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54-Cent Gas Rate Tentatively In Effect

Oil and Gas Showing In Old Lelia Lake Test Spurs County Hopes

RATE MAY OR MAY NOT BE PERMANENT

CITIZENS ARE TENDERING NEW RATE AND GAS COMPANY IS ACCEPTING.

According to announcement of several weeks ago, the automatic reduction in Clarendon's gas rate from 70 cents per cubic foot, less ten percent, to 60 cents, less ten percent, is in practical effect for July bills due on August 1st.

Acting on the recent announcement of the city commission that the ten year period contracted for at the 70 cent rate expired on July first, and that the City Gas Company was bound by contract to reduce the rate to 60 cents, local consumers have been tendering payment for July billing since the first of August at the lower rate.

Manager Densil Davis of the City Gas Company met with the City Commission early this week and said he had no authority to put the 60 cent rate into final effect, but the company was accepting the lower rate in payment for July consumption, carrying the difference against the customer as a pending balance until final disposition was made. Mr. Davis said the United Gas Company who furnishes the City Gas Company here with gas at the gate, had said they were going to be forced to raise the rate here which would probably bring about a 75-cent local rate. To this the city commission merely offers their contract and franchise which obligates the City Gas Company to reduce the Clarendon rate to 60 cents less 10 percent after the first ten years has expired—on this point the city stands.

Many think it doubtful that the gas company will go into litigation to raise the rate, and the best judgment locally seems to be for each citizen to tender the 54-cent rate on his July consumption before August 10th, or sixty cents thereafter. As one interested party expressed it, "Mr. Davis is not responsible for the delay in the final acceptance of the new rate under the contract—his tentative acceptance of the lower rate and the carrying on the books of the difference between that and the old rate, is brought about by orders from those higher up in the company management."

There is general confidence here that there will be no ultimate refusal of the gas company to live up to the terms of their contract and franchise. Correspondingly there is little basis for the hope that Clarendon has much opportunity for a lower rate than 60 cents less 10 percent on her gas consumption.

DIVE IS FATAL TO BRICE YOUTH

FAMILY REUNION IN PALO PARK BROUGHT TO TRAGIC END SUNDAY.

Tragedy marred the Moreman family reunion Sunday in Palo Park when Donald Hart Moreman, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hurlie Moreman of Brice, died from a broken neck when he dived into a sand bank in shallow waters at the park.

The accident happened at 9:30 a. m. Sunday and the youth was rushed to an Amarillo hospital in a Palo Duro CCC ambulance where he was put on the operating table at 11:45 in a vain effort to save his life. He died at 5:30 p. m. Sunday.

Approximately 90 members of the Moreman family coming from New Mexico, the Panhandle and all parts of Texas were at the reunion.

Mr. Moreland rushed to his son when the youth cried "Help, I'm hurt."

The body was carried to Memphis where funeral services were held Monday afternoon.

Surviving are his father and mother, two brothers, Bobby, 16 and Jack 10, and a sister, June, 13.

FFA BOYS ARE IN NEW MEXICO

TWENTY LEAVE CLARENDON FRIDAY IN TRUCK WITH J. R. GILLHAM.

Plenty of chuck and high spirit accompanied the twenty FFA boys who left Friday for a vacation in New Mexico with FFA leader J. R. Gillham.

The twenty lads went in a truck and will visit Raton, Eagle Nest, Red River, Taos, Santa Fe, Albuquerque, Ruidoso, Roswell and Carlsbad.

Future Farmers of America divided the expense of the trip and for a small sum are enjoying the vacation.

These accompanying Mr. Gillham are Beatty Hillman, Eugene Putman, Allen Pittman, Claude McGowan, R. McClenny, R. Shannon, Rayburn Smith, Billie Goodman, D. W. Tomlinson, Dempsey Robinson, J. F. Heathington, J. H. Green, Homer Speed and J. D. Swift, Jr.

Amarilloans To Give Church Program Here

The Young People of the West Amarillo First Christian Church will have charge of the church services Sunday evening at the local First Christian Church.

One year ago Sunday, the young people of the Amarillo church organized the local young people into a society and the program is being given in celebration of the anniversary.

The church orchestra, composed of 20 people, will give the program, together with talks and readings. Before the services, a buffet supper will be served the visitors at the church.

POOR CREAMS ARE BANNED

CONTAINER AND CREAM WARNING ISSUED BY STATE DEPARTMENT.

County cream station heads met this week and in compliance with a government warning concerning poor cream, issued a proclamation that poor cream would not be accepted at local markets.

The state, city and federal authorities are very active in the enforcement of this new law against buying and selling of poor cream. The consumer of dairy products is entitled to reasonable protection. Farmers and creamery managers both have a responsibility here which they cannot evade, the State Department of Health, Austin, said in its warning.

Cream containers must be regulation containers and during the hot summer weather, cream allowed to stand in the house a week or more or even several days, will be refused, it was pointed out. Cream in that shape is not acceptable in any market, local cream station managers said.

Following is the statement made by the State Department of Health, "Many containers now being used on the farm for holding and transporting cream to market should be discarded at once. Creamery managers and farmers are jointly responsible for undesirable containers being used."

"Syrup pails, coffee cans and other similar containers with open seams must not be used."

"Fruit and mayonnaise jars, jugs, and crocks and other similar containers which cannot be properly steamed and sterilized should also be discontinued."

"Rusty containers of all kinds must be discarded, and under no consideration should cream or milk be received in containers which have previously been used for handling oil or petroleum products."

"Regulation cans with sanitary

City Commission Sits In On Lower Gas Meet

Wednesday evening of this week Mayor W. H. Patrick and Commissioner W. B. Haile of Clarendon accompanied by Homer Mulkey, motored to Wellington on invitation to sit in on a meeting of representatives of Wellington, Memphis and intermediate points, with Mr. Jackson, owner of some gas wells North of Quail, who offers to furnish gas to the towns represented.

The Clarendon representatives, according to Mayor Patrick, same home with no great enthusiasm for the plan as proposed, but will watch developments in case a better arrangement is offered. Mr. Patrick was impressed with the spirit of co-operation present in the meeting of the neighboring towns involved.

Oscar Cobb, cattleman from Claude, was in Clarendon Tuesday.

DONLEY 4-H CLUBS TO SHORT COURSE

TWENTY CLUBBERS LEAVE HERE AUGUST 14 FOR COLLEGE STATION.

Twenty 4-H Clubbers of Donley County will accompany County Agent H. M. Breedlove to College Station Saturday, August 14, to attend the Short Course.

The trip will be made via truck and expenses will be divided among the twenty and kept at a minimum.

Accompanying the boys in addition to the county agent will probably be Carroll Lewis, Chas. Bairfield, and Clyde Bridges.

After attending the short course the group are planning a sight seeing trip to Galveston.

Those planning to make the trip are asked to register at the agent's office at once.

Boy Scouts Are Attending Camp

Four Boy Scouts of the Clarendon troop left Saturday for Kiowaha Camp twenty miles from Perryton where they are spending the week with Scouts from this section of Texas. They are John Burton King, Clyde Benton Douglas, Billy Latson and Carl Morris.

The youths will return Saturday. They were carried to camp by the Reverend and Mrs. J. Perry King, who will drive to Perryton to bring them home.

T. H. Peebles Is 79 Years Of Age

"Some folks are ashamed of every birthday they have, but I'm proud of mine—proud that I've beaten old death out of another year of life," T. H. Peebles said Monday when he reached his 79th birthday.

T. H. Peebles was born in Franklin, Tenn. "Less than a half mile from the scene of the bloody battle in ancient or modern history. That accounts for me being such a rebel," he boasts.

Mr. Peebles has lived in Clarendon 38 years. Friends by the scores sent him birthday greeting cards.

Brother Of Harry Ruddell Is Dead

Harry Ruddell left Tuesday on the noon train for Denison after receiving word that a brother, Will Ruddell, 78, died early Tuesday a. m.

Although funeral arrangements were not known at the time Mr. Ruddell left the body was carried to Denton for burial.

Seems can be procured at small cost.

"This department asks for co-operation in eliminating the use of illegal and undesirable containers."

RAIN LAST NIGHT IS .65 OF INCH

RELIEF FROM SWELTERING HEAT FOUND IN SCATTERED SHOWERS.

Good showers fell in scattered areas of Donley County last night and brought relief during the year's hottest week. Rain starting shortly before 11 o'clock in Clarendon measured .65 of an inch.

Temperature yesterday reached 104 degrees and readings for the week have been Friday, 105; Saturday 112 degrees; Sunday 107; Monday, 105; Tuesday, 106 and Wednesday, 104.

BRONCHOS WILL TRAIN AUG. 16

GOOD COACH PLUS GOOD MATERIAL LOOKS LIKE VICTORY FOR BRONCHOS.

Bronchos of 1937-1938 will be settling down to real business August 16 when Coach Harold "Chesty" Walker calls prospective squad members together for summer training.

Coach Walker, who for years has led the Memphis Cyclone squad against the Clarendon eleven, accepted the position as coach.

Thomas Hampton, formerly Greenbelt champion, of Memphis will be here as well as B. F. Holman of Shamrock, winner of the Tri-State Senior Association recently.

All visiting golfers will play the qualifying match at their home course and mail the results to the committee.

A prize list is being worked out by J. R. Gillham, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

All boys wishing to caddy are asked to get in touch with officials as number of caddies will be needed.

Suit And Shoe Clubs Are Out

Suit clubs, shoe clubs and all types of merchandising of this kind, will be discontinued in Clarendon, after a statement issued this week by Sheriff Guy Pierce.

Suit and shoe clubs, conducted by local merchants, have offered suits and shoes to the public at a small weekly payment, but each week a pair of shoes or a suit were given free and therefore is in disagreement with the new state lottery law, Sheriff Pierce said.

West Coast Dealer To Handle Paintings

J. Zatlenn, collector of rare books and prints, visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Bugbee and Mr. Zatlenn made an agreement with Mr. Bugbee to sell his paintings on the West Coast.

The Bugbees met Mr. Zatlenn in Fort Worth recently. The dealer's stock includes some of the most valued volumes and prints of the day and when he was in Clarendon last week, he had volumes valued at \$50,000.00 in one case in his car.

Convention Report Is Heard By Lions

An interesting and comprehensive report of the International Convention at Chicago was given by delegate H. T. Burton Tuesday noon at the meeting of the Clarendon Lions Club in the Clarendon Hotel.

Good attendance marked the meeting and the Reverend Newton C. Smith and M. R. Allensworth were introduced as guests.

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Colorado Officers Take Local Prisoner

Gerald Smith, alleged hijacker, burglar, car thief, and who attempted to jail break in Clarendon, was taken to Golden, Colo., this week by Sheriff Morris of that city, who stated Smith was wanted there in connection with a Country Club burglary and a hijacking in Denver, Colorado.

Smith was arrested here last week when he aroused suspicion by offering to sell his 1929 Chevrolet to a Goodnight garageman for \$20.00 rather than pay \$10.00 for a new tire. He dug through the jail and unlodged several brick with a spoon in an effort to escape last Tuesday.

Golden officials said that Smith secured a job at a country club in that county and repeatedly invaded the locker room, taking more than \$600.00 in cash from member's pockets. It is alleged he hi-jacked a man in Denver and stole the 1929 car in that city.

GOLF TOURNNEY TO DRAW MANY

HILLCROFT GOLF LINKS IN GOOD SHAPE FOR INVITATION MATCH.

A record attendance at the annual Hillcroft invitation tournament here Sunday and Monday August 15 and 16 is indicated by early acceptances from nineteen clubs in the Panhandle which were invited.

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U. J. Boston Fattens Turtle For Racing

A live turtle with a painted back is attracting much attention this week at the Piggly-Wiggly. The turtle, exceedingly small, was sent to the local Piggly-Wiggly lawing firm members to attend the annual convention of Piggly-Wiggly firms being held in New Orleans August 21.

These turtles were shipped to every Piggly-Wiggly in the United States, and firms are asked to return the turtles with them for a turtle race to be held during the convention. The shell of the turtle is painted white with a man's picture and an invitation to attend the convention on it.

INTEREST HIGH DURING REVIVAL

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL WILL CLOSE WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Good attendance and interest has marked the revival in session at the Church of Christ with Minister Melvin J. Wise of the Northside Church of Christ, Abilene, conducting the services.

Under the direction of Bob McGowan, much interest has been manifested in the song services.

"Bible Baptism" will be the sermon topic tonight and morning and evening services for the remainder of the revival which closes Wednesday are as follows: Friday "Christian Growth," a. m. and "The History of the Church of Christ" p. m.; Saturday, no morning service and "The Lost Christ," p. m.; Sunday, "Hindering Causes" a. m. and "Christian Unity" p. m.; Tuesday, "Christian Home" a. m. and "The Savior's Invitation," p. m.; and Wednesday, "Striving to Enter" a. m. and "The Day of Judgment" p. m.

Donley County citizens are invited to attend the services.

Office In Court House Repainted

The Office of County Superintendent in the County Courthouse is being repainted this week and remodeled.

The work is being done by Janitor Tidwell and Superintendent Kavanaugh and includes refinishing walls and woodwork, floors, office equipment and re-arranging book shelves.

TO VISIT GRANDCHILD

Mrs. W. H. Patrick left today for Victoria, Kansas where she will visit her daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Dick Marsh and Katherine.

PICNIC PROGRAM PLANS COMPLETE

FELLOWSHIP, GOOD TALKS, HILARITY AND PLENTY OF FOOD IS PROGRAM.

Sam M. Braswell has been selected principal speaker at the Seventh Annual Tate Grove Picnic Friday August 13, and the arrangement committee, headed by W. I. Rains president and Homer Mulkey, program chairman, are anticipating the largest crowd in the organization's history.

Everyone is asked to bring a well-filled basket with plenty for one self and friends. Cups and plates must also be brought as the association will not furnish them this year. Tea and coffee will be furnished.

Old timers, who have resided in the county 20 years or longer will be honor guests.

In the afternoon, the program will consist of volunteer and request numbers and anyone having a number to present is requested to contact the program committee early on the morning of the picnic.

GAS SHOWING IN INMAN NUMBER 1

DRILLED IN 1919, GAS BLOWS FROM OLD WELL.

Gas blowing for one hour from a hole drilled in 1919 and since untouched sounds like a believe it or not tale, but the old Inman Number One, drilled on Mrs. Kate Johnson's farm near Lelia, let out a gas flow that roared for more than an hour late Friday afternoon.

Roy Turner of Borger, a hydraulic case puller was engaged by Mrs. Johnson to pull the casings from the old well. When he pulled the 10 1/2 inch casing from the 520 foot depth, the gas started from the well. Oil was dipped up in buckets from the hole on water that was left in the hole at 2900 feet when drilling was discontinued.

The oil well stands approximately 30 feet from the Johnson home and in the spring of 1919 was drilled by Pete Ingle and there were oil and gas showings at 2210, 2260 and 3400. Ingle has the log of the well which gives the 3 gas showings.

Work continued this week pulling the casings, but difficulty was encountered with pulling casing from the 1,000 foot depth because it had become disconnected.

Turner returned to Borger late yesterday afternoon to obtain equipment to pull the 1,000 feet casing and returned here this morning to begin work again which he hopes to finish this week-end.

Should there be another gas and oil showing at the 1,000 foot depth, things will start humming in Donley County, as Mrs. Johnson asserted herself as wanting to drill again alongside the Inman Number One. She has owned the land for 40 years.

Mrs. Johnson planned to leave the casing on the farm, but had only hired the Borger man to take it up.

Sample of the well will be tested immediately.

Farm Products Being Selected For Showing

Bundling alfalfa and feed stuff for the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo in September has been the work this week of County Agent H. M. Breedlove.

"Donley County will have a splendid exhibit this year," the county agent said after a survey of the farms and gathering alfalfa samples.

EARTHEN DAMS BEING BUILT

NUMBER COMPLETED IN DONLEY; MODERN METHODS BEING USED.

Ten to fifteen earthen dams have been constructed on Donley County ranches, in accordance to the 1937 Range program.

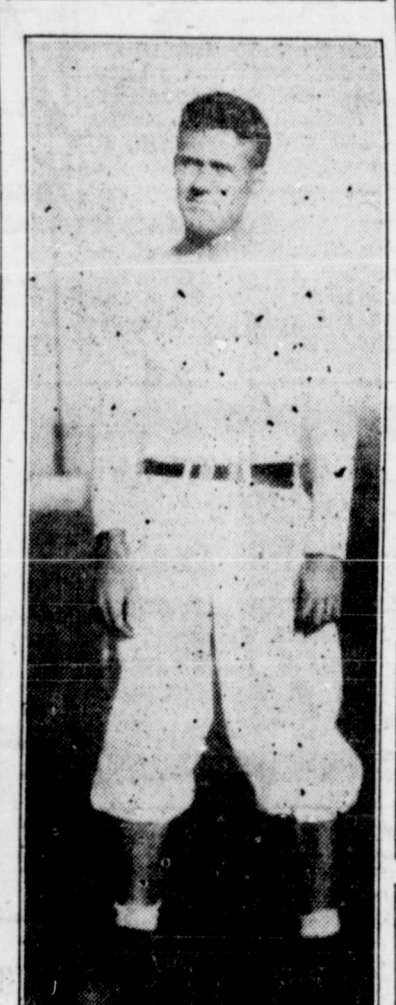
H. T. Warner of Clarendon purchased a new 60 horsepower tractor this week to move the dirt for the dams in this county. Before purchasing the new equipment, he moved 30,000 yards of dirt in fifty days.

Mr. Warner has constructed large dams on the Mill Iron and Shubar ranches, and has engaged plenty of work in Donley County. With old fashioned teams and fresnos, the work would have been almost prohibitive.

The range program has been called a god-send by Donley County ranchmen. In addition to the wonderful conservation benefits received by ranchmen, the government allots fifteen cents per cubic yard payment for dam construction.

Large dams have been recently completed on the following ranches: John Blocker, Chas. McMurtry, W. B. Fowler, John McClellan, R. A. Clark, and W. J. Lewis or Rowe.

New Coach



"CHESTY" WALKER

of Clarendon High School and will meet with the squad for the first time August 16.

Coach Walker plans plenty of early workouts and will move to Clarendon August 10 to lay plans for the training.

At spring training in April, 40 prospective squad members reported and Coach Jones noticed an average weight of 165 pounds against 140 pound average of last year.

Doping Boyd Allison, Jimmy Waters, Durwood Mears, Johnny Grady, and Robert McWhorter, as "small but fast," the former coach of Clarendon high picked these men as outstanding. Bill Cooke, returning letterman, is good on punting and passing and McGowan, Dempsey Robertson, Lums, Ray Palmer, Collie Huffman, Bob Kyle, Red Hay, and Max Wilson will be out in front among prospective Bronchos.

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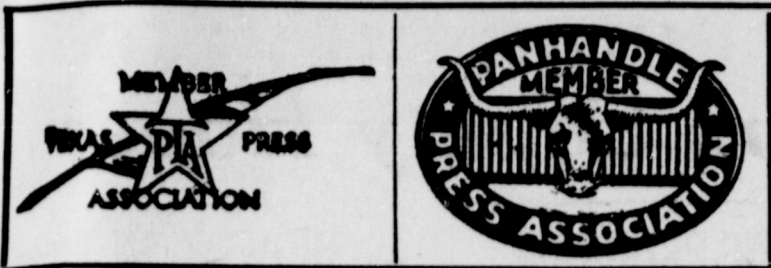
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LETHARGIC VOTERS

Six highly important amendments to the Texas Constitution will either be ratified or rejected in a special election August 23, and this fact inspires the Abilene Reporter to forecast that not more than one-third of the potential voters of the State will decide the outcome of the election. Poll tax payments for this year total only about half the actual vote cast in last year's primaries. The Reporter points out, and not more than two-thirds of the qualified voters will participate in the August election. A bare majority of the votes cast will determine the fate of each amendment; so that, in the final accounting, any of the six amendments may be either ratified or rejected by a vote of probably 300,000, or about twenty per cent of the potential voting strength of the State.

"One way to guard against this unbalanced system would be to abolish the poll tax," The Reporter suggests. "Simply issue a perpetual certificate to each new voter as he comes of age or each new incoming citizen after he has resided here for one year, and let it go at that." That would indeed, solve the problem of stabilizing the number of qualified voters, and in the opinion of this newspaper would bring about a great improvement in the situation. But what can be done about the qualified voter who fails or refuses to participate in such important elections as that called for next August? Eight hundred thousand will be qualified to vote upon the six constitutional amendments, and nobody expects more than 500,000 actually to do so; what should be done about the other 300,000?

Perhaps we should amend the constitution so as to provide a penalty for failure to vote. If every qualified voter failing to cast his ballot in a state election were automatically disqualified for a year thereafter, a much higher valuation likely would be placed upon the privilege of the franchise. It isn't safe government when an amendment can be written into the Constitution of Texas by not more than 300,000 persons; and lethargic qualified voters make that not only possible, but probable.—Brownwood Bulletin.

THE NIGHT-DRIVER'S PERIL

Governor Hoffman of New Jersey believes that the problem of traffic safety centers largely around night driving. Of the 36,000 motor fatalities in 1934, there were 20,000 at night, with nearly 5,000 occurring earlier than 9 p. m.

A check-up on night traffic in Maryland showed 43 miles an hour is the average speed of cars on paved highways, with ten per cent going faster than 60 miles per hour. According to Governor Hoffman the range of vision at night, with ordinary car lights, is limited so that a person driving 40 miles an hour or faster cannot possibly stop his car, even with the most efficient brakes, after an obstruction comes into view. The governor concludes that there must be either longer-range lights, or a strictly enforced speed limit on night driving. Furthermore, he points out, night driving results in eye strain which also adds to traffic dangers.

The Maryland tests established clearly enough that a night speed of more than 40 miles an hour is fraught with grave perils. The most careful driver, going faster than that, simply can not see far enough ahead to enable him to act promptly in an emergency. Yet the driver who does not go faster than 40 miles an hour is an exception. The tests in question do not solve the problem of night traffic regulation, but they seem to point the way to a feasible solution.—Wichita Times.



Check Against Errors

Does our Constitution and the Supreme Court protect us against errors?

"We, the people," says Booth Tarkington, "are not infallible. Political orators often tell us we are; but we know better. We often reverse our most passionate opinions. We threw out the Democratic party after Mr. Wilson. We threw out the Republican party after Mr. Hoover. We threw in Prohibition with great enthusiasm; we threw it out uproariously! Even our Presidents are not infallible; and we prove how thoroughly we believe this by the way we reverse ourselves and turn on them, bringing to mind an old aphorism, 'Republicans are ungrateful.'"

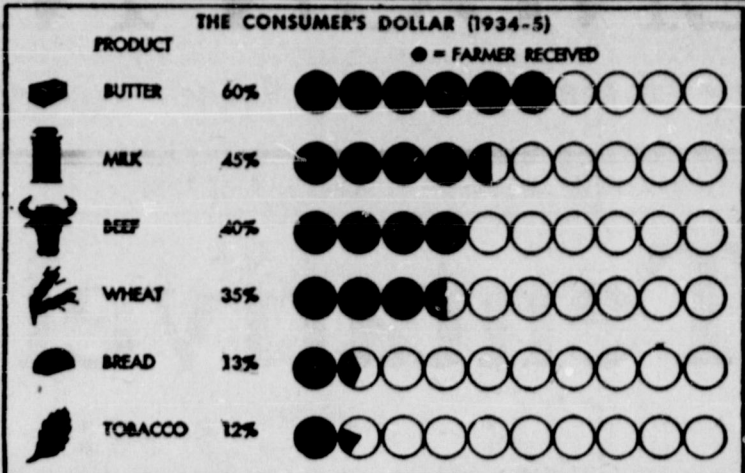
"The framers of the Constitution understood our fallibility. They knew that they themselves, being human, needed to be protected from their own impulses. They knew that we, and our Presidents also, would need this same protection. That is why we have a Constitution and its careful provision for amendments. The founders of the country knew that neither one man nor men in the



mass are to be trusted to think rightly, or for the general best interest, in a hurry. Moreover, as the Constitution is the charter of our liberty, and therefore it is vital to us all that the words of the document should never be misunderstood or misapplied. Its framers provided us with a dictionary. In regard to the Constitution of the United States," concludes Booth Tarkington, "that's what the Supreme Court is. In essence and reality it is a dictionary."

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What Is the Farmer's Share?



A recent investigation of farm income by the Federal Trade Commission shows that the dairy farmer receives a substantial portion of the consumer's dollar.

For milk, 50 per cent of the consumer's dollar went to the farmer, minus transportation from the farm. The figures indicate that the transportation item averaged

A DESERVED APPOINTMENT

Governor James V. Allred last Saturday announced the appointment of S. D. Chesnut, owner and publisher of the Kennedy Advance, as a member of the State Prison Board. The new appointee is a native of East Texas, having been born at Lufkin. As a young man he learned the printer's trade and had his first newspaper experience under such veteran publishers as Giles Haltom of Nacogdoches and the late G. E. Watford of Lufkin. Coming to Southwest Texas his first position was on the Beeville Bee and later the Hallettsville Herald.

Chesnut is widely known over the state in newspaper circles, having served as President of the Texas Press Association in 1923. He is active in the civic and business affairs of his home city and has long been identified with the upbuilding of this section of the state.

Other members of the board appointed by the governor Saturday are Dr. C. W. Butler, Jr., of Crockett and Dr. S. M. Lister of Houston, the latter being reappointed.

The State Prison Board, a non-salary board, is composed of nine members whose duties are the supervision of the management of the state prison system. It has no connection with the State Board of Pardons or Parole Board.

THREE KINDS OF MEN

It has been my experience that there are but three kinds of men in this world; first the kind you have to tell once to do a thing, and you bet your life it will be done. The second is the kind you have to tell three or four times; and the third is that great business producing, creative lot of men, who don't have to be told at all. They have INITIATIVE!—Hugh Chalmers.

Jim Ferguson Says Wife May Be Candidate

CANDIDACY WOULD DEPEND ON ISSUES RATHER THAN OPPONENTS.

Former Gov. James E. Ferguson said Tuesday Mrs. Miram A. Ferguson may run for governorship in 1938, depending more upon the issues than upon the field of candidates.

Ferguson, stopping at Dallas en route to an old settlers reunion at McKinney, said he "couldn't say what platform Mrs. Ferguson would espouse," but among the main issues of the next campaign he listed the old-age pension, a sales tax and tenant-farmer legislation passed by congress to be administered by the states.

Of Gov. James V. Allred, Ferguson said "he still has plenty of friends, and some of them are talking pretty frankly about another term."

CALIFORNIA GUESTS

Guests in the J. H. Harris home over the week-end were Mrs. J. W. Hutton, Misses Martha and Genevieve Hutton, Weldon Hutton and Mr. and Mrs. George Lei, all of Hollywood, California.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen were Mrs. H. A. Hitt and son, George Lynn, and Mrs. Boon and son, Jimmy of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Allen of Miami.

HILLCROFT GOLF CLUB. Fee: 25c Per Round. WESLEY KNORPP, President. JOE JACKSON, Secretary. DICK COOKE, M. P. GENTRY, and O. S. JACKSON, Tournament Committee.

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Texas Is Returning To Prosperity, The Dallas News Says

OUTLOOK OVER THE STATE IS REFLECTED IN THIS AREA; PRICES GOOD.

That Texas is returning to stable prosperity, upon a plane like that registered in 1919, is suggested in editorial comment in the Dallas Morning News. The flattering outlook pictured in the News is reflected on the farms of Donley county. The News says:

"As the season reaches the high noon of summer it is apparent even to casual observers that Texas is making the best crops in many years. Not only is the wheat crop the most profitable since 1919 but the corn crop promises considerably more than the Federal estimate, which could not foresee the eleventh hour rains of last week that may add perhaps ten to fifteen bushels to the 72,000,000 forecast. It begins to look like old times as to big crops, with this distinction, that prices are generally above the prewar average level. Such a condition is rarely associated with bumper crops and is to be attributed to a combination of circumstances in which new deal policies play an important part. It would be folly to deny that the farmer is not being benefited by certain adjustments in production which were instituted by AAA and in a measure are being continued in the soil conservation program.

"No one would dare make a guess as to the outlook for Texas cotton, because of the delicacy of the market and its possible effect upon producers. That is why the Federal Government must wait to make its first forecast on Aug. 9, when the crop is sufficiently advanced to warrant an estimate. It is safe to say, however, that unless rains continue and insects do serious damage, Texas should produce cotton in accordance with the other crops which a soil flayed by three years drought is now able to produce as result of more seasonal distribution of moisture. Texas has something to boast of in prospects of the largest hay crop in history, the most money from wheat in eighteen years, the largest rice crop ever grown, and many minor crops in proportion. Money in the farmers' pockets means cash in the banks, payment of old and new debts, stimulated business activity and a return of prosperity."

Sales Pads at The News.

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Spuds, Red, per peck 29c

CEREALS, Kellogg's, 2 Corn Flakes, 1 Pep 1 Krumble, all for 37c

CAKES, Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs. for 25c

Rice, White House, 2 lb. box 17c

Baking Powder, K. C., 50 oz. can 29c

PORK & BEANS, Van Camp's, Med. can 7c

FICKLES, Brimfull, sour or dill, 25 oz. jar 16c

LETTUCE, Fresh firm heads, each 5c

Hominy, No. 2 1-2 can 10c

Green Beans, Spinach, Kraut, No. 2 cans, each 9c

SYRUP, Staley's Golden, per gal. 70c

Corn Meal, Dobry's 10 lb. sack 39c, 20 lb. sack 79c

Borax Washing Compound, 7 5c pkgs. 25c lrg. pkg. 18c

Purex, qt. bottle 15c (The Master Bleach and Water Softener)

Macaroni or Spaghetti, Q and Q, 6 boxes for 25c

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MARTIN

(By Billie Ruth Bulman)

Community Affairs

We were very glad to see so many at Sunday school Sunday morning.

Our revival meeting will begin Friday night, August 6. We are expecting to see a good crowd every sermon, and we also hope it will be the best meeting Martin has ever had.

Our song books were ordered Sunday and we hope they will be here in time for the meeting.

A large crowd was present at singing Sunday night. Every one seemed to enjoy the very good singing.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Deiger from Wellington, Mo. and Mrs. Joe Martin, from Magic City, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Marshall, from Ashtola, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall, Geraldine and Billy Jack Jordan and Peggy Owens were visitors in the Lewis Marshall home Sunday.

Mrs. Jones from Brice, mother of Mrs. W. A. Bailey, is visiting her for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Pool returned home Tuesday night from Hereford and then left Friday night for California, where they will visit her parents until school starts.

Miss Freda Helton has returned home for awhile with her folks.

Doris Bailey and Oleta Marshall spent Saturday night and Sunday with Billie Ruth Bulman.

Mrs. J. A. Pool returned home from Stamford last week and her sister returned with her and will visit with her this week.

Helen Joe Bulman spent Sunday with Josie Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Tolbert spent Sunday visiting in Chamberlain with some friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Parson and family from Hereford spent Sunday night and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Waddell and family from Sunray, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Waddell from Hedley, visited in the Bill Waddell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Helton visited awhile with Mr. and Mrs. White Sunday evening.

Mrs. Bill Waddell and little son spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Lamberson.

Winston Wood has a very sore arm and hand at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie and family and Willie N. Shannon spent Sunday visiting in Hudgins.

Bill Waddell visited Sunday with his father of McKnight.

Several people of this community attended the funeral of Mr. Dick Green Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hodges from Hereford were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hodges.

Frank Cannon spent Sunday evening with Junior and Gene Bulman.

VISITING IN DALLAS

Mrs. Simmons Powell, Mrs. U. J. Boston, Miss Lela Clifford and Bob Boston are in Dallas this week attending the Pan-American Exposition and in Fort Worth at the Frontier Fiesta.

Texas Historian In Favor of Coronado Festival in 1940

ALBUQUERQUE—"The proper celebration of the 400th anniversary of the Coronado expedition is a debt of the present generation to the hardy pioneers who blazed the trail over untrodden mountains and desolate deserts," declared Dr. Carlos E. Castaneda, famed Texas author and historian, in an interview today. Editor of the centennial history of Texas, Dr. Castaneda is a member of the faculty of the University of Texas and national historian for the Knights of Columbus.

"It is only fitting and proper that the state of New Mexico should take the lead in the commemoration of this great event. With the dedication of the Padilla monument at Amarillo last month Texas served notice upon the world that the Coronado Cuarto Centennial will find that state taking an active part," said Dr. Castaneda. "We intend to co-operate with New Mexico in making this event the greatest in South-west history."

Dr. Castaneda pointed out that with Arizona's plans already beyond the tentative stage the Centennial is definitely assured. Texas has already begun to carry out plans for the event, with the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society being made the official group for effecting the organization in that state.

"New Mexico must realize her leadership in this movement, for to fall now would mean waiting another century for such an opportunity," the Texas historian said.

New Mexico leaders commenting upon Dr. Castaneda's remarks stated that with the sale of Coronado memberships and the funds to be realized from the Commemorative half-dollar, New Mexico's part in the celebration is no longer in doubt.

Livestock Shipment More Than Doubles

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 5 — Shipments of all classes of Texas live stock during June totaled 8,177 cars, compared with 4,321 cars last year, an increase of 90 percent, according to a report from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Cattle shipments of 5,786 cars increased 112 per cent over June last year; calf shipments, 758 cars, increased 33 per cent; and sheep shipments, 1,221 cars, increased 136 per cent. Hog shipments totaled 412 cars, a decrease of nearly 20 per cent.

Aggregate shipments of Texas live stock during the first six months of the year were 46,681 cars, against 32,748 cars during the corresponding period last year, an increase of 40 per cent.

Shipments of cattle to the Fort Worth market were more than double those of June last year and shipments of sheep to this market increased 67 per cent over a year ago.

Pearl Boston and sons, Paul and Chas. of Shamrock visited Tuesday in the U. J. Boston home.

His Natural Acting Won Rapid Stardom for Stewart

"Just a natural actor" is the opinion of James Stewart voiced by Henry King, director of "Seventh Heaven," the Twentieth Century-Fox film now at the Pastime Theatre, in which the young leading man is co-starred with Simone Simon. King's estimate, delivered after he had worked several days with this outstanding newcomer, checks pretty well with Hollywood's opinion of a new and genuine talent.

Tall, gangling Jimmy Stewart, with his mop of unruly brown hair, soared to stardom in miraculous time, winning the coveted role opposite Simone Simon less than eighteen months after he had played in his first film. "Murder Man" was the picture, and brief was the word for Jimmy's part.

Since then, by coupling natural talent with his own recipe for success — "damn hard work" — he has turned in some outstanding performances, and, as the male lead of the most famous of romantic roles, that of Chicago. The Stewart career started in Indiana, Pa., and moved on to Mercersburg Academy, Princeton and the stage. College friends who remembered his dramatic work in the Triangle Club plays at school induced him to join them in the Falmouth stock company on Cape Cod. The stage hit "Goodbye Again" was tried out at Falmouth, and he was given a part.

The play was a success on Broadway, and the next season Jimmy went to Boston as stage manager for "Camille," with Jane Cowl. During the death scene, he accidentally rang down the curtain before Miss Cowl had finished dying, ruining the highly dramatic part and ending his employment.

After a few more roles on the stage, Jimmy took a screen test, was placed under a long-term film contract, and has remained in Hollywood ever since. For "Seventh Heaven," his greatest film opportunity to date, Darryl F. Zanuck, vice-president in charge of production at Twentieth Century-Fox, chose Henry King to direct.

RETURNS TO CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ingram of Los Angeles returned home Thursday morning after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Speed.

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Britain's Navy Now Far in Lead

WASHINGTON, July 28 — A navy department tabulation of the world's comparative sea-power disclosed today Great Britain was far ahead of other Nations.

The British navy now consists of 285 warships of 1,216,398 tons, the figure showed. It has under construction 96 more ships of 541,000 tons.

The United States navy is second. It has 435 ships of 1,083,330 tons (including 212 wartime vessels of 214,000 tons considered over-aged. Eighty-seven ships of 335,656 tons are under construction.

Germany ranks third in ships being built and virtually will double its present navy soon.

Japan, 200 ships of 745,604 tons and 23 ships of 79,272 tons under construction; France, 162 ships of 469,346 tons, and 42 of 174,143 tons under construction; Italy, 206 ships of 393,683 tons, and 67 of 147,500 tons under construction, and Germany, 77 ships of 147,632 tons and 38 of 262,482 tons under construction.

Navy officials said the figures for Japan, Italy and Germany might not be complete.

RETURNS FROM MARKET

I. Mellinger returned Friday morning from attending fall market in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Seven Wonders of World Are Listed

Nearly everyone has heard of the seven wonders of the world, but probably few could name them and fewer could tell what became of them. Those interested in such things might clip this out for their scrap book.

The seven wonders of the world were so named by Antipater, a writer of Palestine, about 100 B. C., as follows:

The Hanging Gardens of Babylon, destroyed in 484 B. C., more than 100 years before they were listed among the wonders.

The Temple of Diana at Ephesus, burned in 262 A. D.

The Statue of Zeus at Olympus, destroyed in 488.

The Colossus of Rhodes, sold for junk in 653.

The lighthouse of Pharos at Alexandria, fell in an earthquake in 1375.

The Mausoleum of Artemisia destroyed in 1402.

The Pyramid of Cheops, the only one of the "Seven Wonders" still in existence.

Such were the seven wonders of the ancient world. Many lists of modern wonders have been made, but a recent writer selects not the perishable works of man, but the discoveries and inventions which have revolutionized civilization.

He names the radio, the telephone, the airplane, the antiseptic, spectrum analysis and radium. Whether his list is the best that might be made or not, the wonders mentioned will survive as long as humanity exists, bestowing untold benefits upon mankind.

Carbon Paper at The News.

BRICE

(By Frankie Smallwood)

Church News

The Baptist revival started Friday night, July 31, and will go through Sunday night, August 8. Rev. Wood is assisting Rev. Charles Brister in the meeting.

Locals and Personals

Mrs. Howard of Clarendon is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Murff.

Bailey Estes of Chamberlain is visiting his sister, Mrs. Boyd Dickson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Laylon Gillespie and son spent Sunday with Mrs. Gillespie's mother at McLean.

Darleen and Zackie Salmon spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Churchman at Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Holland and children left Sunday for Clarksville for a weeks visit with relatives.

Little Jo Ann Hart of Memphis spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arm Hightower.

Mrs. G. H. Gillespie had her cousins, Misses Audrey, Hattie and Lois and Mr. Howard, Waco and Rufus Brown all of Hughes Springs to visit her last week.

Minnie Higgins is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Lindley of Hollis, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Demell Gillespie and daughter spent Sunday with relatives at Bogor.

Dexter Todd spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Doc Dyess, of Clarendon.

The community extends its deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Hurlie Moreman and family on the death of their son, Donald, age 17, who died at an Amarillo

Hospital Sunday at 5:30. His death was caused from injuries received while in swimming at Palo Duro park, while the Moreman family was having a reunion. The community congratulates Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson on the arrival of a baby boy, born July 31. The baby was given the name Max Carl.

Pastime Theatre

Last Times Friday Aug. 6 Wallace Beery in

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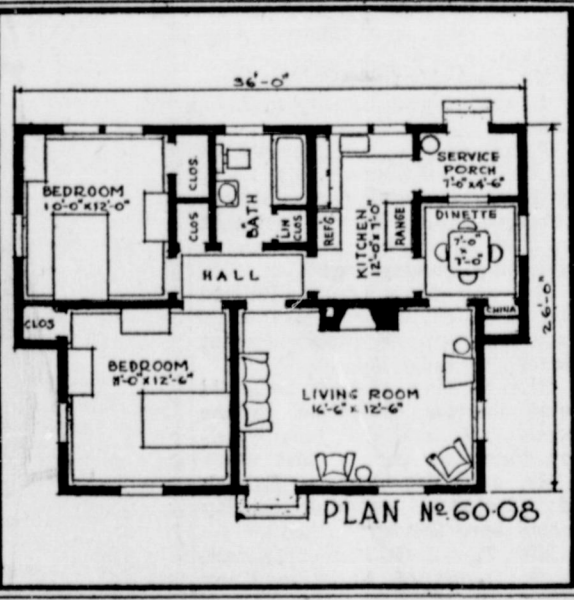
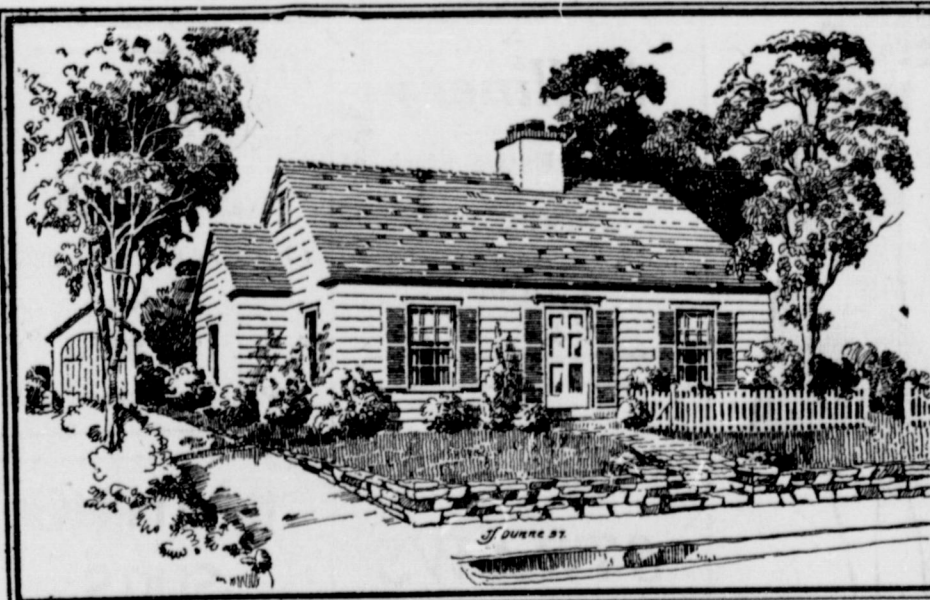
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We deeply appreciate the kindness of Clarendon business men and people at the death of our beloved Abb Parker. Members of the Abb Parker family and Lola Burks.

CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
E. D. Landreth, pastor

Doctor T. S. Barcus, presiding elder, will preach at the Methodist Church Sunday morning, services beginning at 10:50 o'clock. There will be no evening services as the pastor will be out of the city. Doctor Barcus is greatly appreciated in Clarendon and is always heard with great joy. In spite of the summer weather and the vacation season let the people come and give him a good congregation Sunday morning.

There was an increase in the Sunday School attendance last Sunday in all departments. We are expecting further increases Sunday. You will find a hearty welcome and a helpful service at the Methodist Church always.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
"There Is Always Worship"
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This seems to be exactly the time for God's people to make the most abiding gifts to Christianity. Penniless people are often the most powerful. People need to show the world that they can give something to the church besides their money. Those who quit the church in times of drouth and depression practically say by dropping out, I will be good faithful and dependable so long as God prospers me, but if he ever fails to give me what I

want, I'll quit him. If our loyalty is no deeper than our money, if our faithfulness does not go beyond our prosperity, then we need to have a stronger grip on the better and nobler things of life. It is a mistaken idea that people must have money and dress in finery before they are welcome at church. The church is in need of men rather than their money; it needs the sympathetic fellowship and co-operation of the penniless man as well as that of the rich. The throb of a new courage, the call of a new ideal, the joy of a new hope, the touch of a new sympathy, the power of a new inspiration are priceless gifts and they may come from penniless people. Go to church.

Although in a meeting at McKnight for the next ten days we will have the regular services at the Baptist Church next Lord's Day. We will be happy for you to worship with us.
—J. Perry King, pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Robt. S. McKee, pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Sermon subject, "God's Paupers."
Young Peoples Forum, 7:30 p. m.

There will be no evening service.
The Circles of the Woman's Auxiliary will meet Wednesday, 4 p. m.
Circle No. 1 will meet with Mrs. G. L. Green.
Circle No. 2 will meet with Mrs. Melvin Cook.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study, 10 a. m. Preaching and Lord's Supper at 11:00.
Mid-week services Wednesday evening at 8:30 p. m.
Ladies' Bible Class meets Wednesday evening at 3 o'clock.
Young people's meeting at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goldston spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rolle Brumley in Paducah and Shirley Brumley returned with them for a visit.

Continuous Investigations to be Policy Of Texas Old Age Assistance Body

Reinvestigation of the rolls is the normal process by which a social welfare program is adjusted to changing economic conditions, State Pension Director W. A. Little explained this week. "It is logical that an assistance grant made six months ago is probably either too small or too large for the present needs of an applicant, 'Reinvestigation' means that the Old Age Assistance Commission is going back and studying cases to see if each meet the needs of the individual," he added.

Little said the old age assistance program under both the Tex-

as and federal laws was based upon the grants of aid being in the exact amounts of the needs of the applicants. He pointed out that continuous reinvestigations were an important part of any welfare program. "When a grant is changed, either by being raised or lowered such action must come only after the studied and serious consideration of the conditions surrounding the person's grant without a complete particular individual, of his needs, of his resources. To change a study of his case would be thoroughly unfair," the director declared.

Allred Third Term Race Seen as Hinging on Work Finished by Legislature

AUSTIN, July 29. — Edward Clark, secretary of state and advisor of Gov. James V. Allred, reiterated today he believed a strong possibility existed that Allred would try to shatter precedent and obtain election to a third term.

Clark intimated, however, that the governor probably would decide against such a course if the legislature at its final session enacted the major points of his program. He listed these points as provision for balancing the budget, financing a broad social security program and state regulation of public utilities.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Robert E. Austin, Minister
Frank White, Jr., Supt.
Wilford Hott, song leader.

Bible School, 9:45.
Lord's Supper, 11:00.
Morning sermon, 11:30.
Evening services, 8:00.
This service will be under the direction of the Young People of the West Side Amarillo Christian Church.

Miss Loree Burson from the Double Diamond Ranch near Silverton is visiting this week with Misses Mildred Allen and Josie Mae Davis.

THE CLARENDON NEWS is the most widely read newspaper in the Donley County trade territory.

"The governor is prepared to run if it's necessary," Clark said. "However, accomplishments of the fall session or sessions may change the whole picture."

The secretary of state said that in his recent travels over Texas he had found little opposition to a governor serving three two-year terms.

"The national precedent," he said, "is that presidents serve only two four-year terms. Many congressmen, state and local officers are chosen for three or more two-year terms. The Fergusons between them were elected to four terms as governor."

ASHTOLA (By Jessie J. Tomlinson)

Mr. and Mrs. Clary Phillips and daughters of Hart, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wheeler and Velma Kottz of Midway, left Thursday for California.

Ila Kay Rhoades spent the latter part of last week in Clarendon with Louise Butler.

Mr. John White and Slaton Mahaffey took Ed Mahaffey to Amarillo Saturday night where he took a train to California.

Mrs. Austin Rhoades and daughters, Eileen and Helen, and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades attended a shower and quilting given in honor of Mrs. Loren Rhoades in Clarendon Friday.

D. W. Tomlinson left Sunday with the group of F. F. A. boys for points of interest in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Norman and sons, of Amarillo and Roy Cornelius of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey Sunday.

Christine Knox returned Friday from a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Cecil Dodson of Dalhart.

Katherine Brown left Saturday for Amarillo.
The new Ashtola school building is almost completed. It is a red brick building with four large class rooms and an auditorium. Of course every one is proud of it and are glad to have a community building again.

CORRECTION! I am sorry to say that in the write-up of the Ashtola Needle club last week, I reported that it would meet Thursday, July 29. As this was the 5th Thursday in the month, the meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Fred Shores, August 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tomlinson and family spent Sunday in Lelia Lake.

There was a large crowd at Sunday School Sunday, Rev. Lackey filled his regular appointment Sunday morning. Due to fact that we had no lights, there was no preaching Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bullard and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnston and daughter spent Sunday in Lelia Lake.

Howard King, of Lelia Lake did some interior decoration in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shelton the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Estaleck of Clarendon attended Sunday school here Sunday.

Miss Margaret Fox of Dalhart is the guest of Christine Knox this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dodson of Dalhart spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Knox of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Knox Sunday afternoon.

The Methodist Revival will begin next Sunday with Rev. Ashley doing the preaching. Everyone is invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Knox and family visited in Lelia Lake Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Hubert Patterson and family of Arlington and Mrs. Shaw Patterson of Stephenville visited Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holley.

B. L. Collier was honored Wednesday night, the occasion being his birthday. The many friends and relatives enjoyed the affair very much.

Christine Knox is ill this week.

Rules For Success In Making Jelly

If you want your jelly to be firm and beautiful in color, yet not too hard and rubbery, you must follow certain important rules. The amount of sugar needed for jelly making will vary with the fruit used. In a general way 3-4 to 1 cup of sugar per cup of extracted fruit juice is a safe rule to follow. Such fruits as blackberry, apple, black raspberry, cranberry, quinces and red raspberries require 3-4 of a cup of sugar to each cup of juice. Crabapples, currants, gooseberries and wild grapes require 1 cup of sugar to each cup of juice. Fruit that is just a bit under-ripe is best for jelly making. If it is impossible to obtain under-ripe fruit, 1 tablespoon of strained lemon juice added to each cup of fruit juice will produce almost the same result. The lemon juice should be added when combining the sugar and fruit juices to be boiled together. It is unimportant whether cane or beet sugar is used but in either case remember that too much sugar makes a syrupy jelly while too little will prevent your juices from jelling at all.

It is best to use a large flat bottomed kettle in making jelly so that rapid evaporation can take place. Stir until the sugar is dissolved, then cook only long enough to obtain the jelling test. For this dip a large spoon into the boiling syrup and left the spoon so the juice runs off at the side. When the juice "sheets," turn off the heat. The jelly is then ready to pour into hot sterile glasses.

ON FISHING TRIP

Superintendent and Mrs. H. T. Burton and Nelda Sue and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson and family, left Tuesday afternoon for a fishing trip in Colorado.

LEAVES FOR SANTA FE

Miss Anna Moores and Miss Anna Moores Swift left Tuesday for a vacation in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

LEAVE FOR DENVER

Misses Carrie Davis, Fanny Perry and Mrs. Thomas Hanks left Sunday for a vacation in Denver and other places of interest in Colorado.

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RETURNS TO JA'S

M. H. W. Ritchie owner of the JA Ranch, has returned to his ranch home after an extended visit at Oyster Bay Club, Mass.

ATTENDS MARKET

Bill Greene is attending fall market this week in Fort Worth and Dallas buying stock for the Greene Dry Goods company.

ON COLORADO TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus White left this week for Colorado where they are enjoying a vacation at Colorado Springs.

VISITS SISTER

Mrs. L. J. Jallow has as her guests this week her only sister, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Erwin of Pilot Point.

Read the Classified Ads.

ON BUSINESS TRIP

Fred F. Chamberlain is in St. Louis and Kansas City on a business trip. He left Clarendon Saturday evening.

FIESTA VISITOR

Miss Ruth Hartzog is spending the week at the Fort Worth Frontier Fiesta and Dallas Pan-American Exposition.

ON COLORADO TOUR

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stewart, Misses Mottie and Irene Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins are vacationing in Colorado Springs, Denver and Fort Collins.

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Mrs. Thomas Clayton and Mrs. G. A. Anderson honored Mrs. Lloyd D. Hunter of Amarillo with a shower Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas Clayton. Mrs. Hunter was Miss Evalyn Warren of Clarendon before her recent marriage.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received and refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. J. T. Warren, Mrs. Sarah Stocking, Mrs. H. C. Brumley, Mrs. Joe Goldston, Mrs. O. C. Watson, Mrs. Joveta Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mace, Mrs. D. W. Bryson, Mrs. Cecil Killough, Mrs. Ralph Decker, Mrs. Chester Talley, Mrs. W. B. Sims, Mrs. C. J. Talley, Mrs. Brama, Mrs. Glen Reiger, Mrs. J. A. Warren, Miss Pauline Carlile, Miss Letha Warren, Miss Julia Hahn, Billy Nell Warren, Ardith Warren, Bobby Jean Moore, and the hostesses, Mrs. Thomas Clayton and Mrs. G. A. Anderson and the honoree, Mr. Lloyd D. Hunter.

Those sending gifts were: Mrs. Geo. McClesky, Mrs. Guy Pierce, Mrs. Lonnie Hahn, Mrs. Sloan, Mrs. Bess Rolf, Mrs. O. D. Liesburg, Mrs. Ed Callahan, Mrs. C. J. Talley, Miss Juanita Estes, Mrs. R. R. Dawkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bartlett.

H. H. Monk Honored At Country Club

H. H. Monk of Childress, district West Texas Utilities manager for several years, was honored by the local West Texas Utilities Company with a picnic supper and social at the Country Club Thursday evening. Chas. Lowry, local manager, was host. After swimming, a delicious picnic supper was served to the honoree, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Monk who are leaving to make their home in the Cisco district, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Combett, Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lowry and family; Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Smith and family; Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCraw and family and Miss Carrie Davis.

Missionary Circles Meet at Church

The Missionary Society of The Christian Church met Wednesday afternoon for the regular meeting in the church.

Mrs. F. C. Johnson was program leader. The devotional topic was "Sowing the Seed" and the subject for study was "Up and Down the Country Side."

Mrs. Roy Clappitt read a paper on "Rural Life in Canada." "Living conditions of Laborers in the United States" was discussed, Mrs. R. E. Austin presenting "The Sharecropper"; Mrs. G. A. Anderson "The Mexican"; Mrs. J. H. Casey, "The Mountaineer"; and Mrs. P. H. Cline, "The Miner."

After round table discussion the benediction was given.

Methodist Ladies Meet At Church

Circles of the First Methodist Church met in the church yesterday afternoon for a business meeting. Mrs. Lester Schull had charge of the program and the Reverend E. D. Landreth led the devotional.

Mrs. Landreth gave an outlook number and a musical reading, "The Wild White Rose" was given by Miss Sarah Virginia McGowen. Mrs. Chas. Lowry and Mrs. W. E. Ray presented a playlette, "A Good Investment."

Mrs. Butler Honors Recent Bride

Mrs. J. C. Butler entertained with an all-day quilting and covered-dish luncheon at her home Friday and Mrs. Loren Rhoades, recent bride, was honored with a miscellaneous shower.

Garden flowers were used in decorating the living room. Gifts were presented the honoree by Misses Carla Jo Tyree, Charlesie Ann Whitt and Helen Rhoades.

Those present were Mesdames John Rhoades, Austin Rhoades, Lucian Bones, Carl Tyree, Ralph Decker, Hubert Rhoades, Bill Gaither, John Whitt, and Mrs. J. K. Hunt, Mrs. Maggie Wisdom, Mrs. N. L. Stevenson and Miss Iola Stevenson, all of Claude and Mrs. Lawrence Snodgrass and children of Fairfax, Oklahoma and Misses Aileen, Alakay, and Helen Rhoades, Carla Jo Tyree, Charlesie Ann Whitt.

Wedding Read At Church Sunday

Sunday morning at nine o'clock at the altar of the First Methodist church, Reverend E. D. Landreth, pastor, read the beautiful ring ceremony for Walter Gorman, former resident of Clarendon and popular student in the schools who now lives at Groom, and Miss Ora Lee Burgdorf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Burgdorf of Groom.

Accompanying the couple was Miss Betty Farley of Groom. They will make their home at Groom where Mr. Gorman is employed.

LEAVE FOR TAOS

Miss Mary Howren, accompanied by her cousin, Mrs. Leona Stokes of Memphis, left Tuesday for a vacation in Taos and other points in New Mexico. Miss Howren, who appreciates art, chose Taos as the ideal vacation spot.

VISITS THE NEWS

Claude Wells, editor of the Memphis Democrat and Mayor of Memphis was a visitor at the Clarendon News Tuesday afternoon.

Pretty Home Wedding Unites Miss Sanford and Mr. Skelton Friday

The marriage of Miss Frances Anne Sanford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buel Sanford, to Willard Skelton, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Skelton, took place Friday night at 9:30 at the home of the bride's parents.

The Reverend J. Perry King, pastor of the First Baptist church performed the wedding ceremony before the living room fire place banked with cut flowers and ferns.

Mrs. Frank Heath sang "I Love You Truly" accompanied by Mrs. Allen Bryan who also played wedding march. Donna Rea Bryan, cousin of the bride, was ring bearer and wore a blue organdy frock with blue ribbon on her hair.

The bride was gowned in a black chiffon frock fashioned with a finger-tip jacket which had a yoke of white starched lace. Her accessories were white and she wore a corsage of gardenias.

A reception was held after the ceremony and the dining table, covered in Normandy lace, was centered with a large three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom. Mrs. H. C.

Brumley served the cake and punch was served by Misses Vivian Taylor, Virginia Cluck, Avis Lee McElvaney, and Mrs. Price Whitlock.

The bride was a popular student at Clarendon High School and Clarendon Junior College. Mr. Skelton attended Clarendon High School and College, and is employed at the Bryan Clothing Company.

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Skelton left for a wedding trip to the Frontier Fiesta in Fort Worth and the Pan American Exposition in Dallas. They are at home in the Goldston apartments.

Wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Skelton and Durwood; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Regan Bryan, and Donna Rea; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Land, Reverend and Mrs. J. Perry King, Mr. and Mrs. Buel Sanford, Mesdames H. C. Brumley, Price Whitlock, Sam Cauthen, J. Frank Heath, L. H. Skelton and Bobby; Misses Avis Lee McElvaney, Vivian Taylor, Virginia Cluck, and Pauline Sanford.

The Rest of the Record

BY JAMES V. ALLRED
Governor of Texas

AUSTIN — There are times when every public official wishes he could lay before the people all the facts in a current controversy, so that the people themselves might judge whether his acts were justified.

Several editor friends to whom I made this comment have replied, "Well, Jimmie, why don't you write out those facts as you see them?" So I have decided to do just that, and take advantage of the generosity of these editors by laying before their readers what I call "the rest of the record." This is my first try at it.

SCHOOL CRITICISM UNFAIR
It's a strange thing when public officials are criticized for reducing taxes—for reducing taxes without deducting one iota from public service. Yet, believe it or not, that is exactly what is happening in the current controversy over the state's public school apportionment.

Because State Comptroller George Sheppard and I cut the property tax rate for school purposes from 20 cents to 7 cents, we are accused by other public officials—who should be as deeply concerned as we are over the average man's tax burden—of taking something, somehow, from the school children of Texas.

I tell you flatly, that is not true. At their best, these statements give you but a part of the record. And a very distorted part, at that.

Every informed school official knows that since I have been governor, the schools have received far more aid from the state than ever before in the state's history.

RECORD FRIENDLY
For parents in general, who are not apprised of the mechanics of state aid, this explanation is in order: The state helps support schools through two means. First, there is the available school fund, which is divided among the districts on the basis of registered children of school age.

Then there is the "rural aid fund" or the "equalization fund," so-called, which is an additional grant to poorer rural districts. Rural aid has jumped two and a half million dollars each year I have been in office! When I was inaugurated, it totalled three million dollars; today it is five and a half million. The present controversy isn't over rural aid; it is concerned with the available school fund, distributed on a basis of so much for each child—the state "per capita."

Now this fact is undisputed: During the first year of my administration, the state contributed \$19 per student in the per capita apportionment toward the education of each of approximately 1,500,000 Texas children—and this payment likewise was the highest amount in Texas history! But here is the fact which the critics want you to forget: The per capita this next year will be even greater—at least \$20, and perhaps a little more—and at the same time property tax payers will get a tax reduction! The revenues will come from other sources than ad valorem taxes on property.

Does that sound like taking anything from anybody?

TAX REDUCTION STAND
Upon what are the critics basing their charges? Well, here's how it all happened:

The law says the per capita shall be fixed by the State Board of Education, on or before August 1st. At this time, the Com-

troller shall furnish the Board of Education with an estimate of available funds. The Board is then required to do a simple problem in arithmetic—divide the total anticipated revenues by the total number of pupils—and the answer is the per capita.

Now another law says that the Automatic Tax Board, of which Mr. Sheppard and I are members, shall meet by July 20th and set a property tax which will insure enough anticipated revenues to pay \$17.50 per capita.

I construe these two laws to mean that the tax board must meet first, find out how much money will be available for schools, and vote enough property taxes to make up the difference. Last year, that's what we did. We found we could reduce the school tax from 35 cents to 20 cents, and still pay the schools \$17.50. Not a soul objected. Happily, revenues from other sources were greater than expected, and a per capita of \$19.00 was possible.

But this year, for some mysterious reason, the Board of Education met first, and presumed that we would continue the 20 cent tax, regardless of need. Why they so presumed is as deep a mystery as why they met before they possibly could know what the revenues would be—for they couldn't know until after the tax board met. With the 20 cent tax rate, they could make a per capita apportionment of \$22, or expressed another way, an increase of \$4,680,000 over last year.

I firmly believe that certain people thought they saw a way to tie the hands of the Tax Board and force Mr. Sheppard and me to yield to political expediency at the expense of the taxpayers—who certainly ought to be entitled to some consideration. Everybody knows how burdensome real estate taxes have become.

Right here I want to say George Sheppard showed unusual courage. Most everybody knew how I felt on the matter; so they concentrated on him and he was deluged with telegrams, letters and personal visits to play politics. He is a fine public official, and I suggest if you approve his course, you drop him a note. He will appreciate it.

Mr. Sheppard and I saw eye to eye on this matter; we believe that the law makes it mandatory on us to see that the schools get \$17.50 per capita. We did that and they're going to get \$20; and at the same time, the taxpayers are going to get a tax reduction.

As a final citation of the record, concerning the attitude of public school teachers: In February of this year, one of the heads of the Teachers Association told a legislative committee that if they could "hold the \$19 and maybe get \$1 more they would be tickled to death." By that statement, the teachers have reason to day to be plenty happy.

The Government of Mexico has invited Mrs. Allred and me to visit that country. We are leaving Sunday, August 1, by train, and next week I hope to have something interesting to tell you about our neighbors. This will be our first real vacation and we are looking forward to a lot of sightseeing.

ON VACATION

Rev. E. D. Landreth and family left Thursday morning for a ten day vacation in Colorado. They will spend most of the time near Antonito, probably visiting Colorado Springs before returning.

ON FISHING TRIP

County Attorney and Mrs. R. Y. King and Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. Guy Wright have taken a vacation from the local peace departments to go on a fishing trip to Colorado.

Mrs. Whitlock Is 1930 Hostess

Mrs. Clarence Whitlock entertained members of the 1930 Needle Club at her home Tuesday afternoon and after gifts were presented the hostess the group engaged in sewing.

A salad course was served to Mrs. Frank Whitlock and Mrs. W. C. Stewart, guests and Mesdames Eulah Hay, Ruby Couch, Emma Tyree, Claudia Land, Nora Decker, Maggie Hunt, Margaret Carpenter, Glen Kerby, Betsy Landers, Marie Patterson and the hostess, Mrs. Whitlock.

PERSONALS

Jerome Stocking is on the sick list this week.

Miss Opal Pyle of Lubbock is visiting in Clarendon today.

Miss Dorothy Jo Ryan is spending the week in Memphis visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Clarence Heironomus and children of Kellerville visited Mr. and Mrs. Odos Caraway Thursday.

A splendid vacation was reported by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Taylor and daughters, Dorothy Jo and Vivian, who returned Thursday from Antonito, Colorado.

Miss Yvonne Smith visited in Memphis last week with Mrs. Dale Hill.

Miss Irene Fowler of Amarillo has been visiting in the home of Miss Madeline Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Barcus Antrobous spent the week-end in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson on the birth of a son, Max Carl, July 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Halbert of Crowell are visiting this week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Johnson.

Miss Johnny Stewart of Goldston is spending the week in Clarendon with Miss Bertie Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Turner of Boise City, Okla., returned Saturday after visiting her brother, Ed Speed.

Reece Allen, Wichita Falls oilman, cattleman and railroad official, visited with Mayor W. H. Patrick Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jay visited Mrs. Duncan's sister in Wellington Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins, Jr. and son, Britt, visited in Clarendon Monday evening with Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins and Leon O. Lewis. They were enroute of the Pan-American Exposition in Dallas.

Miss Louise Tucker spent last week visiting in Shamrock.

June Wedding Is Announced

The June wedding of Miss Ruth Butler of Borger and Loren Rhoades of Pampa was announced this week and comes as a surprise to the couple's friends. The ceremony was read June 5 by the Reverend Wyman, minister of the First Christian Church at Elk City, Oklahoma.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Butler of Clarendon and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rhoades of Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhoades are at home in LeFors where Mr. Rhoades is employed with a contracting company.

John Browder, cattleman from Memphis, was in Clarendon Tuesday.



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MIDWAY

(By Mrs. P. H. Longan)

Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. Bob Glen honored her husband with a birthday dinner Sunday, there being plenty of fried chicken and all that goes with it and last, delicious ice cream and cake were served. The cake was baked by Mrs. A. Seaton. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Seaton of Goldston, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Seaton, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seaton, Ferris, George and Chester Seaton and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Glen.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Nelse Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lengan and baby were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Delmar Koontz is vacationing in California, having gone there last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheeler of Amarillo. They expect to be gone about ten days.

Betty Goldston spent Saturday night with Lena Mae Seaton.

Miss Beatrice Hardin, who is attending school in Canyon, spent the weekend at home. Mr. and Mrs. Hardin and Gladys took her back Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Corbin and Miss Ruth Corbin spent Monday afternoon in the Potter home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Elliot and children spent Sunday with his parents in Clarendon.

J. M. Potter and Maybourn Trout took a load of produce to Amarillo Saturday.

Miss Marjorie Harlen, who is attending school at Canyon, spent the weekend with the homefolks. Mrs. Maybourn Trout and children spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Putman.

Miss Josie Mae Davis of Los Angeles is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis.

Dinner guests in the Robinson home Sunday were Mrs. Edgar Beach of Alvoide, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Brinson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Beach and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Mattie Beach, all of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Beach called in the afternoon.

Dempsey Robinson left Sunday morning with the F. F. A. boys for a trip to New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Potter, Mrs. Ornie Harlin and Donald Harlin all were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Drennan in Clarendon Saturday.

Pearl Derrick was a dinner guest in the Longan home Friday.

Lavonia Sweeney spent Saturday night with Otha and Oleta Koontz.

Mrs. Allgren and son, Marty visited Mr. and Mrs. John Chamberlain Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Seaton, Lona Mae Ferris and Chester Seaton were callers in the Pat Longan home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Johnson and children went to Mobeetie Sunday to attend a Johnson reunion. They expect about 250 relatives this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain called on Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor Sunday afternoon.

Miss Johnny Lafon of Martin spent Saturday night with Miss Irma Faye Moreland.

Junior Swift of Clarendon spent Sunday with Travis Liveley in the John Naylor home.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Beach of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelse Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Arnold and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taylor Saturday night. All enjoyed eating ice cream.

Motorists Travel At Greater Speed When Farther From Home

Visitors travel faster than the home folks on the highways, and the farther they come the faster they go, according to a traffic survey by the Federal Bureau of Public Roads and the Connecticut State Highway Department. As reported in "Public Roads," the Bureau Journal of highway research, Connecticut cars averaged 38.2 miles an hour; cars from neighboring Massachusetts, 40.3 miles; and from four midwestern States, 44.9 miles an hour in the daylight during the summer.

There was no significant difference in the average speed of men and women drivers. Men average a little faster in the winter; women in the summer. But, back seat drivers put on the brakes. That is, cars with passengers did not travel as fast on the average as cars with only a driver aboard. In the winter this difference in speed averaged only about half a mile an hour, but in summer it was 2 miles.

Average speeds were fastest in the early morning, slowed gradually during the day, picked up a little from 5 to 6 in the evening, and lessened in the dark hours.

The driving records of 981 high speed drivers were checked against the records of 1054 moderate drivers. Thirty per cent more of the fast drivers had been in accidents and they averaged 45 per cent more accidents than those who drove at moderate speeds.

The timing was done with the aid of a stop watch and mirrors from a car parked at the side of the road so that drivers would not slow down for fear of a speed trap.

LIBRARY NOTES

(By Mrs. C. A. Burton)

Among the numerous literary prizes of the present day—and there are many—none is more coveted than the Pulitzer Prize. By this time every one knows that "Gone With the Wind" won this prize for the best novel of 1936, and in winning this that Margaret Mitchell has joined a growing list of southern writers who have been awarded this prize. Among these are Carolyn Miller with her story, "Lamb in His Bosom," Julia Peterkin with "Black April," S. T. Stribling with "The Store" and Douglas Freeman with "Robert E. Lee."

Of these Carolyn Miller as well as Margaret Mitchell is a Georgian, Stribling in Tennessee, and Freeman is a Virginian.

This perennial interest in the Pulitzer Prize gives added interest to a recent publication, "An Adventure With a Genius" by Alleyne Ireland. The story of the life of Joseph Pulitzer, Alleyne Ireland was one of Pulitzer's secretarial staff. He tells but little of the rise of the Hungarian immigrant youth to the position of Millionaire publisher of the New York World, but tells instead of his later years.

When Ireland joined his staff, Pulitzer had been blind for nearly a quarter of a century as well as being a sufferer from dyspepsia, diabetes, and nervous ailments. As might have been expected he was often exacting and irritable. Yet he refused to give up his responsibilities and live a life of ease. From his yacht on the Mediterranean or from some European villa he directed the management and policies of his paper. Daily he had read to him the doings of the world and he cabled instructions accordingly.

Pulitzer had but little formal education, but he had gained an amazing knowledge of history and literature and he had a keen ap-

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preciation of music. His ability as a conversationalist was phenomenal. Ireland calls him a man "with a will or iron and a nervous system of gossamer," a man who stubbornly refused to be controlled by physical handicaps. To this man the literary world owes much through the stimulation of the Pulitzer Prize.

The Columbia Broadcasting System announces a series of eight weekly radio productions of Shakespeare's plays on Monday evenings from 9 to 10 o'clock, E. D. S. T., beginning July 12th. The series to be heard over ninety stations. The plays all include "King Lear," "Much Ado About Nothing," "Hamlet," "The Taming of the Shrew," "As You Like It," "Macbeth," "Henry IV," and "Twelfth Night." Brewster Morgan formerly of England's Oxford Theater and Broadway, will direct the productions, and Helen Hayes, Leslie Howard, Burgess Meredith, and Walter Huston, are members of the casts which will include twenty-five ranking artists, supported by more than one hundred players of note.

All of this causes us to read with greater interest of the twenty-six week festival commemorating Shakespeare's birth in 1564 which began on April 23rd, in Stratford-on-Avon. Thirty-four nations were represented and the flags of seventy-seven countries and British dominions and colonies were unfurled.

A new book is being acclaimed a worthy successor to "Gone With the Wind." It is "And So Victoria" by Vaughan Wilkins. A little sketch of the author says that although he is an Englishman and lives in London he has more kin in Louisiana and the ranch country of Texas than in England. His mother's people settled in the Southern states in the early part of the last century. Part of Mr. Wilkins' novel was written at his cousin's house at Goliad, Texas.

The time of the story is 1819 and all of Europe and America seem to furnish the setting of this story of intrigue and adventure, with a mixture of history and imagination. A critic says of it, "With color and suspense and a rich prodigality of character and incident Vaughan Wilkins carries the reader along at a furious tempo." "And So

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Tribute To Pampa Pioneer Is Paid

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The church rostrum was literally banked with floral offerings, expressions of esteem for the woman pioneer from persons in all walks of life.

At the close of the church service, a funeral cortege followed the body to its last resting place in the family plot in Llano Cemetery in Amarillo.

The services were carried out in minutest detail in compliance with arrangements which Mrs. Worley herself had made years before her death.

Mrs. Worley, who died early Thursday in Worley Hospital, Pampa, an institution named in her honor, had been a strong supporter of church and charitable organizations and had made substantial donations to the Children's Home in Amarillo.

She had gained wide renown as a producer of registered Hereford cattle, and it was on her ranch that the discovery oil well in Gray County was drilled.

Active pallbearers were B. D. Robinson, E. S. Vicars, F. A. Peck, E. B. Clay, J. R. Roby and C. M. Carlock, and honorary pallbearers were cattlemen, oil men and other old friends of the family.

LEAVES FOR KANSAS

Miss Lucille Polk, C. L. Polk and Carl Cook left Tuesday morning for Arkansas to visit friends and relatives.

Casa Manana Set Proves Barometer

FORT WORTH, Aug. 5 — Every night the Fort Worth Frontier Fiesta has a special weather bulletin indicating the state of the weather for the next 24 hours. The weather prophet goes to work when the huge Colonial mansion for the "Gone with the Wind" episode of Casa Manana is apparently set on fire. If the smoke hangs low, rain is certain within 24 hours; if it rises, skies will be clear. Stage hands say it never fails.

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NOBODY'S BUSINESS

AUSTIN. — One of the most interesting gubernatorial campaigns in the history of Texas is developing more than a year in advance of the election, with more rumors, guesses, speculation and hot air being generated than in any previous fight for the state's highest office. The already muddled situation was further complicated this week in the minds of some political writers by the announcement in Dallas by Jim Ferguson that his wife might offer for a third time "if a sufficient number of people demand it."

The Allred third term balloon, sent up a month or more ago, is still worrying some of the politicians, despite the announcement by Sen. Tom Connally in Washington that the Texas federal judgeship bill, also abandoned for this session, will be passed at the January session of congress. This revived hope in the Allred camp that the appointment of the governor to this post might still go thru, thus taking Allred definitely out of the race before the campaign warms up.

Reports that Col. Ernest O. Thompson, railroad commissioner, might decide not to run for governor, have been assiduously circulated and frequently published during the past few weeks. These reports have emanated chiefly from sources to whom the wish was father to the thought. Any informed political observer, who gets his information from factual sources rather than from hopeful politicians, can find out in an hour's conversation in the right places in Austin, Dallas, or Houston, that Ernest Thompson will not only be a candidate when the time for announcements comes, but that several hundred active political leaders throughout the state, constituting the backbone of the forces which elected and re-elected Jimmy Allred governor of Texas, are actively at work in Thompson's behalf. It is fairly obvious that next July's primary will be a race for governor between the red-headed ex-mayor of Amarillo and Bill McCraw, the attorney general, who has been campaigning actively for months.

CAMPAIGN STRATEGY
Strategy of the Thompson camp is to let McCraw take the play now, and to time their own campaign for a short, intensive effort that will reach its peak at election time. Due recognition is given to McCraw's ability as a personal campaigner, but the Thompson advisers have proved to their own satisfaction in the past that organization wins elections in a state as big as Texas, and that with good organization, it isn't necessary for their candidate to address so many high school graduating classes, or slap so many voters on the back. There have been exceptions enough to prove this rule—the individual speaking campaign of Pat Neff comes most readily to mind—but the preponderance of evidence favors the organization method.

Those close to the situation here do not believe that Gov. Allred will seek a third term, regardless of whether the legislature enacts his platform demands of more general revenue, public utility regulation and further social security co-operation by the state, at the fall special sessions. As a matter of fact, the results achieved at the regular session would indicate that the legislators will not enact this program.

As for the Ferguson third term talk, none here takes it seriously. Jim Ferguson victories have always been personal victories for Ferguson. Today, Ferguson is aged, his health impaired, and he

New Prosperity For South Seen

DALLAS, Aug. 5 — New prosperity for the South through an alliance of science with industry and farming was envisioned here today by Carl B. Fritsche, Dearborn, Mich., managing director of the National Farm Chemurgic Council.

Fritsche spoke before a session of the Southwestern Chamber of Commerce school. "Though the council's program is Nation-wide, it is now apparent that the southwestern region is due to benefit most from chemical and chemurgic enterprises now being projected," he said.

Pulp mills, tung oil trees and plants for making starch and power alcohol were among industries Mr. Fritsche named as destined to dot Southern States with factories and furnish employment for millions.

He predicted East Texas soon would be a heavy producer of pulp paper. The South can produce pulp wood about four times as fast as Canada, Fritsche said. In requires from 40 to 50 years for the timber to reach cordwood size in Canada, and it can be produced in Texas and other Southern States within 10 years, he added.

"Despite the millions of dollars that oil has brought to Texas, it does not constitute the real permanent wealth of your State," he said. "Your real wealth is in the soil."

is obviously unable to stand up under the rigors of a hard campaign under a Texas summer sun. His influence has been dissipated, and his talk now is regarded as the irresistible response of an aged firehorse, which hears the bell ring, but can no longer gallop to the blaze.

HOW TO GET THE MONEY
When the special session begins next month to wrestle with the problem of raising revenue to take up the \$10,000,000 general fund deficit, another effort will be made in both houses to do something about applying existing taxes equally and fairly. The effort has been made in many sessions, and has always failed. Rep. C. M. McFarland, of Wichita Falls, best-informed house tax expert, has fought unsuccessfully in many sessions for measures equalizing property assessment, and enforcing collection of delinquent taxes. Sen. Manley Head of Stephenville plans to sponsor the fight in the senate again. Head cites figures to show the state could pick up \$400,000 annually by merely ironing out the inequalities of automobile taxation. Last year, 1,532,169 motor cars were licensed, but 948,741 of these cars were rendered for ad valorem property taxes. On those rendered, the valuations show wide variance, so that the average value of all the cars in Texas is less than \$100 each—while in some counties, the average valuation is over \$200. Galveston-co's average is \$208. Live Oak county's is \$10. Upshur-co's average valuation on its 4250 cars is about \$6 each.

GREAT INEQUALITY
Duval-co lists only 81 autos on its tax records, but issued licenses to 2714. Andrews, Hall, Hill and Swisher counties failed to tax any automobile, altho 14,960 licenses were issued in these

Laughing Around the World

With IRVIN S. COBB

The Low-Down on the Saw Milling Business

By IRVIN S. COBB

AN OFFICE-MAN for a Chicago lumber concern decided to get into the business on his own account. Sight unseen for cash, he purchased a milling property in the White River bottoms of Arkansas at a figure which seemed to him highly attractive. He settled up his



affairs in the city and caught a train for the South to take over the bargain he had acquired.

At a desolate way-station on the edge of a swamp he left the cars. The man from whom he had purchased, a lean, whiskered individual, met him with a team and a buckboard, and together they started on the long drive fourteen miles back in the country to the scene of the Chicagoan's prospective future operations. As they bumped along over the corduroy road the Northern man turned to his companion and said:

"I'm hoping to make a good deal of money out of this new line and I'm trusting you to put me onto the ropes. I know something about the selling end of the game but this is going to be my first experience in the actual getting out of the raw stock."

"Well, suh," said the late proprietor, "I'll give you my own experiences in the saw-mill business and then you kin draw yore own conclusions. This yere mill I sold you didn't cost me nary cent to begin with. When my father-in-law died he left it to me all complete and clear of debt.

"Labor ain't cost me nothin' because my two boys and me do all the work and we ain't never had to hire no outside help. And the timber we've cut ain't cost nothin' neither 'cause, just between you and me, we been sort o' stealin' it off the land of a rich Yankee who owns a big stretch of the bottoms and ain't got nobody watchin' it."

"I've also been kind o' favored in the matter of shipments, seein' that my cousin is district freight-agent for the railroad and he fixes up things so part of the time our freightin' don't amount to nothin' at all. So that's the way she stands—no wages for outside hands, no cost for timber, and practically nothin' for freight bills."

"And last year I lost twenty-five hundred dollars."

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four counties. Head points out passage of a simple statute, requiring automobile owners to show they had rendered their cars for property taxation before a license is issued to them, would put nearly half a million dollars annually into the state's treasury, without imposing any new taxes.

Another classic example of inequality of valuation is in two central Texas counties where mules are rendered in one county at \$25 a head, and just across the line in the neighboring county, at \$2.50.

McFarland estimates that 11 billion dollars of property that ought to be on the rolls is escaping taxation—and that the tax yield from this would give the state enough to wipe out the state's \$10,000,000 deficit and leave 10 to 12 million dollars additional for payment of old-age pensions, without imposing a cent of new taxes, or raising any existing tax rates.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Gentry and Miss Berkeley Ryan returned Friday from a visit in Dallas.

Now Perhaps He Will Give Plug For Frontier Fiesta

FORT WORTH, Aug. 5 — Special service for patrons is part of the nightly routine at the Fort Worth Frontier Fiesta as shown by a recent occurrence when a visitor stopped by the business office and asked to borrow the use of an electric plug. He explained that he and his wife had been traveling all day and that she refused to go to the show with him unless he shaved. Whereupon the visitor plugged in an electric razor and proceeded to shave.

ATTENDS DALLAS MARKET

Mrs. Fred Rathjen and son, Freddie, spent the week-end in Ft. Worth and Dallas where Mrs. Rathjen bought fall stock for the Ladies Shop. Jo Ella Stewart accompanied Mrs. Rathjen to Dallas. They also attended the Pan-American Exposition.

Speeding First As Death Cause

NEW YORK, Aug. 5—The National Safety Council, realizing that with the total registration of cars in the United States at a peak of 28,221,000 the congested highways will increase accidents has gathered a number of interesting accident facts for summer motorists to study.

Four out of five accidents, says the council, occur while driving straight ahead and the same percentage occur on dry roads and in clear weather.

The seven reasons for fatal accidents reported by 26 States rank as follows:

1. Exceeding the speed limit, or going too fast for conditions.
2. Driving on wrong side of the road.
3. Disregarding stop signs or signals.
4. Did not have the right of way.
5. Cutting in.
6. Passing on curve or hill.
7. Failing to signal.

Eighty-seven percent of victims in collisions between passenger cars and trucks were in passenger cars and 93 per cent in collisions between passenger cars and buses were in the former.

Nature of injuries in fatal accidents showed fractured skull, 46 per cent; fractured spine, 3 per cent; other fractures, 21 per cent, and internal injuries, 17 per cent.

The council reported that the higher the speed the worse the accident. At 20 miles an hour, one accident in 61 was fatal; and the ratio increases until, at over 50 miles an hour, one accident in every 11 is fatal.

Twenty per cent of the Nation's traffic accidents at night causes three-fifths of all deaths, the council reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodge Brumley of Burkburnet were Sunday guests in the H. C. Brumley home.

VISITS TEXAS CITIES

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bourland and Miss Jeanne Bourland, who now makes her home in Amarillo, have returned from a vacation in Waco, Austin, San Antonio, Fort Worth and Dallas. In Fort Worth, they attended the Frontier Fiesta and in Dallas the Pan-American Exposition. Miss Bourland returned to work in Amarillo today.

LEAVES FOR MISSOURI

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brumley left this week for Missouri to spend two weeks visiting in Fairfax with Mrs. Brumley's relatives. Carroll Brumley of Paducah accompanied his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Parker and Thomas Perkins are attending fall market in Dallas this week.

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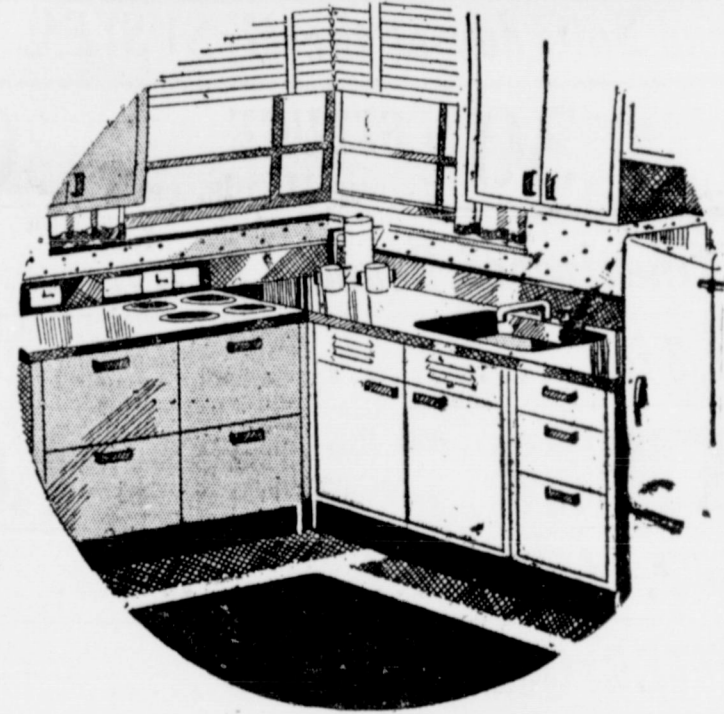
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THE VANISHING HOUSEWIFE!



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\$500 "Name-A-Housewife" Contest Closes August 14

EXPERT TO JUDGE ENTRIES

Dr. Charles Earle Funk, Funk & Wagnalls New Standard Dictionary, will be the judge in the "Name-A-Housewife" contest. This famous expert on words and writer of dictionaries has consented to serve in the campaign to secure a more appropriate name for the modern West Texas woman. Entries will be sent to Dr. Funk immediately upon close of the contest. He will select the 13 winners.

STILL TIME TO ENTER

It must be a single word but may be compounded from several suggesting economy, efficiency and the leisure derived through use of Electric Service. All women are eligible to send in as many entries as they like. (Employee families and advertising agencies ineligible.) All entries become the property of this company. Entries will be received until midnight, Saturday, August 14. Each entry should be accompanied by a brief letter telling why you think it more appropriate for the modern West Texas woman.

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Statewide Campaign Conducted For Two Welfare Amendments

The campaign of education being conducted by the State Committee for Human Security for the adoption of the two welfare amendments—aid to the needy blind and to dependent and destitute children—will be climaxed during "Human Security Week," August 9th to 16th.

The "Week" is being set aside by proclamation of the Governor. Through the State-wide County organizations which are being set up, it is expected that an intensive speaking campaign will be conducted in every voting box of the individual counties, to the end that the people may know the provisions of the two amendments to be voted upon August 23rd and the necessity for their adoption.

The week will be opened Monday evening in Dallas, with Honorable Frank Bane, Executive Director of the Social Security Board, Washington, and Judge Sarah T. Hughes of the 24th District Court of Dallas as two of the speakers. There will be others, also, appearing on the program.

Tuesday evening, the educational campaign will be concentrated in San Antonio; Wednesday evening in Houston; Thursday evening in El Paso; Friday evening in Austin; Saturday evening in Ft. Worth, and Sunday evening, the churches throughout the State will be asked to give some recognition to the program for ratification of the two amendments.

Revival To Start At Lelia Church

After completing a meeting here Wednesday at the Church of Christ, Minister Melvin J. Wise of Abilene will go to Lelia where he will conduct a revival at the Lelia Lake Church of Christ.

Lelia Lake citizens and surrounding communities are invited to join in the worship. Mr. Usrey will have charge of the song services.

Marvin Perry Dies In California Home

A message was received in Clarendon Tuesday that Marvin Perry, son of Mrs. L. H. Perry, died suddenly at his Los Angeles, California home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Perry is unable to attend the funeral services and his sisters, Mrs. Fanny Perry and Mrs. Thomas Hanks are in Colorado where they went last week for a vacation.

Miss Josie Mae Davis, who works in a ready-to-wear store in Los Angeles, is home for a two-weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis.

Measures aimed to relieve human needs.

A detailed program for each of these populous centers in Texas will appear in the press within a few days.

McKnight Meeting Now In Progress

The Reverend J. Perry King is conducting a two-weeks meeting at the McKnight Baptist Church and started services last night.

The services will be held in the community school house and people from McKnight community and neighboring communities are extended a cordial welcome to attend the services.

ENROUTE TO HONOLULU

Mr. and Mrs. Whitfield Carhart of Greenville passed through Clarendon Monday evening enroute to Honolulu where they will enjoy a vacation until September 1. Her mother and sister, Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain and Mrs. J. D. Browder, met the train on which the Carharts were traveling.

PLEASE!

Every copy of The Clarendon News mailed with a wrong address is returned to us by Uncle Sam at the rate of 2c each. During the course of a few months time this runs into money, and we are requesting our readers to immediately notify us of any change in their address. If you know address will be changed a week before hand, write us then. It will prevent you from missing a copy of the paper and will save us 2c for each copy we send to the wrong address. Please!

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PROCLAMATION

JVA:OS NO. 17640

By the GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, a Federal-State cooperative plan of public assistance has been made possible to the State in bringing greater security to the needy aged, needy blind, and dependent and destitute children under the terms of Social Security Act, provided the States care to set up plans of their own and to make appropriations for matching Federal allotments; and, WHEREAS, the State of Texas has availed itself of all provisions of the Social Security Act, with the exception of aid to the needy blind and to dependent and destitute children; and,

WHEREAS, the Legislature has deemed it necessary to amend the Constitution before State appropriations can be made for such welfare services, and has submitted two Constitutional amendments to the people in the election Monday, August 23, authorizing appropriations for assistance to the needy adult blind and to dependent and destitute children; and,

WHEREAS, the State of Texas has a definite responsibility to provide security for all of its needy citizens; and,

WHEREAS, an educational campaign is desirable for acquainting all of the people with

the purposes and provisions of the two welfare amendments;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JAMES V. ALLRED, Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of August 9th-16th as

HUMAN SECURITY WEEK during which time I call upon all individual citizens, religious, fraternal, charitable, and civic organizations to give their active and unqualified support to the end that this essential step to Texas' participation in the provisions of the Social Security Act may be accomplished and our State may continue to maintain its rightful place among the progressive States of the Union.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,

I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State of Texas to be affixed hereon at Austin, this 26th day of July, A. D. 1937.

BY THE GOVERNOR:
JAMES C. ALLRED.
(s) EDWARD CLARK,
Secretary of State.



XIT brand in 1885 at Buffalo Springs, No. 1 division headquarters, 30 miles north of Dalhart.

Miss Sydna Yokley, 14-year old Canadian, Texas girl, who is a rodeo sensation in riding Brahma steers and roping, will carry the U. S. flag at the head of the parade. With her will ride Mayor Frank B. Farwell carrying the specially made XIT flag, four by six feet, black letters against a white background, bordered in red. All three colors are especially reminiscent of the famous old ranch in its heyday. All house were painted white; all corrals, windmills and barns were red, and the best-known herds of early Longhorns with which the ranch stocked up in the 1880's were black.

The rodeo is 2 P. M. each day. Monday it will open with taps for the XIT boys who are riding "over yonder" followed by a silent moment in memory of their achievements.

There will be one and perhaps two special tours to the old No. 1 headquarters at Buffalo Springs where the foreman's residence, the bunk houses, barns and corrals stand as they were built in 1885—the oldest structures in Dallam county.

Each night at 8:30 the XIT Historical Pageant will be held, a glittering spectacle, turning back the pages of time to reenact the most notable episodes of the XIT ranch and of this part of the West. Included will be the Creation Ballet, a scene of gorgeous splendor, symbolizing the birth of the world. Then will be episodes indicating the march of the centuries. A Comanche Indian encampment, pioneers in covered wagons, an early church service, a night at a cow camp, a re-enactment of the scene in Austin in 1881 when the State agreed to give three million acres of Panhandle land, that later became the XIT, to the Farwell Brothers of Chicago in return for the West's most noted rendezvous, Old Tascosa, and many humorous events of early XIT history.

VISITING NIECES

Mrs. Lawrence Snodgrass of Fairfax, Okla., spent Friday visiting her nieces, Mrs. Loren Rhoades and Miss Edna Putman.

OKLAHOMA VISITORS

Mrs. J. C. Butler had as her guest this week her brother, J. M. Jordan and wife of Lexington, Oklahoma.

LELIA LAKE-CLARENDON CIRCUIT

W. T. Lackey, Pastor

Following is the schedule of appointments for preaching at the several points on the circuit:

- 1st Sunday—Ashtola.
 - 2nd Sunday—McKnight.
 - Afternoon, 3 o'clock—Naylor.
 - 3rd Sunday—Goldston.
 - Morning and Afternoon.
 - 4th Sunday—Lelia Lake.
 - Afternoon, 3 o'clock—Naylor.
- All are invited to come and worship with us.



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CITIZENS WILL VOTE IN AUGUST

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS OF STATE CONSTITUTION GO TO VOTERS 23RD.

Donley County, together with citizens all over the state will go to the polls Monday, August 23, to vote on six proposed amendments to the state constitution.

The fee system for paying county officials, repealed two years ago, will be returned if the amendment is adopted by the voters.

Another amendment is the proposal to set up a discount system for payment of state and local property taxes.

Affecting the banking laws of the state is the amendment making them conform to federal banking laws and repealing the law which calls for double liability of stockholders in state banks which become insolvent.

One of the amendments is in line with the trend toward "social security" providing for \$1,500,000 annually to aid destitute children. Payments would amount to as much as eight dollars a month for needy children. Another proposal is the creation of a Department of Public Welfare to administer various social service programs.

One amendment affects Harris county only, giving the county the right to create a fund for permanent roads and bridges.

The Sixth amendment does away with the anti-dueling provision in the state oath now administered to public officials.

Election judges and voting places in each district are as follows: Goldston: H. M. Stewart, presiding judge, J. M. Brock, judge with election at Goldston school house.

Jericho: Berry James, presiding judge, Jodie Helm, judge. Election at school house.

Martin: W. E. Hodges presiding judge, C. J. Talley, judge with election at school house.

Ashtola: D. F. Randel, presiding judge, J. A. Johnson, judge with election at Ashtola school house.

Wilson: P. N. Longan, presiding judge, John Goldston, judge with election at Midway school house.

Clarendon: W. W. Taylor, presiding judge, C. H. Bugbee and J. D. Swift judges with election at city hall for Box 18.

Lelia Lake: Willard Knox, presiding judge, D. M. Cook, WFI

Mace judges with election to be held at school house.

Giles: A. E. Ranson, presiding judge, John Lemon, judge with election to be held at Giles school house.

Hedley: Clyde Bridge, presiding judge, Roy Jewell, and J. M. Everett, judges with election to be held at Hedley City Hall.

Bray: B. A. Kyser, presiding judge, W. H. Clay, judge. Election to be held at school house.

Smith: C. A. Crow, presiding judge, Frank Jackson judge with election at school house.

McKnight: J. C. Hickerson, presiding judge, V. L. Alewine, judge with election at school house.

Naylor: H. W. Adams, presiding judge, L. Morrison, judge with election at Naylor school house.

Rowe: E. V. Quattlebaum, presiding judge, Jno. B. Naylor, judge with election at Midway school house.

Whitefish: Dave Turner judge, Enlo Crips judge, at Whitefish school house.

Watkins-Oller: Tommy Bain, presiding judge, Cicero Turpin, judge at home of D. N. Robinson.

Skillet: Fred Thompson, presiding judge, Gus Hunter judge with election at Skillet school house.

Glenwood: Sam Spradin presiding judge, Marvin Hall, judge with election at Glenwood school house.

Dalhart To Have Real Celebration

DALHART, Texas, August 5 — A majestic tempo of tribute to the old cowboys here, and over yonder, will open the Second Annual XIT Reunion in Dalhart next Monday and Tuesday.

A parade at 11 a. m. Monday will move through North Dalhart, into South Dalhart and disband in time for members of the XIT Association to meet prior to the rodeo at 2:00 and decide on plans for next year.

Honor places in the procession will go to Judge James D. Hamlin, Farwell and W. A. Askew, Amarillo, president and secretary of the XIT Association to distinguished guests who are to include Lieut-Gov. Walter Woodul, Attny General Wm. McCraw, Railroad Commissioner Lon Smith, Speaker of the House, Coke Stevenson, J. Frank Dobie of Austin and J. Evetts Haley of Canyon, both famous Southwestern authors; Ab Blocker, Big Wells, who with the first general manager of the XIT ranch figured out the

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25c

SHORTENING

Wilson Advance 8 lb. carton

1.05

Tomatoes, No. 2, 3 for

25c

PEANUT BUTTER, Quart, Armour's

29c

FLOUR

Yukon's Best, 48 lb. sk.

1.75

MEAL

Yukon's Best, 20 lb. sk.

.75

PORK & BEANS, 16 oz. Brimfull, 3 for

20c

COFFEE, Maxwell House, 3 lb. can

85c

BLACKBERRIES, gallon

50c

Corn Flakes

With bowl 2 for

.21

Wheat Flakes

Kelloggs Pkg.

.10

Sugar

20 lb. Kraft Bag

1.00

CHERRIES, No. 2, Red pitted, 2 for

35c

SALMON, Tall can, 2 for

25c

COCOA, Peerless Brand, 2 pounds

15c

SPINACH, No. 2 1-2, 2 for

25c

WHEAT SHORTS, 100 pounds

\$1.65

WHEAT BRAN, 100 pounds

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