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JUDGING TEAM WINS SECOND CONSECUTIVE STATE CONTEST

The Clarendon F.F.A. milk judging team won their second consecutive state contest Saturday at Fort Worth in competition with teams from 74 other schools. Taboka finished second and Marshall third. The Clarendon team scored the best score ever turned in with a 41 total team score in the contest. Forrest Helton was high point man with a score of 8.33 on the seven samples of milk which bettered the previous top score of any individual in the previous contests by approximately three points. Carl Morris ranked seventh and Harice Green eleventh in individual rankings.

The local team will receive a free trip to Kansas City in October where they will represent Texas in the National Contests. Johnnie Leathers, Joe Williams, and Maschil Cole were members of the winning team in 1939.

The team members left Clarendon Friday morning and worked out at Harvey's Milk Plant in Fort Worth Friday afternoon. Following the workout, the group made a trip through the Armour and Swift packing plants, Friday afternoon. The team attended the rodeo Saturday afternoon, and returned home Sunday afternoon.

A large F.F.A. plaque was awarded the team by the Texas Milk Dealers Association, and possession of the large silver loving cup was retained for another year.

BRUMLEY-RUNDELL FIRM HAS DISSOLVED PARTNERSHIP

The partnership formerly known as Brumley & Rundell has been dissolved by mutual consent. H. C. Brumley will give his entire attention to the sale of the products of the Panhandle refining company, and to conducting the Panhandle service stations. The building was recently renovated and brought up to date in every particular for prompt and efficient service.

Lon Rundell will continue the Allis-Chalmers line of tractors and implements. He has purchased the brick building on the main street where he will have a complete stock at all times.

Both of the new firms have advertisements in this issue of the Leader informing the public fully of the service to be rendered.

JOHNNIE LEATHERS' CALF SELLS FOR 22 CENTS

Johnnie received 22 cents for his calf at the Amarillo stock show last week. Smith Bros., refinery operators, were responsible for the calf bid being raised from 17 1/2 cents to 22 cents. Mr. Devette Leathers stated Wednesday. Johnnie is most grateful for the consideration shown him.

GOING TO CALIFORNIA

A party of local ladies are leaving Saturday to spend two weeks with relatives in San Diego, Los Angeles and other California points. In the party will be Mrs. Frank Whitlock, Mrs. Will Johnson and Mrs. Jack Wilson. Others may join the party as the time of departure nears.

Lelia Pioneer Passes Today

RESIDENT OF DONLEY COUNTY THIRTY SIX YEARS

J. R. Mace, 87, prominent citizen and leader in Methodist church advancement in the Lelia Lake section since 1904, passed away at his home at 2 a. m. this Thursday morning. He had been ill for little more than a week suffering from pneumonia.

He is survived by his widow by a second marriage, and the following children: Mrs. Z. N. Williams and Mrs. J. A. Warren of Clarendon are the daughters. The sons are W. M. of Lelia; Frank of Amarillo; J. R. Jr. of Tacoma, Washington; E. B. of Ft. Worth; Tine Mace of Plainview.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Methodist church in Lelia Lake at 2 p. m. Friday, March 15th.

RATHJEN IN MEXICO

A postal received from him, locates Fred W. Rathjen as visiting in Raynosa, Mexico. The postal bore pictures of the city and offers inducements to spend some time there. The heavy Brinkley radio station is said to be located there, as well as other American investments.

HOT WATER HEATER BLOWS UP WEDNESDAY MORNING

Moving into their new home recently acquired from Frank Heath, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marvin Warren met with a new experience.

The family effects were being moved to the home Wednesday morning. Mrs. Warren was busy about directing where the furniture should be placed. In the meantime, the gas burner under the hot water heater in the basement had been lit. A loud explosive report caused Mrs. Warren to almost faint on the floor above. A survey of the damage disclosed a ruined hot water heater and damage to the walls and articles in the basement. Had Mrs. Warren been in the basement, it is said that she likely would not have escaped with her life.

Curtis Douglass Gives Platform

Curtis Douglass, popular Panhandle attorney and former District Judge, is a candidate for the state senate. Yesterday he announced his platform would be based on a fair deal in attempting to "better the welfare of Texas with action instead of promises."

"It is the duty of the Legislature to cooperate with the administration in power," he said. "If there is a failure on the part of the administration to chart the proper course, then the Legislature should lead the way. The mandate of the people should never be ignored. Legislators



CURTIS DOUGLASS

should live up to their campaign promises. A do nothing policy leads to ruin."

Douglass ran second to senator Small and was eliminated by a few hundred votes in 1936.

The candidate said, "I still believe no state lawmaker should represent corporations, interests and clients whose interests are contrary to the general welfare and still pretend to serve the people who elected him. I am a firm believer that every lawmaker should be required to file his inventory of property, under oath, when he is elected and another inventory at the end of each succeeding year, showing his people all sources of revenue obtained and from whom received. This would give the voter a check on all incomes of their public servants."

On pension matters, Douglass stated, "It is the mandate of the people that the pensions be paid, that the school teacher's retirement fund be paid, the blind be cared for and all other social security obligations be met. The voters decided all of this in no uncertain terms. I shall favor any reasonable tax bill to procure these funds as long as it does not incur hardships on any particular group or upon those we wish to aid. I do not think it proper for me to announce a cure-all law for any problem, for, after all, I would only be one of 31 senators that would have a voice in the matter."

"I do believe such a problem can be worked out satisfactorily by both the legislative and executive branches of the government to fulfill the mandate of the people, and I will (See DOUGLASS, Page 8)

GONE TO STOCK SHOW

Among the ranch people to visit the annual stock show in Ft. Worth are Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jeffries, and mother, Mrs. J. D. Jeffries.

District Court To Open Monday

FORTY TWO DELINQUENT TAX SUITS ARE FILED

Except for tax suits, the civil docket is light for the spring term of the District court opening here next Monday. It is believed that the usual rule will be followed with Judge A. S. Moss hearing the civil suits while district attorney John Deaver works with the Grand Jury.

Civil cases filed: Nellie Kute-man FHts vs. Lee Filts, divorce; Mrs. Ollie Risley vs. C. L. Risley, divorce; Ruby Dell Bland vs. Travis Bland, divorce.

State vs. Johnnie Cambell, injunction; State vs. Virgil Hagler, injunction; O. P. Hommel vs. C. C. Bogan and J. S. Morse, suit on note; Mrs. S. G. Phelps vs. W. V. Bain et al, trespass title; State vs. Ames Wall and D. K. Hall, injunction; W. M. Murrell vs. Ira C. Merchant, Gdn. et al, suit aside judgment.

James Doneghy, et al vs. Sam Owens, et al, title trespass; City of Clarendon vs. J. A. Upham, et al, injunction; State vs. Tom Adams, injunction.

Of the forty-two delinquent tax suits, sixteen are brought by the City, and twenty six by the Clarendon Independent School District.

EXAMINATIONS FOR LELIA LAKE POSTMASTER HERE

Those who expect to make application to take the examination for the post of postmaster at Lelia Lake, must do so by March 22nd.

The examination will be held in Clarendon by the postmaster. The Lelia office is classed as fourth and last year paid a salary of \$843.

Applicants must be patrons of the Lelia postoffice, and between the ages of 21 and 65. Blanks may be had of Postmaster Ellis, it is announced.

WEATHERLY IS APPOINTED PEACE JUSTICE MONDAY

Acting upon a petition bearing one hundred and ten names, the county commissioners appointed Mr. R. C. Weatherly Peace Justice of Precinct No. 2. The action became necessary with the death of Judge W. A. Davis March 5th.

Mr. Weatherly has been a resident of Clarendon for more than thirty years, and for many years was a carpenter and contractor.

ATTENDING CONVENTION

Those attending the Baptist District Convention held at Borger, today (Thursday) are Rev. and Mrs. J. Perry King, (Rev. King is president of this District) Mrs. A. T. Cole who is District Educational Chairman, Mrs. Sam Lowe, Mrs. Dexter Todd, Mrs. J. E. Burch, Mrs. Edd Barnes, Mrs. Hattie Wallace, Mrs. A. W. Simpson, Mrs. Mollie E. Grey, Mrs. U. Z. Patterson, Miss Lucille Wallace.

M. M. SOCIETY ZONE MEET AT HEDLEY FRIDAY

A District Zone meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society has been called to meet with the Hedley Methodist church tomorrow, Friday. The sessions will hold all day.

"Growth" is the theme for discussion and study in which a round table discussion will be heard. Mrs. E. S. Ballew will lead the morning devotionals.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Hays Robbins, who has been a patient in St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo suffering from pneumonia, is now at home. Though confined to her bed, she is said to be improving.

BUILDING CATCHES FIRE WHEN TRASH BURNED

Animated broom gymnastics ensued with H. J. Eddington yielding the handle when the trash he was burning in the rear of the building owned by Mrs. Eddington and long occupied by Frank Whitlock's barber shop suddenly caught fire about 9 a. m. today. The door and window frame was damaged. The fire department arrived just in time to prevent a disastrous fire, it is said.

LAW STUDENT HONOR ROLL

Robert Nichols, student of the law school in the State University, landed on the honor roll recently. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Nichols of Clarendon.

Three Charged With Felonies Brought Here

SAID TO HAVE ROBBED PHILLIPS STATION NOVEMBER 4th

Another chapter was added to the station robbery here when Hubert Lee Sisco, Frank Agee and Carlyle Shelton were returned to Clarendon from the Pampa jail Tuesday by Sheriff Guy Pierce, Deputy Guy Wright and county attorney John C. Knorrpp. Each are charged with "robbery by assault with firearms."

The men had been held in the Pampa jail since their sensational capture at Skellytown by a number of peace officers in a vice roundup November 28, 1939.

The Phillips station was being tended by Harry Paul Huckins the night of November 4th. A car in which were seated three men and a young woman came into the driveway. After getting gas, a gun was drawn, Huckins backed into a rest room and relieved of his watch and wallet, and the cash register was robbed.

All that Huckins could recall in the way of positive identification was the peculiar noise made by the car because of a faulty muffler. Later that night, the car was sighted by two highway cops north of Wellington. They later recalled the peculiar noise, and had talked to the occupants of the car at the time the car was stopped. The cops had not heard of the robbery and let the car proceed, but did take the car number. The alleged hijackers were later traced down by the car number by Pampa officers.

In the roundup of suspicious characters at Skellytown, in which local officers had a part, Frank Agee is said to have made a confession in which he allegedly implicated other parties, one of whom was Lois Oliver, the girl alleged to have been with the men at the time of the robbery here.

The Rogers girl was traced to Odessa and returned to the Pampa jail where she is said to have made a confession. She was removed to the local jail the 6th of December where she has since been held in default of a \$7,500 bond.

Deputy Guy Wright stated that Gray county highway robbery indictments were pending against the accused, but that their trials would come up here first during the session of district court convening Monday next.

\$300 IN PREMIUM MONEY WON BY F. F. A. MEMBERS AT AMARILLO STOCK SHOW

Members of the local F.F.A. chapter received approximately \$300 cash premium money on the stock they exhibited at the Amarillo Show, \$226 of the money was won in the swine division, and remainder evenly divided between the lamb and baby beef divisions.

Counting the fall pig show, the state fair, the Green Belt Poultry show, local Spring Show, and Amarillo Fat Stock Show, members of the local chapter have won approximately \$2,000 cash premiums this year on their livestock and poultry.

\$10,000 More To Patrons Of REA Service

LINES EXTEND INTO DONLEY COUNTY ON 244-MILE LINE

Five hundred and thirty-eight patrons have signed up for service over the Hall county electric cooperative to date.

To this number have been allotted \$13,000 for plumbing and wiring. The federal appropriation to date for construction of the line totals \$174,000. Rights-of-way is being contributed by counties and individuals since the government does not supply money for this need.

P. T. A. CONFERENCE DATE TWO DAYS, APRIL 17-18

Representatives from 26 counties will meet in Memphis for the Eighth District Conference of Parents and Teachers April 17-18. Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, chairman of the meet, and Supt. W. C. Davis of the Memphis schools, will be hosts to the conference.

A number of the members of the Sims P-T Association here will be in attendance, it is learned.

Holland Rites Are Said Mon.

HAD RESIDED IN DONLEY COUNTY 28 YEARS

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church at 2:30 Monday afternoon for Joe Holland, Sr. who passed away at his home here early Sunday. Rev. H. C. Gordon, his pastor, conducted the service, assisted by Rev. J. Berry King, pastor of the First Baptist church.

Mr. Holland was a member of the Methodist church 47 years, and a member of a Sunday school class for the aged here for years. That class of elderly men sat in one section of the pews as a mark of special respect for their deceased brother. One of the number, Mr. P. A. Buntin, almost ninety years of age, stood by the casket and paid a complimentary tribute to his classmate in Sunday school, closing with a touching song.

Members of the American Legion attended the casket. They are R. M. Chunn, Nathan L. Cox, B. C. Antrobus, Roy L. Clamphit, R. W. Moore and Walter Clifford.

Flowers in profusion were banked on the casket and the altar railing attesting the high esteem in which Mr. Holland was held by a legion of friends.

Mr. Holland married Miss Dora L. Ramsey at DeLeon, Texas September 2, 1880. To this union nine children were born, eight of whom survive and were present here Monday. Mrs. Holland passed away October 15, 1937.

The children are Mrs. E. E. Patterson, Roby; Lee and Joe Holland and Mrs. Clarence Pierce of Clarendon; John Holland, Hamlin; Mrs. W. W. Beaty, Rochester; Mrs. M. G. Whitfield, Hedley; Mrs. B. J. Leathers, Lelia Lake. In addition to the above, there are 21 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

LOCAL YOUTHS PARTICIPATE IN STATE F.F.A. PROGRAM

Carl Morris, chapter president, and J. R. Gillham, local adviser, attended the Gold Key Banquet of the Texas F.F.A. Association Friday night at Fort Worth. Gillham was one of the three teachers awarded the honorary state farmer degree for outstanding F.F.A. work as an adviser.

Morris participated in a statewide radio program over station WBAP at ten o'clock Saturday morning in which he was able to give Donley County some good publicity as a feed producing area.

Joe Williams' application for the American Farmer Degree was approved by the State Executive Committee. Joe has been an outstanding member of the local chapter for four years, and he was one of the four students in the 83 schools in Area I whose application was approved. If his application is approved by the national committee, he will receive a free trip to Kansas City next fall to receive the degree at the National F.F.A. Convention.

PASTOR CHURCH OF CHRIST TALKS TO F.F.A. BOYS

Scientific farming and scientific breeding of stock was practiced in Biblical times, according to C. G. Smith, who spoke to approximately forty F.F.A. members and guests, the night of March 12th. Mr. Smith's talk on agriculture of the past, present, and future was well received by the interested group of young farmers.

Lee Christie gave a report of the trip to the Amarillo Stock Show, and Forrest Helton made a report of the judging team to the state contests at Fort Worth. Carl Morris reported the proceedings of the gold key banquet at Fort Worth, Friday, March 8th.

NORWOOD PHARMACY HAS NEW FOUNTAIN SERVICE

The new fountain was installed Wednesday. Like other equipment, advances of progress has affected the fountain service as well as most anything else. This fountain is 12 feet in length. Instead of the heavy marble, the material is an enameled "bakelite" material highly embellished. The receptacles are so placed as to be at the ready reach of the 'soda jerker' without loss of time or steps. It's something new in fountains that can't be described.

RETURN FROM DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Land returned from Dallas Tuesday. Mrs. Land had been there for medical treatment. Mrs. Ted Combest and Mrs. Dubb Scott, who went with them, visited relatives in Dallas.

\$16,336 ALLOTTED DONLEY CO. FARM TO MARKET ROADS

YOUNG DEMOCRATS ORGANIZE AND ELECT OFFICERS

At an organization meeting held at the City Hall, J. R. Gillham was elected president of the Donley County Young Democrats Club. John Knorrpp was elected 1st Vice-president, and Isadore Mellinger, secretary-treasurer. The group voted to send representatives to the regional meeting at Amarillo Saturday.

S. M. Payne, John Knorrpp, and L. C. Neece were appointed to act as a committee to make plans for a membership banquet to be held in the near future. A membership drive is being made this week, and the organization plans to send a delegate to the state meeting at Beaumont if any degree of success is obtained in the membership drive.

TAG DAYS ARE UNHAPPY DAYS

CARS OPERATING IN TEXAS AFTER APRIL 1, 1940 MUST BEAR LICENSE PLATES OF 1940, ACCORDING TO THE LAWS OF THIS STATE.

Less than three hundred license tags had been purchased up to last night, with approximately nine hundred more to be bought before the 1st.

In the rush, the buyer will save a lot of time by taking the old registration receipt to the office of the tax collector. If the receipt cannot be found, take the tag number. If you will do either one, you will save time, and at the same time save the tax collectors the trouble of looking up the records of the previous year.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Simmons of Oklahoma City spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Harriet Kilgore, and relatives at Lelia.

MEMORY LANE

(From the Leader, issue of March 11, 1930—10 years ago.)

Mayor H. W. Taylor proclaims April 7-12 as Cleanup Week.

The Geo. Bugbee store building is nearing completion. (The Utilities company is moving to this building this month.) The City drug store rented the building.

The old building has been cleared away, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holland Sr. are to have a new brick home.

R. L. Stegall and Homer Gorman are constructing a duplex.

Holland Bros. and H. C. Brumley are putting their part of the paving on the city ditch abutting their respective properties.

The trial of Oscar Brown, charged with the murder of Ritchey, Hedley nightwatchman, is scheduled for trial the 24th.

Mrs. H. W. Kelly, wife of a former planing mill operator here, died in Memphis Monday.

L. Ballew celebrated his 72nd birthday. He and Mrs. Ballew had all the children home for the day. The celebration took place at the home of a son, Wilson Ballew in Amarillo.

C. R. Mitchell, local barber died at 6:30 this Thursday morning.

Dr. E. E. Robison will preach the Easter sermon at the Methodist church, announced pastor Sam E. Allison.

"Winning Widow" is the name of the play to be presented at the Windy Valley school next Friday night. The Brice school will show "Civil Service" the same night.

T. Jones reports the largest receipt of plant orders to date in the history of his plant business.

Will Rogers, it is announced, will act as master of ceremonies tomorrow night in a radio broadcast complimentary to Sousa's band.

SALESMEN WIN MEXICO TRIP LEAVING TUESDAY

Making their first journey into the land of strange mystery and ancient structures dating back hundreds of years is Frank Thomas of the Clarendon furniture store here, and W. D. Bryson of the Amarillo Maytag store, both employees of J. Frank Heath.

These men won the trip in a salesmen contest sponsored by a radio corporation. They boarded a special train Tuesday night at Dallas that will take them to Mexico City and return.

ATTEND EASTERN STAR

Attending the Eastern Star session here from Memphis were Mesdames Chas. Webster, Slover, Draper, Durham, Arthur Howard.

SAN ANTONIO, March 13.—Authorization to begin work on 26 WPA projects, involving expenditures of \$626,889 in Work Projects Administration funds, and \$426,930 supplied by local governmental agencies, has been given Texas district managers, it was announced today by Stearns S. Tucker, deputy state administrator.

WPA funds to the amount of \$9,917 has been earmarked for reconstruction and improvement on Donley county farm-to-market roads. The county will supply \$6,419, mostly in materials, under this set-up. Fifty five workers will be given jobs, according to the announcement from San Antonio.

Since the first of the year, WPA road projects of this nature came under county-wide supervision by a vote of the county commissioners. This more nearly equalizes the needs to be given attention in the various precincts, it is said.

Work is expected to begin just as soon as the required laborers are released from other WPA jobs, or in the event sufficient certified WPA men can be had to meet the federal requirements.

PANHANDLE BAPTISTS MEET IN BORGER TODAY

District Ten Convention composed of 100 Baptist churches of the Panhandle convened in Borger this morning. Rev. J. Perry King is president of the convention.

Stace secretary R. C. Campbell, Mrs. S. F. Martin of Memphis and Dr. John L. Hill of Nashville, Tennessee will be the speakers today.

Friday morning, aside from Sunday school conferences conducted by leading officials and teachers of the state, WMU conferences will be in progress. Mrs. D. A. Grundy of Memphis, district president, will be in charge. Among the speakers will be Hon. H. C. Pipkin and Judge A. J. Polley of Amarillo.

HERE FROM PANHANDLE

Mrs. Cal Merchant had as visitors Wednesday, her sister, Mrs. J. L. Carhart of Panhandle. Mrs. Carhart was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Gladice Roberts, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Leroy Carhart.

Furniture Man Moves Family To Amarillo

J. MARVIN WARREN BECOMES MANAGER OF STORE HERE

Some ten years ago, J. Frank Heath came to Clarendon to engage in the furniture business. Through the years that business has grown until today he has the largest business of the kind in a town of this size in the Texas Panhandle, and owns the building in which it is located.

Some three years ago Mr. Heath started a similar business in Amarillo. Now that business has grown to such an extent as to claim the major portion of his attention, though he will spend a portion of each week here.

J. Marvin Warren, native son of Donley county, who has been with the firm for the past nine years, becomes local manager. There will be no change in the policies of the firm, it was stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Heath and small son Jimmy Frank, moved to Amarillo Monday. They left with great reluctance because of leaving so many friends. They have meant much to Clarendon and Donley county in many ways, and their presence here will be greatly missed.

Employees of the store here are J. Marvin Warren, manager, and Frank Thomas, B. P. Brents, W. C. Schull, L. C. Phillips, W. A. Baten, O. L. and Joe Pops.

MRS. MORRIS HEADS LOCAL TAX COMMISSION

Yardsticks by which Clarendon's local government may be tested by the average citizen were offered for the first time today by the National Consumers Tax Commission of which Mrs. C. B. Morris is Clarendon chairman.

With municipal betterment as its 1940 goal the commission has suggested to its unit in 5,000 towns throughout the country means for making friendly and helpful examinations of local government services and the town's financial condition.

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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.

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NEWS FOR IN-LAWS.

You have got to hand it to us Americans. Despite wars abroad and all sorts of economic headaches right here at home, we can still find time to organize a national movement to spread sweetness and light among in-laws.

In its own way this movement is spectacular, and it's pleasing to see that the newspapers found enough space to give it a decent headline

among the regular day-by-day stories of the world's woe. As reported in New York last week, the big movement is to make this nation conscious of the sterling worth of mothers-in-law.

The whole subject received study at the second annual meeting of the Mother-in-Law Association, a country-wide organization of 2,500 members. And as a result of the study, a plan is underfoot to have all Ameri-

ca's in-laws call their in-law mothers by another name. The new name is "kin-mother," doing away entirely with all reference to the law.

The association (which incidentally has become the Kin-Mother Association) decided on the new name after giving consideration to several hundred suggestions. "Kin-Mother" won hands down.

All hail to the Kin-Mother Association, and hurrah for our kin-mothers! Any objections?—Clayton News.

CIVIC PRIDE THAT COUNTS.

Congratulations to the civic minded folks of Texico who have launched the idea of a little park in the center of town. They deserve the support and encouragement of every civic minded person in the Twin Cities. Since there are no natural retreats in the immediate section that might be converted into park sites, we must build them if we are to enjoy them. Get behind the park movement - it will be an investment that you will be proud of in the years to come.—State Line Tribune.

ANIMATED FASHION PLATE.

Blackouts will cause knockouts. A high wind from the west was a blackout here Friday afternoon. We needed another arm, what with the skirt trying to blow over the head and the new spring lid trying to break loose for a trip up the alley. It took a lot of acrobatics to keep this from happening, and it would be at the time the new boy friend passed. There's going to be a gentleman knocked out by a lady on some

windy day.—Gertie Haskett in Childress News.

RUNNINGBOARD HOPPERS, TOO.

Country weeklies are not the only papers that make mistakes. Last Sunday the Dallas News carried a large picture upside down. Speaking of the News, that grand old paper has promised its readers that it will show no more debutantes and escorts at banquets sipping their champagne, wine, or what have you. They showed some such parties lately, and in the people's section they certainly crawled all over the News—hence the promise.—Terry County Herald.

YOU SAID IT, BROTHER!

Editors have different ideas about what constitutes good newspaper copy, but without exception that we have ever noted, they are all opposed to amateur poetry. Amateur poetry is neither news nor poetry. In such a band of thinkers we have a charter membership.—Tulia Herald.

Memphis City Council Accepts Gas Rate

MEMPHIS, March 11.—The lengthy gas rate controversy came to an end here Saturday, when the city council accepted the offer of the United Gas Co., of a reduction in rates from 67½ cents per thousand cubic feet of gas to \$1 for the first thousand cubic feet, and 50 cents per thousand cubic feet of gas for additional consumption.

MIDWAY
 Mrs. John Goldston

Miss Claudine Haley is staying in the W. K. Davis home and attending school in Clarendon since her parents moved to Silverton the past week.

The W. D. Higgins family and Mrs. Marguerite Cole and Bobby Nell spent Friday in Amarillo at the Fat Stock show.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Naylor of Hedley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes Sunday eve.

Mrs. Herbert Johnston is at Groom ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Longan and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Longan visited in the Zeb Morris home Monday. Melvin Morris has been ill some time with an infected tooth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Longan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Mosley at Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams and daughter spent the week end at Lockney with relatives.

Mrs. Romeo Dgriick visited her daughter Mrs. Donald Harlen Tues. Mrs. Edwin Eanes and Mrs. Leslie Pickering attended the Teachers meeting at Canyon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Goldston visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Leek Saturday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goldston visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett Wilson of McLean Wednesday and attended to business in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Goldston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Russom in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis visited in the Pat Longan home Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Easterling was taken ill while visiting her mother, Mrs. Moreland the past week. She is under treatment of Drs. at Groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Moreland are enjoying a visit of their grand baby, while his mother is ill.

Mrs. John Naylor is spending the week in Pampa with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain and son visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pickering and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes Sunday.

Miss Yvonne Smith and Joe Frank Heathington visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pickering Sunday eve.

Mrs. W. D. Higgins and Mrs. Marguerite Cole and Bobby Nell visited Mrs. Donald Harlen Sunday.

4,000 BOYS WANTED IN CCC IN TEXAS DURING APRIL

Four thousand Texas boys will be needed in April to bring the Civilian Conservation Corps to full strength. Adam R. Johnson, director of the state department of Public Welfare announced Wednesday.

RELATIVES FROM DISTANCE ATTENDED CROSS RITES

Relatives of Mr. Gordie D. Cross attending the funeral service were many, as well as a large number of Hall county citizens and surrounding sections. Mr. Cross died March 6th in a Memphis hospital. He was a pioneer of the Brice country.

Relatives referred to above are Mr. and Mrs. John Cross and son, Shreveport, La.; Mr. and Mrs. M. Neeley, Texico, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Acale Cross and daughter, Canyon; C. R. Cross, Tucumcari, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Cross McDaniel, Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Acale McDaniel, Silverton; Mrs. Joe McWhorter, and Billie McDaniel of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. J. Lenley, Hollis, Oklahoma.

Sharecropper's Status Under AAA Program

All persons who will be interested in the Soil Depleting crops on any farm are entitled to share in the benefit payments under the farm program in proportion to their acreage of such soil depleting crops. According to recent advice from the Washington office all persons who will be interested in the soil depleting crops on the farm must be shown on the application for payment.

No scheme or device should be employed that will tend to reduce the payment to an operator or sharecropper under the AAA program. Some of the schemes used are: charging rent for buildings; charging pasturage for stock; requiring tenants to pay taxes on land; and bonus rentals. Payment may be withheld from any person employing any of devices in order to secure a larger share of the government payment. The County Agricultural Conservation Committee is required to make investigation into any such cases coming to their notice and make a report to the State office in order that proper distribution of payments may be made.

Complete ceremonial costume of Texas' Comanche Indians is on display at the University of Texas anthropology museum.


PASTIME THEATRE

LAST TIMES FRIDAY—MARCH 15th.
 Spencer Tracy and Robert Young
 —in—
"NORTHWEST PASSAGE"
 Fox News.
 10—25c

SATURDAY ONLY—MARCH 16th.
 Charles Laughton and Clark Gable
 —in—
"MUTINY ON THE BOUNTY"
 Sports Reel and Cartoon.
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Saturday Prevue, Sunday and Monday—March 16-17-18th.

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 Original Story by Charles Mackler
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TUESDAY ONLY—MARCH 19th.
 Edward Ellis and Anita Louise
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"MAIN STREET LAWYER"
 Traveltalk in Color.
 Bargain Day 10 cents to all.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—MARCH 20-21st.

.. Clark Gable's at his best as the two-fisted, gambling, fighting boss of Frisco's underworld.. and lovely Jeannette (Rose Marie) MacDonald is his golden-voiced sweetheart singing "WOULD YOU" and Score of hit songs!



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TEMPLE OF TRUTH

By the Apostle

ELECTION RETURNS.

Most of the folks are getting all set for one of the hottest, if not the hottest campaigns in history this year, so far as state races are concerned. That recalls the election report from Santos, Brazil last week, down in a section where they can "fight in peace." The report reads: "65 members elected to town assembly Sunday, 10 people killed and 33 wounded. Election quietest in years."

FOUNDATION OF ETIQUET.

In getting his folks to face a civilized status without too much loss of time, Washington caused a book on etiquette to be issued in 1779. The title of the book is "110 Rules of Civility," a copy of which may be found in several eastern museums to this day. A sample reads: "Talk not with meat in your mouth, cleanse not your teeth with the tablecloth, napkin or fork, but with a bone toothpick easily carried in the pantaloons pocket. In coughing, sneezing or yawning, put your handkerchief over the face, and in strangling while imbibing ale or other liquids, leave the table temporarily." Eating in those days kept a fellow as busy as a prairie dog with two holes.

GEORGIA POLITICS.

We of Texas may have some peculiar slants to our politics, but we don't know a thing about rampant politics. Over in Georgia, W. L. Miller is chairman of the highway commission. He and Gov. Rivers fell out. Rivers called out the National Guard and declared martial law. He instructed the lads to keep Miller out of the highway building. Then Miller

gets before Federal Judge Bascom Deaver and secures an injunction to prevent the National Guard lads from interfering with the discharge of his duties. Since then, every time the chairman of the Highway Commission starts into the building, the uniformed lads throw him out. That's been going on for two months, it is said, and the taxpayers are footing the bill for that expensive lot of foolishness. Could that stuff be pulled in Texas?

QUELLING THE CASE.

Speaking of courts and antics, a few weeks ago three prominent young men were walking along the highway near Nassau, N. H. Along came a prominent attorney. The three are said to have highjacked the old boy, then took him into town by driving his car for him. When the case came to trial, the youths made a pauper plea and the judge appointed the injured party, the highjacked lawyer, to defend the young men who were charged with robbing him. Well, that seemed to add another phase to the matter. A continuance was asked, and the case later "thrown out of court!"

HIGHER SALARY.

Mickey Rooney, the young movie star, gets more salary than all nine of the supreme court judges. He doesn't have to wear a mother-hub-bard to get it, either.

BOTH EASY AND HARD.

One of the easiest things to understand, and the hardest to learn, is that the time to save money is when you've got some, said old Poke Jar-old Saturday.

CUSSED BY MAIL.

Down at Miami, Florida last week, Thomas E. Gallagher, 61, was found guilty of writing a letter to the President using cuss words. He was sentenced to the federal prison for a term of five years.

POVERTY'S ADVANTAGE.

One of the advantages of being poor is that one can't afford a temperment.

ANTIQUITY FURNITURE.

Ima Fizzle says that the proper definition to the word "antique" is a piece of furniture upon which the last installment has been paid.

INDEPENDENT GUY.

Don't feel too harshly toward the tightwad. He is the one individual you are never taxed to support.

CULTURE IN SETBACK.

About the time we get to thinking that the human race is advancing in the matter of intelligence, some blamed fool heads into a flock of phone poles thinking that he is driving a mowing machine.

NEGLECTED KIDS, MAYBE.

Growups used to know there was no Santa Claus, and the kids thought there was. Now with the New Deal, grown folks know there is a Santa, and the kids think there isn't.

MEMBER BACK WHEN?

There was a time when women were so proud of a new calico dress that they sent samples of it in letters to the relatives. If the mother got a letter with as many as three different calico samples in it, she just knew that she had a fine son-in-law.

GOING UP OR DOWN?

Some of the publishers who could not get in on the beer ad schedules, resort to running leg pictures. The beer guzzler goes down in the gutter, but the woman chaser goes up—to the house where his wife doesn't live. It all depends upon what form of "culture" you are trying to follow.

HER GREATEST ASSET.

A short time ago a cyclone destroyed much of Albany, Georgia killing a number of her citizens. Reading of the disaster in the dailies, we never expected the customary exchange the next week because the plant was wrecked. But she came through in flying colors. On the front page in black type we read: "Despite all our sadness and loss of relatives, friends and property, we still have our greatest asset—our citizens. That is the motive power of programs. That is the vital dynamo which gives assurance that a finer Albany will rise from the wreckage and disaster which left ruin in its wake, but never took the heart out of people who have made Albany what she is."

MILLION DOLLAR IDEA.

A fellow came in a few days ago whom we had not seen for 27 years. During that time we've found no harm in him and about the same amount of good. He goes along, never talks ill of any one, never reads anything and appears to enjoy life. When he got ready to leave, he sent the Leader to his daughter whom he said "worried a lot about the hardships of other folks" and would like to hear from her old home section. That old boy may have the right angle after all, as to his personal fancies of living.

FREE ADVERTISING.

Fourteen snuff manufacturers are said to have guaranteed Jerry Sadler a continuous supply for his personal use if he will only mention the name of the snuff occasionally in his speeches this summer. "My fellow countrymen, Jarrot snuff, I pledge you that I will not be talking over radios on Sunday. Scotch snuff, neither will I be idle in the basement of the capitol. Dental snuff, while digging out the corrupt professional politicians who never knew the blessings, Garrett snuff, of a hillbilly governor, even if they thought they were buying one the last term, etc." Great stuff!

YOUTHFUL ASPECTS.

Talking with bright boys and girls as they come and go each week, we

find one outstanding trait about them that we like most. Youth lives in the present and future. Realizing that the past has no hope, no possibilities to offer, youth looks ahead to tomorrow—the only place that possibilities and hope can be found. If better times are in store they must come from solutions worked out in the future. If better and more efficient living is in store for the race, it must come out of discoveries made in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Bagby went to Dallas Monday on a business trip.

CLARENDON CHRONICLE

(Taken from the Clarendon Chronicle, issue of March 12, 1940.)

Judge B. H. White is very low, and is expected to pass away any time. Noland & Co. have shipped over 2,000 cases of eggs since January 1st.

Clarendon teachers will take a part in the program of the Pan-handle Teacher's Assn. at Memphis. They are R. E. Black, M. L. Williams, Miss Gable Belts, T. E. Kennedy, Mrs. T. E. Kennedy, W. R. Silvey. T. S. Bugbee, Frank Collinson, I. W. Carhart Jr. and C. J. Parke were selected as delegates to the state republican convention in a meeting held in Taylor's hardware the 19th. John McLean is back in college again after a siege of illness. I. W. Carhart made his final report as assignee of Morris Rosenfield in the district court Monday.

One of the best saddle horses and a saddle were stolen on Mrs. L. R. Dyer's ranch near Goodnight Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Goodnight visited here Monday on their way to Goodnight. They had been seeing the stockmen's convention exhibit in Ft. Worth. W. B. Parks, pastor of the Christian church will hold Easter services Sunday. Otto Mangold plead guilty to carrying a pistol and paid a \$25 and costs amount to a total of \$47.80 in county court Monday.

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FRUITS AND VEGETABLES	CORN FLAKES White Swan—2 for 19c
SPUDS—Red or White 10 lb Mesh Bag 24c	RICE—Fancy Bulk 3 1/2 lb 21c
NEW SPUDS—lb 8c 2 lb for 15c	CATSUP—Del Haven 14 oz. Bottle 15c
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McDOWELL CLUB

Members of this Club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. E. Thompson with a very entertaining program of music by Texas composers.

Mrs. Burch, leader of the program, gave a paper on lives of three Texas composers. This was followed by a selection of three original piano compositions of Mrs. Millard Word, and played by Mrs. Word. Miss Jo Word then gave a vocal number, "Hills of Home," by Fox, a Texas composer.

Mrs. Millard Word then played three more of her piano compositions.

After the program, choral practice was held.

Thirteen members and one guest was present.

VADA WALDRON CIRCLE

This Circle met with Mrs. Alfred Estlack Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Lloyd Rhoades presided at the business meeting. Mrs. J. Perry King resigned as teacher, and Mrs. Geo. McCleskey was elected teacher. Mrs. King was elected assistant teacher.

Mrs. McCleskey gave part of a chapter from the book "Stewardship Parables of Jesus."

Refreshments were served to Meses. John McCauley, Geo. McCleskey, J. P. King, Elvis Hurch, Lloyd Rhoades, Verna Lusk, Hollis Neece, U. Z. Patterson, Dexter Todd, Olin Bain and hostess.

MARTIN GARDEN CLUB

The Martin Garden Club met March 8, with Mrs. Bill Waddell and Mrs. A. T. Tolbert as hostesses.

As this was the first meeting of our second year's work, new officers were elected. They were as follows: President, Mrs. J. C. Gibbs; Vice-president, Mrs. V. R. Jordan; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Guy Sibley; Reporter, Mrs. Jack Eddings.

Delicious ice cream and cake was served to members, Meses. J. C. Gibbs, V. R. Jordan, Guy Sibley, J. T. Easterling, Burk Debord, J. H. Helton, Asa Peabody, L. O. Christie, E. Baley, Jack Eddings. Guests: Miss Kitty Ruth Baley and Ruby Lee Tolbert.

The Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. E. Baley on March 22nd.

MRS. HENRY STOGNER ENTERTAINS

The Windy Valley Club met in the home of Mrs. Henry Stogner, March 6th, Wednesday afternoon.

Much work was done on the Moon and Star quilt. The members drew for polyantha friends during the business hour; everyone enjoyed the afternoon very much.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mrs. E. D. Wilmeth, Mrs. Henry Riffe, Mrs. I. M. Noble, Mrs. Cap Anderson, Mrs. Carl Barker, Mrs. W.H. Barker, Mrs. Waddell, Mrs. Crome, Vera Barker, Jo Nell Stogner and hostess, Mrs. Henry Stogner.

The next meeting, March 20, will be held with Mrs. Cap Anderson.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Mrs. Glen Williams was hostess to the members and guests of this club at her country home Tuesday afternoon. President, Mrs. C. R. Skinner, opened the meeting by leading the Lord's prayer. Scripture reading by Mrs. Teal.

The regular meeting time was changed from 2 to 2:30 p. m. The next meeting will be March 26 at the home of Mrs. Womack. The club members are helping Mrs. Williams piece a silk quilt.

Mrs. Williams served a delicious plate luncheon to invited guests, Mrs. James Ballew of Elk City, Okla., and Emily Ann Smith; club members Mesdames C. R. Skinner, Allene Skinner, L. Ballew, G. J. Teal, M. E. Thornton, Eva Womack, J. A. Meaders, H. Tyree, Misses Katie Meaders and Mable Mongole.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Mrs. J. T. Patman entertained with a lovely two-course 7 o'clock dinner Tuesday at her home, when she invited a few of their many friends to help celebrate her husband, J. T. Patman's birthday.

Their daughter Evelyn and son Bill sent them a 31 pound home cured ham which was baked and served with the other good things to make a ham dinner complete.

Pot plants of amaryllis, begonia and others were placed in the guest room to make them more pleasant.

After the dinner was served, games of 42 were enjoyed.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Tom Connally, Bennett Kerbow, U. J. Boston, Joe Goldston, A. A. Mayes, Bill Patman, Mrs. Test, Miss Mantie Graves and hosts, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patman.

QUILTING PARTY

An all day quilting and covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Nichols Tuesday. Mrs. Nichols gave the two quilts that were quilted to the Buckner Orphans home. There were 23 ladies present.

PATHFINDER CLUB

March 9th was "Texas Day" in the Pathfinder club and the program was, perforce, of more than ordinary interest. The meeting was opened with the Club Collect which is beautiful and impressive.

The Club voted to endorse Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview for the presidency of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Roll call was responded to with "Texas Heroes" and much brief but vitally interesting Texas history resulted. Then the Club stood and gave the pledge, first to the Texas flag, then to the Stars and Stripes, and sang "Texas, Our Texas."

Mrs. Bigger, program leader, gave a few facts about Laiva Krey, author of the book to be reviewed, after which Mrs. H. T. Burton introduced Mrs. T. M. Harrison of Memphis, guest reviewer for the afternoon. She reviewed "And Tell of Time" which she said was sometimes called the "Texas Gone With the Wind." Giving the background of the story which was Georgia immediately after the close of the Civil War, she followed the fortunes of the chief characters through the coming of Texas, the Reconstruction Days, and then through the early days of Texas history—carrying her listeners with her in absorbed interest. The "Stars and Stripes" and the "Stars and Bars" were in evidence to add to the patriotic atmosphere.

The hostesses, Mesdames Sella Gentry and A. T. Cole, served refreshments to the reviewer, Mrs. T. M. Harrison, and Mrs. Byron Baldwin, another guest from Memphis, and Mrs. George Ryan, and a large number of the membership of the club.

MISSIONARY CIRCLES

The Circles of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Wednesday afternoon.

Circle No. 1 met with Mrs. John M. Bass as hostess. Eleven members and two visitors present. Mrs. J. R. Gillham gave the Bible study. Mrs. Bass served lovely refreshments.

Circle No. 2 met at the church, eleven members being present.

Circle No. 3 met in the home of Mrs. Carrie Soltelle. Mrs. C. A. Burton gave the Bible lesson. Thirteen members were in attendance.

After the business meeting Francis Grady led a very interesting program on furniture lines. Ethelyn Drennan gave "Application of Antiques to Modern Lines", and Betty Jo Caraway gave some generalization facts along with illustrations.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Ethelyn Drennan, Francis Grady, Jo Word, Edith Shelton, Myrtle Hall, Betty Jo Caraway, Velma Alexander, Ruth Hamm, Ruth MacDonald, Mary K. Todd, Zackie Salmon, Johnnie Rhodes, Billie Lou Gilbert, Miss Howren, Edna Earl Alexander and hostesses.

JESSE BURCH CELEBRATES FIFTH BIRTHDAY

Jesse Cleo Burch celebrated his 5th birthday with a party at his home, Saturday afternoon. A variety of outdoor games were played. The gifts were opened by the host, after which refreshments were served. The green and white St. Patrick color scheme was used.

Those present were Carolyn Peabody, Ira Jean and Patricia Ann Estlack, Doris Jean and Glynn Wallace, Bobby Gene Lusk, Guy Alden Wright, Sammy Lee Patterson, Buster Bain, Coy Pierce.

One of Jesse's most prized gifts was a calf given him by his grandfather.

YOUNG MATRON'S HARMONY CLASS

Mrs. Homer McElvany and Mrs. Haskel Kemp were hostesses to the Young Matron's Harmony Sunday School Class of the Methodist church at the home of Mrs. McElvany Thursday afternoon when the class met in a business and social party. The St. Patrick colors were carried out in the refreshments and napkins.

Those present were guest Mrs. H. C. Gordon; members, Meses. O. C. Watson, Ben Andis, Homer Bones, H. T. Warner, Clarence Whitlock, Lester Schull, Paul Shelton, Claude McGowen, Walter Hutchins, Haskel Kemp, McElvany.

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DORCUS ALEATHAN S. S. CLASS

Met in a social in the Baptist church parlor Thursday afternoon. Mrs. U. Z. Patterson, Mrs. Olin Bain and Mrs. Bryan Armstrong were hostesses. Mrs. U. Z. Patterson presided at a short business meeting.

The afternoon was spent in piecing a quilt.

The Easter motif was used in refreshments and favors.

Refreshments were served to 24 members.

THE MARTIN QUILTING CLUB

Met with Mrs. Walter Morrow, Thursday 7th with 10 members present and 3 new members. One quilt was almost finished.

We drew names for a present exchange at our next meeting.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A few school mates of James Wesley Palmer were invited to help celebrate his 11th birthday Friday at his home. Various indoor games and also outdoor games were enjoyed. Lovely and useful gifts were given, opened and admired.

In the late afternoon, Mrs. Palmer served a lovely refreshment to Elise Norwood, Mary Ann Bromley, Ada Sue Smith, Melba Ruth Grady, Guida Myri Miller, Patsy Molesworth, Dorothy Jean Tatum, Jimmy Douglas, Manly Bryan, Max Keys, Billy Marvin Land, Tommy Goodner, Leroy Butler, and honoree, James Wesley Palmer.

1912 NEEDLE CLUB

Thursday afternoon, the members and guests of this Club met in the home of Mrs. A. A. Mayes, spending several hours in doing fancy needle work, visiting and conversation.

Mrs. Mayes, the hostess, served a lovely plate luncheon to invited

guests, Meses. D. O. Stallings, Davidson, Simmons Powell, and Club members, Meses. J. T. Patman, Ed Dishman, J. T. Sims, B. L. Jenkins, H. Glascoe, A. A. Mayes.

CLARENDON H. D. CLUB

Members of this Club will meet with Mrs. H. J. Eddington Friday, March 15th at 2:30 p. m.

PICKETT BROTHERS LIKE THIS SECTION FINE

Here on a matter of business Tuesday were J. B. Pickett of Hedley, and T. H. Pickett of near Shamrock. J. B. has lived near Hedley for more than thirty-two years. T. H. has been in the same location near Shamrock twenty years. Both are farmers and make a success of it when seasons and prices are fair.

Mrs. W. A. Davis is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ross Baker in Amarillo.

Mrs. Don Martin and Mrs. Lola Thurman of Amarillo visited their mother, Mrs. Ed Barnes Monday.

Mrs. Archie C. Hallmark and children of Shamrock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Kutch and other relatives here over the week end.

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PICKLES—Sour or Dill Quart Jar 15c

CATSUP 16 oz. Can 10c



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CELERY—Large Stalks 15c
CABBAGE, firm heads—lb 3c
Onions, Spanish Sweets—3 lb ... 10c
APPLES, Winesaps—Doz. 15c
Oranges, Texas full of juice, Pk. 39c
Grapefruit, large size—2 for ... 5c

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Range Program Begins May 1st

COLLEGE STATION, March 14.—Ranchmen planning to use deferred grazing to earn payments under the AAA's range conservation program must submit in writing a designation of the acreage to be deferred before the practice is started.

Since the five-month periods for deferred grazing vary in different sections of the state, ranchmen should notify the county Agricultural Conservation Association committees as to the acreage to be deferred in ample time before the deadline for their sections, Howard T. Kingsberry, state ACA committee man from Santa Anna, pointed out.

In Donley county, the deferred grazing will be carried out from May 1 to October 15. By deferring 25 percent of the range land in the ranching unit from grazing during the specified period, the ranchman may earn 40 percent of his maximum range-improvement allowance. He may earn an additional 25 percent by adopting supplemental practices if the county committee so recommends.

Classified Advertisements

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FOR SALE—Or would trade: 1 Model A car; 1 model A truck; 1 Chevrolet coupe; 1 Residence. Major B. Hudson, Clarendon, Texas. (521fc)

FOR SALE—Flowers for every purpose. Deliveries made promptly. You have a choice selection for special days, weddings or funeral. Mrs. F. A. Cooper at the Clarendon Greenhouse. (351fc)

FOR SALE—Beer by the case, 6 1/2 cents a bottle. Pay Cash Grocery, 2300 West 6th Avenue, Amarillo. (441fc)

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FOR RENT—Down stairs southeast apartment. Mrs. Ruddle. (2-1fc)

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MALE HELP WANTED Good Watkins route open now in Clarendon. No car or experience necessary; Watkins Company largest and best known and products easiest sold; usual earnings \$20 to \$35 a week. Write J. R. WATKINS COMPANY, 70-72 W. Iowa, Memphis, Tenn. (4-p)

WANTED—Many items you have about the house or farm. Turn these odds and ends into cash by selling them through the Want Ad column? Everybody reads them, and they bring results. See what 25c will do for you.

WANTED—Mature woman to do light housekeeping. Board, room and small wages. John S. Morgan, Clarendon. (21fc)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: J. W. (Jess) ADAMSON GUY WRIGHT

County Superintendent of Schools: G. W. KAVANAUGH C. W. HOWARD RALPH STEWART RUTH M. RICHERSON

For County Commissioner: Precinct 1 JOHN HERMESMEYER Precinct 2: G. G. REEVES PINK RODGERS Precinct 4: MARVIN HALL

HUDGINS Mrs. S. M. Harp

There were only 27 out for Sunday school and preaching Sunday. We all enjoyed Mrs. Stonestiffer's talk after Sunday school. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Putman, Freida, L. M. Jr., Yvonne and Joan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Garland and family of near Goodnight. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Perdue and Ronald spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue and family. Mr. George Self called in the H. E. Christie home Monday. Misses Annie and Floree Talley were the week end guests of Miss Valetta Mills of Goodnight. Miss Lovie Faye Wood spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Audrey Perdue.

Political Announcements

Cash in advance for all political announcements will be a rule rigidly adhered to in this column. No special favors will be shown based on past experience.

The Leader is authorized to make the announcements of candidates in this column, subject to the action of the democratic primary, July 27, 1940:

For State Senate: 31st Senatorial District MAX BOYER CURTIS DOUGLASS

For District Judge: 100th Judicial District A. S. MOSS

For District Attorney: 100th Judicial District JOHN DEEVER ELGAR L. ROBERTSON

For District Clerk: WALKER LANE

For County Judge: R. Y. KING

For County Attorney: JOHN C. KNORPP

For County Clerk: W. G. WORD

For County Treasurer: MRS. MARGARET V. THOMPSON

Folsom Man's Imprints Left At Portales, N. M.

STUDENTS OF STATE SCHOOL FIND NEW EVIDENCE

A new link in the mystery of the long sought Folsom man, believed to be the first inhabitant of the North American continent, appeared this week in the famous black-water draw area in the sandhills north of Portales. Three students of Eastern New Mexico college, while searching for arrow heads in a blowout, came upon a Folsom point and peculiar bones lying half exposed on the blue-clay surface of an ancient lake.

Apparently the wind of the past week had just uncovered the spot where the relics were found, as the students had searched the area several times recently, and remember that a 10-foot high sand dune had shifted from over the site. The students, Raymond Rixey from Raton, a student in archeology at the college, Rene Champan of Paris, France, and Bob Fitzimmons, Carlswad, knew enough from their classwork not to disturb the find, and immediately came to Portales for A. J. O. Anderson, instructor in archeology. A Daily News photographer accompanied the group to the blowout and made pictures before the point or the bones had been touched. "An interesting find" was Mr. Anderson's comment. Elaborating, he said that because the point was on the surface, not too much importance could be attached to it, but that it opened up a new site for future excavations where other material more trustworthy from a scientific point of view may be found.

Main problem now is to identify the loose fragments found with the Folsom point. The jaw bone has some characteristics of a human, but nothing definite can be determined until it is carefully measured and compared. Martin Fleck, science instructor at the ENM College is working on the identification of the fragments now. The lake bed apparently is an ancient origin, as it is covered with thousands of tiny white shells believed to have lived in this area during the time that many fresh water streams and lakes dotted the Blackwater draw. Sand dunes cover a portion of the lake, and in some places the clay surface has been eroded away by wind so that bone fragments are easily found.

It was a similar site in the same area that attracted nation-wide attention a few years ago, and brought Dr. Howard from the American Museum of Natural History to this area to supervise excavations during a period of three years. Dr. Howard is due to return again next summer to carry on his work, primary purpose of which is to find an authentic skeleton of the so-called Folsom man.

Folsom man, a mysterious Indian type fellow who had a peculiar art in shaping arrow or spear heads without notches, is believed by some archeologists to have lived at the same time that mastadons, camels, sabre-toothed tigers and ground sloths roamed the West. Main proof that he lived at this time comes from finds, such as the one reported by the three college students where his flint points are buried among the bones of these extinct animals. Only a few Folsom type points have been found in this area, one of them buried in the bones of an extinct species of bison by Dr. Howard and his associates in the Blackwater draw. To find one of these points on J. L. Talley Sunday.

Those to visit in the Jeff Talley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. William Meador, Billie Lynn and Laqueta Fae, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jacobs, and Barbara Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Tompson, J. R. Cowan, L. C. Tims, S. M. Harp and Edgar Talley. Junior and Yvonne Putman spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland of Goodnight. Mrs. L. C. Tims, Velma and Clyde spent Saturday with Mrs. V. D. Roy and family.

We had good singing Sunday night as Mr. Chenault of Lelia, Mr. Howard and Mr. Moss and children of McKnight were present. We invite you all to come back and bring other good singers with you. There were quite a bit of moving in our community this last week. Mr. Mark Raney bought the place where John Perdue lived. Mr. O. B. Perdue bought a place near Clarendon and moved to it, and John Perdue moved on the D. B. Perdue home place. Mrs. Morgan and Earnestine visited in the John Perdue home Wednesday and helped them move. Mr. and Mrs. Harp and Sidney called in the O. L. Jacobs home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing, Sadie Beth and the Misses Davis' took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Todd Wednesday of last week. Miss Essie Roy spent Friday with her aunt, Mrs. Edgar Talley and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ewing and Sadie Beth took dinner in the Smallwood home of Bree Sunday. Rodney Rovell of Amarillo visited in our community this last week.

200 Miles Shelterbelt Approved For 1940

Wichita Falls.—Over 200 miles of shelterbelt have been approved for planting in Northwest Texas, reported W. E. Webb, State Director of the Prairie States Forestry Project on March 1. Approximately 60 miles of tree belts have already been planted this year.

Wherever necessary replacements are also being made on the older belts in order to place them in a more satisfactory condition. This will take care of the losses suffered in the unseasonably dry weather this past summer. The unusual amount of snow and rain during the past 10 weeks has done wonders in putting the ground in shape for the planting. The moisture has gone down over 20 inches in most places. Mr. Webb further reports that more than 700 applications have been made for tree belts in 32 counties. The foresters have their hands full in examining proposed areas for shelterbelts, meanwhile keeping over 25 crews in operation. However, they will continue to accept applications for the next few weeks. Applications may be turned in to the County Agents or Forest Service Officers in Willbarger, Hardeman, Childress, Cottle, Motley, Hall, Collingsworth, Donley, Gray and Wheeler Counties.

Mrs. Frank McClure left Thursday for a few weeks visit at San Antonio. Mrs. Ermine Blair visited in Vernon Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barkett and children visited in Amarillo Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hommel and daughter, Lois Marie, spent the front end of the week in Lubbock.

Mrs. Jack Molesworth and Miss Charlotte Molesworth were in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Karl Adams and daughter, June, visited Mr. and Mrs. Holt at Lefors Saturday.

O. C. Watson and Sam Braswell went to Dallas and Ft. Worth on a matter of business Monday.

Dr. E. F. Hamm attended the state medical convention in Ft. Worth over the week end.

Nell Anthony of Lubbock was a guest of her cousin, Dorothy Ann Kennedy over the week end.

Mrs. Henry Johnson and Mrs. Lucian Jones visited in Skellytown Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith are making a business trip that will include Plainview, Hamlin and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gilliam of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. L. Ballew here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson went to Temple Sunday where Mrs. Johnson will have medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bones spent the week end with her relatives in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Reeves of Lefors were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. McHenry Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McMurtry saw the fat stock show in Ft. Worth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Estlack visited friends in Amarillo Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sasser of Lubbock spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bass.

Personals

The infant daughter, Shirley Faye aged 10 months, of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Chilton, is recovering from pneumonia in a Vernon hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gammon and daughter, Delene, of Ft. Worth came Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane, Roy returned home, but Mrs. Gammon will remain for an Indian mound, 190 feet long, 145 feet wide and 30 feet high, located on the Red River near Texarkana has given up to University of Texas and WPA excavators seven successive dwelling levels of early Texas Indians.

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GOLDSTON
Peggy Stewart

The Methodist quarterly conference met at Goldston Sunday in an all day meeting. Bro. Palmer from Clarendon preached a very inspiring sermon Sunday morning. Business was attended to after the noon hour. Quite a large crowd attended Sunday school Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dilli, Miss Cleo Pope and Mr. and Mrs. Damon Farr spent Wednesday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and sons and Eulan and Betty Fern Higdon spent Saturday night and Sunday in Amarillo. They attended the singing Sunday at the Glenwood Baptist church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Peggram and Alma Lou visited until bed time Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Buck spent the week end in Tulia with relatives.

Bobbie Lewis Blanks of Amarillo spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goldston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Peggram spent Sunday in Quail. They also visited in Memphis with their daughter who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale and Lucie attended to business in Amarillo Saturday.

Bro. and Mrs. Fosh and son of Clarendon were supper guests in the Joe Dilli home Monday evening.

Miss Almeda Lewis spent last week at Borger with her sister Ozell who is attending school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Neeley Hudson and Dwayne and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart attended to business in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stewart visited awhile Sunday afternoon in the Earl Porter home.

Vance Gray of Quail was supper guest in the Bill Higdon home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Garmon and family spent Sunday in the Hubert Zeigler home.

Eulan and Willard Higdon and Lamar Stewart attended the H-Y club in Clarendon Monday evening.

Miss Mary Gartner, district welfare supervisor with headquarters at Pampa was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tatum Monday.

MARTIN
Geraldine Jordan

The crowd at Sunday school keeps enlarging. There was 65 present Sunday. That's the spirit folks; keep coming.

There was a large crowd at B.T.U. Sunday night. There was 21 present in the old folks union with 6 new members. In the young peoples union there was 46 present with 6 new members. We want to urge all the people that will to come and take a part.

Bro. Bob Cooksey filled his regular appointment both Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Those on the sick list for this week are: Mrs. Edd Hodges, Max Rampy, and Mrs. Fred Easterling. We want to wish them a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Moreland of Midway visited in the Fred Easterling home Sunday afternoon.

Juanita Wilkerson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Lillian Green.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cannon and Frank also Geraldine Jordan visited in the George Bulman home Sunday.

Bro. Cooksey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow and family.

Billie Ruth Bulman and Ralph Morrow visited in the J. C. Gibbs home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helton and Mr. and Mrs. Odis Spier and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Parker and family.

Faye Sullivan spent Sunday with Mary Ellen Pipes of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brinson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore and family of Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Garrison and family visited awhile Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Barker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Sims of Hedley visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hartzog Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. Hollingsworth and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Holsenbeck of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Swint and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Headrick.

Jimmie Nell Parker spent Thursday night with Louise Swint.

Kathleen Brinson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Pauline Grisham.

Josie Davis spent the later part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis of Amarillo.

Mr. Deboard of McKnight visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burk Deboard.

Those visiting in the H. E. Sibley home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Easterling and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waddell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley, Mr. and Mrs. Burk Deboard and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eddings.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan and family and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Easterling and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marshall and family visited in the Clyde Easterling home Sunday.

Frances Easterling spent Sunday night with Geraldine Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Easterling and children and Mr. J. H. Easterling visited awhile Monday night in the W. L. Jordan home.

Tree Planting Profits Under AAA Program

Trees may be planted for wind-breaks or woodlots under the AAA program to earn all or any part of the Soil Building Allowance established for the farm. When this Soil Building Allowance has been taken up in any manner, an additional \$30.00 may be earned by planting trees at the rate of \$7.50 per acre. In this region trees must be planted so that a survival of 350 trees per acre at compliance time will be found. To be certain of obtaining this stand, it is advisable to plant approximately 450 trees per acre, at a spacing of not less than 10 feet by 10 feet. Species recommended for planting in this county are: American elm, black locust, black and western walnut, bur oak, catalpa, juniper, Chinese elm, coffee tree, colutea, cottonwood, desert willow, green ash, hackberry, honeylocust, jujube, lilac, mulberry, Osage-orange, persimmon, western yellow and Scotch pines, Russian olive, tamarix, vitex, and wild plum.

Maintaining a good stand by replanting will not qualify under this practice but may qualify under another practice at a lower rate of payment. No credit for planting trees will be given under this practice when trees are planted under a cooperative agreement with the Prairie States Forestry Project.

Mrs. Dewey Malone of Dodson visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Palmer and attended the district meet of the Eastern Star here Friday night.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and their sympathetic words during the illness and following the passing of our dear husband, father, grandfather, son and brother. All are deeply grateful to each one for those things that brought comfort in our hour of sorrow. May God in his tender mercy, place each of you

among such good friends when the shadow of sorrow shall cloud your pathways.

Mrs. G. D. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lenley and Family, Mrs. Aleis Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cross and Sons, Mr. and Mrs. John Cross and Son, Marion Cross.

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525-18	11.35	8.79	525-18	9.65	6.95
550-18	11.35	8.79	550-18	9.65	6.95
550-16	10.95	8.52	550-16	10.25	8.00
600-16	12.35	9.48	600-16	10.45	8.50
600-17	13.35	10.95	625-16	13.20	9.75
625-16	15.00	11.31	650-16	13.20	9.75
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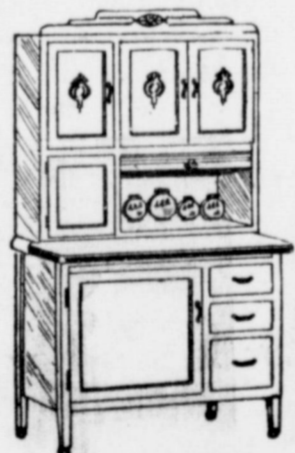


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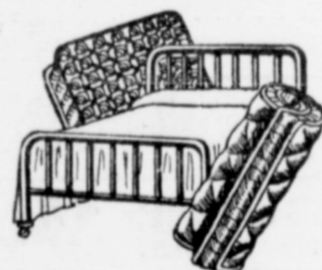
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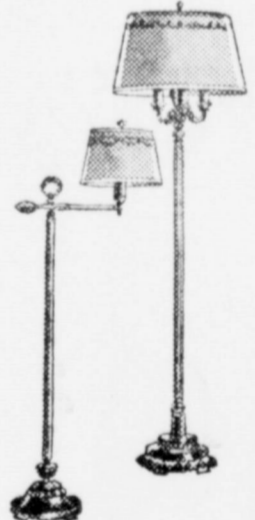
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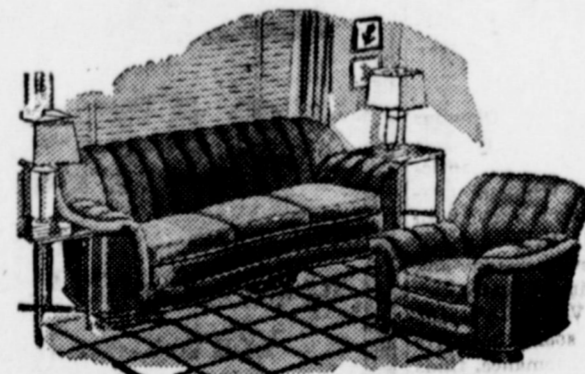
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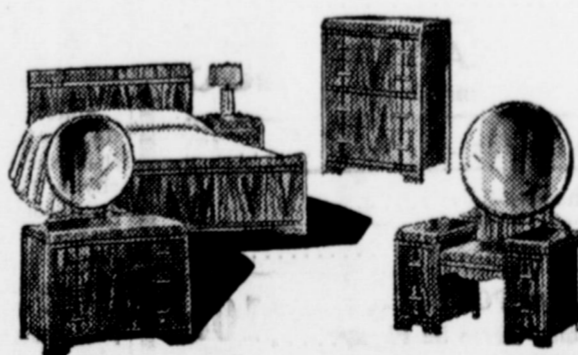
Buy Here! Buy Now! Save More!

Our busy store is the answer to the question "How can I save money on furniture?" Grand values await you in choice furniture for every room of the house, and easiest terms are now available without fuss or red tape!



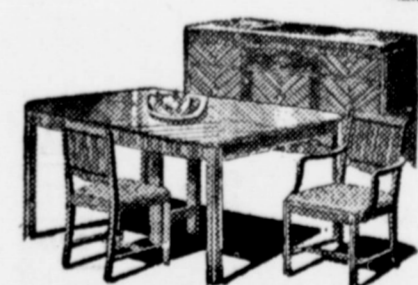
Two Piped Back Pieces! Special!
Living Room Suite

Two big luxurious pieces, covered in a choice of fine, durable upholstery. The frames are sturdy; full spring construction; best materials and workmanship. **\$39.95**



A Wonderful Bedroom Suite
Four Gorgeous Pieces

Smart lines, superior construction & select walnut veneers over gumwood—all these result in a truly beautiful suite. Our low price includes bed, vanity, chest & stool. **\$39.50**



Modern as Tomorrow! Save!
Eight Piece Dining Suite

A handsome extension table with 6 chairs and buffet, a trim, modern style suitable for the finest home. You'll love the beautiful veneering, richly hand rubbed. **\$69.50**

CLARENDON FURNITURE STORE

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Phone 33

CLARENDON, TEXAS

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
M. M. MILLER, Pastor
This church invites the public to attend the special services beginning March 17th, each day at 7:30 p. m.

Services will continue through Sunday, March 24th.
The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered Thursday night, March 21st.
Mrs. Lon Rundle is in Marlin for health benefits.
Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Naylor and children of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Naylor and children of Odell were week end visitors with their sisters, Miss Eula Naylor and Mrs. L. L. Wallace and family.

Get Car Serviced For Warm Weather Driving, Now Urged

Local Sovereign Service Man Advises Spring Check-Up; Starts New Advertising Series on "Ship-Shape" Theme

Automobiles need a "Spring house-cleaning too!"
Engineers say that for best summer service you should:
1. Switch to warm weather grades of grease and oil—get rid of worn-out, diluted, thin lubricants.
2. Check your battery after its winter-long starting job.
3. Flush your car's radiator to remove anti-freeze and clear circulation system so cooling process will be efficient on hot days.

H. C. Brumley, local Sovereign Service dealer, has announced that his station is completely equipped to provide thorough Spring conditioning for all makes and models of cars.
"Our sailor girl invites you to let Sovereign Service get the old bus 'ship-shape', he said. "We borrowed that term from the Navy, where everything has to be spic 'n span, and that's just what we can do for your automobile. Hundreds of Sovereign Service stations all over this territory have been getting in Spring supplies and preparing their equipment so they will be ready for folks who want to hit the highways early in the season."

Complete modern service, including travelers' credit cards, is available at Sovereign Service stations now, Mr. Brumley said. This big organization of independent home-owned service stations has grown until it now blankets the central west, and motorists can go Sovereign all the way.
We find that people like the friendly, interested service which comes when they deal with the home-town operator who owns his station and just naturally has to make good," Mr. Brumley explained. "More and more drivers are steering in where our yellow and maroon sign appears and that means we can give better and better service to every customer."

The new Sovereign Service series of advertisements will appear in this paper, starting this week. They contain facts and advice of value to all car owners—and the sailor girl, who appears in each ad, is said to be a "honey."

Douglass --

certainly fight for the solution of these problems.

Douglass said he believed that all types and sizes of business should be considered on the passage of any law that there should be no discriminating laws.

He said he believed that labor should have the rights of bargaining. He strongly favors that school proportionates be based on the number of students rather than population of districts, he said.

Douglass said he is an advocate of consolidating equalization boards tax assessing and collecting agencies into one, thereby saving thousands of dollars in costs of administrative government and also equalizing school, county and state tax rates. He cited three examples of counties in the Panhandle that employ a gas and oil expert each year to assess taxes for the county. "Then the school employs this expert to set their taxes," Douglass said, "and when this expert has finished duplicating his first list, he has received thousands of dollars in salary for doing the same work."

Sees Economy Ahead
Douglass said he believed in practicing economy, stating: "You can't tell me that we cannot economize, and by that I don't mean to quit spending where the spending is doing good. We are living in a progressive age, and our advanced and modern views demand better schools, better advantages and better living conditions in general. It is not those expenditures going to the progressive and beneficial things I would cut, it is the useless waste and spending that should be discontinued. There are too many duplications, too many overlapping, tax eating agencies, too much waste and far too many useless jobs. A real practiced economy, without regard to political favoritism, would mean millions of dollars saved, likely rendering new taxes of any kind unnecessary."

Douglass said he believed the state, in cooperation with the federal government, could be induced to establish a natural gas laboratory in the Panhandle of Texas to determine the fullest extent of the many uses of natural gas. Such an experimental station, Douglass said, would prove beyond all doubts that new industry could thrive in this area, leading to many manufacturing plants being established in the heart of the largest gas field in the world.
"Give business and industry, both large and small, a fair deal," he said. "The progress, development and welfare of the country depends upon the success of business institutions, and the people, in turn, rely upon the prosperity of business for their security."

"Plains Only Clients."
"To sum it all up, we must have a new order of things. We must have an order that will mean that our lawmakers must and will look to the interests of the people rather than the interests of a special few. There will be little or no relief in taxes, in pensions, in economy and all the other problems confronting us so long as our legislators continue to serve two masters. That saying is as true today as when written 2,000 years ago."

"The government of Texas must be returned to the people. If common sense, fairness, a willingness to work, and the sacred interests of the people as a whole could be called a platform, such is my platform."
"I shall have only one client while in the Senate and that client will be the citizens of the Panhandle of Texas."

Vivid Tale of New York Has Two Big Stars

SPENCER TRACY TEAMED WITH HEDY LAMARR IN "I TAKE THIS WOMAN"

America's Number One Glamour Girl and the king of the screen's character stars are joined romantically in "I Take This Woman," dramatic romance of New York with Spencer Tracy and Hedy Lamarr, coming Saturday Prevue, Sunday and Monday to the Pastime Theatre.
Directed by W. S. Van Dyke II, the play deals with a social butterfly who, after a wrecked romance, finds her real love and happiness at the side of an earnest scientist working for the public good in a tenement clinic. Action ranges from fashionable night clubs and fashion salons to the tenements. Dramatic highlights include an attempted suicide and rescue, an encounter with a former lover, and a powerful dramatic sequence in which the woman realizes she is about to ruin the life of the man she really loves.

Verree Teasdale has the chief comedy role and Kent Taylor plays Tracy's rival in love. Other players include Larine Day, Mona Barrie, Jack Carson, Paul Cavanaugh, Louis Calhern, Frances Drake, Marjorie Main, George E. Stone, Willie Best, Don Castle, Dallas Frantz and Reed Hadley.

Elaborate settings include the Zebra Club, its pillars formed by huge carved zebras; an elaborate fashion show with beautiful models in color-

JOE HOLLAND, Sr.

Mr. Holland was born near Macon, Tennessee October 19, 1860, and came to Comanche county, Texas in 1873, residing with his father's family on a farm near LeLeon. He married Miss Dora L. Ramsey there September 2, 1880. The family moved to Donley county in 1912. Mrs. Holland passed away October 15, 1937, and Mr. Holland passed this life March 10, 1940.

Present at their father's funeral were the eight surviving children, their names being given in another article in this issue of the Donley County Leader.

Mr. Holland became a member of the Methodist church in 1893, was loyal to the church of his choice and led a devoted christian life. Men are said to be great because of the good they do while living, and the worth while impression left behind. This is indelibly impressed upon their friends most in the character of their children. Good men and women living today are an honor to their parents. Their untiring loyalty to those parents, and especially Lee Holland who remained single and made his home with the father to his last day. But the visits from children near here were frequent. They sought to please the father more in his lonesome hours after the mother passed on.

Mr. Holland's many fine qualities shown during his life still remain in our memory as an eloquent appeal to emulate his virtues and to follow his example in every-day living. In some respects he might not be classed as one having made a brilliant success. But he never developed a trait of grasping and greed for the things that some weaker individuals would term fine business traits. He seemed more interested in living than making a living. He was honest, industrious, thrifty, generous, kind and charitable in word, thought and deed. Duty to him was life's chief opportunity for pleasure, and cheerful self-sacrifice was his crowning grace. His was the conception of a friendship as something high and apart from the happenings of the day. There was nothing indefinite about Mr. Holland. Like a pillar of weather-beaten rock, or storm-proved tree, his character was something that a man could expect to find at the same place when he returned. His life proved that friendship may ride untouched over the differences which arise from the everyday necessities of living.

Modest, retiring, always greeting one with a smile, one would hardly suspect that he pioneered in the West, endured great hardships and yet could smile through it all. He was just that kind of a man. The world is better that he lived.
J. C. Estlack

ful new modes; penthouses and other typical bits of New York. Miss Lamarr wears a number of exotic gowns, and an elaborate musical score contributes glamour to the romantic sequences.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Sanford were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

IN MEMORIAM

(Dedicated to the memory of our darling grandson, N. L. McKee.)
He was one of God's precious sunbeams come to earth for a few short years to scatter love and devotion to those he loved so dear. N. L., precious are the memories of your sweet life you lived each day doing a deed of kindness, helping a weary heart to be brave. God has taken you to His city where there will be no pain, and you will be an angel standing at the gate with open arms to greet us all when our work on earth is done.
Mrs. N. L. Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Palmer had business in Childress Monday.

Miss Dorothy Riley, who makes her home in Odessa, visited her mother, Mrs. Hugh Riley here several days, returning home Wednesday.

CARD OF THANKS

With grateful hearts we take this means to say to each of our friends that we deeply appreciate every courtesy and kindness shown us in the passing of our beloved father.
The Holland Children.



Pre-Season Sale USED CARS

Buy Now and Save at these Off-Season Prices

- 1939 DELUXE FORD COUPE—Radio, Heater, nearly new tires. Clean and slick, inside and out. Driven only 17456 miles.
- 1938 FORD DELUXE FORD TUDOR—This is the best 1938 car anywhere. Driven only 17000 miles. This car is perfect. See it today.
- 1937 MASTER DELUXE TOWN SEDAN—Motor reconditioned. Good tires. A dandy car.
- 1936 FORD TRUCK—Good tires, motor reconditioned. Ready to go on any job.
- 1934 FORD TRUCK—Good motor, tires and bed.

Palmer Motor Co.

FOR BETTER USED CARS OF EVERY MAKE SEE YOUR FORD DEALER FIRST

SAVE ON FOODS Without Sacrificing Quality

FLOUR DOBRY'S BEST—24 lb Sack 85c
48 lb Sack \$1.65
The New All-Qualities-in-one family flour—Try it, it's Different.



- SPUDS—Red McClures Sack \$1.65 Per Peck 28c
- Tomato Juice—CHB or Swifts 15c
Med. Cans—12 for 79c 2 for
- ORANGE JUICE—Bruce's 25c
Extracted from whole fruit—46 oz. Cans
- Grapefruit Juice—Marco 17c
3 for 50c 46 oz. Can
- LEMONS—Sunkist 25c
Large Size—per Dozen
- DATE & NUT BREAD 25c
Crosse and Blackwell's, Med. Cans—2 for
- BLACK PEPPER—1/2 lb Can 12c
- LETTUCE, fresh firm heads—2 for 9c
- SPINACH, Arkco, No. 2 Cans—3 for 25c

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--- that are known for their high quality, tenderness and flavor, are afforded for your selection in our market every day. Your choice cut, --- cut as you like it.
DRESSED POULTRY—FRESH CATFISH

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Kuik Amonia—Three 5c Pkgs. 10c
- CANDY—All 5c Bars
3 for 10c
- TOMATOES—Brimfull
No. 2 Cans—2 for 19c
- ORANGES—Texas Valencias
Per Peck 39c

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