last year and 1,250,000 others suffered lost time from injuries.

On Monday, of National Safety Week, programs on home safety will be stressed. Home accidents are costing Americans over \$600,000,000 annually, in lost wages, medical expense and insurance overhead. The safe home, for family members and for children to grow up in, is one where the parents are safety conscious and where hazards are corrected.

It seems that nothing can keep a first-class man down, or lift a low-classed man up.

Waterloo, scene of Napoleon's defeat, is in Belgium.

Top o' Texas Rodeo To Be Held In Pampa August 5-9th

Cowboys and cowgirls of Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mexico, and Kansas will soon start shining their boots and getting their "Ridin' and Ropin'" arms in shape for the big Top o' Texas Rodeo to be held in Pampa, August 5th thru August 9th.

The big amateur show will get underway Tuesday night August 5th with the Kid Pony Show and miniature Rodeo when the small fry will have the arena to themselves to compete for the many prizes offered. Contests for the kids will include bull riding, roping events, barrel races, doughnut races, and many other novel contests. Little Bobby Benson, the kid Cowboy and famous Mutual Broadcasting Company radio star, will lead the grand entry for the kid show and have a part on the evening's program. He will also appear nightly at regular Rodeo performances.

The Rodeo proper will get underway Wednesday evening August 6th at 8:00 P. M. following a downtown street parade at 4:00 P. M. which will feature bands, floats, and hundreds of pretty horses and gaily dressed cowboys and cowgirls, who are real honest-to-goodness cowboys and cowgirls who make their living by working on the ranch every day. That is one of the interesting things about the Top o' Texas show, the people participating are real ranch people since all professional cowboys and cowgirls are barred from competition—it is strictly an amateur show, in other words, it is the "real McCoy."

Many fine special attractions have been booked for this year's show including the Amarillo Air Force Band of 42 pieces. The band will lead the parade on Wednesday, and will furnish music for each rodeo performance. Dewey Jontz and his working Border Collies will be featured as the special attraction each night. Many will recall the act from the 1948 show which featured three dogs in their sheep-penning act. The dogs this year are purported to be better than ever and are now working some of the biggest show circuits over the country.

Leon Watson, famous rodeo clown and bull fighter, and his educated mule "Peter" will be on hand to furnish the laughs and protect the cowboys from those vicious brahma bulls. The stock is being furnished for the eighth consecutive year by handsome Goat Mayo of Petrolia, Texas. Mayo is considered the top rodeo producer of the United States for amateur shows. He follows the rodeo business the year round and knows just what to do and how to do it. Goat always puts on a fast moving show, which goes to make a good Rodeo.

The Top o' Texas Rodeo Association is now completing new fences and grandstands which will accommodate several hundred more people this year. The new stands are being constructed on the east side of the arena. A new permanent band stand is also being completed in time for the show. Arrangements have been completed with the Gulf Oil Corporation for their new sound system for the entire show. The new fence arrangement at the rodeo grounds will make available about four times as much parking space as in previous years. Entrances will be from the east and west ends of the park.

The rodeo menu will include all the regular rodeo events including: calf roping with a purse of \$360.00 plus one-half of all entry fees; double muggin, purse \$360.00 plus one-half entry fees; bare-back bronc riding, purse \$200.00 plus one-half entry fees; bronc riding, purse \$230.00 plus one-half entry fees; bull riding, purse \$200.00 plus one-half entry fees; bull dogging, purse \$260.00 plus one-half entry fees; cutting horse contest, purse \$300.00 plus one-half entry fees; cutting horse contest, purse \$300.00 plus all entry fees. As an added prize for the winner of the cutting horse contest, Cree and Chamberlain Insurance Co. will pay \$160.00 on a special made to order saddle. The cutting horse contest will be an approved NCHA contest and will attract some of the best horses in the nation. Cutting horses will work on each night's card.

The cowgirl's sponsored contest will again be one of the popular events of this year's show and will attract the best cowgirls of the country. They will be riding for the top prize, a special made Top o' Texas saddle presented by the Association. Second prize will

be a fancy riding outfit, and third prize will be a pair of shop made boots. The girls will be competing for cash prizes for day money. All entry fees will be added back in day money.

Advance reservations may be had for any night of the show. Phone 383 or Box 1942, Pampa, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Patterson and son, Sam, went to Abilene Monday where Sam was to report for exams at Hardin Simmons. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson are visiting relatives at Big Spring this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Robertson and three boys of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Raney here over the week end. The Robertson family left Monday for a 10 day vacation at Kansas City, Kansas.

Pfc. Leon Dale Underdown left Monday after a 15 day leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Underdown and family, Leon formerly of Fort Riley, Kan., will report to Camp Kilmer, New Jersey before going to Germany.

Recent guests in the Bob Head home were his mother, Mrs. G. H. Millican, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Eudy and son of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Lester McKinney of Amarillo left Saturday for an extended vacation at Yellowstone Park.

Miss Jean Ballew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Ballew left Thursday night for Harlingen, Texas to visit with friends from there she will fly to Mexico City to be the house guest of Misses Fumiko and Zuico Turu, sorority sisters at Texas Wesleyan College, Fort Worth, where the Misses Turu's got their Bachelor of Science degrees this Spring.

Fred Molesworth left Saturday night for San Antonio to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Molesworth before leaving Tuesday by plane from there with his uncle and a friend for a fishing trip in Alaska for a couple of weeks.

Guests in the L. L. Wallace home over the week end were his sister, Lois Twaddell, and her friends, Mrs. Bertha Gambel and Mrs. Ruby Baer all of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Edlin of Odessa visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gilbert from Wednesday until Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson and daughter, Miss Joanne of Claude, visited the Clyde Gilbert's and attended the rodeo, during the 4th.

Mrs. Tom E. Haser and daughter Deborah of Dallas are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Head.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Gilbert and son, Clinton, of Goodnight attended the rodeo.

Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Biggs visited their son at Stanton, Texas Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fain were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wallace and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elbow Naylor, visited their niece and new baby, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Biggs, Thursday at Panhandle.

Mrs. J. R. Bartlett and Mrs. Van Kennedy visited relatives in Borger Monday.

Mrs. Alfred Estlack and daughters, Barbara, Dana, Mrs. Bill Chilton and Pat attended business and shopped in Amarillo Tuesday afternoon.

Jane Johnson of Amarillo is visiting a few days with Ladelle Cox and other friends here.

Many a decided blonde is a decided blonde because she decided she didn't want to remain a brunette.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Underdown and children, Lola Mae, Lorna Dee and Leon, visited in the following homes in Amarillo, Monday, T. G. Wiley, F. M. Lewis, L. E. Underdown and L. W. Underdown.

Political Announcements

Political announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. All announcement fees must be paid in advance.

- 30th Senatorial District:**
A. J. "Andy" ROGERS
of Childress County
- State Representative**
- 88th District:**
ELBERT REEVES
James E. "Jimmy" Faulkner
- District Judge of the 100th Judicial District:**
LUTHER GRIBBLE
- District Attorney of the 100th Judicial District:**
ALLEN HARP
SHEFFY MAHAN
- County & District Clerk:**
WALKER LANE
- County Judge:**
JACK E. GRAY
W. J. WILLIAMS
J. N. WEAVER
- County Treasurer:**
MRS. A. G. LANE
- County Supt. of Schools:**
RUTH M. RICHERSON
- Sheriff, Assessor & Collector**
GUY WRIGHT
TRUETT BEHRENS
- County Commissioner:**
- Precinct No. 1**
RICHARD CANNON
J. B. LANE
W. H. McDONALD
HUBERT RHOADES
- Precinct No. 2**
J. R. BULLS
EDD MOORING
D. L. VAUGHAN
JOHN LEMONS
W. M. PICKERING
- Precinct No. 3**
FRANK MURRAY
M. E. FOSTER
- Precinct No. 4**
GEORGE PRESTON
- Justice of the Peace:**
- Precinct No. 2**
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- Constable Precinct No. 2:**
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- FOR SALE**—2 lots, 100 ft. wide x 164 ft. long, 7 blocks east of stop light on hi-way 237. See Sam Tankersley. (21tf)
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- FOR SALE**—2 room stucco house and 6 lots. Room sizes 10 x 18 and 16 x 18. Gas, water and lights, garage, orchard, chicken house. North of Mutt's Cafe. See Sam Tankersley. (21tf)
- FOR SALE**—9 ft. Servel Refrigerator. See it at Estlack Machinery Co. (23-p)
- SABADILLA DUST** — Use 20% Sabadilla Dust for the hard-to-kill squash bug. Effective for many other sucking and chewing insects on garden truck. Get it at Stocking's Drug Store
- FOR SALE**—Two room house to be moved. Geo. B. Bagby. Phone 61. (20tf)
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- STOCKMAN**—Use Aureomycin-T. F.; therapeutic formula for animal feed. Stimulates rapid growth in swine and calves. Get it at Stocking's Drug Store
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- FOR SALE** — Six room house with bath. Geo. B. Bagby. Phone 61. (20tf)
- GATOR ROACH MITES**—Magic bait in protective tubes. Death to Roaches. Non-poisonous. Safe, certain and clean. Stocking's Drug Store
- FOR SALE**—Nice 6 room home, double garage, concrete cellar, orchard, out buildings, 4 acres. R. P. Harmon. Phone 480-R. (24tf)
- CATTLE DIP**—Cresote Dip general disinfectant for stable and corral. Get it at Stocking's Drug Store
- FOR SALE**—Stucco house to be moved, 3 1/2 miles Southeast of Lelia Lake. J. C. Smith, Lelia Lake. (24-p)
- FOR SALE**—Used building material, doors, windows, creosote cedar posts from 6 to 25 feet long. See Charlie Speed, Clarendon, Texas. Phone 247-M. (23-tf)
- NOTARY BONDS:** Made while you wait. J. A. Warren, agent, Goldston Bldg. (22-2c)
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Offices: 212 Goldston Bldg.

Used Cars Bought and Sold. Baxter Motor Co. Your Chrysler-Plymouth Dealer. (22tf)

LOST
LOST—A Hamilton Watch. Lost in vicinity of picture show. Reward offered. Call 275. (22-4c)

LOST—Ladies maroon Scheaffer Fountain Pen. Lost Friday afternoon on streets of Clarendon. Finder please bring to Leader office for reward. (23-c)

LOST—In Clarendon some time ago, a yellow plastic Billfold

which has some important papers and pictures in it, including drivers license and social security card. There is also Five (\$5.00) dollars in it which I will offer as a reward to anyone that finds it and will send it to me. Betty Jo Patterson, Box 842, McLean, Texas. (23-3c)

FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Nice 4 room house wit hbath, on pavement. See Earnest Eudy. (23-p)

FOR RENT—3 room unfurnished apartment, 2 1/2 blocks from town. Mrs. J. R. Cox. (23-c)

FOR RENT — Furnished apartment, 715 West 6th Street. Mrs. Melvin Cook. Phone 470-M. (16tf)

FOR RENT — 2 room furnished apartment. Close in. Phone 123-R. Mrs. Henry Tatum. (15tf)

FOR RENT — 2 bedroom apartment, adults only. Mrs. C. R. Piercy, Goodnight, Tex. Phone 12S2. (18tf)

FOR RENT—5 room house 1 1/2 mile south of Clarendon. See Mrs. Doc Robinson, 5 mi. southwest of Clarendon. Phone 904-F12. (12tf)

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment. Bills paid, air conditioned. Call Mrs. Curtis Mears, 351-J. (22tf)

FOR RENT—3 bedroom house at 415 West 3rd. Contact M. J. Gibson on Walter Fraiser place near Groom. (23-p)

FOR RENT—3 or 5 room apartment, couple only. Will take part payment in yard work. Call 245-J. (22tf)

WANTED
WANTED — Woman for housework and care of children; room, board and salary. H. S. Vaughn. Phone 75. (23-c)

MALE HELP WANTED
Reliable man with car wanted to call on farmers in Donley County. Wonderful opportunity. \$10 to \$20 in a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. McNESS COMPANY, Dept. A, Freeport, Ill. (24-p)

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MAN OR WOMAN to take over route of established customers in Clarendon. Full or part time. Weekly profits of \$45.00 or more at start possible. No car or other investment necessary. We will help you get started. Write Mr. C. R. Ruble, Dept. 7-3, The J. R. Watkins Company, Memphis, Tennessee. (23-p)

NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT TO NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS
NEW ORLEANS—If you're a naval reserve officer, this might affect you. According to a Navy announcement in Washington, certain naval reserve officers who have been released to inactive duty since June 25, 1950 may resign. Officers eligible are those who are 35 or over, who performed

CARD OF APPRECIATION
In the long sad hours that lie ahead we shall cherish with deep appreciation the messages of sympathy and words of comfort which were extended to us at the loss of our loved one. We are also grateful for the deeds of kindness and the many tokens of love and respect shown by the beautiful floral offerings.
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active duty (including enlisted service) of 90 days or more between December 7, 1941 and September 2, 1945, who have subsequently maintained continuous membership in the naval reserve, and have been released to inactive duty since June 25, 1950. However, time served in government-sponsored training and educational programs may not be counted to fulfill the active duty requirement.

At the same time, the Navy announced that regular or reserve personnel, officer and enlisted, released or discharged from active duty since June 25, 1950, who become members of the organized reserve, shall not again be ordered to active duty involuntarily except in time of war or a national emergency hereafter declared by Congress.

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Those to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Mann and Barbera, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann and Jiggs, Mr. and Mrs. Garth Carter and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Darby and Miss Nell Corbin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Naylor and boys of Panhandle visited in the L. L. Wallace home Sunday.

Friends of Miss Jesse Cook will be sorry to learn that she has been confined to her home the past week from illness.

Herb Petry, Jr. Announces Candidacy For Congress-at-Large of Texas

CARRIZO SPRINGS, Texas—Special—Herb Petry, Jr., Carrizo Springs attorney, businessman and past President of Lions International, announces his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Congress-at-Large for the State of Texas.

Petry is president of Dimmit County Bar Association, a director of the Texas Good Roads Association, a member of the Texas Economy Commission and a Steward in the Carrizo Springs Methodist Church.

The candidate states that he is in favor of; legislation to return the tidelands to the State of Texas, soil and water conservation, an economy minded federal administration, adequate national defense, and a domestic policy which would safeguard the nation from insidious attack from within.

Petry also favors strong and definite measures against Communism, the reduction of foreign aid, elimination of waste in government and the early balancing of the federal budget. By accomplishing the former, he believes, the latter will be accomplished.

Opposed to additional taxation, this candidate for the important state and federal post states that



HERB PETRY Jr.

he favors the reduction of taxes just as quickly as the establishment of national security permits.

It is the belief of the candidate that the man who occupies a position of public trust, either elected or appointed, should be a man of good moral character, one who enjoys the trust and confidence of the people he is to serve.

His experience as a lawyer and his contacts with men of universal perspective, have brought him to the realization, he says, that the nation is in need of legislation that will stamp out organized crime.

Petry pledges himself to work with all other Congressmen from Texas on matters of interest to citizens of the state and to the best interests to he naion.

A life-long resident of Carrizo Springs, Petry is a graduate of Westmoorland College, San Antonio, and the University of Texas Law School, Austin.

He is married to the former Josephine White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben White of Carrizo Springs. The couple has two sons. (Pol. Adv. paid for by Donley County friends)

John Alden's wife's maiden name was Priscilla Mullins.

HUDGINS

Mrs. Carl Barker

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Williams visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilkerson of Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott received word last week that his brother, Willie Hott of Grapevine was seriously ill.

Jiggs Mann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann received his discharge from Camp Walters at Mineral Wells last week.

Grandma Tyler is still sick, her daughter, Letha, of Madison, Wis. has come to be with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Barker spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bable Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perdue and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stout of Amarillo, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue.

Wanda and Betty Elliott spent part of last week with their sister Mrs. Ben Talley of Borger.

Mrs. Pauline Carley and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brogden spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott.

Adene Tyler of Amarillo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tyler.

Children of Borger, spent the week Mr. and Mrs. Ben Talley and end with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott.

A. O. ott and Gilbert Mann

ished at McClellan Lake Wednesday, among the catch was a 3 1/2 lb. channel cat.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Williams.

L. B. Noble carried a load of hops to Amarillo Monday.

The Quilting Club met with Mrs. Price Webb Thursday afternoon. One quilt was quilted. Refreshments were served to Mrs. John Perdue, Mrs. Casper, Mrs. Koontz, Mrs. D. B. Perdue, the next meeting will be with Mrs. Alton Webb.

MIDWAY

Mrs. John Goldston

Mrs. George Hills has been going to Memphis Hospital during the past week to visit with her father Mr. Moreman, who was injured in a fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fields of Amarillo visited with her sisters the Misses Naylor over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland Sunday afternoon.

Guests in the Marvin Jones home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harden and children and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phelps of Clarendon.

Mrs. Hollis visited with Mrs. John Goldston Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisk and two children of Pueblo, Colorado,

Charene, Ruth, Sara Jane, Dave and Troy Carder and Mr. George Dorw all of Amarillo spent from Friday to Sunday with Mrs. Edith Longan.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones accompanied his mother Mrs. Jones to Memphis Monday for a check at the hospital

Roddy Stone celebrated his 6th birthday at the park in Clarendon. Refreshments and games were enjoyed by Roddy and 11 young friends, on July 13th.

Mrs. Mary Sue Longan and daughter Mary Ann visited Mrs. Edith Longan Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Estlack Sr. visited with the Longans Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Shelton and Sandra were in Amarillo Monday attending to business and shopping.



JUDGE JOE S. MOSS

The Law Can Be In Simple Language

Any document signed by a Donley County citizen may someday have to be interpreted by the Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo. In over 41 years the court has existed, it has decided over six thousand civil cases. It is to the interest of the people of Donley County that qualified men of the people sit on that high court. Judge Joe S. Moss of Garza County believes that legal papers and proceedings should be in the language of the people, rather than in legal fine print. Judge Moss will help simplify and speed up the machinery of the law. Ask the people who know him. Vote for Moss. A Civil Judge for a Civil Court. (Pol. Adv. Paid by Joe S. Moss)

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Hours 8 to 6 **SKELTON'S** Clarendon Texas

Mrs. Sallie Haley of Clarendon entered Northwest Hospital in Amarillo for treatment, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hearn and boys of Amarillo visited relatives and friends here Monday.

The Forgotten Man Reclaims His Own For Just One Week

Now that the Republican convention is over in Chicago, the weary candidate once again knocks on the prospective voter's door. Last week it would have been mayhem to have disturbed the radio listener. This week the candidate is seeking the voters hurriedly as next week the Democratic convention will stifle him in his plea for support. Local politics this year have remained in the luke warm stage; however, this week more interest seems to be in the offing.

If you are planning on being away election day July 26th, you should vote an absentee ballot and express your wishes as an American citizen. And then to all voters who will be here on election day—make it a "must" to go to the polls and vote your sentiments. When the election is over and you did not cast a vote, you have no right to bellyache as to how the election turned out, especially for your favorite candidate. If you fail to vote and the one elected turns out to be a sour grape or a mink skin specialist, you have no one to blame but yourself. Go to the polls and vote for the candidate who you think will serve the public best, and then if said candidate fails to meet the public trust and expectations, yell your head off! You have a right to.

Mrs. E. C. Stone and daughter, Karen Kay of Amarillo are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tankersley.

Miss Brenda Sue Pool returned to her home Sunday in San Angelo after visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pool.

THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER

Jimmy Faulkner Busy Meeting Voters In Representative Race

Two weeks ago Jimmy Faulkner was a 'political unknown' in the four-county area comprising the 88th Representative District—Donley, Childress, Hall and Motley Counties. Now he is known in all the more than forty voting precincts of the district. During the last two weeks, Faulkner has personally visited with nearly five thousand persons in one of the fastest political campaigns that this immediate area has seen.

"During the few remaining



JIMMY FAULKNER

days till election, I will continue to get out and meet more of the people of this district; I would like to meet everyone personally but it is impossible, however I believe that I will have been able to see over ten thousand," Faulkner commented yesterday.

Faulkner's campaign is unique. Most candidates for state and district offices very explicitly outline a program they intend to carry out if elected. Faulkner's pledge to the voters is: "If you elect me your representative to Austin, I will carry out your orders to the best of my ability as I have no personal legislative program to push through the legislature—just elect me 'your hired hand' and tell me what to do."

Faulkner's ableness for the job can be demonstrated in no better way than by looking at the accomplishments of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce during the past fourteen months he has been manager.

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Local Youth Enjoy Week At Pan-Fork Encampment

The annual Girls' Auxiliary Camp at the Pan-Fork Baptist Encampment, near Wellington, closed on Friday, July 11th. Registration began on Monday, July 7th, and the first services of the camp began on that evening at 7:30 p. m. This camp which is for girls of Junior and Intermediate ages, is the highlight of the year. Worship services, mission study, Bible study, G. A. Manual study, and planned recreation are the features of the camp.

Local girls who attend this year's camp are: Nedra Hodge, Linda Lemons, Gail Lemons, Pat Wilson, Lorna Dee Underdown, Lola Mae Underdown, Pat Knox, Joyce Eddings, Peggy Olivolo, Rava Rose Leffew, Shirley Chilton, Patsy Schull, Beth Scott, Pat Spurgeon, Ruth Raney, Evelyn Jean Wood, Phyllis Hill, Barbara Darnell, and Elaine Behrens.

Those who served as Counselors with the above group were, Mrs. Dale Hill, Mrs. Truitt Behrens, Mrs. Clyde Wilson, and Mrs. Howard Scott. Numbered among the local visitors during the days of the camp were, Mrs. Hubert Heatherly, Mrs. U. Z. Patterson, Mrs. Crockett Taylor, Mrs. Paul Schull, Mr. and Mrs. John Lemons, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eddings, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. edge, Mrs. Bud Moore and Terry and Mrs. P. C. Messer and Tommy and Mrs. Pearl Wallace.

Personel of the camp included, Rev. Earl Hatchett, Amarillo, Camp Director; Rev. Howard E. Scott, Clarendon, Camp Pastor; Rev. Clyde Hankins, Dalhart and Brazil, Camp Missionary; Rev. Winifred Moore, Borger, Camp Evangelist; Rev. Buell Welles, McLean, Director of Recreation, Robert Callahan, Amarillo, Music Director; Rev. James Todd, Shamrock, Kitchen Director, and Rev. Webb, Lutie, Concession stand.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Arthur and boys visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Arthur at Merkel, Tex. the past week. The Arthurs also attended a family reunion of Mrs. Arthur's people Monday and Tuesday at Abilene State Park, Abilene, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Butler and children of Borger visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Butler Sunday. J. W. Jr. remained with them for a weeks visit.

FARM NEWS
From the County PMA Committee

STARTS ON FARMS: It is on the land that water problems begin. It is in the watershed areas, above the big rivers and above the big dams, that we can begin to meet the challenge of floods, the challenge of droughts, the challenge of soil erosion, and not the least of all, the challenge of siltation of our downstream public works.

WHEAT LOANS: To date we have made 40 warehouse loans, totaling 67,346.56 bushels and \$143,653.99. The wheat harvest is over in Donley County, but with the bad weather we had the wheat crop was good. Most of the wheat farmers in this county put their wheat in the loan. The average net price per bushel for the warehouse wheat loans was \$2.04.

COMMUNITY PRACTICE REPORTS: At this time we have 249 reported practices from the 8 communities of the County. They are as follows: A Community 11, B community 34, C community 29, D community 35, E community 40, F community 32, G community 52 and H community 16.

This is a good report but there still remains a large per cent of producers in Donley County who haven't carried out a conservation practice on their farm this year. Never before in the history of agriculture has a better opportunity been offered to build up your soil at a minimum expense than at the present time. Why not take advantage of such a generous offer.

NEEDED GOOD FARMING METHODS ON MORE FARMS: Only a small percentage of the Nation's farmers are now applying the best possible combination of farming practices on their land. Farmers can achieve the goals by applying these practices more widely—using improved seed varieties; more fertilizer in more efficient ways; better insect, disease, and better land and water—use practices in general.

OUR THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: The first rule for good leadership is to re-acquire the arts of kindness and persuasion.

Edwin J. R. Cox, wife and little son James Robert from Hawthorne, N. J. visited with his mother Mrs. J. R. Cox and sister, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tucker last week from Sunday morning until Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Naylor of Carlsbad, N. M., are guests in the L. L. Wallace home this week.

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Friday and Saturday Nights

July 18-19

Joel McCrea
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July 19

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SUNDAY and MONDAY

July 20-21

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July 22

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July 23-24

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News From The Office of Price Stabilization

OPS has permitted retailers of certain consumer goods, including furniture items, to adjust their ceiling prices to take into account increases of 6 to 25 per cent in transportation rates paid by them on such shipments. Some less-than-carlot rates have gone up 35 to 135 per cent. This action was taken under the OPS industry earnings standard which provides that ceilings are fair and equitable if an industry's earnings do not fall below 85 per cent of the level of the best three

years in the 1946-1949 period. OPS has no control under the law of transportation rates although the agency has formally opposed several increases. OPS has removed price controls from the sale of discontinued makes of passenger automobiles, the maker of which was not in the business on June 24, 1950. At the same time exemption from price controls on so-called ancient cars was extended to those 20 years old from the previous 25 years age minimum. OPS has relieved small eating and drinking establishments doing no more than \$24,000 gross sales a year from the necessity of filing base period sales and

costs under the restaurant ceiling price regulations. Included in this exemption from filing are small drug stores and other eating and drinking places which do not segregate food and beverage sales from others if the food and beverage amounts to no more than \$12,000 a year, or \$1,000 a month if in business for less than a year. At the same time OPS provided for pricing new food items by comparison with existing menu items except in cases where raw food costs of the new item is at least 5 per cent more than that of the comparative item. Because the prices of such basic materials as raw steel, crude oil, chemicals, lumber and all the

things that go into finished goods directly affects the goods you buy, OPS has devoted a major portion of its time and attention to the issuance of regulations at the producer level. OPS reports that 160 items of the goods and services bought regularly and necessarily for our daily living are selling near their peak prices due to the force of inflation and demand. This means, says OPS, that 85 per cent of them items on the cost-of-living index of the Bureau of Labor Statistics are within 5 per cent of their peak prices. OPS warns that careless spending feeds inflation. Inflation grows and spreads whenever people pay more than the pur-

chase is worth. This is why OPS continues to urge public cooperation by careful buying to stave off the forces of inflation. OPS Director Ellis Arnall states: "All available evidence indicates that if controls were eliminated prices would go higher for food items, milk, bread, meat, cigarettes and for a large number of other basic needs. It is no exaggeration to say that this country cannot stand further increases in prices on top of the already steep price increases we have had since Korea."

said court and styled Delphia Gibson Plaintiff, vs. Leslie F. Gibson Defendant. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce alleging cruel treatment and asking for custody of minor children as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my

hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Clarendon, Texas this the 7th day of July A. D. 1952. Attest: Walker Lane, Clerk District Court, Donley County, Texas. (SEAL) (22-4c) Beverly Bengt of Turlock, Calif. arrived last week for an extended visit with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas. Donley County Leader, \$2.50 year

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TO: Leslie F. Gibson Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer before the Honorable 100th District Court of Donley County at the Court House thereof, in Clarendon, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 25th day of August A. D. 1952, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 15th day of May A. D. 1952, in this cause, numbered 2707 on the docket of

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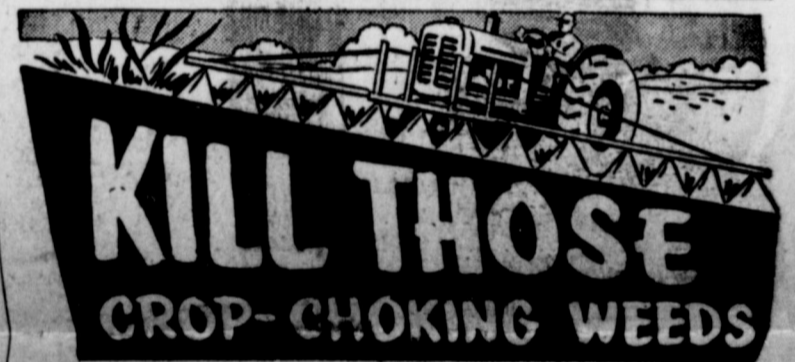
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EDITORS NOTE—The following letter has been sent out to all Presidents of Local Units of the Texas State Teachers Association. You as a stockholder of the great public school system of Texas should be interested in the issue at stake. We pass it on to you as public information.

To Presidents Local Units Texas State Teachers Association: The proposal of the Texas State Teachers Association to increase the base pay of beginning teachers from \$2403 to \$3,000 is an across-the-board raise of \$600 for

all teachers, principals and administrators. The purpose of this letter is to urge you as president of your local unit to discuss the significance of this major 1953 legislative proposal with all candidates for the Legislature from your county.

Most of you are members of the TSTA legislative contact committees in the 254 counties of Texas, and in many instances your committees have been meeting and doing excellent jobs. Some of the county-wide committees have sent questionnaires to the candidates for the Legislature, received replies, had same printed or mimeographed and mailed to all teachers in the county. While this is not neces-

sary, it is extremely important that all candidates realize that the schools of Texas have many serious problems due primarily to a heavy increase in the scholastic population of the state which will continue from the present 1,600,000 children of school age to approximately 1,985,000 in 1959-60. We need in Texas approximately 3,500 new teachers annually for replacements only. The increased scholastic population will require another 1,000 teachers which Texas colleges are not presently supplying.

It has been almost four years since teachers received a base salary increase. During all of this time inflation has continued to eat into the purchasing power of the dollar placing Texas 26th among the states of the country on average salaries paid. When Gilmer-Aikin was first enacted, Texas ranked among the high 15. These are facts that candidates for the Legislature should know. They are facts that the general public should know.

The first primary is scheduled for July 26. Absentee balloting begins July 6 and ends July 22. Make a personal effort to get as many teachers to vote as possible. Stated another way, we have a major problem facing the public

schools of Texas. Each of us must do everything possible if we are to have success in our legislative proposal. Your continued valuable assistance will be appreciated greatly.

Sincerely yours,
Charles H. Tennyson
Executive Secretary

Soil Conservation District News

The Board of Supervisors held its regular monthly meeting last Thursday in the Conference room of the County Agent's Office.

Supervisors present were: J. R. Porter, C. E. Barfield, W. P. Doherty, and Joe Tollett. Mr. T. C. D'Spain, the other member, was unable to attend.

Agency representatives present were: "Flip" Breedlove, County Agent, Elvy Sargent and Carman Rhode, Soil Conservation Service employees.

Action taken by the Board of Supervisors at this meeting will be of interest to many cotton

farmers in the District. The Board voted to have the two row crop seeders (these are the machines the District purchased last summer to be rented out to farmers to plant winter cover crops in cotton middles) rebuilt to plant four rows in each middle instead of two rows.

This action came as a result of the expression of most farmers using the drills last fall that two rows in each middle are not enough. Plans are under way to have these machines ready for use by the middle of August.

There was considerable discussion at the meeting regarding an offer by the Ft. Worth Press to hold the Region 1 banquet in Clarendon next spring. The Supervisors agreed that this would give the Donley District a lot of publicity. Final decision was not made at this meeting, however.

Elvy Sargent, District Conservationist, with the Soil Conservation Service at Pampa, described a change in the organization of the SCS. The office of

District Conservationist will be abolished and an office of Area Conservationist created. As a result of this change, Sargent will be transferred to Iowa Park as Work Unit Conservationist and the Clarendon Work will be placed under the Amarillo area with George Taylor, now District Conservationist at Childress, the new area conservationist.

The sun is 700 times heavier than the total weight of the nine planets.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. N. S. Percival July 4th were her daughters, Mrs. Norma Bearden, Mrs. Lorean Goodman and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toler and daughter Betty Toler; Misses Nancy Murff and Sara Ann Renneger, all of Amarillo, Mr. Bill Percival, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Percival and son Billy Joe of Clarendon, Mrs. Bearden remained through the 5th.

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THE FARMERS STATE BANK

of Clarendon, Texas at the close of business June 30, 1952

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Loans & Discounts	\$927,788.95	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts	523.70	Surplus	50,000.00
Banking House, Furniture & Fixtures	8,668.00	Undivided Profits	38,137.69
Other Real Estate	1.00	DEPOSITS	1,747,611.62
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	2,700.00		
Commodity Credit			
Corporation Loans \$ 48,809.34			
U. S. Gov't.			
Securities	249,000.00		
Municipal Bonds			
& Warrants	66,076.49		
Cash and Due			
from Banks	582,181.83		
	946,067.66		
Total	\$1,885,749.31	Total	\$1,885,749.31

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Close of Business June 30, 1952

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans & Discounts	1,007,507.43	CAPITAL	\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts	335.66	SURPLUS	50,000.00
Banking House	1.00	UNDIVIDED PROFITS	30,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	1,000.00	Reserve for Contingencies	9,377.12
U. S. Bonds	\$932,000.00	Reserve for Dividend	
Cash &		payable July 5, 1952	2,000.00
Exchange	785,780.86	DEPOSITS	2,585,247.83
	1,717,780.86		
Total	\$2,726,624.95	Total	\$2,726,624.95

The above statement is correct: Walter B. Knorpp, Cashier.

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Somehow the noises seemed to great at the Republican Convention. The welcome that greeted the nominee seemed to me would have been more fitting for a president. Actually, it was even to worshipful for that. After all, we shouldn't look to any men

as if they were a god. Anyway, for a party to pass out so many cheers to their candidate seemed a little out of line when we think that they have been unable to cause a serious ripple on the watery sea of politics for almost a quarter of a century. The party may be dead politically but evidently they don't know it yet.

Now we can wait for the Democratic Convention to tell their side of the game. From all the bad things the Republicans said about them you would think they would be ashamed to convene. And I'll bet at least half of it was true. I'm not saying for sure but if the Democrats come forth with a Truman endorsed "Horse of the same color" I may go trail-

ing into the General's camp, but all this hero worship pushing and shoving, clawing and fighting for one little glimpse of any man sort of makes me sick way deep down. I think we need some serious thinking, some talking with our God about this election; rather than some rip-roaring, eye-socking, chest thumpin, hero worshiping sob-stuff thrown in our face. I'm not feeling this way because the General got it either. I would have felt just as badly if Dick Tracy had been nominated. Like I say, if the Democrats try to keep handing me the same old sugar coated pill I may want to be on the General's side in self defense . . . Politics, Politics, anyway . . .

According to Scottish Rite News Bulletin there are definitely more alcoholics in wet areas than in dry, and according to their survey the per cent rises and falls just about exactly with the ration of wet and dry sympathizers. It is a shame that even so-called pretty good church going folks are deceived into thinking that the evils of prohibition are worse than being wet. I have searched everywhere I know and begged with every wet sympathizer that I have met to get me some favorable proof. They can't do it. Oh I forgot, I meant to try and be for some things this week, instead of on the negative side . . . I'll Try . . .

Next week I am going to take Mama back to her old home state of Oklahoma for a visit, and for a look at the fish and the creeks and the Indians along the way. Maybe when I come home my thinking will all be on the positive side. I always enjoy this trip.

From Someplace; Sittin' and Wishin' Won't improve fate. The Lord provides the fishes. But we gotta dig the bait . . .

A few years ago it took 300 man hours to produce a bale of cotton, now it can be done for around half that, due to the advancement in farming methods.

We wouldn't be so unhappy about what people think about us, if we only knew how seldom they do.

I guess if there is a time when we are really weak. A time when we could be captured body and soul with one little finger it is when someone is telling us how strong that we are.

If someone strokes our hair, so to speak; tells us how wonderful we are; it pays sometimes to look closely and see for sure that they are not eyeing our scalp.

French is the chief language of Haiti.

NOTICE OF APPRECIATION

We would like to express our appreciation to the public for their kindness and contribution to Mr. and Mrs. Rippete.

Among the many contributions given were \$168 in money, 3 rooms of second-hand furniture, cooking utensils, and clothes. Needs for the family have been supplied.

United Charity Organization.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Russom and children, Ervin Ray and Charles of Fontana, Calif. stopped on their way to Dallas Friday to visit a few hours. Mr. Russom moved his family to Calif. in 1940.

First Methodist Church

Rev. I. E. Biggs

SUNDAY

Church School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:50 a. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship, 7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Woman's Society of Christian Service, 3:30 p. m.
Homemakers' Circle, Fourth Wednesday, 4:00 p. m.

First Christian Church

L. L. Oliver, Minister

SUNDAY SERVICES

Bible School—9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship and Communion—10:45 A. M.
Young people's meeting, 6:30 P. M.
Adult Forum—6:30 P. M.
Evangelistic Service—7:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Ladies meeting—3:00 P. M.
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First Presbyterian Church

Sabbath School at 9:45
A Welcome Always.

Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Evening Service at 5:00 p. m.

Martin Baptist Church

Ernest Phillips, Pastor

Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
Geo. Bulman, Supt.
Preaching Service—11:00 A. M.
Training Union—7:30 P. M.
Frank Cannon, Director
Preaching Service—8:30 P. M.

Wednesday Evening Prayer Service—7:30 P. M.

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WORLD PEACE

WORLD PEACE! That cry comes straight from every heart today. We must not lose heart, we must continue to believe in God and His good will for His world. War is wrong! War is contrary to all the teachings of Jesus. God is no more satisfied than we are with our war-torn earth. Our Lord is the Prince of Peace; His ways are the ways of truth and love. He is calling us to work with Him more faithfully and more intelligently. We have been war-making instead of peace-making.

HAVE we trusted that somebody else would make Peace? Have we trusted that Kings would bring about peace? Their very position makes them war-makers. Our demand that they bring prosperity to the people at the expense of another is a war demand. Have we trusted armies to make Peace? Again we have erred. Their very business is war-making; they must subdue other armies. Have we expected that economic treaties would make Peace? Again, the business of the world is highly competitive; investors demand profits from their money and their toil...profits that come from economic victory. **INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT CAN BE SOLVED; WORLD PEACE MUST COME.** How?

CHRIST is our answer, and we must answer to Christ. **RELIGION IS OUR HOPE; RELIGIOUS PEOPLE WHO FOLLOW THE GREAT TEACHER AND FRIEND AND SAVIOR WILL MAKE PEACE.** The Cross is the symbol of Peace. **SWORDS MUST GIVE WAY TO PLOUGHSHARES, AND SPEARS MUST BE REFASHIONED INTO PRUNING-HOOKS.** What is that word you spoke yesterday? Did it make for Peace or for strife? When you finished the business transaction, did you leave a friend on the other side of the bargain? **THE PRINCE OF PEACE IS NOT A RULER OF MEN BUT A FRIEND AND A SUFFERING SERVANT.** Are you and I willing to suffer in the cause of Peace? We have suffered enough for war. Our boys want to live, and to live abundantly; to construct, not destroy; to love, not hate. Peace will cost us much; kind words, generous dealings, goodwill, helpfulness and patience and self-control. Do we pray first for our own success, or for Peace? God is the Peace-maker; Peace-makers are the children of God. Grace and Peace belong together; graciousness of spirit will go ahead of abiding Peace. Are you and I gracious toward every other person? **PEACE IS A MATTER OF SPIRIT AND OF SACRIFICIAL BEHAVIOR.** We are being watched. Shall we make sacrifice for Peace? Shall we forget the Crown and the Thorn? Shall we carry a cross?

First Baptist Church

Rev. Howard E. Scott, Pastor

J. C. Arthur.

Music & Educational Director

SUNDAY

9:45—Bible School
Billie Lowe, Supt.
11:00—Worship Hour
7:00—Training Union
Dale Hill, Director
8:00—Worship Hour
Monday — Intermediate and Junior R. A.'s—4:15
Tuesday, 7:30—Choir Practice

WEDNESDAY

3:00—W. M. S.
4:15—G. A.
7:30 — Sunday School Officers and Teachers meeting.
8:00—Mid-Week Prayer Service

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Training Union—7:30 P. M.
Walter Fancher, Director
Preaching Service—8:30 P. M.
MONDAY
W. M. U.—2:00 P. M.
FRIDAY EVENING
Prayer Service—7:30 P. M.

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Teachers Continue Professional Training Despite Low Pay

AUSTIN—Despite the fact that

Texas teachers have not had an increase in their base salaries since 1949, they have continued to improve their professional training. They now rank among the five top states in the nation in

teacher preparation, according to Charles H. Tennyson, executive secretary of the Texas State Teachers Association.

Tennyson said that figures available from the Texas Education Agency show that more than 95 percent of the state's 58,513 public school teachers now hold degrees from accredited institutions of higher learning.

During the school term just closed, only 2,299 or 4.5 percent of the white teachers in the state did not have degrees. Only 146 or 1.84 percent of the Negro teachers in Texas do not have degrees.

The school year 1951-52 also marked progress in another direction, Tennyson added. It was the first year in the history of the state that the schools did not have some people teaching who had less than a high school education. The previous year 34 such people were employed as teachers.

discuss their financial affairs with us.

I want to express my very sincere appreciation to all customers and friends during the past years.

W. H. Patrick

VISIT HERE FROM CORPUS CHRISTI

Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Peden and family of Corpus Christi who to better acquaint their children with Texas have been visiting some of our State Parks, arrived in time for Clarendon's celebration of the 4th. They remained for several days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Peden and Frank of Goodnight.

Don was enthusiastic about Clarendon's splendid systems by which they carried through the celebration. He said he had never even in larger cities, seen better all round organization. He marveled at the ease and system with which they fed the

vast crowd in such a short length of time.

TO THE PEOPLE OF PRECINCT NO. 1

I want to see each one in person in July, but things have come up that I was not expecting, so it will be impossible to see every one. I am taking this means of asking your support. Whether I see you or not, your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated. If I am elected I will do my very best to give the people of this Precinct what they are entitled to.

Thanks, J. B. Lane.

(24-p)

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Carter of Dumas visited over the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Amel Carter. Garth and son Johnny remained for a few days.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FARMERS STATE BANK of Clarendon, Texas, at the close of business June 30, 1952. ASSETS: Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection \$582,181.83. LIABILITIES: Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations \$1,598,328.49. CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: Capital \$50,000.00. MEMORANDUM: Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$105,000.00.

NOTICE

The Stock of The First National Bank of Clarendon, Texas has been sold to J. M. Crews of Childress, Texas who is in the process of selecting a new very strong board of local directors. The bank will have very strong backing of a million dollars or more and be able to take care of all kinds of good loans. Also render every kind of banking service to its friends and depositors. Mr. Taylor and the present force will continue with the bank. I will retire later.

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Mrs. L. C. Cox, Ladelle Cox and Sandra Shelton motored to Ceta Canyon, near Happy, Texas Friday to return Inelle Cox who had been attending the Methodist Youth Camp there for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin and children, Ann and Clyde Hale, left Saturday for Portland, Oregon where they will remain for about a month's visit.

Donley County Leader, \$2.50 week

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK AT CLARENDON, TEXAS. RESOURCES: Loans and discounts, including overdrafts \$1,006,214.49. LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: Common Capital Stock \$50,000.00. STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY. I, W. Carroll Knorpp, being Vice President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. CARROLL KNORPP. CORRECT-ATTEST: WESLEY KNORPP, F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, KELLY CHAMBERLAIN. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July, 1952. WALTER B. KNORPP, Notary Public, Donley County, Texas.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CLARENDON IN THE STATE OF TEXAS at the Close of Business on June 30, 1952. ASSETS: Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection \$241,446.83. LIABILITIES: Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations \$847,652.81. CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: Capital Stock \$50,000.00. MEMORANDUM: Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$105,000.00.

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