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THE CLARENDON NEWS

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Outdoor Entertainment Association Making Plans For Celebration

The officers and directors of the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association met Tuesday night and began formulating plans for the annual Fourth of July Celebration in Clarendon. Celebration dates have been set for July 2nd, 3rd and 4th with Rodeo performances on the nights of the 2nd and 3rd and afternoon and night of the Fourth.

Joe McMurtry, president of the organization, appointed the following committee chairmen to start the ball rolling as July 4th isn't far away, the way time zips by.

J. W. Murphy, publicity and advertising; Lloyd Shelton, time keeper; Bob Head, arena director; Alfred McMurtry and Bill Lowe, ticket sales and gates; W. W. Noblet, booster trips.

Pat Slavin's office was named as Celebration Headquarters.

The Association will meet again Tuesday, May 12th at which time a set of by-laws for the organization will be presented.

The way everything is shaping up right now, residents of this area will be able to enjoy one of the biggest and best celebrations in Clarendon's history, July 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

YOUNG MUSICIANS APPEAR WITH AMARILLO SYMPHONY

National Music Week was opened in Amarillo Sunday afternoon with a concert presented by the Amarillo Symphony Orchestra under the direction of A. Clyde Roller. Nine student soloists, representing the best talent from over the Panhandle area in piano, violin and voice appeared with the group. The concert was held in the Amarillo High School Auditorium.

First of the violinists was Jinna Sue Bain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bain of Clarendon. Miss Bain was complimented on her nice flair for shading and her technique in bowing.

Janiece Christal, pianist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Christal of Lelia Lake, was reported to have presented one of the highlights of the program. Her finger work was distinctive and her runs particularly good. Her technique was described as above average.

These young people are to be complimented on their performance. Auditions are held each year in March and every young musician over the Panhandle area looks forward to winning this coveted award, the opportunity to appear with the Symphony Orchestra.

Bulldogs To Play Final Game Today

The Clarendon Jr. College Bulldogs will play their final game of this season which will also be their last conference baseball game, this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Dusters Park which is located at the Rodeo grounds here.

The Bulldogs are looking forward to this last chance at Frank Phillips Jr. College of Borger, for this team has already clinched the championship honors, and they also defeated the Bulldogs in a previous engagement at Borger 11 to 6. Frank Phillips has won six games and lost only one.

The Bulldogs have had a pretty fair season with 3 wins and 4 games lost to date. In a double-header at Odessa the Bulldogs won the first game 7 to 5 and lost the second 9 to 1. They defeated Amarillo 7 to 3 in the next game but again split another double-header with Howard County 7 to 5 and 5 to 3 with Howard County winning the last game. They lost to Frank Phillips 11 to 6 and Amarillo 10 to 8 in the last two games.

The Bulldogs are inviting local fans to come out and watch them try to topple the visitors this afternoon and see a good ball game.

Donley County Leader, \$2.50 year.

"Comin' Round The Mountain" To Be Presented May 8

"Comin' Round The Mountain" is the title of the three act comedy to be presented by the Junior-Senior Classes of Lelia Lake High School at 8 p. m. on May 8, 1953.

"Comin' Round The Mountain" is a truly novel comedy of funny doings in the back woods of the Mountain Country down South. Maw and Paw Skitter and their family are typical hillbillies who have arranged a marriage for their daughter Corney Bell. But Corney Bell has other ideas when she finds she has been promised to Sammy Fester a neighbor by Maw and Paw to whom Sammy is giving as a dowry a beautiful "hawg" by the name of Pansy Sue.

Corney Bell has fallen in love with a resorter from the outside and the family decide to "git" him even if they have to use a shotgun.

The hill billy band is included to entertain so there will not be a dull moment.

Remember the date, bring a party and enjoy "Comin' Round The Mountain."

Admission, Adults 40c and children 15c.



"MIGHTY MO" MOWS 'EM DOWN—A booming blast from the United States Navy's battleship Missouri thunders across the water to wreak ruin on Communist installations near Wonsan harbor. North Korean hills can be seen in the background. The "Mighty Mo" has taken part in many battles since the start of the Korean war.

Music Festival To Be Staged Tonight (Thursday)

In observance of National Music Week, students of the Elizabeth Stevens Grade School will be presented in a Music Festival, Thursday evening, (today), May 7, at 8 o'clock in the College Gymnasium. This program has been worked up through the cooperation of Mrs. J. N. Weaver, Public School music teacher, and other teachers from the first thru fifth grades.

It will be presented to the public free of charge and it is hoped that attendance will be good. The following will be the program staged:

First Graders:
Song—M-o-t-h-e-r
Chimes of Dunkirk—Scottish Folk Game; Shoemaker Dance—Danish Folk Game; Dance of Greeting—Danish Folk Game.

Second Grade Rhythm Band:
Shoemaker Dance—Danish; Pop! Goes the Weasel; Amaryllis.

Second Grade Students:
Little Old Woman—English Folk Song; Playing Ball—Thompson-Ambröse.

Third Grade Students:
The Little Old Mill—Pelosi-Ilda-Towers.

Third and Fourth Grade Students:
Maypole; May Queen—Churchill-Grindell; Fairy of Dreams—Churchill-Grindell.

Fourth Graders:
Springtime—Churchill-Grindell.

Fourth Graders:
Polk—Little Brown Jug.

Fifth Grade Students:
Lavender's Blue—F. Fay Swift; Daffodils—Floyd O. Harris; Springtime—Mekin Wooler; Be Thou Our Guide—Perry-Sibelius; Prayer Perfect—Riley-Stenson; Mother Machree—Young-Olcott-Ball.

Pledge to the Flag—All
God Bless America—All.

Services Held For Former Hedley Resident

Funeral services for Hurshell James Ellis, former Hedley man who was killed in a plane crash at Okinawa on January 31st, were held Monday in the First Baptist Church of Memphis, Rev. Fern A. Miller and Rev. Lloyd Hamilton, officiated. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home.

Ellis, 21 years old, was a gunner on a US Navy bomber that crashed on a routine training flight over the northern tip of Okinawa. He had been in Navy service since Oct. 16, 1950. He was a native of the Plaska community near Memphis, moving to Hedley in 1947 and from Hedley to California in 1950.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ellis of Hemet, Calif., a brother, Marshall Leon, serving with the Navy at Stockton, Calif.; twin sisters, Earlene and Ilene of Hemet, another sister, Mrs. Billy Gene Tate of Hedley; a grandfather, A. J. Jeffers of Memphis.

Joe McMurtry Chosen Head of Outdoor Entertainment Association

Joe McMurtry, prominent Donley County rancher, was elected to head the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association for the coming year at a meeting the past week. Another prominent rancher, L. T. Shelton, was elected as vice-president, and Charlie Seeds, local Buick dealer was elected secretary of the association.

New directors elected were W. W. Noblet and Bill Lowe. Other directors are J. W. Murphy, Alfred McMurtry, Pat Slavin, W. J. Lewis, Jr. and Bob Head. C. T. McMurtry is a lifetime ex-officio member of the board.

The past president of the Association is J. W. Murphy who has put forth lots of effort in helping to clear the association of debt as well as put on first class celebrations in Clarendon the past two years. Alfred McMurtry is the retiring vice-president and R. S. Brumley is the retiring secretary.

Dusters To Play Amarillo AAFB Here Sunday

The Clarendon Dusters will be out to take their third win of the season Sunday afternoon when they meet the Amarillo AAFB team from Amarillo Air Field here on the local diamond in a regular Caprock League game.

This will also be the first time the Dusters have ever played the Air Force team, so local fans hardly know what to expect in the way of competition but all indications point to nine innings of hard fought baseball.

The Dusters journeyed to Panhandle last Sunday and beat the host team 6 to 3 in a game that was described as much closer than the score indicates. It was a see-saw affair until the ninth inning when the Dusters added their last two runs. Eddie Reynolds went all the way on the mound displaying his old form and ability of winning ball games.

If you want to see a good game, just drive out to Duster Park at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

13 Inch Moisture Falls Here Sunday

Although we didn't measure out much moisture, the sound of the rain pelting down early Sunday morning was music to one's ears. The total fall here measured out at .13 inch and was beneficial even though it would have been much nicer if it had been an inch or so. Good clouds have roamed the Panhandle area all this week but it has apparently been too cold to drop much moisture. Frost was reported down as far as the Amarillo area Tuesday night which is running pretty late in the season. The forecast is for a warming up trend for a few days.

Cafeteria Menu For May 11-15

- MONDAY—Meat loaf, green beans, new potatoes, jello salad, bread, milk, cake.
- TUESDAY—Cheese, red beans, whole grain corn, green salad, corn bread, milk, fruit.
- WEDNESDAY—Hamburgers, lima beans, onions, lettuce, pickles, buns, milk, cookies.
- THURSDAY—Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, English peas, cranberry sauce, carrot and pineapple salad, bread, milk, rice pudding.
- FRIDAY—Sandwiches, lettuce, pickles, potato chips, bread, milk, pie.

High School Rodeo Set For Saturday

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH WOMEN TO HOLD BAKE SALE

The women of the Assembly of God Church are having a bake sale and a bazaar Saturday, May 9th at the Estlack Machinery Co. Cakes will be sold for one dollar each. The ladies invite everyone to come to their sale for Mother's Day cakes. Proceeds will go toward finishing of Sunday school class rooms.

State F.H.A. Meeting Held at San Antonio

The State meeting of the Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America was held in San Antonio April 30, May 1 and 2nd. Meetings of the executive council and various committees were held Thursday morning with registration Thursday afternoon followed by Game night. Sessions were held throughout Friday with a Mardi Gras supper Friday night. Saturday morning was devoted to a report from the nominating committee, a discussion of the program of work, state degrees, presentation of honorary degrees and installation of state officers. Saturday afternoon was spent in sight-seeing tours by most groups.

All meetings of the group were held in the Municipal Auditorium with the exception of committee and council meetings held in the Plaza Hotel. There were 2871 students and teachers registered, recording one of the largest attendances. Two delegates from each chapter over the state and their instructor made up this number.

Miss Loyd Richerson, Jackie Estlack, the voting delegate from the Clarendon F.H.A. Chapter and Wanda Lewis attended from Clarendon, leaving by Charter Bus Wednesday noon and returning Sunday afternoon. They report a most enjoyable meeting and feel that much was gained by attending.

Eddie Forrest Installs Ice Facilities Here

Eddie Forrest, operator of Eddie's Conoco Station, 1 block East of the stop light, has installed equipment on the west side of his station building to handle manufactured ice for the convenience of residents of this area. The ice will be made in Pampa and hauled to Clarendon. Mr. Forrest will handle block and crushed ice which will be available seven days a week.

Entries for the Clarendon High School Rodeo, to be held Saturday, May 9th, are all full with the exception of the girls Barrel Ride, which needs more entries. All Rodeo Contestants are urged to pick up their numbers at the American Legion Hall Saturday morning, between 8:00 and 12:00 o'clock, because it is essential that each contestant have his number.

There will be a Grand Entry before each performance and everyone who has a horse or can borrow one is urged to take part. The Rodeo Stock will be furnished by Morris Stephens, of Silverton, and the stock as well as the contestants can be depended upon to give a great performance. As an added attraction there will be a professional Rodeo Clown at both performances.

The F.F.A. Boys have been working on the pens and chutes all this week and the Palmer Implement Co. is going to plow the grounds Friday. The City will water the grounds down Saturday morning and the grounds should be in top shape.

There are still a few car spaces available and General Admission tickets can be obtained from the F.F.A. Boys in advance or at the gate. Everyone is urged to turn out early for either the afternoon performance at 2:00 o'clock or the night performance at 8:00 o'clock. General admission tickets are \$1.00 for adults and 50c for children; so everyone is urged to attend either or both performances and bring their friends.

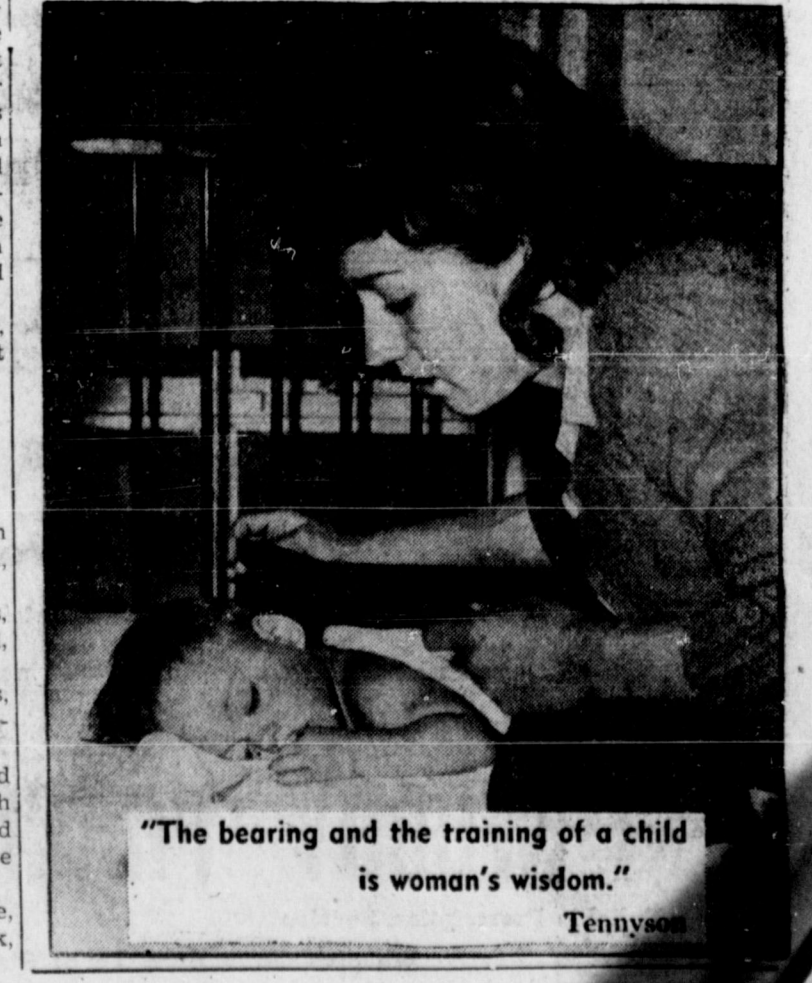
Let's all plan to attend and help make the Clarendon High School Rodeo one of the big attractions in this area.

David Rascoe To Be Guest Speaker Of Pathfinder Club

David Rascoe, managing editor of the Amarillo News-Globe, will be guest speaker of the Pathfinder Club Friday night at the Methodist Church, Refreshments will be served members and their guests at 7 p. m. Rascoe will speak at 8 p. m. on a topic dealing with the Korean situation.

Wes Izzard says that Rascoe is more capable of speaking on this subject than any other man in the Panhandle. Rascoe has been a correspondent to Korea from the Amarillo News-Globe.

Each Pathfinder club member has been asked to invite six guests. Hostesses for the program will be Mesdames J. H. Howze, Pete Kunz, C. B. Morris, J. R. Porter and Charlie Seeds.



"The bearing and the training of a child is woman's wisdom." Tennyson

Remember Mom! Queen of Your Heart

Mother's Day

MAY 10

Financial Statement Of City In This Issue Of The Leader

City officials are publishing in this issue of the Leader, a financial report of the City of Clarendon for the past year. The account lists what has been taken in and what your money has been spent for during the past year. Turn to acquaint yourself with what is going on within your city government. The city appears to be in better financial status than it was a year ago at this time.

SIMS P.T.A. TO MEET TODAY (THURSDAY)

The Sims P.T.A. will hold their regular meeting this afternoon in the Jr. High Auditorium at 3 o'clock. New officers will be installed and the program will be presented by the 6th and 7th grades. The tea for mothers of pre-school age children which was scheduled for 2 o'clock, has been postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hughes and daughter spent the weekend in Jacksboro where they attended a family reunion in honor of his mother who celebrated her 81st birthday.

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GOLDSTON NEWS

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Philley and Kay visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Reynolds and boys.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hard and boys spent Saturday night and Sunday in Crowell.
 Geraldine and Nora Jackson visited Friday evening with Mrs. V. Littlefield.
 Mrs. Lee Wilkerson of Lelia Lake visited with Bro. and Mrs. C. T. Williams Thursday evening.
 Doyle Ray Littlefield spent Saturday night with Bobby Philley.
 Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Williams, Mrs. Stice and Miss Ruth Stice of Amarillo attended church at Goldston Sunday night.
 Mrs. Glen Reid is home after a weeks visit in Amarillo.
 Jerry McBrayer visited Sunday with Carl and Howard Talley.
 Mr. Gregory of Memphis visited the Odell McBrayer family over the week end.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moss and Sue Talley visited the C. F. Moss family Sunday.
 Bro. and Mrs. C. T. Williams visited Sunday in the J. F. Jackson home.
 There were a good crowd at the singing Sunday at Goldston. Everyone enjoyed the singing.
 Mrs. V. Littlefield spent Saturday morning with Mrs. Lloyd Littlefield and boys.
 Lenda Ledbetter spent Satur-

day with Mrs. M. W. Hatley.
 Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson of Goodnight visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger.
 Mrs. R. O. Reynolds of Martin community spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Reynolds and boys.
 Those visiting Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart and boys were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stevenson, Mr. J. F. Jackson and Geraldine, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and Sue and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger.
 Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Reynolds and boys and Mrs. R. O. Reynolds visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. George McCracken and family of Alareed.
 Mrs. Jim Pegram visited Tuesday evening with Mrs. V. Littlefield.
 Mr. and Mrs. Horton and baby of Lawton, Okla. spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan.
 Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hatley of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.
 Minnie Roberson returned home Thursday from a two weeks visit in Dodson.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bud Philley and Kay visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberson of Dodson visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and Pat.
 Carl and Howard Talley and Keith and Andy Covington spent Friday night with Pat Roberson.

Pat Roberson visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill and Neal Carter.

Neal Carter of Clarendon spent from Friday evening through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins and baby of Clarendon visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan.

Mrs. B. F. Stice and Ruth of Amarillo visited in the C. T. Williams home this week.

MIDWAY NEWS

Mrs. Howard Hensley

Mr. and Mrs. George Hillis attended the homecoming at the Lakeview Methodist church Sun. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shaller and Teddy were in Memphis on business Monday night.
 Rev. and Mrs. Briggs of Clarendon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Chamberlain Tuesday eve.
 Guests for Sunday dinner in the D. S. Smith home were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Caraway, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lindsey and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Chenuit, all of Clarendon.
 Mrs. Bill Moreland and Mike of Abilene had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Williams enjoyed the company of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Fricks of Clarendon Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Longan, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Spencer and baby of Pampa and Mrs. Edith Longan enjoyed a delicious meal with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Longan Sunday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring and Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Joe Mooring of Lelia Lake fished at Buffalo Lake Wednesday. Sorry sand got so bad they didn't have any luck.
 Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes had Mr. and Mrs. Ross McCann of Menlo Park, Calif. for visitors Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones were in Memphis Wednesday eve on business.
 The Lee Shaller's visited Mrs. Elmer Ashmead Thursday at Jericho.
 Week end guests at the Howard Hensley's were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hewitt and Rickey of Mid-

land, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Vaden of Hawthorne, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hickey and Horace Lee of Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Word, Paula and Ann visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Tomlinson and Douglas of Phillips spent Thursday night in the home of the Bill Moorings.

Those to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Williams Sunday eve were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mays of Ashtola and Mr. Earl Burton of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams visited in Ashtola Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahafey.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ray Young visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morgan Saturday eve.

Mrs. Robert Wells and family of Memphis visited the Hill Wells Sunday eve.

Visitors in the Roscoe Land home last week were Miss Mona Churchman, Mesdames J. D. Wood, Regan and G. B. Clements of Amarillo, Mrs. Glen Williams and Mrs. Howard Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morgan and other friends enjoyed Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Thomas of Clarendon.

The David Bennetts visited the Howard Hensleys, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hewitt and Rickey Thursday eve.

Gayle Morrison of Newlin spent the week end with Sammy Wells.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Land were Dr. and Mrs. George Shadid and girls of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Land, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Land and Darlene of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land of Martin.

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SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

Monthly checks of almost \$175,000, in the form of Federal Old Age and Survivors Insurance payments, are mailed to more than 4900 residents in the Amarillo Social Security field office area. This area includes the 29 Panhandle Counties of Texas.
 More than one-half of the persons receiving payments are retired workers and their wives. The remaining checks are to survivors of deceased workers.
 The 1952 changes in the Social Security Act, effective in September, raised the amounts of practically all benefits about 12 1/2%. Social security credits for military service from the start of World War II were extended to through 1953 and it was provided that a person will be considered "retired" even though he is earning as much as \$75.00 a month. Between age 65 and 75 and regardless of earnings after age 75.
 Money to pay social security benefits comes from the social security taxes paid by employees, employers, and self-employed people, on earnings up to \$3,600 a year. The tax is now 1 1/2% each for employer and employee, and 2 1/4% for self-employed people. Under the law, rates are scheduled to increase to 2% each for employer and employee, and 3% for self-employed people, on January 1, 1954.

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TO RECEIVE DEGREES
 CANYON—Mrs. Gladys Noble Seago and Robert Gerner, both of Lelia Lake are among the 219 candidates for degrees expected to participate in commencement events May 25 at West Texas State College.

Mrs. Seago is a candidate for the Master of Education degree. Gerner, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H.

Gerner, will receive the Bachelor of Science degree, with a major in chemistry. He was selected the outstanding chemistry student at West Texas last year.

Mrs. John Roberts of Wellington and Mrs. Arthur Franke of Alhambra, California visited Monday in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Homer Mulkey.

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I wish to announce to my friends and customers that I have purchased the interests of Mike Thornberry in the Thornberry Drug and that the business will be known in the future as

Woody Pharmacy

Although I have been managing this business for the past two years, I wish to thank each and everyone for your patronage and good will in the past and I shall always try my best to merit your continued patronage in the future.

E. Woody

We have a number of new items just arrived in time for Mother's Day—May 10th.

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- Several Nationally Advertised Toiletries
- McBeth and Commette Hosiery and many other items.

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CRACKERS Sunshine Saltine—2 lbs.	47c	MARSHMALLOWS 1 Pound	31c
Preserves 76 oz. Jar PURE PEACH	\$1.29	Tissue 4 Rolls COMO—Whiter, Softer	31c
BEEF ROAST RIB—1 Pound	39c	LEMONS Sunkist, Large and Juicy—1 Dozen	39c
CHEESE American—1 Pound	55c	CORN No. 1 Extra fancy—3 for	19c
WIENERS 1 Pound	45c	Russett Potatoes 10 lbs.	39c
FRYERS 1 Pound	49c	CABBAGE No. 1 Mississippi, Hard Green—1 lb.	5c
Fresh Frozen Fish WHITTINGS—1 Pound	21c	TOMATOES Pick O' Morn—Pkg.	21c

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 One whale yields little whale-bone since it is taken from his jaw.
 A baseball has a cork center about the size of a marble.
 Luke, author of a book in the New Testament, was a physician.

CHURCH SERVICES

First Presbyterian Church
 Wm. A. Cockerell, Minister
 Sunday School—9:45 A. M.
 Sunday School Superintendent
 Dr. J. Gordon Stewart
 1st Assistant Superintendent,
 H. Lee Shaller
 2nd Assistant Superintendent,
 Lee Bell
 Morning Worship—11 A. M.
 Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.
 Junior Choir sings at the evening worship service.
 The Men-of-the-Church meet every 4th Wednesday night for food, fellowship and fun. Friends are invited.
 The Choir meets on Wednesday night for rehearsal.
 The Deacons meet each 1st Sunday night at 6:15 for their monthly meeting.
 The Session meets each 2nd Sunday night at 6:15 for their monthly meeting.
 The local Board of Women meets each 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 3:15 P. M.

First Methodist Church
 Rev. I. E. Biggs
 SUNDAY
 Church School—9:45 A. M.
 Morning Worship—10:50 A. M.
 Junior and Primary Fellowship—6:00 P. M.
 Methodist Youth Fellowship—6:15 P. M.
 Evening Worship—7:00 P. M.
 WEDNESDAY
 Woman's Society of Christian Service—3:30 P. M.
 Homemakers' Circle, Fourth Wednesday—4:00 P. M.
 Bible Study and Prayer Service—7:00 P. M.
 Choir Practice—7:30 P. M.

First Baptist Church
 Rev. Howard E. Scott, Pastor
 J. C. Arthur, Mus. & Ed. Director
 SUNDAY
 9:45—Bible School
 Billie Lowe, Supt.
 10:55—Worship Hour
 6:45—Training Union
 Bailey Estes, Director
 8:00—Worship Hour
 MONDAY
 7:00—Intermediate R. A.'s
 TUESDAY
 4:30—Junior R. A.'s
 7:00—Youth Choir Practice
 8:00—Sanctuary Choir Practice
 WEDNESDAY
 3:00—W. M. U.
 4:15—G. A.
 7:30—Sunday School Officers and Teachers meeting.
 8:00—Mid-Week Prayer Service

Calvary Baptist Church
 Ernest Phillips, Pastor
 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
 Perry Jordan, Supt.
 Preaching Service—11:00 A. M.
 Sing time—7:30 P. M.
 Preaching Service—7:45 P. M.
 Wednesday evening: Prayer Service—7:30.
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First Christian Church
 L. L. Oliver, Minister
 SUNDAY SERVICES
 Bible School—9:45 A. M.
 Morning Worship and Communion—10:50 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.
 Bible Study and Prayer Service—7:30 P. M.
 Everyone Welcome.

Lelia Lake Baptist Church
 Rev. J. C. Denton, Pastor
 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
 Leo Smith, Supt.
 Preaching Service—11:00 A. M.
 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.

Assembly of God Church
 C. E. Spilman, Pastor
 SUNDAY
 Sunday School—9:45
 Morning Worship—11:00
 Young People's Christ Ambassador Service and Booster Band—6:45 P. M.
 Evangelistic Service—7:30 P. M.
 WEDNESDAY
 Bible Study—7:30
 SATURDAY NIGHT SERVICE
 First Saturday night in each month only—7:30 P. M.

Martin Baptist Church
 T. H. Harmonson, Pastor
 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
 George Bulman, Supt.
 Morning Service—11:00 A. M.
 Training Union—7:00 P. M.
 Nelson Christie, Director
 Evening Service—8:00 P. M.
 Wednesday Evening Prayer Service—7:30.

St. John The Baptist Episcopal Church
 Samuel M. Black, Vicar
 11 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
 11 a. m. First Sunday in month. Holy Communion.

Methodist Church
 LELIA LAKE
 D. E. Fisher, Pastor
 Sunday School every Sunday at 10 A. M.
 Preaching Service—11 A. M. every Sunday except third Sunday.
 Evening Service—8:00 P. M.

Goldston Baptist Church
 C. T. Williams, Pastor
 Sunday School—10 A. M.
 Calvin Ashcraft, Supt.
 Morning Worship—11 A. M.
 Song & Praise Service—7 P. M.
 Preaching—7:30 P. M.

Saint Mary's Catholic Church
 Rev. L. Connaughton
 Mass Every Sunday at 9:00 A. M.

Church of Christ
 R. C. Copeland, Jr., Minister
 Services Sunday Morning—
 Bible Classes—10:00
 Morning Worship Service—10:50
 Preaching—7:00
 Ladies Bible Class Wednesday afternoon—3:00
 Midweek Services
 Wednesday evening—7:30
 You are invited.

Missionary Baptist Church
 Bro. J. W. Reynolds, Tyler, Texas
 Pastor
 Bro. Elwin Lane, Ft. Worth
 Assistant Pastor
 Sunday School each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
 Church services each First Sunday.
 Church services every other Fourth Sunday.

Seven Donley County Students In Line For Degrees

CANYON—Seven students from Clarendon and two from Hedley are among the 219 candidates for degrees expected to participate in commencement events May 25 at West Texas State College.
 They are: Buster Bain, Mary Edna Elmore, Gladylene Emmons, James A. Howard, Jr., John Morris, June Selmon, and Doris Jean Wallace, all from Clarendon, and Thelma Moss and Jimmie Owens from Hedley.
 All but Miss Moss are candidates for the Bachelor of Science degree. She expects to receive the Bachelor of Music Education degree.
 Bain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Regan Bain is majoring in physical education.
 Miss Elmore is an elementary education major. She is a member of Alpha Chi, Kappa Tau Phi sorority, and the Home Economics Club. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fontayne Elmore.
 Miss Emmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Emmons, is a member of Gamma Phi sorority, and the P. E. Majors Club. Her major is physical education.
 Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Morris, is an industrial arts major.
 Miss Selmon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Selmon is also a member of Gamma Phi, and P. E. Majors Club. She was one of the college beauties last year.

Miss Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wallace, is a member of Kappa Tau Phi and Buffalo Masquers.
 Miss Moss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moss, is a member of the college choir.
 Owens is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Owens. He is an agriculture major.

Charter No. 141
 OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE
DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK
 AT CLARENDON, TEXAS

at the close of business on the 20th day of April, 1953, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$964,824.07
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,182,000.00
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	3,099.20
Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing houses)	612,805.58
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	1.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	1.00
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$2,762,740.85

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus: Certified \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Undivided profits	50,000.00
Capital reserves (and debenture retirement account)	
Reserve for Contingencies	3,870.87
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,562,190.87
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	9,654.20
Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	10,119.93
Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances)	18,079.29
Other deposits (certified & cashier's checks, etc.)	8,825.69
TOTAL ALL DEPOSITS	\$2,608,869.98
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$2,762,740.85

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
 Directors.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
 F. E. CHAMBERLAIN
 WESLEY KNORPP
 KELLY CHAMBERLAIN
 Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of April, 1953.
 JANE HILLMAN,
 Notary Public, Donley County, Texas.

Reserve District No. 11 State No. 819
 REPORT OF CONDITION OF
THE FARMERS STATE BANK
 of Clarendon, Texas, at the close of business April 20, 1953

A State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$732,695.98
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	273,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	69,966.65
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$317.53 overdrafts)	874,975.19
Bank premises owned \$4,862.00, furniture and fixtures \$3,052.00	7,914.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,961,532.82

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,569,445.16
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	148,296.93
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	17,291.81
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	49,760.69
Deposits of banks	26,725.63
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	2,954.15
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,814,394.49
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$1,814,394.49

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital*	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	47,138.42
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	147,138.42
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$1,961,532.82

*This bank's capital consists of:
 Common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00

MEMORANDUM
 Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$100,000.00

I, Van Kennedy, Vice President & Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 VAN KENNEDY

CORRECT—ATTEST:
 J. D. SWIFT
 FRANK WHITE, Jr.
 JOE A. HOLLAND
 Directors

State of Texas, County of Donley, ss:
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of April, 1953.
 (SEAL) W. T. LINK, Notary Public

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CITY OF CLARENDON

Combined Balance Sheet—All Funds—at March 31, 1953

ASSETS	
CASH ON HAND AND ON DEPOSIT:	
General fund	\$ 11,400.33
1952 Waterworks improvement fund	7,269.37
1952 Street improvement fund	10,453.10
Interest and sinking fund—series 1952 bonds	4,294.89
Interest and sinking fund—all other bonds	4,040.62
	\$ 37,458.31
FUND INVESTMENTS:	
1952 Street improvement fund—United States Treasury Bills—at cost	34,825.00
Interest and sinking fund	30,700.00
	65,525.00
RECEIVABLES:	
Delinquent taxes	12,019.35
Water rents receivable	3,036.70
Special assessments	4,296.01
	19,352.06
CAPITAL ASSETS:	
Equipment:	
Street department	21,654.99
Fire department	19,129.99
Office and miscellaneous	2,261.82
	43,046.80
Fixed properties:	
Waterworks	188,305.14
Waterworks improvements in process of construction	15,730.63
City Hall	37,454.69
School property	7,729.81
Sewer system	59,501.54
Drainage system	32,299.32
Paved streets	118,260.87
Street improvements in process of construction	1,721.90
	461,003.90
	504,050.70
	\$ 526,386.07
LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	
CURRENT LIABILITIES:	
Water deposits	\$ 3,754.00
Note payable to bank	1,862.50
	\$ 5,616.50
Forward	\$ 5,616.50
CAPITAL LIABILITIES:	
Bonds payable	\$ 221,000.00

CAPITAL AND REVENUE SURPLUS:

Revenue surplus—unappropriated	\$ 64,171.40
Revenue surplus—appropriated	52,547.47
Excess—Capital assets over bonded debt	283,050.70
	399,769.57
	\$ 526,386.07

Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements—All Funds—For Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1953

CASH BALANCE—APRIL 1, 1952 \$ 6,373.99

RECEIPTS:	
General property taxes:	
Current taxes	\$ 28,766.12
Delinquent taxes	1,648.28
Interest and penalties	393.77
	\$ 30,808.17
Other local taxes:	
Fines, licenses, and penalties	107.50
Charges for current services:	
Water department	\$ 42,047.22
Sewer fees	6,868.85
Garbage and trash collection	3,692.57
Inspection fees	139.95
Street and alley maintenance	190.74
	52,939.33
Water meter assessments—special	3,391.00
Refund of expense	63.00
Sale of real estate	299.50
Interest on investments	1,051.18
Proceeds from sale of United States Treasury Bond—net	967.62
Proceeds from sales of United States Treasury Bills—net	115,457.00
Proceeds from bank loans	4,072.00
Proceeds from Permanent Improvement Bonds—Series 1952, and accrued interest	100,282.71
Inter-fund advances	2,120.98
	314,716.75
	\$ 321,090.74
DISBURSEMENTS:	
General government expense:	
Administration salaries	\$ 2,015.00
City Marshal	1,368.05
Nightwatchman	1,864.10
Clerical salaries	849.93
Library	455.00
Legal	416.00
Auditing	795.00
Repairs and supplies—general	81.87
Miscellaneous supplies and services	3,377.45
Bond issue expense	750.00
	\$ 11,972.40

Departmental operations:

Water department	20,136.45
Sewer maintenance	360.98
Street and alley maintenance	10,754.87
Fire department	4,575.98
Garbage and trash collections	8,092.76
Park expense	375.00
	44,296.04
Forward	\$ 56,268.44
	\$ 321,090.74

Capital expenditures:

Waterworks improvements	\$ 17,658.54
Sewer system improvements	32,413.63
Street equipment	3,076.90
Street improvements	1,721.90
Fire equipment	118.80
Office equipment	468.57
	55,458.34
Bonds retired	7,000.00
Interest on bonds	6,455.00
Repayment of bank loans	5,934.50
Interest paid on bank loans	113.17
Purchase of United States Treasury Bills	150,282.00
Inter-fund advances	2,120.98
	283,632.43
	\$ 37,458.31

CASH BALANCE—MARCH 31, 1953 \$ 37,458.31

CERTIFICATE: We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the City of Clarendon, Texas, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1953, in so far as such accounts related to cash receipts and disbursements. We did not make a detailed audit of all transactions recorded during the year. We did, however, make comprehensive test checks of transactions and secured verification of cash on deposit and securities on hand at March 31, 1953.

In our opinion, subject to the above limitations and to the comments contained in our report under date of April 25, 1953, the accompanying combined balance sheet and statement of receipts and disbursements for all funds fairly present the financial position of the City of Clarendon at March 31, 1953, and summary record of receipts and disbursements during the year then ended.

LINDSEY & KIKER
George G. Kiker
Certified Public Accountant,

NOTICE OF BIDS

The Clarendon Board of Education will accept bids on the Army Barracks building that is now located across the street west of the Jr. High building, possession as of June 8, 1953. Building will have to be moved from present location. Bids will be accepted until June 1, 1953. Sealed bids may be left at or addressed to the School Tax Office, Clarendon, Texas. (12-5c)

their knowledge on to of Each person trained at the aquatic school, who in turn teaches others basic Red Cross skills directly benefits hundreds of people, according to Melvin Buzzard, First Aid and Water Safety Services Director of Midwestern Area of the American Red Cross.

A specialty school in Swimming Craft Leadership training will be held from June 10 through at Woodland Summer Camp, Eagle River, Wisconsin. It will cover the skilled use of rowboats, canoes, and small sailing craft and will highlight the principles and methods of teaching and programming for camps, clubs, and recreation departments.

Surveys have shown that vast percentage of our population—almost 125,000,000 persons—are in, on, or near a sizeable body of water sometime within every year. National Safety Council figures indicate drowning to be the principal non-motor cause of accidental deaths among the active age group, from 4 to 44 years. These deaths include not only swimming accidents, but also falls into water while working or playing near it, and accidents involving boats.

However, the death rate by drowning has decreased by almost two-thirds, from 11.2 to 4.1 out of every 100,000, since the inauguration of the Red Cross Aquatic instruction program in 1941. These statistics indicate the value of the schools, not only to the individuals attending and to those they train, but to the community as a whole.

The cost of either school is \$45, which covers board, lodging and materials used in the courses. The schools may be attended at individual expense if sponsorship of a local Red Cross chapter or other organization is not available.

Complete enrollment information may be obtained from any Red Cross chapter or from the Midwestern Red Cross Area Office, 4050 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis 8, Missouri.

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Charter No. 5463 Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CLARENDON IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

at the Close of Business on April 30, 1953
Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 266,083.35
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	440,854.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	5,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$22,911 overdrafts)	396,374.49
Bank premises owned \$2808.66, furniture and fixtures \$2860.12	5,668.78
Other assets	549.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,117,529.62

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 567,617.00
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	58,731.25
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	12,821.56
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	38,643.40
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	2,155.15
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$ 679,968.27
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 679,968.27

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
(a) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	37,568.32
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	137,568.32
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$1,117,529.62

MEMORANDUM
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$120,000.00

State of Texas, County of Donley, ss:
I, W. W. Taylor, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. W. TAYLOR, Cashier
CORRECT—ATTEST:
JOHN H. HEAD
JOE GOLDSTON
GEO. B. BAGBY
Directors
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of April, 1953, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
(SEAL) Ardith Butler, Notary Public

ASHTOLA NEWS

Mrs. Doyce Graham

Jimmy Graham made a fair showing at the Spelling Bee in Amarillo Saturday. He went down in the third round. There were 36 county champions from four states. They were treated to a luncheon in the Herring Hotel, then taken to the Amarillo High School in a bus for the bee. Each speller received a nice trophy.

Mrs. George Brock of Paducah spent Monday with the Haskett Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brandon of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandon over the weekend. Carl Evans spent Sunday with Gerald Swinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Evans attended the funeral of a friend, Hershell Ellis, who was killed in Korea in an airplane crash, Monday in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Tomlinson and Douglas visited the Doyce Grahams Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey spent Friday night and Saturday in Channing with Mr. and Mrs. John Dial. They spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dell Shores in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reed Lovell and Lynntia of Dumas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lovell. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hunt and Mr. John Hunt of Clarendon spent Sunday in the Ben Lovell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reid spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey shopped in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Willard Cook and Dean left for Dallas Monday morning to attend the funeral of Mr. Poovey's nephew, Bernice Bookout. They will also visit Mrs. Poovey's sister who is ill in Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams of Sunnyview visited in the H. S. Mahaffey home Sunday.

Those to enjoy television in the Warren Hardin home over the week end were the Lloyd Risley family, Richard Dingler and girls, Richard Dingler Jr. and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Grimland and Beverly of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rackley, Miss Joyce Dingler and Bobbie Watkins of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blackburn and Marie, and Mr.

and Mrs. Frank Hardin. Mrs. Van Knox has gone to Kansas City, Mo. for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tolleson had as their guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Ingram and Terry of Amarillo.

Van Knox and Pat visited Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Knox of Lelia Lake Sunday.

Gail and Earl Reed, Marion and Jimmy Garland, Kenneth Neal and Jimmy Smith enjoyed fishing at Buffalo Lake over the week end.

Mirza and Walton Crain visited in the Knox home Friday.

Mrs. Pink Marshall, Mrs. Kenneth Banister and Dwight visited Mrs. Ben Lovell Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Hardin and Linda Kay spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mulkey and Freddie at Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wallace and Patsy visited Mrs. Ida Wallace Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds visited Mr. and Mrs. James Tolbert and girls Saturday night.

Mrs. Slim Hinders and Mrs. Bill Beverly shopped in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. James Tolbert visited Mrs. Tick Barbee Monday.

Van Knox and Slim Hinders

visited at Burson Lake the first of the week.

MARTIN NEWS

Mrs. W. H. Morrow

Rev. DeBord preached in Rev. Harmonson's place Sunday morning. Rev. Harmonson and family went to Turkey for a dedication service Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman Jr. from Lubbock visited their parents over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tims Stephens of Illinois visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cannon of Channing visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cannon Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Cannon and Mrs. Frank Cannon and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman Saturday eve.

Mrs. Frank Cannon and boys visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harrison Thursday eve.

Miss Della Wood visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wood Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wood visited Miss Della Wood Friday eve.

Mr. Guy Sibley, Jo Ann and Wanda were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wood and

Arle Wood visited Della Wood awhile Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins, Bobby and Tommie Waldrop visited Mr. and Mrs. Dock Higgins of Amarillo Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Reid of Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morrow of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow visited the Burson Lake Sunday.

Community met at Martin Friday with a weiner roast. Every one had a big time. They played croquet and basketball.

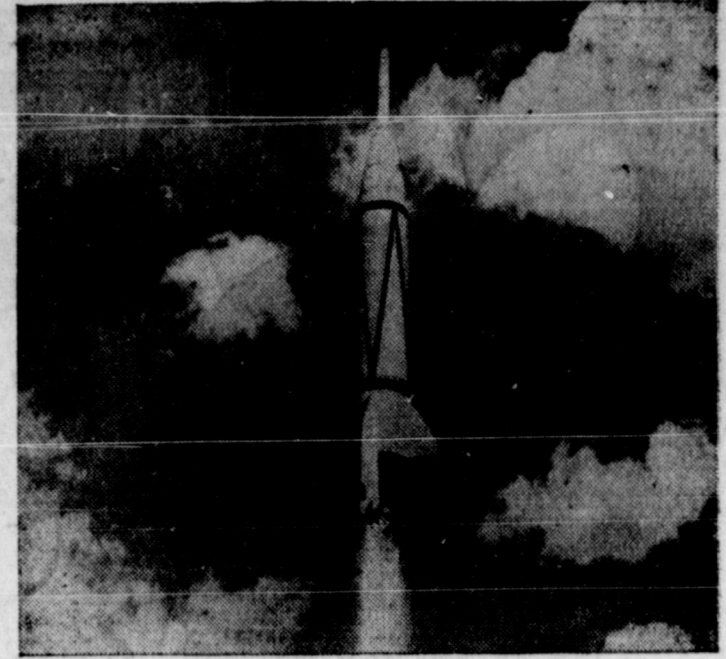
Mr. and Mrs. Gene Davis of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Roberts over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brinkley and Eddie visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Stiles of Hedley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Aten were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan Sunday and in the afternoon they all went to Goldston to the singing.

Rev. and Mrs. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Aten and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan all visited in Pampa Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman had all of their children home for Sunday dinner. Those present



WAC CORPORAL ROCKET, shown riding atop the nose of the German V-2, took off on its own when the V-2 neared its maximum height and soared to a record altitude—250 miles above the earth.

were Mr. and Mrs. Tick Barbee and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Jack Land and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman, Jr. of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bulman, Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue

Mrs. Pete Land Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Giggis Land and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Land of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land Sunday night. Rev. Harmonson and girls visited Miss Della Wood Friday eve.



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Perma-lift's #165 wonderful new cotton Stitched Cup Brassiere—specially created for low neckline blouses and dresses.



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LES BEAUX ARTS CLUB

Members of Les Beaux Arts Club enjoyed an Oriental tea and exhibit at Patching Club House Friday afternoon, May 1. Hostesses were Mesdames Lloyd Benson, W. K. Hardin, Frank Phelan, Jr. and Tommy Saye.

In the business session, presided over by the president, Mrs. Ruth Kennedy, it was announced that Pete Kunz and several men whose wives are Art Club members had served as a committee to clean up the yard, repair the fences and cellar door at the Club House. Art Club members working with the City Commissioners have cleaned up the City Park. The social calendar for next year was read by Mrs. Lloyd Benson. Also plans were made for the final meeting of the present club year. This will be a picnic with the social committee contacting all members in this regard.

Mrs. W. C. Thornberry gave an interesting and extensive report of the Seventh District Federated Club meeting held recently in Hereford. Mrs. Thornberry attended the full two day session and presented an entertaining description of the breakfast and the many splendid speakers appearing on various programs, giving highlights from each discussion.

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Mrs. C. T. McMurtry also pointed out features of the Hereford program appealing to the Clarendon Club.

A most attractive Oriental Exhibit was arranged by the hostesses. Robes, paintings on silk, trays and tea services were on display as were ivory carvings, bowls and other small items.

Hot tea was served from a table covered with a linen cloth. Mints, nuts, and cookies served from a set of Oriental China completed the table decoration. Favors were miniature Japanese umbrellas in bright and variegated colors. Mrs. Ruth Kennedy presided at the tea service.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party, honoring Earl Barker, was given Thursday night in his home. Dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adcox from Groom.

Those to come later were Mr. and Mrs. James Moore and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McKee and James Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Bell and Connie, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Fedric and girls and Lynn Payne.

Refreshments of home made ice cream, cake, Cokes and cookies were served.

Games of 42, canasta, and Wahoo were enjoyed by all and several nice gifts were received.

HOMEMAKER'S CIRCLE

Mrs. Bob Moss and Mrs. W. J. Lowe were hostesses in Mrs. Moss' home to members of the Homemaker's Circle of the Methodist Church on Wednesday, April 22.

During the business session, a nominating committee composed of Mrs. T. M. Caldwell, Jr., Mrs. Frank Phelan, Sr., and Mrs. Homer Bones was appointed by chairman, Mrs. Brack LaGrone and asked to have the names of new officers ready to turn in at the next meeting.

A devotional entitled, "Ambassadors for Christ" was given by Mrs. T. M. Caldwell, Jr. The mission study, "The Place of Asiatic Women in the Christian World Today" was brought by Mrs. Frank White, Jr. and Mrs. Charles E. Deyhle read a timely story, "Pernickety Snick."

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Jack Ballew, Don Loyd, Sam Lowry, Steve Fedric, Frank Phelan, Sr., Frank White, Jr., Brack LaGrone, H. M. Breedlove, T. M. Caldwell, Jr., Homer Bones and C. E. Deyhle by hostesses Mrs. Moss and Mrs. Lowe.

MEMBERS OF W.S.C.S. ENJOY BOOK REVIEW AND TEA

Members of the W.S.C.S. and their guests enjoyed a book review and tea in Fellowship Hall at the church on Wednesday, April 29. Hostesses were Mesdames Charles Lowry, H. T. Warner, Lee Muse, T. M. Caldwell, Jr., Rayburn Smith and J. W. Murphy.

Mrs. Bob Moss, accompanied by Mrs. Rayburn Smith, opened the program with a solo, "The Lost Chord." Mrs. Elba Ballew then reviewed in her excellent manner the book, "A New Song in a Strange Land." This book was the author's story of her trip to Africa and visit to a missionary there. It was given as a climax to the past several weeks' study on Africa led by Mrs. Charles Lowry.

Fellowship Hall was decorated by Mrs. Frank Phelan, Sr. with beautiful bouquets of iris and the table was beautifully laid by Mrs. Rayburn Smith. Mrs. I. E. Biggs presided at the punch bowl. Approximately sixty members and guests were served.

ENTERTAINS WITH DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Thomas entertained a number of their friends with a turkey dinner at their home Sunday. The dinner was served buffet style. The only table decoration was a bouquet of blue and pink iris.

Those to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morgan and Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barker and Vickie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Larimer, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adams and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Bobbitt and Buddy, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thomas, Clyde and Carolyn, T. Alfred, and Miss Bertha Mae Thomas of Amarillo.

THE DORCAS CIRCLE OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Circle motto—In as much as ye have done it unto one of the least of these.

The Dorcas Circle met as the regular hour 3 p. m. Wednesday afternoon at the church, with Brother Oliver opening with prayer followed by the lesson. At present he is conducting a series of lessons on woman's place in the church.

Brother Oliver is an able and interesting teacher and these lessons are very much enjoyed by all that hear him and we invite everyone to attend.

After the lesson Circle business was attended to. We had twelve members present with four visitors. Seventeen sick calls were reported with some of the members taking flowers.

W.S.C.S. TO MEET IN CHILDRESS

A district meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will be held in Childress May 15th at 9:30 for all ladies of the Methodist Church.

This will be an opportunity for those present to hear Mrs. W. B. Landrum of New York, a field worker for the W.S.C.S. She will be featured in the morning session. The Childress ladies will serve lunch for a nominal price, and the nursery will be open to care for small children, with competent attendants.

BAND PARENTS TO HAVE PICNIC

Band parents and their children will have a picnic Monday evening at 7 o'clock. The group will gather at the park, weather permitting. If the weather is bad, the meeting will be held in the Cafeteria. Bring a basket lunch for your family.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Ermine Blair of Clarendon, Texas and Mr. Harry Blair of Quitaque, Texas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Biffie Dee, to Dale Bradley, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bradley of Shamrock, Texas.

The wedding is to be solemnized May 23, in the home of the bride-elect's mother.

TEA HONORS SUPERINTENDENT

Mr. H. T. Burton, Superintendent of the Clarendon Public Schools, was honored at a tea Tuesday afternoon, April 28, given by the faculty members in the Homemaking Department of the High School.

In appreciation for the many years of service to our schools, teachers presented him with several attractive and useful gifts.

Refreshments were served from a table covered with a lace cloth and centered with Iris and Spirea attractively arranged in a crystal bowl to form the centerpiece. Lime punch, cookies and mints were served. Jackie Estlack presided at the punch bowl while Marianne Loggan assisted with the serving.

MARTIN QUILTING CLUB

Martin Quilting Club met at the school house with Loraine Tolbert as hostess. Two quilts were finished. A good noon day meal was served.

Thirteen members were present and three visitors: Mesdames Lela Bulman, Lizzie Morrow, Lois Stevenson, Blanch Higgins, Margaret Waldrop, Eunice Land, Nola Hill, Dorothy Sullivan, Loraine Tolbert, Glenis Harmonson, Flossie Reynolds, Alice Pittman, Velma Hearn.

The next quilting will be with Lois Stevenson at her home. —Reporter.

HOLD CLASS LUNCHEON

The Dorcas Alathean Class met Tuesday for their monthly business meeting and class luncheon with 10 present with Mrs. J. D. Wood's group as hostesses. —Reporter.

Mrs. Lola Barns returned home several days ago after visiting with her children at Austin and Stockdale, her brother at Que- mado, and with her son, Ned, Barns at San Antonio. Ned is based at Lackland Air Force Base but after May 15 will be located at Sandie Base at Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice (Butch) Lane announce the arrival of a boy, Monday, May 4th at Odom-Dryden hospital in Memphis. He weighed 6 lbs. and 12 oz. He was still without a name at the last report from his father who is still quite busy passing out cigars.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Stewart returned home Sunday from San Antonio where Dr. Stewart attended the State convention of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons Wednesday thru Saturday. Dr. Stewart was a delegate to the convention and reported hearing a very interesting discussion on polio while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray returned Wednesday night after attending a County Judge and County Commissioner Convention at San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blocker visited last week in Dallas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rex J. Jones.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kind deeds, remembrances and acts of love during the illness of Mr. O. H. Tidwell. May God bless each and everyone of you.
The O. H. Tidwell family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bittle and son Walter, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sams and son, Dan, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Estlack Sunday night. The visitors were returning to their homes in Lamesa, after a week end visit in Okla.

Mrs. Bob Andis and daughters Bobby Lee and Linda K. of Pampa visited her mother, Mrs. Ida Couch Sunday afternoon. They had just finished a cattle drive from Skellytown to a pasture near Ashtola.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Naylor attended the Golden Wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Martin in Amarillo Sunday. They also visited with Mrs. Dick Chunn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Shelton and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Shelton visited Mr. Shelton's brother, Thomas Shelton, who is critically ill, in Ft. Worth.

2nd Lt. Weldon Day left last Sunday for Los Angeles after a weeks stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood of Lubbock visited the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. D. Wood and sister, Evelyn Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wood Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Wood went to Lefors Sunday afternoon where they visited with Mrs. O. C. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Whitlock and Larry of Amarillo visited relatives here Sunday afternoon.

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CAKE MIX Swansdown. Yellow—Pkg.	31c
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RAISINS Seedless—15 oz. Pkg.	21c
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FARM NEWS

From the County PMA Committee

45,141 ACRES BENEFITTED IN DONLEY COUNTY BY 1952 ACP:

Soil and water conservation practices were completed in 1952 by 319 Donley County farmers and ranchers benefitting 45,141 acres as follows:

Approximately 56 miles of terraces protecting 11,419 acres from further soil losses. Approximately 10 miles of diversion terraces built to protect 6988 acres of farm land.

7.9 acres of established waterways to dispose of excess water without causing erosion.

Subsoiling was completed on 9 farms benefitting 680.6 acres.

Five erosion control dams were constructed benefitting 150 acres.

Deep plowing was carried out on 5436 acres of land to help prevent wind erosion on 137 farms.

The bindweed control practice was completed on 8 farms bene-

fitting 20.0 acres of land.

Wells for better distribution of grazing were dug on 16 farms and ranches benefitting approximately 9280 acres.

Fourteen earthen dams and one damless tank were constructed for better distribution of grazing benefitting 3000 acres.

Twelve hundred pounds of mixed fertilizer and 15,700 pounds of superphosphate was applied to 158 acres of new seedings of alfalfa, winter legumes, and pasture grasses for more vigorous growth.

Winter cover crops were grown on 680 acres.

Pasture grasses were seeded on 4131 acres.

Seventy-three farmers carried out the rye seeding practice on 2679 acres of land.

Three farmers and ranchers carried out the sagebrush control practice by mechanical treatment on 800 acres.

The above figures will give each and everyone an idea of how the 1952 ACP money was spent.

Donley County Leader, \$2.50 a Year.

Draft Law & Its Rules And Regulations

(Editor's note: This is one of a series of 10 short articles on the draft law and its rules and regulations.)

The draft law requires every man registered with a local board to report any change in personal status to his board.

"Young men have asked us just what changes they should report," Brig. Gen. Paul L. Wakefield, state draft director, says. "Generally, anything which has a bearing on classification should be reported."

The state director pointed to the following things which should be regarded as change of personal status:

1. Current change of mail address should always be sent to the board.
2. Marriage should be reported at once.
3. If a wife becomes pregnant with a couple's first child, a physician's certificate must be sent to the board immediately after the fact is known.
4. All additions to the family must be reported.
5. Any and all deaths in a man's family should be reported.
6. If a man and wife are divorced or they no longer live together, this must be reported.
7. Permanent change of job should be reported.
8. Serious injury or physical defect should be reported.
9. If a man becomes a student in a college or university, this fact should be reported.
10. If a man enters the Reserves or National Guard, he should ask

Seventy Farmers Attend Cotton Meeting Here

Seventy farmers attended the cotton meeting held at the court house in Clarendon on April 29 at 7:30 p. m. H. M. Breedlove, county agent in charge of the meeting, gave a report on the grasshopper situation in the county and said that all farmers should keep a look out for outbreaks, and poison as soon as they appear in the hatching area. Mr. Fred Elliott, cotton work specialist, gave a talk on reduction of cotton acreage this year by farmers in order to head off controls in 1954.

The secretary of agriculture is asking that all cotton farmers cut their acreage about eighteen per cent and possibly this could eliminate controls next year. Mr. Elliott showed slides on mechanized harvesting of cotton and cultivation and seed treatment.

Mr. Neal Randolph, entomologist gave a talk and showed slides on cotton insects and their control. Different types of poisons were discussed and the farmers were asked to look over their cotton crops each week for signs of insects. When insects appear in the cotton, farmers are asked to contact the county agent at once. Cotton insects poisons will be on hand in the county. Any one wishing additional information on the above subjects should contact the county agent.

University of Texas Exposition And Power Show

AUSTIN—Visitors to the University of Texas Exposition and Power Show May 7-9 may see some "wonders of nature" never witnessed down on the farm.

A crystalline tree will grow rapidly in a "chemical forest," steel balls will float in "cream," water will flow uphill and be twisted into beautiful patterns, and rocks will glow in brilliant hues when exposed to "black light" at the Power Show, scheduled 5-11 p. m. Friday, May 8.

Engineering, natural science, architecture and ROTC units will present more than 100 entertaining and educational exhibits in the Show, a feature of the University's annual open house, welcoming high school students here for the University Interscholastic

GOOD CROWD ENJOYS COLLEGE PROGRAM

An almost full house was present Monday night when the students of Clarendon Junior College presented the Variety Program that they had been putting on at the various schools in this area. It was a very enjoyable program and these young folks are to be commended for their efforts.

Mrs. J. G. Aldridge and Mary Lee visited Mrs. Ida Couch Monday evening.

Mr. B. B. Harris of Quanah was a Clarendon visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Dick Chunn is able to be at home this week after surgery in Northwest Texas Hospital Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Guy Andis of Pampa visited her mother, Mrs. Ida Couch, Tuesday night.

Announcing the arrival of Steven Kent at Salt Lake City, Utah. He is the 6 lb., 11 oz. son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams. Mrs. Williams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allen of Clarendon.

Colgate Clock in New York harbor, with an illuminated dial 38 feet in diameter is the largest clock in the world.

League state meet.

During the three-day open house, the Main University will put all its teaching, research and public service facilities on display and have faculty members on hand in each of its 53 teaching departments to discuss course offerings, education and living costs, scholarships available and other matters of interest to prospective students.

Visitors may observe classes and attend social events with University students.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. N. S. Percival Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toler of Amarillo, S/Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph R. Percival and Mrs. Herman Percival.

Pfc. Wayne Moore returned to Camp Pendleton, Calif., Sunday night after visiting here the past week.

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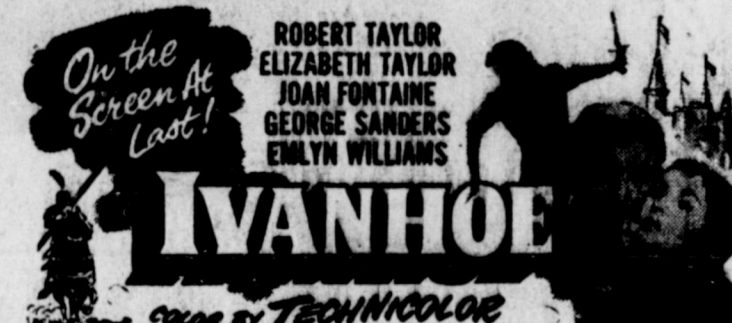
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by Uncle Zeb

The following little poem showed up among my notes, but to save my life I don't know where it came from. Anyway, it is a good scrap book selection.

THIS I KNOW
God is in every tomorrow,
Therefore I live for today,
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Hope for each moment of pain,
Comfort for every sorrow
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The only thing easy about the so-called easy payments was while the smooth talking salesman was telling me about the easy way that I could stock in trade. It's a funny thing about salesmanship anyhow. A fast talking salesman can make every thing sound so rosy, but the trouble is it just doesn't last. Usually, by the time he gets out the front gate we have lost our, or maybe we should say his enthusiasm.

Had a note this week from Mrs. C. L. Armstrong, who not too long ago moved to Littleville, Calif. She sends us a little publication put out by the employees of the sanatorium in which she works. She also tells us that she misses the big "How Do You Dos" of the friendly West Texas folks.

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and in June is coming back for a visit. The following little bit of advice was clipped from the little paper.

SING WHILE YOU DRIVE
At 45 miles per hour,
sing "Highways are happy ways".
At 55 miles per hour,
sing "I'm but a stranger here,
Heaven is my home."
At 65 miles per hour,
sing "Nearer my God to Thee."
At 75 miles per hour,
sing "When the roll is called up
yonder, I'll be there."
At 85 miles per hour,
sing, "Lord, I'm coming home."

New members in the Ain't Smoking Right Now Society from the readers of Southwestern Crop & Stock include: H. L. Lane of Anson, Texas and J. S. Burelsmith of Rt. 1, Plainview, Texas. Glad to have these new members and membership cards have been mailed out. Best wishes, Fellows.

Do you have a friend or a relative who is shut-in because of some prolonged illness? If so, have them write to us a little information about themselves and we will send them a beautiful card giving them a membership in Heasts Unlimited. Through

this group we hope to help them get letters and other helpful things from each other.

GABIE BETTS BURTON LIBRARY NOTES

By May L. Prewitt

The first addition to our shelves this week is "The Lot of Her Neighbors" by Bonner McMellon. This writer resides at Marlin, Texas where he edits the Brazos Valley Times. The book is an autographed copy that Mrs. Lon Rundell heard the writer review—so I understand—and purchased this copy to place here in memory of Sam Darden. It is in The Big Oak region of Texas that the setting describes and the people are typical of that district. We are always happy to add a Texas novel to our shelves.

"First and Ten", a Dyke Redman Football Story by Wilfred McCormack, is a teen age book the boys will enjoy. This book is in memory of Tom Goodner. Tom was very fond of reading and his memorial shelf has a display of books and magazines that attract both girls and boys.

Then we have "Thirteen Americans—Their Spiritual Autobiographies," edited by Louis Tinkelman. This is a recent edition and was chosen in memory of Mr. John William Allmond and given by the Bob Moss family. The family suggested "The Greatest Book Ever Written" by Fulton Ousler,

but we had it, and this is a publication of the Institute For Religious and Social Studies. It will be an asset to our Biblical shelf.

We have three of the Kay Tracey Mysteries for girls. A friend gave us the money to add these to our shelves. A friend donated quite a few books of fiction this week. With this gift, and those of a few weeks back we shall be ready to supply our readers with sufficient entertainment.

BRICE NEWS

Mrs. Flora Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osborn and Clinton of Darrouzett spent the weekend with his parents, the D. P. Osborns.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bennett and Lou Anna of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, the Zack Salmon's.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Johnson and Buzzy visited over the weekend with her parents, the D. W. McCools at Dumas.

Mrs. C. V. Murff, Mrs. T. W. McAnear, Mrs. J. C. Johnson and Mrs. Buck Johnson were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Osborn and Dixie, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Campbell and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osborn and Clint attended the boat races at Lake Pauline Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Elrod and Mary Francis and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomas and children visited Sunday at Plainview with relatives. Jersey Rasco of Memphis spent Thursday night with Don and Davy Hudgins.

Elizabeth Dee Johnson of Memphis visited Sunday with relatives here.

Visitors in the Johnnie Grady home Friday eve were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weatherly of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson of Brice.

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Boat Users Urged To Use Greater Caution

AUSTIN—Recent boating tragedies prompted the Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission to urge greater caution by fishermen and others using watercraft.

He cited the fact that seven persons perished in two aquatic accidents in one week-end, just as the summer outdoor season was beginning. Four drowned when a boat powered by an outboard motor was upset. Three men died when their launch burned and sank. Two others barely escaped a similar fate when their boat capsized.

"We are just beginning seasonal enjoyment of our unmatched fishing and boating assets," said the Executive Secretary. "It behooves us all to obtain the maximum pleasure but without losing sight of the dangers resulting from thoughtlessness and carelessness."

He said the increasing development of aquatic sports in Texas naturally heightens the hazards, particularly because boats propelled by modern motors oftentimes deceive the operators.

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The Executive Secretary suggested that persons might well make a few exploratory runs with their new equipment before risking the lives of others going along as passengers. He counseled that persons unable to swim should always be equipped with life preservers.

Many boats, according to the Executive Secretary, are considered unsinkable but when burdened with heavy motors might not remain bouyant especially with boat occupants clinging to them. The recent near tragedy involving two fishermen was attributed in part to the fact that the motor was too big for the boat, both as to power and as to bouyancy when the craft upset.

He said most boating tragedies usually develop from some form of carelessness such as faulty maneuvering or overloading or from persons standing in the craft.

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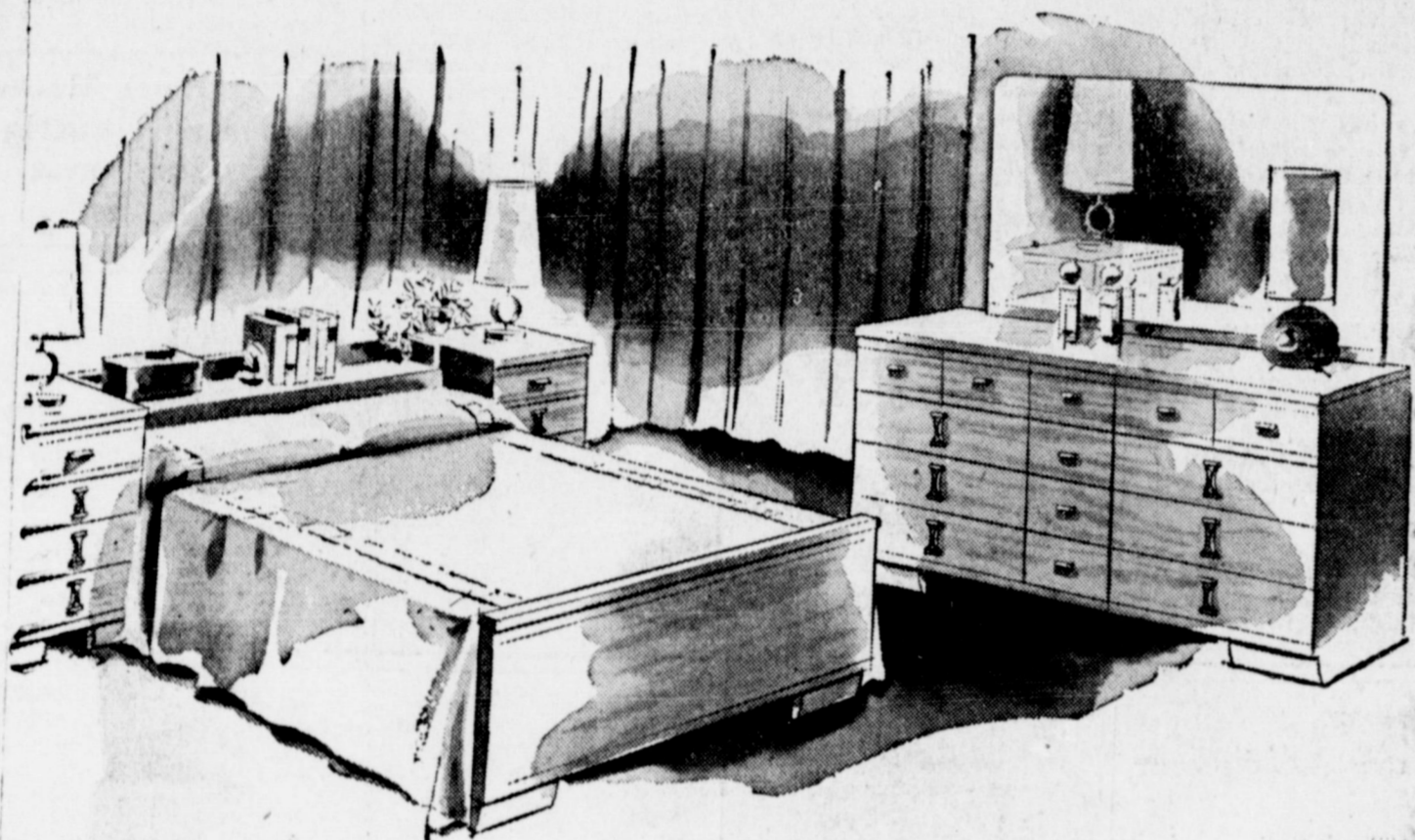
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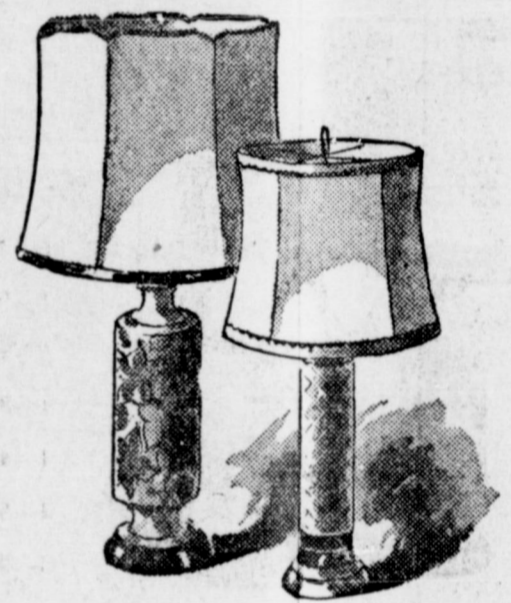
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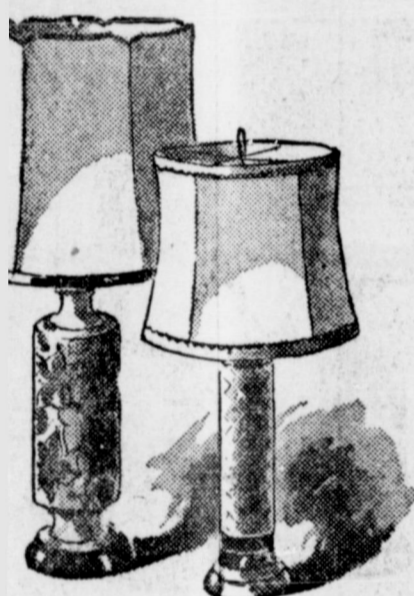
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Discusses General Appropriation Bill Next Two Years

NOTE: The Governor of Texas, continuing his series of articles on State affairs, has written the following discussion of the general appropriation bill for the next two years.)

By **ALLAN SHIVERS**
Governor of Texas

Texans are realizing for the first time that we have a billion-dollar budget, although the State has been spending amounts in that neighborhood during recent two-year periods.

The biennial appropriation bill signed this week makes the first realistic attempt to put in one package all major spending to be done by the State. Previously, only a small part—about one-seventh, known as the general revenue fund—was budgeted. The rest, consisting of various special, local, and Federal funds, and definite allocations, was spent without advance budgeting.

If the 53rd Texas Legislature, now in session, had followed the old method of budgeting, the new appropriations bill would have indicated an apparent total of only about \$166 million instead of the amount it really is—\$1,192,854,985. That does not mean we will be spending seven times as much as would have been

spent under the old system. Actually, we are saving money by a new policy of subjecting all funds to careful study before they are expended.

The State's bookkeeping has been brought out into the daylight. The money for all phases of Texas' government comes from the taxpayers and they should know how it is used.

Heretofore, the Legislature would compute the amount of the general revenue fund to be set aside for a specific agency or department—and then, by means of what is called an "open-end rider," would allow that department to spend various special revenues that might come in from particular sources like fees or taxes. The undetermined amount authorized by the rider might turn out to be several times as large as the general revenue appropriation for that department.

Now, largely through the determined pre-session work of interested members of the House and Senate, we are closing up these open-end riders. In making the new appropriation bill, the members of the Legislature Budget Board took their pencils and adding machines into the hitherto "sacred" area of special, local and Federal funds. This procedure is to the advantage of both the taxpayers and the State agencies.

Sometimes in the past the Legislature has found itself in the position of over-appropriating general revenue funds for certain agencies. Under the new budget pattern, an agency is credited

with its special funds before it is eligible to receive general revenue tax money. This, of course, helps the taxpayer.

State agencies benefit, too. The opposite mistake of under-appropriating usually can be avoided when more careful estimates of an agency's special-local-Federal funds are made and its budget is balanced with general revenue money.

Abandonment of the former "hands-off" policy with regard to special-local-Federal money available to Texas agencies and departments is enabling the State to approach its over-all budgeting problems more practically, with the result that dollars can be used where they are needed most.

For example, this session's appropriation bill has made it possible, without additional taxes, to grant a moderate cost-of-living raise to State employees, to put into operation hospitals recently completed for the mentally ill, to provide more facilities for the treatment of tuberculosis, to resolve some of the administrative difficulties of the State Board of Hospitals and Special Schools, and to equip and staff the new maximum security unit at the Gatesville State School for Boys. An appropriation of \$15 million per year again was made for the farm-to-market road program.

Here is how the State's two-year budget of \$1,192,854,985 is broken down: Judiciary—\$7,000,628; Hospitals and Special Schools—\$57,776,982; Executive and Administrative Agencies (including highway, public welfare, and public school costs)—\$1,010,906,301; State Aid to Public Junior Colleges—\$5,276,000, and Higher Education—\$111,895,074.

Our State employees, including county agricultural agents, will get a raise of \$15 per month. An

incentive provision will enable agencies which can operate efficiently with reduced staffs to give their employees limited additional increases.

Special consideration has been given to the appropriation for college teachers. To allow our colleges and universities sufficient latitude in formulating their programs, funds for teacher salaries are appropriated to each institution in a lump sum. The amount of the increase for each faculty will depend on the action of its governing board.

This is the second time the Texas Legislature has followed the wise course of disposing of the general appropriations before taking up special requests.

Besides passing Texas' first board appropriation bill aimed at bringing all State spending under control, the 53rd Legislature has set a new record for speed.

This is the earliest date that Texas' main appropriation business has been disposed of since a Constitutional amendment in 1931 provided for 120-day instead of 60-day sessions. The last session's general appropriation bill was signed on June 23.

As I said in my inaugural address last January, our Legislature in recent years has shown the vision and the courage to make changes—not just for the sake of change, but in response to the needs of an increasing population and an expanding economy, as well as to a growing sense of moral obligation on the part of our citizens. The quick and efficient passage of this new comprehensive appropriation bill is another milestone in Texas' development of a more responsive and responsible State government.

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By **VERN SANFORD**
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN—The House of Representatives wrangles this week over whether to adjourn quickly or pass a tax to pay teachers more money.

The bill to increase teacher salaries \$800 per year passed both Senate and House.

But Comptroller Robert S. Calvert says there is not enough money in sight to cover the cost of the bill, estimated at \$33 million or more per year.

Therefore, it is necessary for the Legislature to pass a tax bill if the teachers are to get a salary increase.

Meanwhile, there was a delay in consideration of tax bills. At the same time, there was pressure for adjournment of the Legislature next Tuesday.

That put the House in the middle of a squeeze play: if they quit so early the chances to get a tax bill passed were remote.

To quit without a tax bill would deny the teachers a raise; to continue in session might be hard to do, inasmuch as Representative John Crosthwait of Dallas claimed majority support of his resolution to adjourn.

What would be the answer to the \$33 million question? Both Governor Allan Shivers and Speaker Reuben Senterfitt thought they knew. Both predicted that no new tax measure would pass.

Senterfitt yielded the gavel in order to vote for the teacher pay bill, but he commented that "it will gain the teachers nothing unless we pass the biggest tax bill in the history of Texas."

He added that in his judgment the people of Texas would not tolerate a tax of that size.

An \$84 million omnibus levy, sponsored by Representative Geo. Berry of Lubbock, was being considered to raise additional revenue.

If the Legislature adjourns on schedule—that is, at the end of its regular 120 day session next Tuesday—House members may be on a political hot seat.

They would be asked why they voted a pay raise for teachers, then failed to provide funds for it. Senators would have the reply that the House did not give them a tax bill to consider. (Tax bills must originate in the House.)

One alternative to passing a tax bill now is to wait and see if the courts uphold a natural gas tax law, passed by the last Legislature, that would put \$45 million into the treasury.

If the law is held valid after this session adjourns, there would doubtless be demands for a special session to appropriate the money.

The teachers would see the funds as properly going for an increase in their salaries, in view of the Legislature's approval of that course.

New York and San Francisco Fairs commemorated the 150th anniversary of George Washington's inauguration.

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