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## 57 PERCENT HIKE IN COUNTY TAXES COMING

Donley county, one of the 84 counties in Texas paying into the state coffers more than it gets back, will pay \$15,559.04 more in state taxes for 1939 than was paid in 1938 as a result of the automatic state tax board decision in Austin Friday. The new rate will be the maximum of 77 cents on the hundred. The rate last year was 49 cents on the hundred. The increase is 57 percent.

The extra money to be raised will go into the state school fund, it is said. Last year the schools got seven cents of the 49 cents paid. This year it will be the maximum of 36 cents. School funds have increased from other sources yearly, but the high scholastic apportionment has caused a big deficit in the funds.

The tax rates in 1925, 1933 and 1934 reached the present level.

The rate effective on taxes to be paid between October 1 and February 1, will be 35 cents each for the general and school funds and seven cents for the Confederate pension fund. A large deficit in the school fund necessitated an increase in the school rate from 7 to 35 cents. The general and Confederate pension rates had been at their maximum for several years.

Robert S. Calvert, statistician for the comptroller's department, estimated that notwithstanding the maximum tax rate and appropriations vetoes by Gov. O'Daniel the deficit in the general fund would rise to \$25,832,657 by August 31, 1940. He said the school fund deficit would be cut during the coming fiscal year from \$4,700,000 to \$1,069,295.

## Boys Leave For 4-H Gathering

Nine boys will leave with County Agent, H. M. Breedlove to attend the District 4-H Club encampment of the A&M College of Extension Service which is to be held on Lake Marvin at Canadian, Texas. The boys will leave at 9 o'clock today and will be hauled to Canadian by Carroll Lewis of Lelia Lake. The encampment will last from Thursday 10th through Saturday 18th.

Speakers on the program will include G. E. Barnes, Beef Cattle specialist of the A&M College, E. N. Regener, Extension Swine Husbandman A&M College, L. L. Johnson and Jimmy Potts, State Boys Club Agent and Mr. Lancaster, Pasture Specialist of the Extension Service and Parker D. Hanna, District Agent.

Boys making the trip are William Sullivan, Clarendon; Cleo Russell, Clarendon; Ed Floyd Lelia Lake; F. G. Crawford, Naylor; Jack and Floyd Lewis, Lelia Lake; Lee Phelan, Hedley; H. C. Shaw, Windy Valley, Billie Harrison, Hedley.

## OPERATION IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Odos Caraway is in Lubbock this week to be with her daughter, Mrs. Heironimus who underwent a major operation Friday. She is said to be doing nicely.

Mrs. Odos Caraway returned home Wednesday, Mr. Caraway going for her. Mrs. Clarence Heironimus, the daughter who lives at Hobbs, N. M., is said to be doing nicely.

## Wheat Growers To Meet Friday

### Amarillo Meeting Called To Discuss Matters of Crop Insurance

There will be a meeting on the 1940 Wheat and Crop Insurance Program at the City Auditorium in Amarillo on Friday, August 11th, 1939. An official meeting for the Secretaries of Agricultural Associations, County Committeemen and Crop Insurance Supervisors will be held at 10:30 Friday morning and an open meeting to which the public is invited will be held at 1:30 in the afternoon. All wheat farmers in this area are urged to attend if possible as it is an excellent opportunity to get first hand information on the Wheat and Crop Insurance Programs. Mr. R. M. Evans, National Administrator for the AAA and Mr. I. W. Duggan, Director of the Southern Region will be in charge of the meeting. We have been informed that the meeting will be over early enough in the afternoon for you to make the return trip the same day.

## READERS PAY UP

A large number are paying their subscriptions at this time, the past week outnumbering any single week since Christmas. The management of your Leader wishes to express his thanks for this timely effort to get "ever" on the board.

Due to the extra high price of news print, we are forced to stop the paper unless renewal payment is made. Our readers understanding this point at issue, are responding nicely, for all of which you have our sincere thanks.

## SOUTH DAKOTA MINISTER VISITS RELATIVES IN CLARENDON

Rev. Everett Jones and Mrs. Jones and daughter of Huron, South Dakota visited the minister's niece, Mrs. D. F. Wadsworth and Mr. Wadsworth and family here leaving Saturday.

On the way down, they stopped at Dalhart and brought with them, Mrs. Grace Amick, mother of Mrs. Wadsworth.

## Large Numbers Attend Revival

### Much Interest Is Being Taken In Meetings at Church of Christ

The revival being conducted at the Church of Christ by Melvin J. Wise is attracting large numbers to hear this well known evangelist. Several new converts have been baptized to date.

The revival began Friday night of last week and will continue to Sunday night of this week. Visitors from other sections are noted in the congregations. The singing is being led by local talent. Bro. Wise extends an invitation to all interested to hear him.

## VISITS FATHER OF 97 YEARS IN ALABAMA

Rev. J. G. Walker returned home Friday after spending a short visit with his father, who has been ill, but the preacher found his father in much better health at present. He lived with a son, L. D. Walker at Ranburne, Alabama.

Rev. Walker left there 33 years ago. He has two brothers yet in Alabama, and three in Texas.

## H. O. L. C. DISPOSING OF LOCAL PROPERTY

The H.O.L.C., a federal lending corporation, is making special efforts to liquidate properties owned here, during August. Many prices have been reduced, and the terms are said to be the lowest ever offered. C. C. Powell, the management broker, for the H.O.L.C. is concentrating on disposing of these properties this month.

## VISITING IN WASHINGTON

Mrs. Sarah M. Stocking is visiting in Washington, D. C. She accompanied her son Frank Stocking and family home Wednesday.

## UNIVERSITY MUSEUM CREW FINDS FOSSIL BONES

R. C. Chelf, in charge of a crew collecting fossils for the Texas Memorial Museum of Austin, was in town Wednesday. He stated that the finds so far included the usual fossils found in the Pliocene in this section. Dr. E. H. Sellards, curator of the Museum, was here a short time ago selecting sites for the crew to work.

## GOING TO DENVER

Mrs. J. T. Warren left today for an extended visit with a stepson, W. D. Ruple, and his family, in Denver.

## LEGIONISTS ARE INVITED TO AMARILLO MEET

Hanson Post of Amarillo will be host to the 18th District inter-post meet there next Tuesday night, the 15th.

All members of the Legion and their ladies are invited. There will be a business session, dances and refreshments, it is announced.

## MOISTURE BIG CROP BENEFIT

Rain Covers Entire County With One Inch or Better

Though only feed crops on hard land were said to be needing rain, the moisture that fell Monday afternoon and that night will be of great benefit.

The fall in Clarendon given officially by Joe Goldston is .96.

The fall in the northwest part of the county is said to have been at least an inch and heavier to the east. That section had several heavy showers recently, and there is no need of rain.

From the Walter Goldston place northwest of Goldston where the fall was estimated at one inch, the fall increased to the southeast to one and a quarter inches at the J. R. Dale farm.

Hail damage is reported on the Dale and J. A. Stewart farms. Cotton was damaged somewhat. Mr. Stewart's feed house was blown several yards and one end came out during the moving process. The harness was stacked in a corner of the building, he said, after the blow Monday afternoon.

Reports from other sections of the county would indicate that the fall was fairly general.

The Chamberlain section and then southeast of there, received only a heavy shower, according to reports. The last rain of note was a severe hailstorm several weeks ago.

## WHEAT ALLOTMENT DEADLINE IS EXTENDED TO SEPT.

The County Committee has extended the final date for making application for new grower wheat allotments from August 15th to September 1st. It was previously announced that no application for new grower wheat allotments would be accepted after August 15, 1939 but due to a change in the regulations in the State Office this ruling has been amended. All producers who are interested in a wheat allotment for 1940 must have their application in not later than September 1st, 1939.

## The Industrial West

W. P. BLAKE, Publisher

(41 years ago in Clarendon)

Al Decker and John Coffield gave the depot buildings a coat of paint this week.

In order for the Editor to go to the Decatur press meeting this week, the paper is one day earlier.

F. Travis, Rough Rider who contracted a tropical disease in Cuba was taken off the train here at Harry Patton's home. Since his arrival, a Miss Clara Pyle, to whom he has been engaged to be married for 8 years, arrived from San Francisco to attend him.

In the Justice court G. W. Crain was cleared of "malicious mischief" on a charge of breaking down his neighbor's yard fence. Will Miller and Will Rhode charged with disturbing the peace were declared not guilty.

Miss Josie Herbig, who has been telegrapher here for the past four years has resigned to go to Atlanta, Ga. R. A. Morgan will become day operator, and W. W. Meeks of Tascosa will become night operator.

Daniel W. Harrington died in Christopher, Mo. at the age of 88 Tuesday. He formerly was editor of the Industrial West and lived here some years.

Display advertisers in this issue are H. W. Taylor, hardware; Robert Sawyer, lumber; Moore & Terry, heavy stable; I. E. Jones, grocer; Adams & Stocking, undertaker's supplies; White & Troup, meat market. The largest advertisement was telling the cock-eyed world of the merits of "Battle Ax Plug."

## VISIT MOTHER HERE

Visiting Mrs. R. H. Alexander here over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Carver and children of Tennessee, Miss Lois Alexander of Lubbock and Miss Wilfa Lee Alexander of Dallas.

## SOUTH PLAINS CROPS

Looking after his farming interests near Tahoka Monday and Tuesday, Allen J. Bryan states that crops are in pretty good shape down that way. That section was dry much longer than here. Manley Bryan accompanied his father on the inspection trip.

## OLD SETTLERS ARE ALL SET FOR POW WOW

Much Larger Attendance Expected This Time

From all indications, the attendance at Tate Grove will be much larger August 18th when the Old Settlers Association meets in annual session. More interest is being taken. Many more have become eligible for having lived here twenty years. Point of residence is the only requirement. One must have resided in the county 20 years to become eligible to become a member of this select organization.

The program committee members, W. I. Rains, Clyde Bridges and Homer Mulkey announce the following program:

At 9:30 the Clarendon High School band will enliven with a band concert.

E. H. Watt of Giles, resident of over 40 years, will deliver the welcome address at 10 a. m. J. Claude Wells, mayor of Memphis and newspaper publisher of that metropolis, will respond to the welcome address.

A musical session will follow with a business session at 11 o'clock.

The inimitable basket dinner at 12 sharp. No foolin' about it. All families bring plenty as a matter of pioneer courtesy and hospitality.

The afternoon will be taken up with matters of general interest such as talks by pioneers, singing of hymns, string music, quartets and other wholesome amusement.

All pioneers who can qualify are most welcome.

## REVIVAL DATE IS ANNOUNCED

Rev. Palmer to Conduct Methodist Revival Next Month

"A revival meeting is to begin at our church September 10th, and continue through September 24th," Pastor H. C. Gordon informed the Leader, Wednesday.

District Superintendent G. T. Palmer of the Clarendon district, will do the preaching, Rev. Gordon stated. "As a church we extend to all other churches of the town an invitation to share with us the responsibilities and blessings of the meeting. With all the people helping, we would like to make it a meeting for the whole town and territory around. Let us begin to make careful and earnest preparation," Rev. Gordon said.

## ATTEND FUNERAL OF KIN AT TULIA WEDNESDAY

E. E. Porter and J. R. Porter attended the funeral service of their aunt, Miss Ella Senter at Tulia Wednesday. She had been an invalid all her life of approximately 67 years. She was a sister of Mrs. Adda Bell Porter.

## King Preaches At Encampment

Baptists of District 10 In Session Near Miami All the Week

Hundreds are in daily attendance on District 10 annual encampment of the Baptist churches one and a half miles east of Miami this week. The sessions began Monday and will close Sunday night of the 13th.

Rev. J. Perry King, pastor of the local Baptist church is preaching at the 11 o'clock service each day.

The programs open with a morning watch at 6:15 daily. This is followed during the day with programs of the W.M.U. and Brotherhood Conferences, Sunday school and vacation Bible school classes, and preaching in the forenoon.

In the afternoon Directed Recreation, B.T.U. Classes, the evening sermon and camp fire program.

A cafe is located on the grounds which is one of the loveliest spots in the Texas Panhandle at the intersection of Highways 60 and 33 in a large grove near enough to Miami for every convenience.

## FORMER RESIDENTS VISIT KIN HERE SUNDAY

On their way to Dalhart for the XIT reunion Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warren and daughter Jean, of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Beck and daughter Janelle of Ft. Worth stopped for a short visit with Mrs. J. T. Warren.

Harry Warren is in the employ of the Railroad Commission in the office at Wichita Falls. Mrs. Beck, the former Leta Warren, is Harry's sister and both are children of Mrs. Joe M. Warren of Ft. Worth.

## GILLHAM ATTENDS STATE TEACHERS MEETING

J. R. Gillham, local vocational agriculture teacher left Tuesday morning for College Station where he will attend a state meeting of vocational agriculture teachers August 9-12. All V. A. Instructors in the state are required to attend the conference, where plans for the 1939-1940 school year will be presented.

Gillham will present papers on the "F.F.A. Project Program," "F.F.A. Activities as a Means of Developing Leadership," and will act as chairman of the area I teachers in a discussion of the state F.F.A. swine production contest.

## ON MISSOURI TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. McElvany are in Springfield, Missouri visiting with their daughter, Miss Avis Lee McElvany who is on the staff of a daily there.

## HERE FROM IRONTON

Mrs. Florence Brittain and son Terry of Ironton, are visiting her mother, Mrs. O. L. Pink. Mrs. Brittain was accompanied by Mrs. Jack Reynolds.

## FUTURE FARMERS TELL ABOUT A GREAT TRIP

### MEMORY LANE

(From the Leader, August 13, 1929)

According to information of M. H. Salmon, Brice will soon have a paved road to Memphis, a million dollar bond issue making it possible.

Voting on the theory that the traffic to Carlsbad events would soon pay for it, a bond issue was carried in Hall county Friday.

Mrs. Gray and Miss Mildred Martin went to Drake, Colorado Friday to join Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Stricklin for an outing.

Girlhood friends of Mrs. Harry Warren honored her with a select picnic party on the river Friday. Present were Mmes. Harry Warren, C. W. Galloway, Misses May Bennett, Dewey Mitcham, Opal Pyle, Norma Rhode, Lelia Clifford, Orville Headrick.

Mrs. J. D. Stocking and daughter, Miss Mary, are in Cleburne this week where Frank A. Stocking will marry Miss Rita Foster.

The revival conducted by Dr. Tyn-dall closed at the Christian church Sunday night.

Prizes in the yard contest were awarded to Mmes. F. E. Chamberlain, John Blocker; Messrs. D. O. Stallings, Joe Goldston and Tom F. Connally came in with second prizes.

Boy Scouts at Camp Warner this week are Bonner Trostle, Kenneth Sherman, Y. E. McAdams, Jr., J. O. Vineyard, Homer and George Wayne Estlack, David and George McCleskey, Denzil Davis has charge of the Scouts.

Rains the past week wiped out the drought and hot winds. Farmers are reported as planting rye for fall pasture.

S. B. Kutch reports twin Jersey calves born to a cow in his dairy.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Antrobus are visiting relatives in Kentucky.

Mrs. M. M. Nobles and children, Joe and Peggy Jean, have returned from a vacation trip to Denver.

## Naylor Family Reunion Sunday

Relatives of Prominent Pioneer Family Meet Here

Many years ago there came to Donley county, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Naylor. Mr. Naylor served the county as tax assessor several terms. Sunday the children of this pioneer couple of revered memory, gathered here in a family reunion with other relatives joining with them.

The gathering met at the home of Miss Eula Naylor. Others of the immediate family were Miss Ina Naylor, Hobbs, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Naylor and family of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Naylor of Carlsbad, N. M.; E. T. Naylor and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wallace and children of Clarendon.

Aunts attending were Mrs. W. E. Seitz, Celina; Mrs. Era Kibler, McLean; Mrs. Laura Taylor and daughter Lama of Lelia Lake; Mrs. Henry Tatum and children of Clarendon.

## VISIT BINGHAM FAMILY

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bingham this week are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Oxford and children, Jimmie Earl and Orelita of Mineral Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rutledge of Dallas.

## HOMER MULKEY SPREADS HIS STUFF AT XIT

Very few men got "paged" oftener than Homer Mulkey up at the Dalhart reunion of the XIT boys. Homer began work on the Buffalo division in 1899 and quit the next year after he had saved up \$250 with which to enter the photographic field in Clarendon. He also got married and settled down. He owned his first shop in 1906, and entered the picture show business in 1910.

## NAZARENE REVIVAL HELD AT OLD DENVER HOTEL

The Nazarene revival in progress at this time is said to be gaining converts, eleven being baptised in Johnson's lake near Lelia Sunday. Mrs. Wisdom of Memphis is said to be doing most of the preaching.

Twenty-one Clarendon F.F.A. members returned Saturday night from a seven day trip through New Mexico. The party left Clarendon at 5:30 a.m. Sunday, July 30th. They arrived at Raton, New Mexico at 11:30 a. m., Mexico time, where the group enjoyed a dip in the Raton Municipal Swimming Pool. Following the swim a trip was made up Raton Pass, and lunch was served on top of the scenic pass. The afternoon and night was spent in Cimarron Canyon. The group journeyed to Eagle Nest lake and Taos the morning of the second day of the trip. At Taos, the youths visited the famous Taos Indian Pueblos. The afternoon of the second day was spent making the famous Red River Drive, and the group camped near Red River.

Tuesday morning was spent en route to and at Santa Fe, where the group viewed the state capitol, the famous palace of governors, and other points of interest. The major portion of Tuesday afternoon was spent at the beautiful Albuquerque Municipal Beach. One of the most exciting parts of the trip was encountered Tuesday night in crossing the flooded prairies between Socorro and Carrizozo. Wednesday morning the youths journeyed to Nogal, St. Benita Dam, and on to Ruidoso. Games took up most of both Wednesday and Thursday, both of which were spent at Ruidoso. Friday morning the group drove to Carlsbad where they camped at the Municipal Beach. Swimming and softball took up the major portion of the afternoon and fore part of the night. Saturday the group arose early and went through the famous Carlsbad Caverns in the first shift which started at 8 a. m. After completing their trip through the caverns, the group started homeward, arriving at Clarendon, Sunday morning at 1:30 a. m.

Junior and Obra Spier, Ray isham, Johnny Phelan, Forest Helton, Elbert Horton, Roy Bulls, Carlton Gordon, Howard Gibbs, Lee Christie, Wilson Hector, Carl Morris, Harice and Billy Jack Green, H. A. Harrison, J. F. White, Wayne Naylor, Herman Higgins, True Barbee, L. B. Penick, Don and Jimmy Lee Matheson, and Adviser J. R. Gillham made the trip. A large 100 lb. ice refrigerator was used to store vegetables and meats on the trip, and the meals were cooked in large dutch ovens.

Smallwood revival will begin August 20th

Announcement this week is that the revival to be conducted by Rev. Lafe Smallwood at Brice will begin August 20th instead of August 16th, as was announced in the Leader of last week.

## CLOVIS VISITOR HERE

Mrs. Gleason Wood of Clovis, a daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood of Lelia Lake, was here this week. She visited Mrs. John McMahan Tuesday, they having been school mates in the Clovis high school.

## GREENE DRYGOODS STORE OFFERS BARGAINS

As the season advances, the average merchant begins to close out the unsold goods. That is why the Greene store is offering such bargains this week. Read the advertisements in the Leader this issue. At the price, one can well afford to purchase bargains at the prices quoted for there will be plenty more warm weather before winter arrives.

## Hollis Reavis Badly Injured

Auto Collision Sunday Puts Him In Hospital At Paducah

Hollis H. "Rabbit" Reavis, employe of the West Texas Utility company at Childress, was critically injured when a third car attempted to pass as he is said to have passed a car in the company pickup. Reavis was headed south on Highway 83, and a C. L. Berryman of Matador with his family was headed north Sunday night.

Berryman died in a Childress hospital from his injuries Tuesday morning.

Reavis, suffering from an arm fracture and head injuries, is said to be improving in a Childress hospital.

## Bustling Bustle Days Are Coming



The above picture shows the effects of the bustle style as compared with present-day styles of woman's dress. White waist and black skirt—the skirt stiffly starched. Shoes are to match the waist.



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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may occur in the columns of THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the management.

NOTICE: Obituaries and poetry are published in this paper at the rate of 1 cent per word. A charge of \$1.00 is made on cards of thanks. Stories of deaths and funerals published in time to retain the news value are not rated as obituaries.

MEMBER OF PANHANDLE PRESS ASSOCIATION

TRAGEDY OF OUR COURTS.

This question is generally ignored because it is nobody's business. In my opinion it is the business of every citizen of Texas. Important because it affects the interests of all from the intellectual giant down to the most insignificant clodhopper.

Take for instance, our local gas case. One side is bound to be wrong, but our grandchildren may be the only ones to find out which one. The case has been in the courts, and back into the courts again. In every instance, the judicial body trying the case decided in favor of the City, all of which means the gas consumers.

Civil cases are no different from criminal cases. They all pour through the mill and doubt ensues from start to finish. Nobody seems to know right from wrong. Are cases appealed because of ignorance or crookedness?

Present day court procedure encourages crime. If a professional crime is committed, the criminal stands one chance in three of being caught. If caught his chances to secure a continuance of the trial date are five to one in his favor, and time is the best lawyer of them all. He

stands an equal chance for acquittal. If convicted, the chances of adequate punishment to light punishment are ten to one. If convicted, he stands a 50-50 chance for a new trial.

After conviction in a justice court, for instance, he can appeal his case to the county court, thence to the district court. If stuck, he may get a new trial. Failing in that, he can have his lawyer appeal his case to the court of criminal appeals, providing he has the price, of course. Then if stuck there as before, he yet can spend a hunk of money having his case reviewed by the United States supreme court.

After the lawyer's dilatory tactics have been exhausted and after the taxpayers have been out of hundreds of dollars prosecuting a 10-cent thug, his chances of an early parole are again 50-50. If he can't get an outright pardon, his chances of a parole are 5 to one. If paroled, his chances for a repeat or extension of that parole are eight to one in his favor.

It costs more to prosecute criminals in Texas than it does to educate the children. Why isn't this an important topic for discussion?

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Schull visited her mother in Amarillo Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Jim Barrett and Miss Blanche Jahara.

HUDGINS Mrs. S. M. Harp

The revival started Saturday night with Bro. Stonecipher doing the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jacobs. Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue had company from Amarillo visiting them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Noble and baby of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. D. Jacobs of the Bairfield ranch and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster and sons Dewie and Gerald took supper Sunday night in the Harp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield and sons are visiting in east Texas this week.

Fredia and Yvonne Putman are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland.

Miss Audrey Perdue returned home Sunday after a visit with relatives in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster and sons and Mrs. McCarley visited Mr. and Mrs. Putman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harp and son Sidney spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Jacobs. James Garland is visiting Junior Putman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jacobs took supper Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood.

Grandpa Rainey is visiting in the W. W. Rainey home this week.

MIDWAY Mrs. John Goldston

Mr. and Mrs. Nelse Robinson and boys of McCamey visited in the Longan home the past week on their way from McCamey to Salt Lake City. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis spent the week end in the W. K. Davis home. They were accompanied by Mrs. Louis Davis and son who have been visiting relatives at Silvertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stevenson visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tankersley Sunday.

Mary Williams is spending the week with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Seaton have moved to the J. A. Meaders farm. Mrs. H. L. Riley and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Longan spent Sunday in the Pat Longan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grant of Snyder returned home after a visit with relatives here.

The Morelands spent Sunday afternoon in the W. D. Higgins home. Mrs. Harlan visited with Mrs. Pat Longan Wednesday afternoon.

We very much regret the death of the twins, boy and girl, born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds of Goldston. Funeral services were held Saturday. Mrs. Reynolds was formerly Miss Flossie Koontz.

The Midway community had over an inch of rain Monday.

John Goldston sold his first load of special yellow variety of water melons Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor visited in the W. K. Davis home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pickering honored Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Naylor of Wichita Falls with a buffet supper Friday evening. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Quattlebaum, Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pickering.

The W. D. Higgins family spent Monday evening in the John Goldston home.

Miss Dortha Watson spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Patching returned home Saturday from a visit in Trinidad, Colorado.

GOLDSTON Peggy Stewart

Mr. and Mrs. William Jordan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Higdon visited in the H. M. Stewart home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Parrish of Oklahoma visited in their daughter's home, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eanes, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stewart spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart.

Mr. Jim Peggram's sister of New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Peggram over the week end.

Mrs. Frank Elmore's sister is visiting her from East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Higdon and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dingler and family until bed time Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Neely Veazey.

Geraldine Jordan is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Brock.

Goldston had a good rain with some wind and hail Monday afternoon.

Miss Jean Teat, who is taking nurse training in Dallas, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ruth Teat at Adair hospital.

Notice

Notice is hereby given by the Clarendon Independent School District to all patrons of such schools that before a pupil may hereafter enter as a pupil of such schools the pupil must show a vaccination certificate for smallpox or evidence of such vaccination satisfactory to the designated agent of the schools.

This notice is given conditioned as the law of the State of Texas provided in such case and in accordance with such law.

CLARENDON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT By O. C. Watson, President of Board of Trustees. Van Kennedy, Secretary of Board of Trustees

(24-c)

W. P. Cagle, Jr., who has visited his sisters, Mrs. Van Kennedy and Mrs. John M. Bass and other relatives here, returned to San Pedro, California Friday.

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**TEMPLE OF TRUTH**

By the Apostle

**GREAT STUFF!**

WPA funds were appropriated to help the folks in need of a job. It did not take long until all the higher officials in the racket were drawing more money in one month than a WPA worker, man or woman, would draw in a whole year. Or in some instances in three years.

**THE AUTO-GIRO HAT.**

Ladies walk right up and make a selection of a new head piece for fall wear. Better hurry, but we want no crowding. There will be plenty of these "auto-giro" hats to go round, even if they cost only \$55 each. At any rate, the hat is a pancake with three large turkey-tail feathers on one side. On top of course, only they are bunch at the quill and scattered on the feathered-edge.

So-called "big shots" are always small bore.

Poke Jarrod in Dallas Saturday night said the only signs of law and order he could see was the "keep off the grass signs."

The lowering of the birth rate is generally due to two things. Dissatisfaction with themselves or somebody else.

The most pleasant faces seen in public print are those who hold government jobs.

Speaking of hot weather, what do you suppose the "wolf in sheep's clothing" does to get by?

**LAWN SOCIAL.**

Leading his cow to the bermuda in his front yard, Hastoos Yazzie became entangled in the rope as she started to head west and did not stop until he was wallowed against the hog pen at the back kitchen door.

Funny thing! Editors are called deadheads mostly by deadbeats.

The modern father gives his family everything it wants, and they want everything he can get.

Worry is most generally an advance payment on trouble that is never delivered.

Don't forget that the big gun in the business is the fellow who has never been fired.

Some men, like rivers, seek the course of least resistance. That's why they are so crooked.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Ayers and Mr. and Mrs. George Wayne Estlack returned from Colorado Sunday where they had good luck fishing.

**GARDEN GLANCES**

"America beautiful lies in the hands of the gardeners."

O glorious Rain, how refreshed the grass appears, and every shrub and tree has a new growth of tender green. The flower beds are a pageant of gay color.

You will discover an attractive street when you drive by Key's, Rhodes', Land's, Baker's, Black's and the back lawn of the Edgington apartments. These places have green turf, pruned trees, gay blooming flower beds, and other features, as arched vine runs, lily pools, fine placed bright lawn furniture, colorful awnings, and many assets that make a home.

Just stop and look at Homer Mulkey's back lawn with its lattice fence, white pergola or tea house, bird bath and bird house, and so many enchanting spots that you will likely linger for sometime. Everything at this home possesses a finished atmosphere. Some of us are compelled to work step by step for months to attain our plans, but they are enjoyed when completed. Mulkey's have a lovely front and back lawn.

There is not likely a spot of more majestic beauty than displayed by those massive cedars at Mrs. Custis Benson's. They are superb in their grandeur, with years of reigning to attain their height and extensive spread. They exclude the view of a charming outdoor living room. There are numerous worth while glances to be made when passing this lawn.

There are so many lovely and interesting gardens—some one has fittingly said:

"I love my neighbors' gardens, That bloom along my street, As if I'd done the planting And called them all my own, They may indeed be finer Than any I have grown."

**SAW SORRY COUNTRY**

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde "Shine" Martin returned home Saturday after looking over a lot of western country. They visited relatives in Los Angeles after seeing the Frisco fair. The trip from Los Angeles to Salt Lake City of 837 miles was made in one day. "We crossed some of the sorriest country in the world and it was sure hot in places," Shine stated. The return trip was made by Denver.

**BRICE**

Theodore Myers

Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Gattis and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Youngblood and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Dickson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murff of Floydada were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Murff.

The Baptist revival closed Sunday night. There were five new members to join the church and there were five new members by letter. Those who joined were Lyvone and Corylon McBrayer, Paul Miltonberger Jr., and Minnie Higgins. Those to transfer their letter were T. W. Lawrence and Lucille McCarair, Arlon Merrill and Mrs. Bill Merrill.

Mr. Sam Graham and children of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Vernis Moreman and children, Mrs. W. J. Cagle of California and Mrs. Bowman of

Austin were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Moreman last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Perry King and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson of Clarendon attended church at Brice Tuesday night.

Several families from Lesley have been attending church services at Brice.

There was a slight mistake in announcing the revival meeting in the near future. Rev. Lafe Smallwood will open his meeting Sunday, August 20th, and the Methodist meeting will start in the last few days of Aug-

ust or the first part of Sept. Mrs. Starr Johnson and children returned from their vacation in Mexico Tuesday.

School will open at Brice Monday August 14th. It will run for six weeks until cotton picking time. The teachers are Mr. J. W. D. Chappell, Supt., Miss Lottie Durham, Primary. The Intermediate teacher's name hasn't been announced yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Wood and children of McAlester, Okla. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Starr Johnson this week.

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**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Mrs. L. L. Wallace entertained with a party complimenting her daughter, Doris Jean on her 6th birthday on the 4th of August at her home. Various games were played in the yard. The presents were opened and admired. Balloons were given as favors and ice cream and cake was served to the following little girls and boys: Ira Jean, Patricia Ann and Barbara Faye Estlack, Mry Ladell and Inell Cox, Dorothy Jean, Lama V and Sonny Tatum, Vondell and Patsy Hommel, Jesse Burch, Sammy Patterson, Jimmy Palmer, Betty Ann Speed, Doris Jean and Glen Franklin, Wallace and Billy Joe and Alfred Naylor of Amarillo.

**MRS. EDYTHE MAHER ENTERTAINS**

Complimentary to Mrs. Florence Hyvass of Lubbock, and Misses Lucille Hyvass and Jean Teat of Dallas, Mrs. Maher entertained her bridge club, and with a tea, later Tuesday afternoon, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lena Antrobus.

The guests room were beautifully decorated with yard flowers and pot plants.

In the bridge games, high score for guests was awarded Mrs. P. B. Gentry. For club, Mrs. H. F. Harter. Club members present were Mimes.

Tom Murphy, W. W. Noblett, H. F. Harter, G. E. Norwood, Paul Slaton, Walter Knorpp, H. M. Breedlove. Guests were Mrs. B. F. Kirtley, Mrs. Simmons Powell and Misses Lucille Hyvass, Jean Teat, Charlotte Moleworth and Mmes. Florence Hyvass, Allen J. Bryan, B. C. Antrobus, Floyd Lumpkin, Ruth Teat, Jimmie Miller, Sam Dyer, P. B. Gentry.

Tea guests were Mrs. Fred Buntin, Miss Nettie Sims, Mrs. O. C. Watson, Mrs. Bill Carroll, Miss Dorthiea Watson, Mrs. John McClellan.

**LAMKIN-HAWLEY**

Christine Lamkin and Norman A. Hawley were united in marriage at the Santa Ana Wedding Chapel in Santa Ana (California) Sunday, July 30th at 3:00 p. m. The couple marched to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march and the ceremony was performed by the Baptist minister. The chapel was beautifully decorated with gladiolus and fern.

The bride was dressed in a bolero suit of black and white with black and white accessories. She wore a corsage of white gardenias. Mrs. Hawley is the daughter of Mrs. Ethel Lamkin of Brawley, and for the past two and one-half years has been cashier at the J. C. Penny Store in Brawley. Mr. Hawley is the son of Mrs. Rosalie Hawley of Oakland, and

he is displayman at the J. C. Penny Store in Brawley. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a two weeks trip to San Francisco and the World's Fair. Upon their return they will be at home in Brawley.

Those witnessing the ceremony were Mrs. Ethel Lamkin, Miss Maxine Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. John Turnbow and Royce Turnbow of Brawley and Mr. and Mrs. Norton Roper of Lynwood.

Mrs. Hawley attended the Clarendon schools, graduating with the class of 1934, and she has many friends here.

**FRIENDSHIP CLUB**

Mrs. J. E. Mongole was hostess to the members and guests of the Club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Allene Skinner gave the opening prayer. Scripture was read by Mrs. L. Ballew. The main feature of the afternoon was sewing and pleasant conversation.

A delicious plate refreshment was served to guests, Mrs. W. A. Massie and Emily Ann Thornton, and Club members, Mmes. J. L. Allison, C. R. Skinner, M. E. Thornton, L. Ballew, H. Tyree, J. W. Rowland, G. J. Teel, Allene Skinner, Miss Mable Mongole and hostess, Mrs. J. E. Mongole.

**MILK IS A FOOD; NOT A BEVERAGE**

By Ruth J. Cooper  
Fallacies continue to come, and will to the end of time, but each one is disproved by science. Milk remains our nearly perfect food.

Few people, comparatively speaking, do not like the taste of milk. A cool or cold glass of milk is more of a "pick-me-up" in the mid-morning or mid-afternoon than any other drink. As milk is more completely digested if taken with other foods, it is a good plan to eat a slice or so of buttered bread or graham crackers along with the milk. This snack will not only refresh but "stick-to-your ribs" longer.

This same reasoning holds for drinking milk with meals. If the milk is mixed in with the other foods of the meal, it stays in the system longer and is more completely digested, enhancing the nutritive value of all.

There are few people who cannot take milk. If they do not like milk, the problem is usually psychic and they often imagine that it does not agree with them. The problem is to overcome this phobia so that milk can become the vital part of their diet. Invariably this type of individual needs to be built up and to help correct this phobia, milk has to be disguised.

To the few who by necessity or choice prefer to have their milk disguised, the milk shakes offer endless variety. They are easy to shake up at home and are liked equally by all ages—from baby to grandfather. These suggestions are for hiding that extra milk in the diet.

**VANILLA MILK SHAKE**  
½ pint milk  
2 teaspoons sugar  
½ teaspoon vanilla  
4 tablespoons chipped ice  
Ice cream (any flavor)  
2 tablespoons whipped cream  
A sprinkling of nutmeg

Place the milk, sugar, flavoring and ice in a fruit jar or shaker and shake for two or three minutes, until foamy. Pour into tall glass, add ice cream if desired, top with whipped cream and a dash of nutmeg.

The variations are endless—use brown sugar, molasses, honey, various syrups, or fruit juices as the sweetening, and accentuate the flavor with any of the flavoring extracts or a blend of the extracts such as rose, raspberry, almond, peppermint, lemon, spice.

**Orange**—Add 2 tablespoons fresh orange juice and a grating of rind or ½ teaspoon orange extract and a few drops of orange coloring.  
**Strawberry**—Add ½ teaspoon strawberry extract and a few drops of red coloring.

**Grape**—Add 2 or more tablespoons of grape juice.  
**Chocolate**—Add 2 or more tablespoons chocolate syrup.

**Coffee**—Add 2 or more tablespoons of strong coffee. This with the chocolate syrup makes a delightful flavor.

**ORANGE MILK SHAKE**  
1 cup orange juice  
1 cup milk  
½ cup chipped ice  
2 tablespoons sugar  
Combine ingredients in a fruit jar or shaker and shake for two or three minutes. Serve immediately.

**EGG NOG**  
2 egg yolks  
1 cup milk  
2 teaspoons sugar  
Few grains salt  
½ teaspoon vanilla  
2 tablespoons whipped cream  
A sprinkling of nutmeg  
Beat egg yolks, add sugar, salt, milk and flavoring. Mix well, pour into glass, top with whipped cream and a sprinkling of nutmeg. Serve well chilled.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Norwood and daughter Elise spent Sunday at the Jinks Curry ranch near Palo Duro state park.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hefner and son Lloyd, and Mr. and Mrs. Verna Lusk and son Bobbie visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hefner in Amarillo Sunday.



Henry Fonda, in the title role of Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "Young Mr. Lincoln," riding into Springfield to "take a fling at law," in a scene from the film. The Cosmopolitan production for 20th Century-Fox is due at the Pastime Theatre at the Saturday night Prevue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson returned home Wednesday, coming from Carthage where they had visited relatives after Mrs. Johnson was released from a Temple hospital following an operation some time back.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed E. Powell and daughter of Abilene stopped Friday to visit her uncle, J. C. Estlack and family, on their way to Colorado on vacation. Mr. Powell is captain of the highway patrol of his district.

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Cecil Killough and "Cotton" Trustell took in the Dalhart reunion.

Mrs. Ralph Bourland and children of Quail spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson.

Mrs. C. E. Griggs spent the week end with relatives in Vernon and Seymour.

Miss Mary Howren spent the past week a guest of Miss Cora Avery in Amarillo.

**Gladiolus Have Thrip Trouble**

COLLEGE STATION, August 8.—Gladiolus growers, who generally have little to fear in the way of insects and disease, had better beware of the gladiolus thrip, which has spread with great rapidity in practically all states where gladioli are common, says R. R. Reppert, Entomologist for the A&M College Extension Service.

The adult thrip is dark brown and measures about one-twentieth of an inch in length, while the wings have a light colored area at their base near the center of the body. Reppert said in describing the insect. He added that the thrip's larva is pale yellow and the pupa is orange. Generally these last two stages are found inside the buds and leaf sheaths, and are seldom noticeable on the outside of the plant.

Gladioli attacked by the thrip have the appearance of being withered, bleached, and spotted; the plants are stunted; and badly damaged flowers fail to open. Even when the petals are open, irregular, silvery blotches may appear on them, Reppert said.

To prevent damage by the thrip Reppert recommends use of a spray developed by the U. S. Bureau of Entomology. It includes tartar emetic, one ounce; brown sugar, four ounces; and water, 12½ pints. The plants should be sprayed thoroughly with this solution.

Several other plants which have been damaged to a minor extent by the gladiolus thrip include the iris, calla lily, red-hot-poker, tiger flower, montbretia, and carnation, Reppert added.

Mrs. J. H. Howze and son, Jimmie D, went to Dallas Sunday to meet her mother, Mrs. M. G. Hanna, who returned here to spend the remainder of the summer.

**Personals**

Miss Ruth Palmer visited her sister in Dalhart and attended the Reunion.

Mrs. P. B. Gentry and son Duce left today to visit relatives in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Coombs of Stamford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patrick Sunday.

Mrs. Frances Fauves of Malay, and her mother, Mrs. Alson of Nocona, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patrick the week end.

Mrs. Wesley Knorpp and son are leaving for Long Beach, California Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dozier of Amarillo visited his brother, C. M. Dozier and family here Sunday. Miss Arline and Farris Dozier returned home with them and remained until Wed.

Mrs. Fred W. Rathjen left Saturday night to visit her mother and other relatives at San Marcos. Fred Jr. will return with her.

Mrs. Sam Braswell, Jr. and son Harben of Kerrville spent the week end in the Sam Braswell home here. Harben remained for a longer visit.

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3 Cans for . . . . .

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No. 2 Can—2 for . . . . .

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Fresh Blackeye Peas—lb . . . . . 5c  
OKRA—2 lb for . . . . . 15c  
Cantaloupes—nice size . . . . . 5c  
ORANGES, nice size—Doz. . . . . 15c  
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Forty Tribes Dance at Gallup Ceremonials



War bonnets, ceremonial paint and feathers signal the approach of the Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial to be held at Gallup, New Mexico, August 17-20, inclusive.

GALLUP, N. M.—Indian drums are sounding in the far places of the Southwest. Soon it will be time for the many tribes to gather "at the place by the bridge" (Indian for Gallup, N. M.)

Here each year seven thousand Indians from nearly forty different tribes join forces to produce America's most colorful and spectacular Indian Show, the annual Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial. For four days they will dance, chant, compete in sports and engage in weird pagan rites before capacity audiences made up of their white brothers. The Gallup Ceremonial is the largest and most authentic Indian spectacle of its kind in the country.

Ceremonial Association. The event will open on August 17th and run through four days with the last performance scheduled for the evening of the 20th. In addition to several regular shows, the association has also arranged a colorful street parade each day except Sunday.

A special attraction each year is the unusual display of Indian arts and crafts in the Exhibit Hall where thousands of articles are shown. A score of native craftsmen will be at work showing the technique of Indian handicraft.

Yes, the Indian drums are sounding in the far places of the Southwest, and soon the Navajos, Zunis, Hopis, Utes, Apaches, Lagunas, Acomas and a score of other tribesmen and their families will start the trek to "the place by the bridge," Gallup, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adamson and sons Forrest and Welcome spent the week end with relatives and friends in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stephens and grandsons, L. D. and Hoyce Lumms are vacationing at Corpus Christi and Brownsville, it is said today.

Mrs. Bennett Haley of Silverton returned home Tuesday after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Lalar Wilkerson.

Vernon J. Cockrell of Ft. Wayne, Wyoming visited his aunt, Mrs. Ida Couch here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Eddy announce the birth of a son Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackman and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Peabody left Sunday on a vacation trip to Colorado.

SHINES I will shine and dye shoes to please you at— CONNER HOLMES McGowan's Barber Shop

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

John Hammond of Clovis returned home Saturday after a visit of several days with his daughter, Mrs. Clint Martin and family.

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WANTED—White woman to iron in laundry; must be expert and not over 35 years old. THE HANDY LAUNDRY (24-2c)

WANTED—The address of any one suffering from sugar diabetes. Box 629, Clarendon, Texas. (181c)

WANTED—25 cents under Ft. Worth for your top hogs on Fridays. W. B. Mayfield (101c)

FOR SALE

FOR SALE or TRADE—Good Ramboulett ewes with early lambs for sale or will trade for livestock. See Tot Morris, Clarendon, Texas. (24-p)

FOR SALE—1937 Chevrolet Coach, in perfect condition; \$860 radio, good tires. Will sell worth the money. See or call J. W. Smith at Clarendon Coca Cola Bottling Co. (24-p)

FOR SALE—Beer by the case, 6 1/2 cents a bottle. Pay Cash Grocery, 2306 West 6th Avenue, Amarillo. (18-p)

FOR SALE—Weaner Pigs, \$3.00, R. P. Nichols, Ashtola. (231c)

FOR SALE—100 White Leghorn laying pullets at 90 cents each. Phone 933-L. Mrs. Francis Brown. (23-p)

FOR SALE or TRADE—One 3-disc plow, and one 6-foot one way plow. E. M. Ozier. (231c)

MISCELLANEOUS

SUGAR DIABETES can be cured within a reasonable time with the proper attention. Waste neither time nor money. Write Box 1600, Vernon, Texas and find out how many have been cured at small cost within a short time. (191c)

LOST and FOUND

LOST—Strayed or stolen from my farm, 5 miles east of Clarendon, on Highway by Johnson's lake. One brown heifer 1 1/2 years old, dehorned and T on left jaw. Any information will be appreciated. J. O. Thompson, Route 1, Clarendon, Texas. (24-p)

Mrs. Ethel Moss and Mrs. Lottie Puett and daughters, Anna Mae and Orveta of Shamrock, visited their mother, Mrs. W. D. Martin Friday.

Doris, Vivian and Burel Bones have returned home after spending a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crawford, at Amarillo.



Start Now for Winter Pastures

By T. C. RICHARDSON, Associate Editor FARM and RANCH Breeder-Feeder Association

By Richardson . . . . .

The foundation of next year's income is laid this fall. The "September rains" (which often begin in August) may grow a winter cover crop to enhance the cotton yields next summer. . . . .

vetch in the fall and plowing it under ten days to three weeks ahead of cotton planting. We have to think about it now if we are to cash in on the practice at next cotton-picking time.

Wherever there are sheep, cattle, hogs, horses, chickens, turkeys or geese, for family use only or for commercial use, there must be green forage in the winter if it can be had. . . . .

Italian rye grass has won many friends as a winter grazing crop in the Southwest in recent years. Rescue grass is a favorite with others, and if not a native, has become thoroughly naturalized. . . . .

All the common cereals furnish some winter grazing, depending on the time of planting, the character of the soil, and the kind of season. . . . .

The odds are all in favor of sowing crops for soil improving and winter pastures, in spite of occasional failures. There has to be a first time, and those who have not already adopted these "more-income" practices might as well make their start in 1939.

"POLLY O'NEIL REPORTS GAME INCREASE

Here Tuesday on his way back from Dickens county, District game warden O'Neil says the quail are bringing on a fine crop. The bobwhites are really doing a big job, but the chukars are not doing so well, he says. . . . .

JOE DEAN'S AGE IS ONLY 20, FATHER SAYS

In the matter of aiding his son, A. W. Dean calls attention to the fact that his son Joe Dean, charged with a statutory offense, is only 20 years of age instead of 21 as was published in the Leader upon information from Sheriff Guy Pierce. . . . .

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dishman were in Plainview Tuesday.

John Jasper of Claude spent Sunday in the U. T. Devers home here.

O. C. Watson, Jr. of Lubbock spent the week end with his parents here.

Mrs. Florence Hvass of Lubbock and Miss Lucile Hvass of Dallas are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Bob Boston of Russellville, Arkansas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Noland.

John M. Bass and John Bugbee made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Glenn Churchman had an eye operation in Amarillo Friday. He's doing nicely.

Mrs. N. E. Bruce of Wichita Falls is visiting her brother, Judge W. A.

Debts, Deficits— And Dangers

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN

For the ninth time in succession the Government of the United States has closed its fiscal year with a staggering deficit.

During the twelve months ending June 30, the difference between income and outgo—between what Washington collected and what Washington spent—was more than THREE BILLION DOLLARS.

And, meanwhile, the National Debt—which some day must be paid out of taxes collected from the people's earnings—has mounted to more than FORTY BILLION DOLLARS.

How long this practice of piling up debts and deficits will continue is anybody's guess. Certainly Washington in recent months, under the pressure of self-seeking groups and lobbies, has shown little tendency to halt it. . . . .

And how long the American people will submit to such increasing burdens is also anybody's guess. Steadily their protests against reckless political spending, with all its attendant ills and its hardships on the worker and earner, continue to mount.

For today the people realize the threat—to any country—of a reckless fiscal policy. Current events abroad continue to flash on a world screen the tragic picture of nations wrecked and peoples enslaved through processes in which reckless manipulation of the national income played a significant role.

Increasingly our citizens realize that one of the greatest contributions America could make to the peace of the world would be a return to that prosperity and progress which America enjoyed for so many years.

They have seen that unnecessary and reckless spending of the people's money by politicians halts rather than hastens such prosperity. They have seen production and employment languish. . . . .

And now, after nine years of growing debts and deficits the American people ask a return to that policy of economy in government and encouragement of enterprise which created American prosperity in the past.

Their demand is justified. For, as every American knows, all the money that government and the politicians love to lavish comes from the people. . . . .

They know that in Debts and Deficits lurk Dangers.

County Exhibit At State Fair

County Agent H. M. Breedlove and Vocational Agriculture Instructor and chamber of commerce secretary J. R. Gillham, have announced that a cooperative plan will be used in preparing the Donley County exhibit for the State Fair this year. . . . .

Breedlove is making special preparation for the agricultural portion of the exhibit and states that he will have the best specimens he has ever gathered. . . . .

A large number of 4-H and F.F.A. pigs and poultry will also be exhibited at the fair. Donley County had the largest club exhibits in these divisions at the fair last year.

FORNICATION CHARGE GETS MAN HEAVY FINE

Pleading guilty in county court here today, Bob Wilkerson of near Hedley was assessed a fine of fifty dollars and costs by county judge R. Y. King on a fornication charge. The accused will lay it out in jail, Sheriff Pierce stated.

Mrs. Sam Darden is visiting a sister, Mrs. Less Foxall, in Memphis.

Byron and Cecil Alexander of Ft. Worth had business here Wednesday. Each are engaged in the furniture business on an extensive scale, their business being steadily on the increase.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Porter and daughter Jo Ann of Hale Center, visited the E. E. Porter family near Goldston Sunday. Judge and Mrs. J. R. Porter and children joined them and a picnic supper was had on the creek.

Misses Nova and Nell Cook returned home Sunday. They have been attending the summer session of West Texas College.

Bill Weatherly and Charles Murphy went to Lorenzo Saturday night. They returned Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Sam Darden and daughter, Laverne.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rhoades and son, Patrick Lloyd, left Saturday night for Creede, Colorado on a vacation trip. They will return Sunday. Cecil Rhoades has charge of the business this week.

Milling Sanatorium MINERAL WELLS, TEXAS AN INSTITUTION WITH A NATIONAL REPUTATION FOR THE TREATMENT OF CHRONIC DISEASES Our little girl seven years old was taken with what the doctors called Saint Vitis Dance. We tried a number of doctors without receiving any noticeable help. . . . . MR. AND MRS. LEON NALL, Folie, Texas, Motley County

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## United States Sales to Japan Put at Enormous \$239,620,000 for Year

WASHINGTON—Cotton, scrap iron, petroleum, iron alloys, machinery, automobiles and airplanes are the major items which Japan has been buying lately from the United States under the 1911 Commercial Treaty which this Government intends to abandon next January.

Commerce Department figures showed that last year 21 per cent of the United States' \$239,620,000 sales of merchandise to Japan were cotton, while Japan's \$126,820,000 sales to

this country were 63.5 per cent raw silk.

Japan's sales to the United States reached a peak of \$431,873,000 in 1929, declining almost steadily every year except 1937, when the total was \$204,201,000. Peak United States sales to Japan were in the same year, when Japan took unusually large amounts of scrap iron as well as cotton and other products.

Although individually one of the major nations in United States fore-

ign trade, Japan last year bought only 7.7 per cent of all United States exports while this country bought only 6.5 per cent of its total foreign merchandise from Nippon.

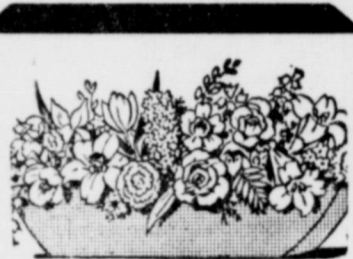
Last year, the United States sold 1,028,000 bales of cotton worth \$52,850,000 to Japan.

Iron scrap sales to Japan reached a peak of \$39,386,000 in 1937, dropping to \$22,061,000 last year.

Other major sale items last year were \$6,663,000 of wood pulp; \$29,956,000 of crude petroleum; \$7,713,000 of gasoline; \$21,813,000 of iron alloys; \$2,100,000 of lead; \$1,649,000 of tin plate; \$2,435,000 of cattle hides; \$6,675,000 of fuel oil; \$23,538,000 of metal-working machinery; \$10,142,000 of automobiles and parts; \$11,062,000 of airplanes and parts, and \$5,728,000 of chemicals.

Despite occasional boycotts of silk stockings by anti-Japanese women, the United States has continued to buy huge quantities of raw silk from Japan. Last year, the total was 883,651,000, a decline from the 1937 total of 899,573,000, more because of lower prices than quantity.

Besides silk, the main things bought from Japan last year were



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## ASHTOLA

Nancy Miller

The Methodist revival meeting began Sunday with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Naylor and son Robert from Sunnyview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey.

J. F. White, Jr. and Wilson Rector have returned from the trip of F.F.A. members.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey and Floydell spent several days the past week visiting their son, Don Dewey and family in Oklahoma City. Miss Dewey returned with her grandchildren for a visit.

The children and grandchildren of Mrs. Mary Cook celebrated her 84th birthday Tuesday in the home of Mrs. W. P. Holley.

Miss Mamie Barker and Earl Barker are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham.

Miss Muffet Merrill of Memphis visited Miss Charlene Knox Sunday.

Miss Nova Lee Barker of Windy Valley spent the week end with Miss Billie Jean Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. Honeysucker of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrell and Muffet of Memphis spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Rhoades. They called to see Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey Sunday morning.

Mrs. Mary Myers and children of California arrived Monday to visit her father, Mr. H. W. Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Marshall and family visited in the Martin community Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Rhodes returned Sunday from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Hanson, in Amarillo.

## GLIDER MAKES EXCELLENT RECORD IN EAST

It will be recalled that John Robison landed here with his glider recently while on his way from Wichita Falls to Amarillo. In a letter to a friend here, Robison states that at Elmira, N. Y. of the 80 contestants, he came out with third money. He is the second glider pilot to win the altitude record trophy known as "Golden C." He flew 186 miles, attained a height of 10,000 feet, and later made a 205 mile flight and an altitude of 11,000 feet. He returned to his home in California after gliding around some 12,000 miles.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Palmer and son James Wesley, and Mrs. Alfred Estlack left Tuesday to spend several days in the mountains. Alfred Estlack will join the party Thursday.

\$2,213,000 of crabmeat; \$2,054,000 of tea; \$2,667,000 of other vegetable food products and beverages; \$1,771,000 of pyrethrum flowers; \$1,228,000 of bleached cotton cloth; \$1,049,000 of cotton rags; \$2,788,000 of silk fabrics; \$1,255,000 of hat materials; \$5,450,000 of other textiles besides cotton and silk; \$2,048,000 of paper; \$3,714,000 of china and other ware made of non-metallic minerals; \$1,405,000 of metal products, and \$2,707,000 of cresote and other chemicals.

Not included in these figures are another source of trade important to Japan. Last year, Japan sold the United States Treasury \$168,739,643 worth of gold and \$2,929,567 worth of silver, for which the Nipponese received American dollars which they could use to buy war and other materials from other countries as well as the United States.

## Story of Abraham Lincoln Never Before Told, Revealed in "Young Mr. Lincoln"

The thrilling, romantic, eventful youth of Abe Lincoln makes Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "Young Mr. Lincoln" a complete screen surprise and excellent entertainment, according to advance reports based on "sneak screenings" of the unusual film.

Ignoring the great Lincoln with whom everyone is familiar, this Cosmopolitan production for 20th Century-Fox is a photoplay stirring with its drama, action and emotion; it depicts young Abe wrestling, fighting, telling funny stories, falling in love. The highlight of the original screen play by Lamar Trotti shows the young lawyer defying a frenzied lynch mob and defending two innocent boys in the famous "moonlight murder" trial—young Lincoln's first challenge.

This is a Lincoln few people are familiar with. At the age of 28 he was a gangling, brawny-armed youth, a shy young lover and a "regular fellow." Covering approximately seven years of his youth, the film culminates in the frontier trial.

Re-acting the best of the famous Lincoln anecdotes, the film is highlighted by such lines as:

To the lynch mob: "I'm not going to make any speeches. All I've got to say is: I can lick any man here hands down!"

To Mary Todd, on the dance floor: "I'd like to dance with you in the worst way, Miss Todd; but any dancing I'd do would be the worst way!"

And during the famous "moonlight murder trial": "How can a mother choose which son shall live, which shall die?"

Directed by John Ford, the film features Henry Fonda in the title role, Alice Brady as the mother of the accused boys, Marjorie Weaver as Mary Todd, and Arleen Whelan. Included in the cast are Eddie Collins, Pauline Moore as Ann Rutledge, Richard Cromwell, Donald Meek, Dorris Bowdon and Eddie Quillan.

## MARTIN

Mrs. J. H. Helton

There was a real nice crowd out to Sunday school Sunday. Several visitors. We invite them back.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Acord and Randall spent Sunday at Lark visiting in the J. D. Woods home.

Mrs. Hattie Wallace and daughter spent Sunday visiting her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Roberts.

Mrs. Jackson and children of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Marshall the last week. Jackie Louis and Kay will spend a couple of weeks before returning home.

The Quilting Club met with Mrs. Louis Marshall last Thursday. Several ladies enjoyed dinner and two quilts were quilted. Next quilting will be with Mrs. Guy Sibley at the school

house on 17th this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helton, Mr. and Mrs. Lavel Phillips of Lelia spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Helton.

Mr. Raymond Woods spent last week visiting in the J. M. Acord home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell and children of Ashtola visited Sunday in the Buck Parker home.

Billie Ruth Bullman entertained the young people Saturday night at her home, honoring Miss Mildred Lilly.

Mrs. Marvin Peabody and children of Amarillo visited the last week in the A. M. Peabody home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thurman and baby of Amarillo visited in the C. A. Jones' home Saturday.

Mrs. C. A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Jones, Mrs. Luther Hall left last Tuesday to go to Comanche to a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Newland of Clarendon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hutchins.

## PLACE FOR EVERY MOOD

If undecided where to go on your vacation, these suggestions might help in the opinion of Editor Ernest Camp of the Walton Tribune: "Cranks, to Peculiar, Missouri; Smokers, to Weed, California; Newlyweds to Bliss, Mich.; Seamstresses to Scissors, California; Drunks, to Brandywine, Pa.; Prize Fighters to Box, Kansas; Widowers, to Widows, Ala.; Lovers, to Spoonville, Michigan; Tramps, to Grubtown, Pa.; Actors to Star City, Arkansas; Paupers to Charity, Kansas; the Unhappy, to Good Hope, Ga."

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**MECHANIC INVENTION BESTS HUMAN ENDEAVORS**

Developed this year at The University of Texas was a one-ton fifteen-foot machine that performs 61 mathematical operations at once and solves high degree equations which would require an expert computer a month to put on paper. Its inventor, Dr. S. L. Brown, chairman of the University's Physics department says the machine—a 'multiharmonograph'—operates on electric wave impulses.

Mrs. Faye Scoggins, student of West Texas College, spent the week end with relatives here.

**WHERE ARE WE GOING?**

Out on North Fourth Street of Albuquerque, New Mexico there is a beautiful park. At the west edge of this park, facing the highway to Santa Fe, stands a marble statue of a woman—memorial "To The Pioneer Mothers of Covered Wagon Days."

Dressed in a long, flowing gown, wearing on her head an old-time "sundown" hat (style of the 1880's) this matron in marble looks toward the setting sun and apparently steps out boldly into the pioneer conditions of the old west. She holds an infant in her arms and a small son steps by her side, clinging to her skirt.

That statue represents my mother and your mother and every other mother of by-gone days who dared to step out into the western frontier to build homes.

I was standing there one day looking at that statue and dreaming of the old days when a young lady of modern type came tripping across the park. She was decorated with gaudy lipstick and paint and wore a skirt so short that if she had had a little son by her side, he could not have reached it!

This young lady paused in front of the statue, looked up into its face with a silly smile, then lighted a cigarette and stood there, smoking. Later I saw her enter a "New Deal" saloon and drink a glass of beer while a number of drunken young men were leering at her.

I compared the two types of women—the pioneer mother of covered wagon days with the painted, flighty, egotistical beauty (?) with cigarette fumes on her lips! My God, does America have to depend on fickle, cigarette stoned, beer soaked creatures of this modern type for its future mothers and home makers! Where is our nation going? —Selected.

**Brownfield Man Says Perpetual Motion Is Found**

August Sixteenth Is Date Set For Public Exhibition

Writing from Brownfield, W. C. Clark is the name signed to an epistle stating that Clark has invented a perpetual motion process which he will give to "churches and other institutes." He rambles on by saying that Gov. O'Daniel and the congressman from Alabama will be there to celebrate the event. Judging from his writing, he may have that peculiarity necessary to invent something. Mergenthaler brought out the basic patents to the Linotype under similar "peculiar" circumstances.

At any rate, W. C. Clark says August 16th is his birthday and that is to be the day of his celebration. He closes by saying, "watch your newspapers" for a big sensation.

**GOVERNOR HOGG CHAIRS ARE GIVEN TO MUSEUM**

AUSTIN—A pair of over-size rocking chairs, designed for Governor James Stephen Hogg, which have occupied a considerable portion of the attorney-general's office since the former governor held that post, found their way to Texas Memorial Museum here today.

First product of convict labor in Texas, the two massive oak chairs measure three feet across, and their backs tower more than four feet above the floor. The chairs were given the museum, located on The University of Texas campus, by former Attorney General William McCraw and his successor, Gerald Mann.

**TWINS ARE BURIED HERE SATURDAY AFTERNOON**

Twins, boy and girl, born to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reynolds near Goldston Saturday morning, lived but a few hours. Funeral services were conducted here in the afternoon with the Buntin mortuary directing.

Mrs. J. R. Riley, stepmother of J. N. Riley, is here from Jena, Louisiana to spend the remainder of the warm weather period in the Riley home near Sunnyview.

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C. C. POWELL  
H.O.L.C. Representative (24-c)

**METHODIST CIRCUIT NOTES**

J. G. Walker, P. C.

Am sure some of you looked for our notes in last week's issue. I made a trip to Alabama to see my father who was sick. Glad to report that he is better. He will be 98 years old 28th February 1940. We hope he will live to be a hundred and plus. We were away only one Sunday and Bro. Dawson of Hedley filled our appointment at McKnight. He has our many thanks for this kindness.

Our revival at Ashtola began Sunday 11 a. m. Good attendance and good interest. The first service had the aspect of a spiritual revival. Monday morning's attendance was fine. Bro. Palmer was with us Monday evening. The rain before and the threatening clouds did not keep all the people at home. While his message was a blessing to all in the house God was pouring out blessings in showers of rain on the outside. How can people fail to honor a God who has all power in heaven and in earth to bless physically and spiritually? If you can come to Ashtola this week we believe you will receive a blessing. Will close next Sunday evening. If you can't come to Ashtola, get a blessing any way. You can get it at home, if you will pay the price. But if you are an able bodied person and get a real blessing you will not want to remain at home. You will want to get out and share it with others. May the Lord make all the people in Clarendon Circuit missionary in spirit.

Don't forget us, we have a burdened heart.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Parsons returned home from Mineral Wells Sunday where they have been for the past five weeks for the benefit of Mrs. Parsons' health. They were at Milling's Sanatorium. Mrs. Parsons is very much improved, which will be good news to her many friends.

**ROADS**

There is something strange about a road  
That is ever my heart intriguing;  
And I never see an unknown road  
But I wonder where it is leading.

It may be a road so smooth and wide  
That is must be named a highway;  
Or a wandering path that turns aside,  
That scarce can be called a by-way.

It makes no difference where it lies,  
It can set my soul a-dreaming;  
And through the vale to the hills that rise  
I can trace its ribbon, gleaming.

I have found no road so mean and poor,  
Or rough for the one who is roaming,  
But ends at some love-lit, cottage door,  
When the day has reached the gloaming.

There is never a road so dark and still,  
That the weary traveler's taking  
But it leads at last to the top of the hill  
Where the splendid dawn is breaking.

So, although my beaten path I wend  
With each day new tasks creating,  
My heart fares on to the rainbows' end  
Where the pot of gold is waiting.  
—Ferne Parsons Norris.

**MESQUITE EASILY KILLED BY ARSENITE**

By Walter L. Monk  
After trying about twenty-seven different methods, R. B. Street, associate plant pathologist, and E. B. Stanley, head of the animal husbandry department, of the University of Arizona, announce that sodium arsenite poisoning is the best way to clear land of mesquite, and make it clear, that clearing land of mesquite is neither costly nor difficult. They found that burning or spraying did very little save set back the growth of the tree and cutting down the tree merely meant a new growth from the roots.

The base of the tree is chipped or "frilled" clear around the tree with an axe and the arsenite solution applied to the fresh cut. The roots and all yill soon die. The poison may be applied to the stump after the tree is cut with about equal success if the sapwood receives a generous portion of the poison.

Stanley and Street used a commercial sodium arsenite solution, eight pounds of chemical to the gallon of water. The probable cost of the chemical is about ninety cents a gallon in ten gallon lots. This cheap method of killing mesquite can be made to pay a profit as the cost per cord of wood is about ten cents for poison.

Mesquite timber provides considerable browse in the spring of the year and the beans are fine feed for stock. Unless the grassland is exceptionally good, the mesquite timber may be worth more to the rancher than the grass. For these reasons, Stanley and Street suggest that control of the mesquite spread is perhaps better than complete eradication.

**DALHART PUBLISHERS GET OUT FIRST "BRAND"**

The XIT Brand, a worthy annual representing the interests of the XIT Reunion came out recently, a copy reaching the Leader Friday. The issue is printed on book paper, replete with photos of the old days including people who blazed the trail as far back as fifty years ago. The issue is a work of art and does great credit to the skill, energy and aggressiveness of the members of the Dalhart Publishing Company, publishers of the daily Dalhart Texan.

**GROWS FINE PEACHES**

From a chance seed a peach tree grew in the yard of A. T. Russell. It has a crop now for the first time. The fruit is of the cling type, large of size and nicely colored. Mr. Russell thinks there is a possibility that he has originated a new fruit variety worthy of note. At least the sample shown down town Saturday looked that way.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Davis and son of Amarillo spent Sunday in the W. K. Davis home.

**Memphis Blind Girl To Get 'Seeing Eye'**

MEMPHIS, Lowena Moore, blind girl proprietor of a confectionary stand in the corridor of the courthouse here, will leave August 18, for Morristown, N. J., where she will join a class of eight in a month's training with a "seeing eye" dog.

Miss Moore recognizes her customers by tones of their voice, and makes change readily. She is a graduate of the state school for the blind, is an accomplished violinist, and enjoys books and magazines through the braille system. Her local business was sponsored by the Rotary Club.

**RAINED AT GOODNIGHT**

M. W. Hatley, in town Wednesday stated that the rain was plentiful at his farm near Goodnight. He was accompanied by his son, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hatley and their son, Richard Von.

"Chief" Lowry and sister, Sarah Beth, are spending the week with their grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Storey in McLean.

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**JOE M. WOOD DIES TUESDAY AT HOME OF DAUGHTER**

Funeral services were conducted at the J. B. Estes home in the Chamberlain community Wednesday afternoon, with interment in the Lakeview cemetery. Rev. Chas. Bristor, pastor of the Baptist church at Lakeview, had charge of the services. Mr. Wood, aged 62, died at the Estes home following an operation in a Memphis hospital recently. He was the father of Mrs. J. B. Estes.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

Miss Ann Bobo was taken to Adair hospital late Wednesday evening following a fall. An X-ray examination disclosed that her hip was broken. Ida Mae Wiedman is said to be improving nicely.

**VISIT GRANDPA CARAWAY**

Most every fellow would enjoy it, but Grandpa Odos Caraway has been both happy and busy this week entertaining five grandchildren. They are Charles, Walter and Bettie Rose Helronimus of Pampa, Mary Frances McCulley of Clovis and Judy Land of Memphis.

Mrs. Julia Mae Land and Mrs. Mary Frances McCulley of Clovis are here to visit their father.

**HERE FROM TENNESSEE**

Guests of relatives, Millard and Heckle Stark and Mrs. Neal Bogard the past week were relatives from Tennessee. They are Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Stark, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kirk and daughter Ginger. They were enroute to Colorado, the Frisco fair and other points west.

**FORD SALESMAN AWARDED CASH PRIZES**

Prizes offered by the Ford Motor company for extra efforts that are crowned with success, are eagerly sought after by distributors and salesmen. Elmer Palmer of the Palmer Motor Company last week was awarded \$85 on having filled his quota of sales in this zone. An additional cash prize of \$25 was awarded Mr. Palmer in the "leading salesman" contest.

**VISIT RELATIVES HERE**

Guests of the John Rhodes home are Mrs. J. B. Talley, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hethcock and Miss Beatrice Womack, all of Cooper. And Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hethcock of Commerce.

**Last Minute News On European Crisis!**

(Courtesy New York Press)

"Disturbances and disquietudes still continue in France. The affairs of Russia and Turkey still remain unsettled. Rumor stated in London that negotiations between those two powers had terminated unfavorably; but the story was not credited by the editor of The Courier, who adhered to the opinion that they would finally be adjusted. But, as has been the case for a year past, the same uncertainty and the same fluctuation of feeling and opinion regarding the result of these disputes prevailed."

Although this report might almost be passed off as the latest news from Europe, actually it is a reprint from the foreign news of The Old Colony Memorial and Plymouth County Advertiser edition of May 4, 1822—117 years ago.

**Legionists In District Meet**

One of the most important American Legion District meetings will be held in Amarillo next Tuesday night August 15th at 8 p. m. All members of the local Post of the American Legion are urged by the Commander to be present at this gathering. A special meeting has been called for all Post Commanders so that plans and policies can be adopted for this District's participation in the State Legion Convention to be held at Waco, August 26th-29th.

Lou Roberts of Borger, District Membership Chairman and candidate for State Commander will give a report at this meeting.

The 18th Legion District of which the local Post is a part consists of the 28 north counties of the Panhandle. The local Post with all other Posts in this District have gone over their membership quota and this meeting in Amarillo will be in the form of a celebration of this event. The Legion business session will be presided over by Charlie Maisel, District Commander, of Pampa, Texas.

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  - 1 lot for Lumber Yard
  - 1 lot for Real Estate office
  - 1 lot for Used Car Lot
  - 1 lot for high class Drive-In Ice Cream Stand
  - 1 lot for Personal Loan Co.
  - 1 lot for Dry Cleaning Plant
  - 1 lot for high class Beauty Parlor
  - 1 lot for Grocery Store
  - 1 lot for Nursery
  - 1 lot for high class Garage
  - 1 lot for Hotel-Tourist Camp
  - 1 lot for Skating Rink
  - 1 lot for Neon Sign Shop
  - 1 lot for Cheese Factory
  - 1 lot for Shoe Repair Shop
  - 1 lot for Swimming Pool
  - 1 lot for Bakery
  - 1 lot for Printing Shop
  - 1 lot for Dressmaker
  - 1 lot for wallpaper Store
  - 1 lot for Music Store
  - 1 lot for Tourist Camp
  - 1 lot for Wholesale Grocer
  - 1 lot for Wholesale Produce
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**Tax Boost Was Only Beginning**

**Weary Taxpayers to Have Many Headaches Ahead**

With little thought given to state economy by our lawmakers, Texas is steadily going into the red even though taxes are steadily increased. That the reader may get a better idea, figures are quoted in this article from those compiled by Chief Statistician Bob Calvert of State Comptroller George Sheppard's office.

Without considering the general remission of taxes, Texas will end the 1939-40 fiscal year with a deficit of \$25,832,657 in the general revenue fund, and \$1,069,259 in the available school fund, or an overall deficit of nearly \$27,000,000.

In arriving at this conclusion, Calvert construed the new general tax remission bill to be effective on taxes collected for 1941. The Attorney General has been asked for a construction of the law, which gives back to the counties 50 per cent of all state property taxes, but a ruling by him that the remission is currently effective could only make the state's deficit larger—by more than \$4,000,000.

Calvert estimated the deficit as of August 31 will be \$19,932,360. Expenditures during the coming fiscal year were put at \$30,443,451, making \$50,375,812 on the "red" side of the state's bookkeeping ledger.

To meet this fifty million dollar debt, there will be \$16,210,304 from other taxes than ad valorem, leaving \$34,165,508 needed in property taxes. But at the constitutional maximum, the property tax will yield but \$8,332,851, leaving \$25,832,657 short.

In the school fund, with the 1939-40 school year contribution by the state fixed at \$22 for each pupil, the need will be: \$34,210,000 for per capita and \$2,000,000 for free textbooks for the coming school year; \$4,700,000 the deficit which will accrue on the 1938-1939 school year apportionment. To meet these needs, the state will have an estimated \$29,527,101 from sources other than the ad valorem tax; and \$10,287,500 from the ad valorem tax at the maximum of 35 cents, which is \$1,069,259 short of the need.

No estimate was made by Calvert on the Confederate Pension fund; it is three millions in the red, and the rate has been fixed at the constitutional limit of 7 cents on the \$100 for years. However, the Confederate pension deficit ultimately will be retired as the rolls are depleted by reason of death.

The school rate is now 7 cents; the constitutional maximum is 35 cents, and even upping it to the maximum still leaves a deficit.

**Freak Visitor At Stevensons**

Says Visitor Staid Over Night, Family Not Knowing About It

Was it real? Was it imagination? Was it simply a ghost? The incident comes within one of the three classifications according to neighbors of Everett Stevenson.

When the family arose Sunday morning Mr. Stevenson related to Sheriff Pierce that "some one had lain across the bed in the north room of his home evidently for some time. Not only that but that the bedspread and a purse had been removed from the room and placed in the room where the family was sleeping."

The front entrance to the home is through a door into the vacant room, and that door was propped with a rocking chair. The back door was latched. The Sheriff said he found no tracks, but that a neighbor said he heard shots after daylight. Mr. Stevenson mentioned the gun reports, and another party is said to have heard a car just before daybreak in that vicinity.

There was no loss. It is merely a matter of mystery. Mr. Stevenson called the Sheriff to fathom it out, but the incident refused to be fathomed, and remains in a condition of "status quo" to date.

and the ladies Auxiliary will be presided over by Mrs. John Deaver of Memphis, District President.

There should be 500 members from the various Posts and Auxiliary units present at this meeting.

**Personals**

Louie E. Thompson had business in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. A. H. Baker returned from Mineral Wells Sunday where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Essie Tice.

Miss Joan Thompson, student of West Texas College, came home Sunday to rest the remainder of the summer.

Jiggs Mosley of Big Springs visited relatives here and his parents near Hedley the first of the week.

Mrs. Harrell Palmer and babe of Amarillo have been visiting relatives in Clarendon.

Miss Jacque Foster has returned home after spending several days with friends in Amarillo.

Miss Fannie McGowan, student of West Texas College, came home Sunday to remain until the fall opening of the College.

Kalvin and Charlott Merchant of Oklahoma City are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant.

Mrs. I. N. Collins of Claude and Mr. and Mrs. Clenny Baker spent Sunday in the home of Judge and Mrs. W. A. Davis.

Jim Barkett and children, Nadeema and George, visited relatives and friends at Buffalo, Oklahoma from Sunday to Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wadsworth of Vashti, and son Otto Wadsworth of Wichita Falls visited their cousin, Douglas F. Wadsworth and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wadsworth of Vashti came to visit her sister, Mrs. J. C. Estlack and family. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wadsworth and daughter Nellie Jean.

**VISITING PARENTS**

Mrs. Ruth Newton and children, Bill III and Elizabeth of Cameron, and Mrs. Reba Baxter of Electra are visiting their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Nichols.

**ALL WEEK SPECIALS**

MILK	Pet or Carnation	.25
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FLOUR	Yukon—48 lbs.	\$1.29
	24 lbs.	.69
CRACKERS	2 lb. Box	.15
PEACHES	GOLD BAR	.16
	No. 2 1/2	
HONEY	New Crop, strained	.49
	Gallon	89c
	1/2 gallon	
SHORTENING	All kinds	.39
	4 lbs.	
PICKLES	Sour or Dill	.15
	Full Quart	
SPUDS	Colorado White	.19
	Peck	25c
	10 lbs.	
JAR CAPS	Dozen	.21
COFFEE	White Swan	.29
	3 lbs.	79c
	1 lb.	
SUGAR	25 lbs. Cane	\$1.35
	10 lbs. Cane, Bulk	.49
MATCHES	True American	.03
	Box	
FLOUR	Perryton—24 lbs.	55c
	48 lbs.	\$1.00
SOAP	C. W.	.25
	7 for	
SCOTT PAPER	Scott Tissue—3 for	25c
	Waldorf—3 for	.14
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48 lb Sack ..... \$1.29  
Gold Medal—48 lb Sack ..... \$1.75

GINGER BREAD MIX, Duff's—25c pkg. for ..... 20c

TUNA FISH, El Campo—2 for ..... 28c

ASPARAGUS—Winslow **14c**  
Green Tips and Cuts—No. 1 Can

Del Monte, Early Garden—No. 2 can ..... 23c  
Monarch, white—1 lb square can ..... 35c 3 for ..... \$1.00

PEACHES, Big M—gallon can ..... 39c

CHERRIES, Brimfull No. 2 can—2 for 25c

VINEGAR—Per gallon **25c**  
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6 lb Can ..... \$1.15

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