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Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet Here Monday Evening

O'Daniel New Texas Governor In Precedent-Smashing Inaugural

COMMITTEES BUSY ON ARRANGEMENTS FOR OCCASION

ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS WILL BE AN IMPORTANT FEATURE

Clarendon's annual Chamber of Commerce banquet will be held next Monday evening, January 23rd, at 7 o'clock in the basement of the First Christian Church, according to plans announced by John R. Gillham, secretary-manager of the organization, and committees on program and arrangements are busy in perfecting one of the most interesting banquet programs ever presented in this community.

Hon. Deskins Wells, editor of the Wellington Leader, and pres-

Banquet Speaker



HON. DESKINS WELLS

ident of the Texas Press Association, will appear as the speaker of the evening, and from Mr. Wells' long connection with the Panhandle agricultural and economic situation, he is expected to bring a message of unusual timeliness and worth. Mr. Wells was raised on a Collingsworth county farm, and knows from experience the common problems of this section.

Visitors from a number of nearby towns and cities will be here to enjoy the fellowship and inspiration of the occasion, city leaders from Pampa, McLean, Shamrock, Wellington, Memphis, Childress, Turley, Hedley, Claude and Amarillo having been invited to attend.

Activities of the past year will be reviewed and a tentative program of work for 1939 will be outlined to the membership.

An extra-quality menu for the dinner is being prepared by the ladies of the Christian Church, and tickets to the banquet went on sale Wednesday of this week, under direction of Secretary Gillham.

O. C. Watson has been selected as toastmaster of the occasion, and the program tentatively will be as follows:

Invocation—Rev. Geo. T. Palmer, presiding elder of the Clarendon district.

Welcome address—Mayor Tom F. Connally.

Response—Bedford Harrison, Shamrock, Texas.

Outline of the Plan of Work for 1939—Frank White, Jr., president of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce.

Address—Hon. Deskins Wells, Wellington, Texas.

Balancing for directors.

Introduction of visiting delegations.

Awarding of cups to winners in 1938 holiday decorations contest—J. R. Gillham.

Report of elections committee.

Adjournment.

The program will be interspersed with musical numbers of special interest.

President Frank White, Jr., authorizes The News to invite the citizenship generally to attend and take part in the deliberations of the business session following the program. "It's your Chamber of Commerce," said Mr. White.

LARGE EXHIBIT OF LAMBS TO FEATURE DONLEY SHOW

GROWTH OF COUNTY INTEREST IN LAMB INDUSTRY IS INDICATED

Approximately fifty lambs will be shown in the local and Amarillo fat stock shows in March by Donley county F. F. A. and 4-H members. Fifteen lambs were shown in last year's show the first time lambs were ever shown in the local show. The lambs are equally divided in number between the wool and mutton types. A new division will be created in the local show this year when groups of five lambs will be shown for the first time. A county lot of fifteen will be exhibited at the Amarillo show in addition to the singles and groups.

Bailey Estes, J. T. and Will Alexander, Pete Morrow, and Johnny Phelan are each feeding groups of five. Clyde and Carrol Peabody, Frank Cannon, Horace and Billy Jack Green are 4-H and F. F. A. members who have lambs on feed at this time. K. Edwards, Extension Service specialist, will judge the lambs again this year.

In addition to the lambs approximately 40 calves and 150 pigs will be shown in the local show. The show will be the largest in Donley county history and the stock show committee will begin work next week raising a premium list for the show, which is the climax of a year's work by approximately 100 4-H and F. F. A. boys. The boys' work has grown rapidly during the past few years and has reached a new peak this year.

TOM McDUGAL REPORTER AND SOLICITOR WITH CLARENDON NEWS

Tom McDougal of Bonham is now with The Clarendon News as reporter and solicitor. Mr. McDougal is the son of H. A. McDougal, former publisher of the Tyler Courier-Times and the Bonham Daily Favorite, and was raised in the newspaper atmosphere. He is an ex-student of Texas A. and M. College.

LIONS WILL SEE ALASKA MOVIES TUESDAY, 31ST

DR. H. R. BECK AND REV. GEO. T. PALMER ARE NEW MEMBERS

President Patrick was in the chair at the regular Tuesday luncheon of the Lions Club at the Clarendon Hotel. Lion Patman announced that the Chamber of Commerce banquet would be next Monday evening. In this connection, it was decided to dispense with the luncheon next Tuesday and count attendance at the Chamber of Commerce banquet in its place.

Lion Mulkey stated that, learning that Lion Simpson of the Pinedale Club had some interesting pictures he had taken in Alaska, he had communicated with him and found that he could show them here on January 31. The program committee requested that this be made the program for that date and so it was agreed.

Chairman Merchant, of the entertainment activity committee, reported that after consulting the merchants of the town, it was decided to hold an entertainment, including a Style Show, sometime late in February or in March.

Lion Caraway read a communication from Miss Berry, of the home economics department of the schools, thanking the club for sponsoring the movement to secure the refrigeration unit for the department.

The applications of Dr. H. R. Beck and Rev. Geo. T. Palmer, for membership, were acted upon favorably.

On the program for this meeting were Messrs. Lawrence Heckman, Raymond Wood and Kenneth Sloan, who played and sang a number of hit songs, to the enjoyment of all.

COMMISSIONER REEVES IS CONFINED TO HOME WITH FOOT INJURY

County Commissioner G. G. Reeves is confined to his home this week with a foot injury. He stuck a nail in his foot a few days ago. The injury is painful but not serious and he will probably be out soon.

Geo. F. Morgan, Past Grand Master of Texas Masonry Dead At El Paso—Began Masonic Career In Clarendon

George Franklin Morgan, 73, grand master, Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas, died at the Masonic Hospital in El Paso, Tuesday. He died on the anniversary of his induction as a master Mason.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon in El Paso, under direction of the Grand Lodge of Texas, through Five Points Lodge of which he was a member. Burial will be in the Masonic plot at Concordia Cemetery.



HON. GEO. F. MORGAN

Born in Dodge County, Ga., he became a Master Mason at Clarendon Lodge, at Clarendon, Jan. 17,

1891, and served that lodge as master for six terms.

Through the years, Mr. Morgan held many high offices in Masonry, and became grand master of Texas in 1919. He turned from railroad to politics and the mercantile business in 1890, and was elected Donley county treasurer. Later he became Donley county judge. In 1908 he moved to El Paso, where he had resided since.

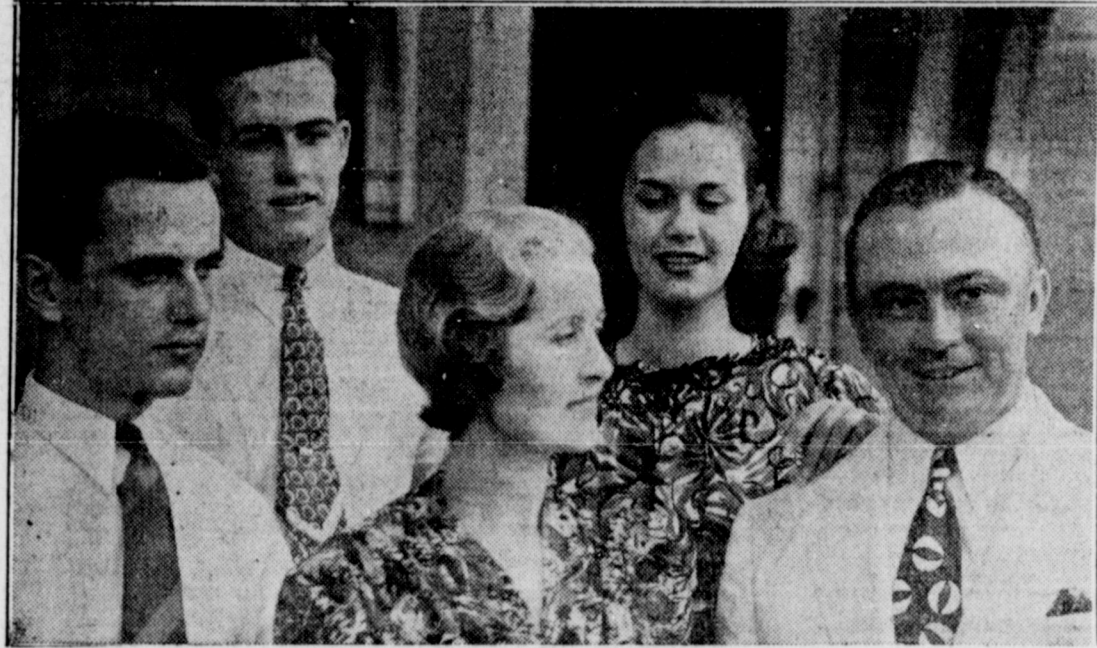
Last year Mr. Morgan visited Clarendon and the local Masonic Lodge in a memorial meeting in his honor which was widely attended by Panhandle Masons.

At the time of his death, he was secretary of the Masonic employment and relief bureau, an organization sponsored and maintained by the various Masonic bodies of El Paso.

Morgan's career in the Grand Lodge of Texas was widely diversified. He was deputy district grand master of the ninety-eighth Masonic district of Texas, embracing twenty-three counties of the Texas Panhandle section from 1897 to 1908. He became grand junior warden in 1916, grand senior warden in 1917, deputy grand master in 1918 and grand master in 1919. Morgan was also a Royal Arch Mason, a Knight Templar and a member of the Scottish Rite bodies.

Surviving are his wife, two sons, E. B. and N. G. Morgan; a daughter, Mrs. S. L. Davidson of the Panama Canal Zone, and a granddaughter, Mrs. M. E. Caldwell of El Paso.

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel and Texas' First Family



Panhandle Baptist Association Meets Here Tuesday

The Panhandle Baptist Workers' Association met Tuesday at the Clarendon First Baptist Church with some 85 members in attendance. The theme of the program was "The Ordinances of the Church," which was very ably discussed by the Reverends Horton and J. G. McFarlane of Amarillo, who were visitors and by members of the association, Rev. M. E. Wells of Hedley, Rev. V. W. Allen of Lelia Lake and Rev. Ray Bristler of Lesley. A very interesting and helpful discussion was given. Mr. Sam Hamilton of Memphis, moderator of the association, presided over the meeting.

UNITED CHARITIES ELECT NEW STAFF FOR 1939

ANNUAL MEETING OF UNITED CHARITY WORKERS HELD LAST WEEK

Representatives of the various co-operating civic clubs and churches of Clarendon met at the City Hall, Friday afternoon, Jan. 13th, and after hearing the report of activities for the past year, elected the staff of officers for 1939.

Rev. R. S. McKee was elected chairman; Tom F. Connally, vice-chairman; and Roy Clayton, secretary-treasurer. The investigating and disbursing committee elected include C. B. Morris, J. H. Hurn and Mrs. Allen Jefferies.

After the work of the holiday season the funds of the organization were at a lower level than at the last annual meeting, and a statement from the organization will be issued shortly in that respect.

The United Charities here serves the needs of the local citizenship only, and its funds may not be used to aid any transient, according to the constitution of the organization. Under this plan the body has done a notable work in Clarendon and surrounding communities.

Mrs. D. L. McClellan Died Early Today, Funeral Friday

Mrs. D. L. McClellan, pioneer Donley county woman, died at her home here Thursday morning after a long illness. Funeral services will be held Friday at 3 p. m. at the First Baptist Church with Rev. J. Perry King in charge.

Mrs. McClellan was 78 years of age. She came to Donley county in 1890. She is survived by three children, John McClellan, Lu McClellan and Mrs. Eugene N. Noland, all of Clarendon, six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mrs. McClellan was active in various affairs for many years.

Fight Infantile Paralysis Campaign Gets Underway with March of Dimes And President's Ball Featured Here

Material was received this week by the local committee for the infantile paralysis campaign in celebration of the president's birthday, and work has been started. Mrs. Allen Jefferies is chairman of the "March of Dimes" committee and is assisted by Mesdames Jack Molesworth and C. G. Stricklin and Misses Charlotte Molesworth and Maxine Ellis and Ruth McDonald. A main feature of the campaign is the "March of Dimes." Cards containing slots for ten dimes will be distributed. Everyone may put one or more dimes in this card, seal it, and mail direct to President Roosevelt. The cards contain birthday greetings to the president. Buttons will be given to those who contribute a dime. Cans with appropriate slogans will be placed in prominent downtown places where one may deposit a dime and receive a button. One or more dimes will not be missed, and they will go a long way in the fight against infantile paralysis. It is emphasized too that half of all the money collected will stay in the county to help those cases here. This means that your dime will help your neighbor as well as all victims of the dread disease.

The local ball in celebration of President Roosevelt's birthday will be held the night of Jan. 21, which is Tuesday. The Rhythmic Dance Club will sponsor the affair which is expected to have the largest turnout and to be the biggest social event of the year. An admission charge of \$1 per couple will be made. The ball was scheduled for Monday, Jan. 30, which is actually the president's birthday, but as the Opera House, where it will be held, had already been engaged for that night, the club decided to have the ball Tuesday which was the closest available date. The public is asked to please bear in mind that the ball which will celebrate President Roosevelt's birthday and the admission to which, above expenses, will go to the fund for the fight against infantile paralysis will take place Tuesday, Jan. 31, instead of Monday, Jan. 30. Billy Hurter's orchestra from Amarillo which features Jean Tomlin as vocalist will play for the dance beginning at 9 p. m. A twenty-minute floor show and novelty and specialty acts will be given.

Out of 3,655 cities in the United States having populations of over 3,000, a total of 2,073 have been organized.

The figures were given out at national headquarters by Keith Morgan, chairman of the committee for the celebration of the president's birthday, who said: "The mobilization this year behind the infantile paralysis campaign for funds is the largest on record. A vast field organization has been set up. Thousands of men and women are ready to go to work to collect the dimes and communities in the United States. We hope everyone will do his part."

Women are playing a very important part in this year's campaign, Mr. Morgan said. On Wednesday, January 11, a number of state women leaders and others prominently identified with the campaign met with Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House in Washington.

Mrs. Roosevelt discussed the campaign program with the various state leaders at the meeting. Her talk was broadcast over a nation-wide radio hookup.

The actual solicitation of funds in many communities begins Monday, January 16, with the sale of "March of Dimes" buttons. Everyone will be urged to "Give a Dime and Wear a Button."

Sunday, January 22, will be known as "Infantile Paralysis Church Sunday." On that day in all of the churches, appeals will be made in support of the campaign.

The final week of the campaign will be given over to the "March of Dimes," to the sending of campaign contributions to the White House in honor of President Roosevelt's birthday and in preparation for the campaign finale—the multitude of celebrations to be held on Monday, January 30th, President Roosevelt's 57th birthday.

The first "March of Dimes" subscription was made by Arthur E. Carpenter of Knoxville, Tenn., regional director of organization for Tennessee, Kentucky, North Carolina and South Carolina, who is himself a victim of infantile paralysis. Chairman Morgan pinned a button on Mr. Carpenter at national headquarters.

Shirley Temple, the most famous little girl in the United States, will be among the first to wear a "March of Dimes" button, signifying participation in the campaign, as the little star is an ardent solicitor for good causes her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Temple, wrote Mr. Morgan.

Mrs. Temple expressed the belief that all mothers, rich or poor, famous or unknown, feel the same way about infantile paralysis—helpless to ward off its attack, anxious to help those who are unfortunate enough to fall under its shadow.

Unsolicited contributions are pouring into national headquarters as news of the "March of Dimes" spreads throughout the nation, and abroad, too, as the American consul general at Amsterdam, Netherlands, recently sent a check for \$15 to Mr. Morgan. Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico also report great interest in the campaign for funds.

One of the most interesting donations is an 1882 proof dime sent in by an Indiana curator from his private collection, to be auctioned as a feature of the "March of Dimes." This unusual coin was minted during the year of President Roosevelt's birth.

LARGEST CROWD ON RECORD AT INAUGURATION

OVER 50,000 TEXANS IN STADIUM TO SET NEW INAUGURAL MARK

W. Lee O'Daniel, the common folk candidate, who rustled votes with a hillbilly band and a \$30-a-month pension promise, took the oath as Texas' 34th governor at Austin Tuesday, before 50,000 jammed into the University of Texas' football stadium.

The dimpled Fort Worth flour merchant who became the first man in Texas history to win the Democratic nomination without a runoff, was sworn in by Chief Justice C. M. Cureton of the Texas Supreme Court at the conclusion of a five-hour pageant.

O'Daniel, in his inaugural address, did not mention how he would seek funds to pay the state's aged. He previously had said his plan would be presented to the State Legislature in a speech Wednesday.

A 21-gun salute thundered through the stadium. Climaxing one of the great spectacles of the Texas history, the Fort Worth flour merchant repeated the oath after Chief Justice C. M. Cureton of the state Supreme Court.

In the words of the immortal "commoner" governor of Texas, James Stephen Hogg, O'Daniel, delivering his inaugural address, dedicated himself to the service of "the great masses."

Shortly before O'Daniel was sworn in, Coke Stevenson of Junction took the oath as lieutenant governor in succession to Walter Woodul of Houston.

Texas never had seen anything like it. Happy, cheering thousands from the highest in state officialdom to the "plain common citizens" whom O'Daniel had especially invited, came early and delighted in everything.

More than 40 bands in brilliant uniforms and 10,000 school children played stirring music and sang patriotic songs. A patriotic pageant, depicting the glories of democracy and freedom, was a part of the preliminary program.

Four hours ahead of time, 10,000 political-conscious persons grabbed choice seats in Memorial stadium today to hear and see W. Lee O'Daniel inaugurate Texas' new governor.

The scene was ablaze with color and a brilliant sun beamed down to mock the weather bureau's discouraging forecast of occasional showers. "The O'Daniel Irish luck," some said.

O'Daniel breakfasted in his hotel's coffee show after his last commercial broadcast at 6:45 a. m., where his hillbilly band put on a jam session, mountain style, after their radio chores were done.

Austin was alive with people and banners, one-man bands and sidewalk hawkers, marching musicians and 10-gallon hatted officers from the cattle country.

The strains of "Beautiful Texas" echoed through hotel lobbies, the capitol and Congress avenue. The carnival air had seized the city and spread quickly to the stadium.

Many in the crowd brought along picnic lunches to munch during the long program. Hundreds had wandered through the vast granite capitol before coming to the stadium.

At the south end of the stadium a huge stage in tiers had been constructed for the ceremonies leading up to the administration of the official oath of office to O'Daniel by Chief Justice C. M. Cureton of the Supreme Court shortly after noon.

Part of the famous Longhorn band of the University of Texas was seated directly in front of the stage, its duty to play for a patriotic pageant presented by university students preceding the swearing in.

A cold wind blew from the west, fluttering pennants and flags on the rim of the stadium.

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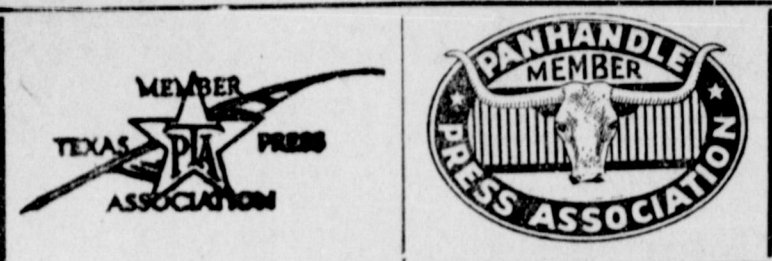
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CLARENDON'S PROGRESS AND POSSIBILITIES ON PARADE

Next Monday evening at the annual banquet of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce, the real progress and possibilities of this city and community will be on parade. At such a dinner it is expected that every loyal citizen of Clarendon, whose business it is to support the vital interests of the community, will be on hand to lend his presence and interest in the reports, plans and inspiration of the occasion.

Hon. Deskins Wells, editor of the Wellington Leader, president of the Texas Press Association, and recognized civic leader in the Panhandle country, will be the speaker of the evening, and from his long experience in the problems of our section of the Panhandle will be able to bring a message indeed worth while.

Make your plans now to purchase your tickets early for the banquet and invite your friends and neighbors to come and enjoy the occasion with the best folks in the community—those who do not falter in an effort to keep the community abreast of current progress regardless of the economic condition of the country as a whole.

LET'S ALL WORK TOGETHER

A healthy state of economic affairs in America can be one of the strongest barriers against infiltration of foreign isms into this country. As the nation swings into the new year a prosperous state of business does not seem out of the question if only there can be a national recognition of the fact that the route to progress lies in teamwork and pulling together by all groups.

The growing recognition that petty bickering and finger-pointing will get us nowhere is one of the healthy signs on the horizon today.

Through the united effort of all groups working toward our Number One goal—that of putting men back to useful pursuits in private industry—sound recovery can be achieved.

Foreign isms, which destroy religious and political liberties, have all had their root in economic distress and human misery. We should never forget that if all groups in the nation will work together toward the common objective of sound economic recovery the door will be shut abruptly in the face of ism-mongers who would undermine our institutions.

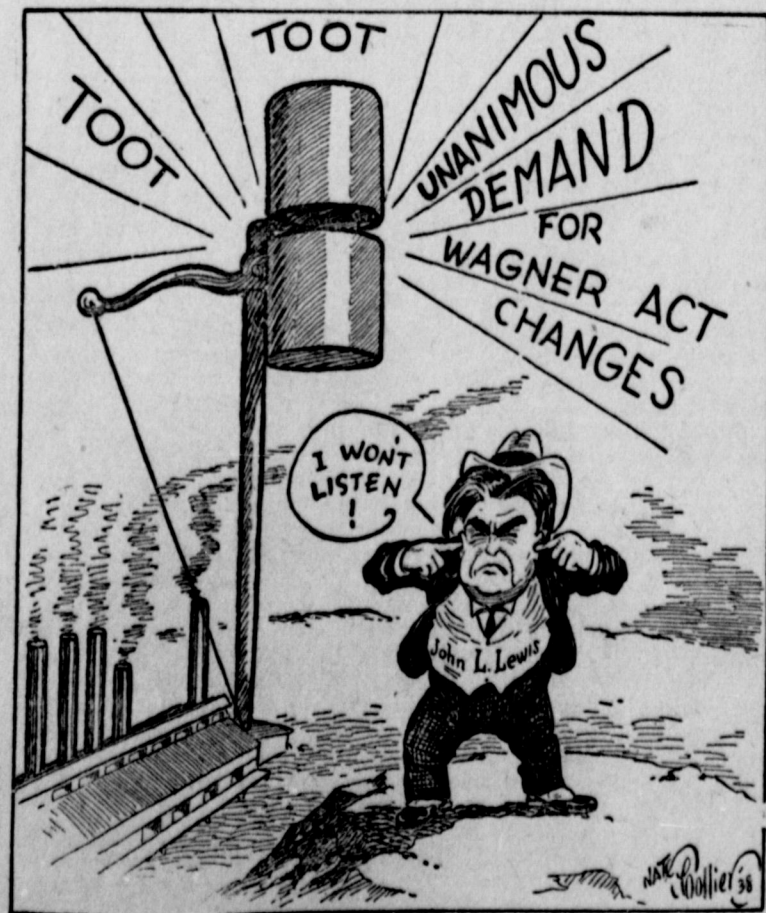
A slogan that is today echoing the length and breadth of the land is—Let's All Work Together. And if such a slogan can be translated into action the threat to religious, political and economic liberties will be materially lessened.

JOE COOK DOES IT AGAIN

Editor Joe Cook of the Mission Times, down in the famed citrus section of the Rio Grande Valley issued last week a sixty-page edition of the Times, "The Sixth Annual Texas Citrus Fiesta Edition," an edition up to the usual Joe Cook standard, and giving new light and emphasis to the wonderful progress and possibilities of the Valley section and the citrus industry.

Few Texans have any adequate concept of the contribution the citrus-growing area of Texas is making to the State and Nation and Editor Cook with his well-coached staff is at the head of the procession of exploiters as exemplified annually in the Fiesta Edition of the Times.

THE ONLY ONE



REALLY, IT'S A MIGHTY POOR JOKE

- When some heart carries away an ache.
- When some woman blushes with embarrassment.
- When something sacred is made to appear common.
- When a man's weakness provides the cause for laughter.
- When profanity is required to make it funny.
- When a little child is brought to tears.
- When everyone can't join in the laughter.

ARE WE AWAKE TO THE SITUATION?

Hon. Peter Molyneux of the Texas Weekly, powerful advocate of the rights of the Southern farmer, reviewing the national economic situation in relation to government spending on the huge scale proposed by President Roosevelt, brought a message in last week's issue startling in statement of fact and clear in faultless reasoning. The article closes with that pertinent question—"How long is it going to take the people to wake up to this situation?" Read Mr. Molyneux's declaration:

"Buying power of farmers, it need hardly be said, is determined by what they receive for their products. The value of their products in dollars is the measure of their purchasing power. We pointed out last week that the value of Texas crops in 1938 was lower than that of the Texas crops of any year since 1932, and that it was equivalent to less than that of the average annual value of Texas crops during the five years ending with 1929. The average annual value of Texas crops during that five-year period was \$665,137,000. The value of Texas crops in 1938 was \$309,567,000. Those figures tell a story of reduced purchasing power. They show that the Texas crops of 1938 were valued at \$355,570,000 less than the average annual crops during that five-year period. Does this not mean that Texas farmers in 1938 had less than half as much, in the form of proceeds of their crops, to spend as they had each year during the five years ending with 1929? The missing purchasing power in this one instance alone amounted to \$355,570,000 in 1938. To be sure, the farmers received some "benefits" from the government, but it was only a fraction of that missing \$355,570,000. This situation has existed for nine years, and judging the future by the past, there is little hope that it will improve very soon. The Texas crops of the five years ending December 31st, 1937, had an average annual value of \$378,391,000. That means that Texas farmers received an average of \$286,726,000 a year less for their crops during that period than during the five years ending with 1929. And an idea of the extent to which government "benefits" made up for this loss may be had from the circumstance that the total amount of such benefits paid in Texas for all purposes between the start of the AAA in 1933 and January 1st, 1936, covering three crop years, was \$132,777,000. The amount for the calendar year 1935, for example, was \$52,435,275, or about 18 per cent of the average amount "missing" from the value of the crops alone during that five-year period, in spite of government "benefits," the purchasing power of Texas farmers was reduced by at least \$230,000,000 a year, compared with the period prior to the depression. And in 1938 the reduction was probably as much as \$300,000,000. That's more than \$800,000 a day among Texas farmers alone. Is it any wonder that recovery is delayed and that government spending on a huge scale must be continued? The answer to that question is that it is not any wonder at all. But it seems to us a wonder of wonders that this sort of thing has been going on for nine years without anything practicable being attempted to deal with it. How long is it going to take the people to wake up to this situation?"

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

AUSTIN.—The new Legislature loafed leisurely through its first week, doing little but completing the organization routine and receiving a number of Senate bills. All hands were awaiting the inauguration of Governor O'Daniel, and his all-important first message, which was scheduled for Wednesday of this week, his second day in office. In it, he promised to reveal his plan for raising the \$40,000,000 to \$50,000,000 necessary to carry out his proposal of \$15 a month for everybody over 65—half of original pre-election promise of \$30 a month for everybody over 65. The House elected its staff with several close contests, and debated through a couple of days over its rules, without finally adopting any. The hitch was a proposal to place all investigating activities under the jurisdiction of the Rules Committee. The members, realizing that committee investigations of state departments and other matters in the past have proved prolific sources of political thunder for the investigators, turned thumbs down on the plan. They favor the usual custom of appointing the authors of successful investigation resolution to the committee thus created, which spreads around the opportunity to make political hay from the publicity that usually comes from a legislative probe. The Senate has used the one-committee method successfully for the past two sessions, but the House evidently didn't like it.

WATCH THESE ISSUES

Pensions and taxes have received most of the publicity so far, in advance of the regular session, but a brief survey reveals that there are a lot of important legislative matters that will engage a great deal of attention from the session. Watch these issues, among others:

The Senate bill by Kelley of Edinburg, to raise the load limit of motor trucks. There is a stronger state-wide sentiment reported in favor of this action than ever before, but the railroad lobby, powerful as any in Austin, is gathered in force and a life-and-death struggle over this issue is in prospect.

Amendments to the State Employment Compensation of the social security law, as proposed by Senator Allen Shivers of Port Arthur, to eliminate recognized injustices and reduce the cost of operation to the consuming public,

lic, which, in the long, run pays all the bills. The changes have the endorsement not only of the affected employers, but also of the administrators of the law, headed by Orville Carpenter, former state auditor.

The state wages and hours law, which would take virtually everybody not affected by the federal act. Although sponsored by union labor organizations, there seems to be no other important sentiment in favor of such an act, which opponents claim, would actually decrease employment and raise the prices of virtually all commodities.

COURTHOUSE LOBBY BUSY

The county courthouse lobby, which is one of the strongest, has been desperately busy for two years, seeking a method of getting the state to take over millions of dollars of county road bonds, the money for which was used to finance construction of roads that are not now state highways, the state has assumed county bonds used to pave roads later taken into the State Highway system. Best lawyers in the House and Senate declare the constitution forbids the state taking over these old county debts, but there is a surplus of about \$5,000,000 in the fund created by allocating 1 cent of the gasoline tax to pay off the assumed county bonds, and the county courthouse boys will not rest in the efforts to grab off part of this money. The Tabor plan folks recognized the limitations of the constitution, and proposed to issue a huge \$200,000,000 state bond issue to get around it. When the Tabor plan was received cold, the County Judges Association brought forth its own plan, but evidently didn't read the constitution very closely. Many highway officials are beginning to see in the various attempts to raid the bond retirement fund a back-door method of diverting gasoline tax money, which might bring on from federal authorities a shut-off of Texas' \$7,500,000 annual federal aid highway money.

ANOTHER HOT ONE

A "fair trade practices act," sponsored by independent merchants, and opposed by folks who declare it is a price-fixing measure to restrict competition, will surely bring on another bitter legislative struggle.

If a war with a foreign enemy was killing 2,000 Texans a year, and wounding 54,000 others, it wouldn't take Texas' citizens long to authorize somebody to do whatever was necessary to stop the war and halt the slaughter.

But we have become so accustomed to slaughtering 2,000 and injuring 54,000 others each year

year in motor car accidents on Texas streets and highways, that the proposed new drivers' license law, sponsored by the Department of Public Safety and all safety organizations, may meet considerable opposition, because it gives the Safety Department the right to suspend temporarily licenses of drivers who are involved in serious accidents. The bill also would raise the age limit for licenses from 14 to 16; would charge a \$1 fee for a two-year license; and otherwise tightens up restrictions to keep drunken, irresponsible and incompetent drivers off the roads. It closely follows the uniform drivers' license law, in effect in many states.

AUSTIN NOTES

Veteran observers here believe the new legislature is much more conservative than its predecessor, and freely predict that no "wild" taxation legislation will come out of it. . . . They point out that the state is now \$20,000,000 in the "red" in its general fund; that the pension fund is facing another of its periodic "crisis" without sufficient money in sight to keep up payments through February; that the school people are asking for \$21,000,000 for rural aid—a 100 per cent increase over the last appropriation which was the largest in history; that the higher educational institutions, with increased enrollment, seek more funds; and that the Board of Control and Gov. Allred have recommended larger appropriations for eleemosynary institutions. These demands, together with about \$5,000,000 needed for teachers retirement, blind and dependent children, must be considered along with pension liberalization. . . . Senator Albert Stone, of Brenham, declares the state could get \$10,000,000 of quick cash revenue by authorizing private collection of delinquent taxes, which the county politicians just won't go after. He points out a private agency collected \$100,000 in his home county of Washington in a few months, taking its percentage from penalties and interest only.

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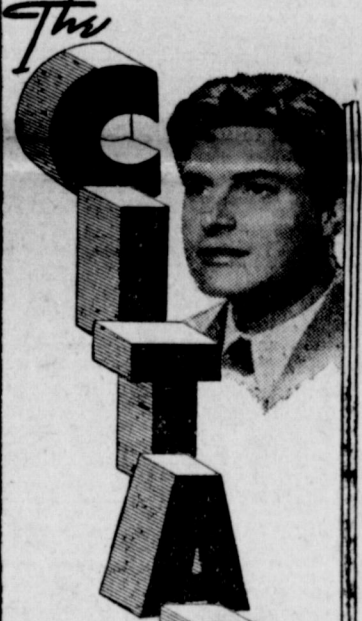
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Admission: 10c-15c

CLARENDON METHODIST CHURCH

J. G. Walker, Pastor

Sunday was my second visit to Goldston. Weather conditions were not very favorable for country people to attend church, especially the morning service. It requires an earlier rising and a more determined resolution than most of them have been educated to. However, a fair representation of the community worshipped with us at the 11 o'clock hour. The pastor did his best and the spirit was fine. We always know that people are in earnest when they attend under adverse conditions. The weather warmed up in the afternoon and by 3 o'clock, I thought, a good attendance for Sunday school. At the evening preaching hour our congregation had increased wonderfully. It all shows signs of a possible awakening. How we regret the impossibility to be there more often.

Next Sunday (22 inst.) we go to Lelia Lake, 11 a. m., 2:30 p. m., and Naylor at 7 p. m. We beg that you attend and give us a chance. We consider that we have not had a real change at either of these places. The parsonage is being covered, and a nice job is being done.

We are hoping that in the very near future that we can go to sleep at night without a dread of being soaked with rain or covered by snow. Then the good ladies are anxious to begin the work of improving the inside. We know they intend to do it well.

My name is J. G. Walker. Some have it J. A. J. W. G. W. and A. W. Since we have been in Clarendon, have been called a "Kind" and a "One-Horse-Methodist-Preacher."

We do not know whether these last two were meant as jokes or by way of derision.

We are accepting the place of the weak and lowly, and giving our consent to be called whatever you think we most resemble, but we request of you: Open your eyes wide and see us, and your ears and hear us, and then act intelligently. If you will do these we will get along well together, but we will not consider your actions intelligent until you have given us a helping hand.

The Liberty Bell was made in England in 1752, and inscribed with a verse from the Bible: "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof."



Robert Donat and Rosalind Russell in "The Citadel"

Life Story of Robert Donat

Robert Donat, who is co-starred with Rosalind Russell in the film-ization of A. J. Cronin's best-selling novel, "The Citadel," currently playing at the Pastime Theatre, was born on the 18th of March in Withington, Manchester, England.

He made his initial appearance on the stage in the role of Lucius in "Julius Caesar" in Sir Frank Benson's company with which he toured England for four years. It was with this company that Donat made his London debut as "Rugby" in "The Merry Wives of Windsor." He then played juvenile leads with the Liverpool Repertory Company and a year later became a leading man at the Cambridge Festival Theatre where he also produced two plays.

Few actors had greater schooling in the theatre than Donat who appeared in a great variety of roles in such successive plays as "Knave and Queen," "The Hair," "A Trip to Scarborough," "Salome" and "Mary Broome." Success, after many years of acting, came with the London production of Mary Webb's "Precious Bane." This, followed by "The Sleeping Clergyman" and "Mary Read" established Donat on the London stage.

The actor's film career began in 1932. Alexander Korda gave him a role in Leontine Sagan's

film of Oxford student life, "Men of Tomorrow," with Merle Oberon and Donat immediately became a favorite with English film audiences. He then appeared in "That Night in London" and "Cash" and subsequently won both European and American plaudits for his brilliant work in "The Private Life of Henry VIII" and "The Count of Monte Cristo."

After playing in "Mary Read" with Flora Robson on the London stage, he was signed by Gaumont-British to star with Madeleine Carroll in "The Thirty-Nine Steps."

"The Ghost Goes West" was his next film, followed by his debut into actor-management with the play, "Red Night." In 1937 he starred with Marlene Dietrich in "Knight Without Armour," and in 1938 signed a long-term contract for six films with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, the first of which is "The Citadel," directed by King Vidor and produced by Victor Saville in England.

LIBRARY NOTES

(By Mrs. C. A. Burton)

We have a few new books for for the New Year, "April Gold," Grace Livingston Hill; "Great Aunt Lavinia," Joseph C. Lincoln; "Jane of Lantern Hill," L. M. Montgomery; "West of the Pecos," Zane Grey; "As Long As I Live," Emilie Loring; "Heidi Greaves Up," Johanna Spyri; "40,000 Quotations," Douglas; "Emily of New Moon," L. M. Montgomery; "The Louis Bromfield Trilogy," which includes "The Green Bay Tree," "Possession," and "Early Autumn." These three books are considered Bromfield's best and while each is a distinct story, yet they have in common a number of characters. On the first of these the author won the Pulitzer prize and they are counted as a unit one of America's finest. Because of this trilogy Bromfield is sometimes called the "American Galsworthy."

The book "40,000 Quotations," is quite the best collection of quotations extant, and has only lately been reduced to a price which we could afford.

We had worn out about three copies of Gene Stratton Porter's "Keeper of the Bees," so a new copy of that is on our shelves. Besides being a story of unusual interest, this book contains the greatest amount of bee lore available.

Paul Horgan, librarian at New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell and author of "Fault of Angels," which won the Harper prize in 1934 will publish a new book early this year called "The Habit of Empire." It will be brought out by the Rydal Press of Santa Fe. Horgan has collaborated with Peter Hurd, this being the second book in which they have collaborated since their cadet days in New Mexico. While cadets, there they composed and illustrated two novels as their year's work in English. Then they determined to attempt a professional venture which resulted in "The Return of the Weed." That and this new book both have New Mexico as their locale. Horgan describes his new book as "a kind of historical novel, a romantic narrative, laid long ago in the very beginning of white man's history in New Mexico." In speaking of Peter Hurd's illustrations Horgan says: "As the outstanding painter of New Mexico landscape, he has brought to his pictures for this book all of his brilliant ability to make others see what he sees in the wonderful variety of our scene in the Southwest, following the trail of the colonizers up the Rio Grande Valley, making his drawings on the spot."

"Lost Horizon," by James Hilton and A. J. Cronin's "The Citadel," are being more in demand than usual since both are being shown locally this month. Both have always been best sellers.

Margaret Ayer Barnes, who won the Pulitzer prize some years ago, with "Years of Grace," and whose "Within This Present," and "Westward Passage," have been very popular with our readers has

recently, in connection with Edward Sheldon won \$532,153.48 in a suit against four leading picture producing and distributing companies. She and Mr. Sheldon claimed infringement on their play, "Dishonored Lady," by the production "Litty Symton."

One of the leading best sellers of the day, "All This and Heaven, Too," by Rachel Field, is already being filmed. Mrs. Field and her husband, who had an important part in the creation of the story because he gave it its name, are spending the winter in California.

Naturally all Texans are interested in Texas products of whatever native and we find ourselves much interested in the fact that Texas is producing more and better literature as time passes. Perhaps nothing has been more indicative of this fact than the poetry society of Texas of which Hilton Ross Greer of Dallas is president and Norman H.

Crowell is secretary. The society has just concluded its seventeenth year. "Fogotten," by Grace F. Guthrie of Redondo Beach, California, won the Alamo prize for the best sonnet or group of sonnets submitted in the annual contest for 1938. Mrs. Guthrie's home is in Hereford. In the 1938 yearbook of the society, which has just been published is found also "Lure," by Theresa Lindsey of Tyler, which won the Old South prize for the best poem of any sort or nature, and "Wagons At Dust," by Grace Noll Crowell of which won the Texan prize. These prizes are all offered again for 1939.

Critic awards were also given to "Sunset On the Desert," by Grace Noll Crowell, "One Winter Day," by Dorothy B. Robbins of Kilgore, "Declaration From the Grave," by Grace Ross of Fort Worth, "Tired," by Walter R. Adams of Ireland, Texas, "Bug-a-Boo Wood," by Whitney Mont-

gomery of Dallas, "Never Plant a Flower," by Dorothy Calloway of San Antonio and "Homes," by Adele Hart Brown of Mission.

Radio listeners will be interested in the statement that Mrs. Stella Higgins Prouty, author of the novel, "Stella Dallas," has brought suit against the National Broadcasting Company, charging that the acting of "inferior artists" in radio skits employing the name of the novel's principal character had noticeably "degraded" her book.

The American Academy of Arts and Letters in November elected Willa Cather to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Henry Hedley, and Stephen Vincent Benet to take the place of the late Robert Underwood Johnson.

"So long as we preserve an unfettered press, we are likely to preserve a large measure of individual freedom."—B. C. Forbes, editor.

Progress REPORT

ASSETS	1937	1938
Cash in Bank.....	\$ 104,954.98	\$ 113,335.21
Amount deposited in National and State banks subject to check.		
U. S. Gov't. Municipal, County and Other Bonds....	407,562.28	470,674.47
Amounts invested in approved securities which earn a satisfactory return.		
F. H. A. Mortgage Loans.....	1,042,068.44	1,025,502.26
Made under F. H. A. insured plan and guaranteed by U. S. Government.		
Mortgage Loans.....	982,904.43	1,273,394.52
First mortgage loans on real estate, appraised value of which is twice the amount of the loan.		
Federal Home Loan Bank and Other Stocks.....	4,100.00	108,203.77
Policy Loans.....	959,345.87	1,051,526.79
Amount loaned to policyholders in times of emergency on the cash value of their policies.		
Automatic Premium Loans.....	241,784.16	288,929.74
Represents policy reserves used to keep insurance in force on the lives of policyholders who have temporarily been unable to make premium payments.		
Home Office Building and Lot.....	897,062.64	907,373.54
A modern building in the heart of Dallas, 100 per cent leased to yield an excellent return.		
Other Real Estate.....	303,559.69	310,607.39
Miscellaneous properties owned by the company and earning a good income.		
Premium Notes.....	153,693.65	109,084.01
Notes for current premiums—within policy values.		
Deferred and Uncollected Premiums.....	242,668.73	244,242.98
All of our reserves are set up in advance on an annual basis and where a policy is payable quarterly or semi-annually the remainder of the current premium is carried in this item as an account receivable against the reserve set up. It also includes current premiums within the grace period.		
Accrued Int. Receivable and Other Sundry Assets.....	32,578.48	41,429.79
Including accrued interest on bonds and mortgage loans, and other small items of admitted assets.		
Total Assets.....	\$5,372,283.35	\$5,944,304.47
LIABILITIES		
Current Bills Due or Accrued.....	\$ 3,262.75	\$ 4,405.04
Current accounts due on the 15th of the succeeding month.		
Premiums and Interest Received in Advance.....	26,481.71	47,194.63
Premiums and interest paid in advance by policyholders.		
Death Claims Reported and Proofs Not Received.....	12,231.00	4,000.00
These are claims that were reported to us, but proper claim papers had not been filed on Dec. 31, 1938.		
Reserve for City, County, State and Federal Taxes.....	10,125.05	12,603.51
A reserve set up to meet tax payments as they become due.		
Other Sundry Liabilities.....	43,569.85	61,353.84
Total Current Liabilities.....	\$ 95,670.36	\$ 129,557.02
Funds Exclusively for Protection of Policyholders		
Full Legal Reserve on Outstanding Policies.....	\$4,699,671.73	\$5,172,638.52
Includes full legal reserve on life policies as well as reserves for disability benefits, accidental death benefits, present value of annuities and death claims payable in installments to beneficiaries.		
Capital Stock.....	310,000.00	310,000.00
Amount paid in by stockholders, which is an additional protection to policyholders above the legal reserve requirements.		
Surplus Funds.....	266,941.26	332,108.93
An amount including special funds, which augments capital stock, in affording policyholders additional protection.		
Total Liabilities.....	\$5,372,283.35	\$5,944,304.47

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FOR SALE—Reasonable, 4-room and bath residence on College Hill. Call Miss Ann Bobo, phone 429. 50-tfc

FOR RENT—640-acre farm, 2 miles east of Clarendon. Possession January 1. Apply at Antro Hotel. 50-1tfc

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IF YOU have my book, "Pastoral Sketches," by Cullom, you'll save me lots of anxiety if you'll return it, please. T. H. Peebles. 2-2tc

80-ACRE FARM FOR RENT—In Collingsworth County near Quail—\$100.00 cash rent. The Government checks more than pay rent. Place well improved. Write R. H. Finch, Maple, Texas. 2-1tp

FOR SALE—90 English White Leghorn Pullets. Accredited. Ph. 949-A. 2-1tp

WANTED HOGS—Highest market paid for your hogs. W. B. Mayfield. 3-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5-burner Florence Oil Stove, fair condition. Apply Methodist parsonage, at Lelia Lake. 2-4tp

LOST—Sand colored, 3X beaver Stetson hat, size seven and one-eighth. Two small burned spots in crown. Return to News office for reward. 3-1t-p

FARM FOR SALE

201 acres, well improved, one of best farms in Clarendon section. \$1,300 down payment, balance 10 to 20 years, 6 per cent. See W. W. Milburn, Antro Hotel, Clarendon, Saturday.

THE BOSTON GREENHOUSE, recently opened in Amarillo, is prepared to supply flowers for all occasions. Call Mrs. U. J. Boston at 277 for orders. 3-tfc

CARD OF THANKS

In appreciative remembrance of our Clarendon friends who gave expression to their sympathy and understanding of our sorrow in the loss of our dear sister, Mrs. J. A. Richey, at Amarillo last week, we desire to express our sincerest thanks. God bless you all.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mulkey.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

In this darkest hour we lift our hearts and thoughts to those friends and neighbors who rendered such deeds of loving kindness in the illness and death of our daughter and sister. We cannot see how we would have faced our sorrow without the presence and ministrations of such friends. May God repay one and all in like coin when a like hour comes, is our prayer.

The C. C. Oakley Family.

CARD OF THANKS

Torn as our hearts are in the deep gloom of our sorrow we can but pause to express our sincerest gratitude for the many expressions and acts of neighborly kindness in the recent illness and passing of our dear, sweet baby. Your deeds will live in our memories as the years come and go. God bless you, is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peggram.

Benefit Program For Band To Be Staged Friday Evening

The Clarendon High School Band and the library of the Junior High School will sponsor a benefit program at the college auditorium Friday night, beginning at 8 o'clock. The pupils of Mary S. Cooke's School of Dancing will present the program which will consist of two skits done by dancers, "A La Bohemian Cabaret" and a military revue will be the features. Colorful costumes and gay music will set the background for the affair. A small admission will be charged which will go to two worthy funds, the band and the library.

MIDWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and son, Dempsey, after spending a month here with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Longan, left Monday for their home at McCamary. Kennedy Davis left last Friday for Los Angeles, Calif. In a letter to his parents he says he arrived there Sunday morning and that he enjoyed every minute of his trip.

Miss Katie Meaders and Miss Jane and Joe Williams were in Amarillo and Canyon Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds and baby spent Sunday in the Koontz home.

Mrs. Walker Moores was a dinner guest in the Pat Longan home Wednesday.

Mrs. Marvin Salmon is visiting in the Arthur Seaton home. Miss Otha Koontz is spending this week with her sister at Goldston.

Mr. Johnny Barnes of Tulia spent from Friday until Sunday in the J. M. Potter home.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Koontz spent Saturday night with her parents at Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Pelton and Mrs. Hubert Johnson went to Dallas Sunday morning to bring his mother up for a visit.

Mrs. Reid and Miss Viola Tucker of Ashtola spent Wednesday with Mrs. A. J. Garland. Mrs. Lloyd Moreland and Robbie Zoe were visitors in the afternoon.

Mrs. Pat Longan visited Mrs. W. K. Davis Monday afternoon.

Mr. Henry Williams of Borger is visiting his brother, Glen Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Koontz spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney at Bray.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Quattlebaum were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mathews and children were supper guests and visitors until bedtime Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Garland were callers in the J. C. Longan home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Koontz and family visited in the Hall home Sunday night.

Mrs. Milt Allen spent Thursday with Mrs. W. K. Davis.

George Seaton visited Martin Algren Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Charley Corder and the new babe that made its arrival on Jan. 1, came home from Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Bromley and Mrs. Hefner are both in the Adair hospital. Mrs. Pickering is also on the sick list. We hope to report them all better soon.

The Porter Arnold family moved to the Mayberry place near Lelia Lake this week. Mr. Ernest Wood will move to the place vacated by the Arnold family.

The Naylor Club met with Mrs. Rich Bowlin in Hedley Thursday. There were 15 members and two visitors present. The roll call was answered with songs and authors in the afternoon. Songs were sung by those present. Miss Ava Naylor made the music with her guitar. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Holland. The roll call will be answered with art and artist.

HEDLEY

Mrs. Richmond Bowlin

The Afternoon 42 Club was entertained in the J. B. Masterson home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Paul Pyle was hostess. A most pleasant afternoon was spent.

After games of 42, the hostess served delicious refreshments to Mesdames Tollett, Vallance, Hooker, Bowlin, Masterson, Edward, and four members from Memphis, Mesdames Osborne, Dennis Crooks and Sims and Mrs. Pyle, hostess.

Monday night Mrs. Biggs entertained W. H. S. at the Methodist parsonage. A most profitable program was enjoyed.

Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Osborn of Skellytown spent Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall. Brother Osborn served as pastor of the Methodist Church here for two years and their many friends were glad to see them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell of Houston are visiting relatives and friends. They will be here until February, at which time John will be employed at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rhodes of Colorado, en route to Kansas City, stopped for a visit with the lady's sister, Mrs. Eb Hooker. Mrs. Alva Simmons entertained at bridge Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Rhodes; also honoring Mrs. Hooker, who is moving to Memphis this week and sharing in honor was their sister, Mrs. John Adamson of Turkey. A delightful time was reported.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Biggs, Mrs. J. B. Masterson, Mrs. Richmond Bowlin, Miss Eula Curd and Robert Watkins attended the Missionary Institute at Pampa Friday.

Thursday, Jan. 12, the Naylor Club met in an all-day meeting with Mrs. Richmond Bowlin. At the noon hour a most delicious covered dish luncheon was en-

Texas Women Seek Funds For Paralysis-Crippled Children



Heading a drive for the Celebration of the President's Birthday in every community in Texas will be found public spirited, big hearted Texas women Mrs. George H. Pittman, Dallas, vice chairman in charge of women's activities, has gathered about her an efficient staff of prominent women who have volunteered their time and talents to the making of the celebration, Jan. 30, the most successful yet held in the picture above will be found Mrs. Pittman, center; upper left is Oveta Culp Hobby, wife of former governor W. P. Hobby, Houston, and president of the Houston Post, upper right, Mrs. Edwin T. Phillips, Fort Worth; lower left is Mrs. Volney W. Taylor, Brownsville, and lower right is Mrs. J. K. Beretta, San Antonio. All of the ladies are members of the State Committee serving with W. L. Clayton, Houston, state chairman.

Monahans Paper Has Story of Former Local Resident

In a recent issue of the Monahans News, the following story was carried in a column entitled KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR. It is about a former resident of Clarendon, C. W. (Doc) Naylor: "C. W. Naylor got his start in life at Clarendon, where he was born, attended schools and played six years of football. "Mr. Naylor made quite a name for himself during his high school days as a member of the football team. Lettering four years, he was also named on two mythical all-state teams at the tackle berth in 1926 and 1927. He also lettered four years in basketball and track. "After leaving high school he attended Clarendon Junior College where he continued his athletic career. Moving to Pampa after finishing his schooling, he went to work for a laundry company. "He spent eight years in the laundry business in Pampa. Mr. Naylor came to Monahans as manager of the City Steam Laundry in November, 1937. He is also part owner of the plant. "Our neighbor married Miss Katherine Bowen of Clarendon in 1934. Both Mr. and Mrs. Naylor are now active members of the Methodist Church. "Although the City Steam Laundry is recognized as one of the finest plants in West Texas, Mr. Naylor says it will be his aim to make it an even better establishment. "Like most men, hunting and fishing are his favorite outdoor sports—with the possible exception of football. "I rarely miss a football game here," said Mr. Naylor. "When queried about the calibre of team he played on at Clarendon, Naylor said it was pretty fair. They were undefeated in 1924 and 1925, and were regional champions in 1926. Pampa was one of the victims during that time, according to Mr. Naylor. Yes, it must have been a fair team!"

LELIA LAKE

Inez Skinner

Cleta Riffle spent Saturday night with Ethel Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Angel of Groom, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Stogner and children of Ashtola and Miss Jo Nell Stogner spent Sunday with Miss Lucy Stogner.

Nona Riffle of Windy Valley spent Saturday night with Edna Earle La Fon.

Mrs. H. W. Dunlap and Miss Virgie Skinner of Amarillo spent Monday night with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mace carried their daughter, Mrs. Edd Callahan, to Groom Monday for medical treatment.

Miss Inez Skinner spent Sunday night with Mrs. Andrew Robertson of Clarendon.

Jerry Debenport Is Out At Childress

After 16 years as secretary of the Childress Chamber of Commerce and 12 years as secretary of the Board of City Development, Jerry W. Debenport resigned Monday from both offices.

At special executive sessions of both the chamber and city board, his resignation was accepted. He announced no immediate plans.

The board is a tax-supported branch of the city government, while the chamber is a private organization.

Debenport's resignation was the termination of a controversy that became heated last October when the City Council passed an ordinance placing the directorate of the Board of City Development under virtual supervision of the council. The office of executive secretary was abolished at that time, but a few days later the council re-employed Debenport. Recent city and board elections revived the controversy, and Debenport's resignation followed.

Mrs. Ida Couch returned here Saturday night from Groom where she nursed a pneumonia case last week.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

AMARILLO STOCK SHOW DATES SET MARCH 6 TO 9

SPECIAL AWARDS FOR CLUB BOYS; NORTH 34 COUNTIES ELIGIBLE

AMARILLO, Jan. 12.—Two special awards for the club boys division of the Amarillo Fat Stock Show, to be held March 6 to 9, were announced today by Grover B. Hill, president.

The Panhandle Livestock Association offered a \$50 watch to the Panhandle boy showing the best calf at the show and specified that only boys in the northern 34 counties of the Panhandle-Plains will be eligible for the competition.

Counties included are Dallam, Sherman, Hansford, Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Hemphill, Roberts, Hutchinson, Moore, Hartley, Oldham, Potter, Carson, Gray, Wheeler, Collingsworth, Donley, Armstrong, Randall, Deaf Smith, Farmer, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Hall, Childress, Cottle, Motley, Floyd, Hale, Lamb and Bailey.

The award is to "stimulate greater competition and to provide another inducement for Panhandle boys to finish outstanding calves," said Chanslor Weymouth of Amarillo, president of the association.

Mr. Hill announced also that the United Duroc Record Association of Peoria, Ill., has posted a \$15 special award for the grand champion barrow of the fat stock show, providing the champion is a Duroc, and a \$10 prize for the grand champion pen of three barrows, providing they are Durocs.

The stock show created a new division of three barrows and increased premiums in the pig club department \$80.

Directors of the show say both the calf and pig shows this year will be by far the greatest in history. Three hundred and twelve calves and 483 pigs and 170 lambs already have been entered by 4-H club and vocational agricultural students of 24 counties.

A change in weight classifications for this year's show has been made "in order to more evenly distribute premiums and to provide more equal competi-

RETURN OF DRY LAW PREDICTED BY SHEPPARD

SHEPPARD SAYS LIQUOR SALE UNCONTROLLED IN ANNUAL ADDRESS

WASHINGTON Jan. 15.—Senator Sheppard of Texas, asserting liquor control laws "have failed either to control the traffic or to promote temperance," predicted Monday the return of prohibition.

The Texan, known as the father of the prohibition amendment, addressed the Senate on the nineteenth anniversary of the Eighteenth Amendment, a practice he has followed annually. The amendment was repealed five years ago.

"Every facility known to modern publicity methods has been seized upon by the trade to stimulate the sale and consumption of that which always had been productive of social abuses of the most serious nature," Sheppard said.

"These abuses are now legion. We find intoxicating liquors confronting, men, women and children with the drink temptation in almost every place where the business of life is conducted.

"Women and children were denied admission to the old-time saloon. At present three times as many women and girls are working in liquor selling places as there are women students in the public universities, colleges and teacher normals of the country. Women customers of such places are becoming so constant and so numerous that to the old problem of the drinking father has been added the new problem of the drinking mother."

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Miller and son left Tuesday to make their home in Lubbock where he has been transferred by the government. He was employed on the tax survey here.

"In order to more evenly distribute premiums and to provide more equal competi-

BUYING AT HOME INCREASES LOCAL PAYROLLS

CONDENSED STATEMENT The First National Bank Clarendon, Texas

At Close of Business December 31, 1938 United States Government Depository

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$125,136.37	Capital Stock \$5,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank 2,450.00	Surplus 31,000.00
Banking House, Fur. & Fixtures 7,063.50	Undivided Profits and Reserve 4,561.62
Other Real Estate Owned 1,250.00	Other Liabilities 42.12
Municipal Bonds and Securities 7,657.70	DEPOSITS \$273,595.41
Other Resources 39.80	
United States Bonds \$115,731.94	
Domestic Corp. Bonds 13,454.71	
Cash—Sight Exch. 86,263.13	
TOTAL \$359,189.15	TOTAL \$359,189.15

The above statement is correct. W. W. TAYLOR, Vice President and Cashier

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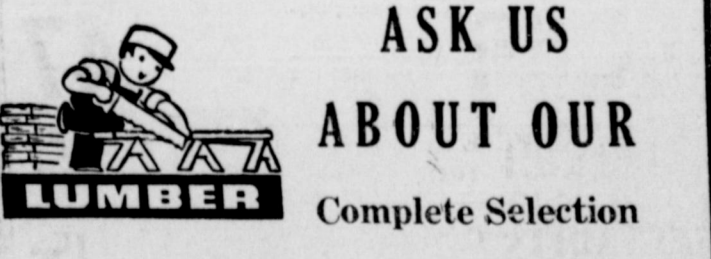
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SOCIETY

PATHFINDER CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS AT MEETING

The Pathfinder Club met in regular session Friday, Jan. 13 with Mrs. Ernest Hunt and Mrs. T. H. Stewart hostesses. The report from the nominating committee, of which Mrs. Fred Buntin was chairman, was adopted and officers for next year were elected. Those chosen were president, Mrs. Ed Dishman; vice president, Miss Temple Harris; recording secretary, Mrs. Van Kennedy; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. A. Durton; treasurer, Mrs. Marvin Warren; parliamentarian, Mrs. Sem Braswell; historian, Mrs. Nathan Cox. These officers will take charge next September.

The election was followed by an interesting program. Mrs. C. A. Durton gave excerpts from Clarence Day's books, "Life With Father," "God and My Father," and "Life With Mother." Mrs. Simmons Powell played a piano solo. Twenty-eight members and two guests were present.

JR. H. D. CLUB SEES POT-HOLDER DEMONSTRATION

The Junior Home Demonstration Club met in regular session at the clubrooms Thursday, Jan. 12, with Grace Ayers as hostess. The meeting was opened by the members repeating the club prayer. A short business meeting was held. Dollie Wilson then demonstrated the making of fancy pot holders in an interesting way.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mattie Ballew on Jan. 26.

Refreshments were served to members, Mesdames Dale Holland, Virginia Schull, Hazel Lusk, Lucille Chesher, Jennie Burch, Marie Patterson, Grace Ayers, Dollie Wilson, Ruth Killough, Alise McMann, Allene Estlack, Hattie Palmer, Mary Wallace and Viola Bones.

REVIEW OF "DESIGNING WOMEN" GIVEN BOOK CLUB

A very clever and unusual program was presented Tuesday afternoon at the Book Club. The book for the day was Margaret Byers' "Designing Women." Florine Woods led the program with a talk on the life of Miss Byers. Many Allensworth then reviewed the book in a very pleasing manner. Live models were used to illustrate right and wrong ways of dressing, with Alta Lane, Dalene Bagby, Dorothy White and Lena Morris modeling the various types.

The program was both enjoyable and instructive to the group. A new member, Laura Glenn Rundell, was voted into the club.

The hostesses, Edythe Maher and Laura Penick served refreshments to one guest, Carol McClelland and the following members, Mesdames Mary Allensworth, Beatrice Antrobus, Thelma Bairfield, Virginia Bryan, Jewell Grady, Dalene Bagby, Elizabeth Cauthen, Charlotte Molesworth, Jo Knopp, Lena Morris, Jennie Dale Porter, Sammie Stewart, Alta Lane, Lelia Mae Smithy, Mary Thornberry, Dorothy White, Dewey Clifford.

MRS. ALICE THOMAS IS HONORED AT 42 PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Patman honored Mrs. Alice Thomas of Nashville, Tenn., sister of Mrs. A. A. Mayes who has been visiting here for several months and will leave Friday, with a lovely dinner and forty-two party Tuesday night at their home. Following a delicious dinner, games of forty-two were enjoyed during the evening.

Guests were Mrs. Thomas and Messrs. and Mesdames J. T. Patman, W. M. Patman, A. A. Mayes, Mesdames L. S. Bagby, J. T. Sims, Ruth Teat, Misses Carrie Davis and Mantie Graves.

L. E. THOMPSONS HOST TO EPRS WITH PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson entertained the BPR Club Thursday night with a lovely party at their home. A delicious dinner was served to the guests from small tables which were centered with beautiful bouquets of cut flowers. Games of forty-two were enjoyed during the evening. Simmons Powell had high score for men, Mrs. Byron Baldwin, high for ladies; Mrs. John Deaver cut high for ladies and Mr. B. F. Kirtley cut high for men.

Guests from Memphis were Messrs. and Mesdames Byron Baldwin and John Deaver and Mrs. Bertha Carter. Other guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Simmons Powell, Forrest Sawyer, B. F. Kirtley, Allen Bryan, U. J. Boston and Miss Anna Moores.

Members present were Messrs. and Mesdames Sam M. Braswell, H. T. Burton, C. C. Powell, Fred Rathjen, J. R. Porter.

PEGGY WORD IS PRESENTED AS PLEDGE AT CANYON

Miss Peggy Word, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Word, was presented recently as a pledge of Pi Omega, girls' social club at West Texas State College where she is a junior student. The presentation which was one of the highlights of the winter social season at the school was carried out amid decorations of white, silver and maroon. Each new member was presented as she stepped from a large book, the Pi Omega album.

MRS. WHITE IS KILL KARE CLUB HOSTESS

Mrs. F. A. White was hostess to the Kill Kare Needle Klub Thursday afternoon at their regular meeting. A pleasant afternoon was spent in conversation and needle work, by the group.

Guests were Mesdames Henry Williams and Dillehay and members present were Mesdames W. B. Sims, Eva Draffen, H. C. Brumley, Harris, W. A. Massie, Lon Randall, R. E. Miller, J. Perry King, J. R. Bartlett, Misses Etta and Ida Harned.

MRS. J. T. SIMS HAS LUNCHEON FOR 1922 CLUB

Mrs. J. T. Sims entertained the 1922 Bridge Club with a lovely luncheon Tuesday. Pink and white cut flowers were used for decorations and the pink and white theme was carried out in table, menu, and prize wrappings. In the game of bridge, Mrs. A. R. Letts had high score, Mrs. Sella Gentry cut for consolation and Mrs. T. H. Ellis got the traveling prize.

Guests were Mesdames Geo. Ryan and C. T. McMurtry. Members were Mesdames A. R. Letts, Sella Gentry, T. H. Ellis, L. S. Bagly, James Trent, Odos Caraway, R. A. Chamberlain.

VONDELL HOMMEL IS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. W. O. Hommel complimented her daughter, Vondell, with a 6 o'clock dinner Friday in honor of her seventh birthday. A pink and white color scheme was developed in the decorations and table appointments. A three-course dinner was served to: Mary Ledell Cox, Ira Jean Estlack, Carlo Jo Tyree, Jacqueline Robertson, Patsy Jean Hommel and the honoree.

After the dinner they attended the show.

MRS. HOMMEL WAS ASSISTED IN SERVING BY MRS. JOHN McMAHAN. VERA LUSK ENTERTAIN 1937 BRIDGE CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Lusk were hosts to a delightful meeting of the 1937 Bridge Club Tuesday at their home. In the games of bridge which were enjoyed during the evening, George Wayne Estlack had high score, Mrs. Alfred Estlack second high and Mrs. A. B. Chesher low.

Refreshments were served to guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chesher and members, Messrs. and Mesdames Elmer Palmer, Alfred Estlack, George Wayne Estlack, Gilmer Ayres.

MRS. SAM LEAL IS BURIED IN WELLINGTON THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Sam Leal, Jr., 23, who died last Wednesday morning in an Erick, Okla., hospital was buried Thursday afternoon in Wellington. Funeral services were conducted from the First Baptist church with Rev. J. P. Neal in charge.

Mrs. Leal was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gulley of Wellington. She formerly lived in Fort Worth before moving here recently. Her husband is a highway contractor here. Mrs. Leal was a graduate of the Wellington High School and had attended West Texas State College at Canyon. She was a member of the Eastern Star and the Baptist church.

Survivors included her husband and a 13-months-old son, Jerry Edward; her parents and nine brothers and sisters.

CLARENDON CITIZENS ATTEND MISSIONARY MEETING AT PAMPA

More than 100 persons including twenty pastors attended the Clarendon District Missionary Institute Friday at the First Methodist Church in Pampa. The main speaker on the program was Dr. R. D. Swinney of Fayette, Mo., who has been in Korea for 12 years.

The theme of the program was "A Missionary-Minded Church." Presiding Elder G. T. Palmer and Sam M. Braswell of Clarendon took part on the program. Others from Clarendon attending were Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Braswell and Rev. J. G. Walker.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Robt. S. McKee, pastor.
Sunday, 10:15 a. m., the church school. Please come on time.
Sunday, 10:55 a. m., the morning worship.

Sunday, 11:35 a. m., the sermon: "The Crisis in Christianity."
Sunday, 5 p. m., the Vesper service. Sermon: "The Nature of Prayer."

Sunday, 5:45 p. m., The Young Peoples Forum.
Wednesday, 3 p. m., the Woman's Auxillary Inspirational meeting.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

H. C. Gordon Pastor
We are grateful to the Clarendon News for space given us each week to announce our services.

If you have lost the church-going habit, if you have no church home, or if you are a stranger in Clarendon our church family extends you a cordial invitation to come and worship with us.
Church school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Epworth League 6 p. m.
Preaching 7 p. m.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

BANQUET AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH WEDNESDAY NIGHT

W. T. LOFLAND GIVES INTERESTING TALK DURING MEETING

The teachers and trustees banquet was held last night at the First Christian Church at 7 o'clock. It was served by the ladies of the church, and was much enjoyed.

The invocation was by Mr. R. E. Drennan. The program of the evening included song numbers ranged by Bill Todd, and sung by the quartet composed of Bill Todd, Ralph Stewart, Burton Carr and La McClellan, Jr.

The new teachers and visitors were introduced by Mr. G. W. Kavenaugh, superintendent, and the school principals.

The principal speaker of the evening was Deputy State Superintendent W. T. Lofland, whose subject was "Friends and Friendship." Mr. J. C. Estlack and H. T. Burton spoke on school problems.

Mr. W. A. Poovey gave the county board report.

There was a round table discussion of teachers' problems. The subject getting the most attention was that of the equalization bill.

Mr. Wilson Gray was elected to the post of president of the County School Association for next year, a post now held by W. M. Pickering.

Land Use Planning Is To Be Responsibility Of Farm People

COLLEGE STATION—A long-time land use planning program whereby farmers, ranchmen and their families are expected to take over major responsibility in formulating policies for agriculture is underway in Texas.

"The purpose of land use planning is to set up a systematic inventory of agricultural resources in each county and to have farm-people themselves develop a plan for the proper utilization of these resources," H. H. Williamson, director of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, told representatives of 13 state and federal agencies who recently met at College Station to set up a tentative state committee.

The state committee will have representatives from the various agencies as members but will be dominated by farmers and ranchmen. Meanwhile county agricultural and home demonstration agents are setting up committees within the counties. Upon the recommendations of these local committees will be erected the future program of the agencies dealing with farmers.

One outgrowth of the plan is expected to be a closer coordination of state and federal agencies and the application of the democratic process to formulation of agricultural policies. Programs will originate in communities, counties, and type-of-farming areas, whereas in the past such procedures had a tendency to begin at Washington.

Land use planning is part of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's program of placing responsibility for agricultural policies in the hands of farm people. The Texas Extension Service has already laid the foundation for the program in Texas through intensive work with committees in selected counties.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perkins visited in Quannah and Childress Tuesday.

Mrs. H. K. Bell and daughter, Sue, of Shamrock are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bell this week.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mann at the Adair Hospital, Jan. 15, a son, named Chester Luther, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alderson are the parents of a son, Gene Arnold, born Jan. 10.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Heath went to Dallas Friday to attend the dry cleaners convention. Mrs. Heath will visit in Terrell also.

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DOUGLAS & GOLDSTON

Mrs. T. F. Connally returned home Tuesday from Canyon where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Horace Westmoreland, while Mrs. Westmoreland was visiting her husband in Missouri.

Friends here received notice this week that T. D. Nored and family have moved to Del Rio to make their home. Mr. Nored's company transferred him there to a responsible position.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McMurtry went to Fort Worth Thursday night to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Texas-Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association of which Mr. McMurtry is a director. They returned Saturday.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

Dick Chunn was called to Dallas Saturday to the bedside of his brother, Bill who is ill in the Methodist Hospital with pneumonia. Mr. Chunn returned here Monday as his brother was much improved.

Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain left this week to visit her daughters in Fort Worth and Greenville.

Mrs. Jack Killough has been called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Henry Bellah, in Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Decker of Childress visited here Sunday.

Homer Mulkey, W. H. Patrick and Frank Whitlock attended a Masonic Certificate Men's meeting in Claude today.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Skelton announce the birth of a daughter, Paula Sue, Thursday night. Mother and daughter are doing well.

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LETTUCE Firm crisp heads Large, 2 for	15c
HOMINY White Swan 3 No. 2 cans	20c
FLOUR Yukon Best, 48 lbs, \$1.35; 24 lbs.	.75
PORK - BEANS Phillips Full pound can	5c
COFFEE Piggy-Wiggly, lb. 22c; Plymouth, 2 lbs.	35c
SOAP P and G, 7 Giant Bars	.25
MEAL Aunt Jemima or Yukon, 20 lbs. 45c; 10 lbs.	27c
FLOUR Pride of Perryton, 48 lbs. \$1.00; 24 lbs.	55c
MILK Pet or Carnation 7 cans	25c
JELLO and ROYAL GELLATIN Package	5c
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PLAN SOCIAL EVENTS

The Senior Class met Tuesday to discuss the coming events of the year. February 14th was agreed on as the day for the Junior Senior banquet. Fred Chamberlain, June McMurtry, and LaVerne Goodman were appointed to the program committee by President Thompson.

Plans were also made for a class party. Neel Thompson will entertain at his home tonight.

BRONCHOETTA IS BACK WITH FIRST-HAND INFORMATION

While the students of C. H. S. wondered about the whereabouts of Bronchoetta, she swooped into Clarendon in a fancy air rocket. Can you imagine such a thing? The crowd that met her immediately demanded to know where she had been. She is quoted as saying:

"I have just returned from a perilous expedition to the tomb of King Tippi Tut Tut Tippi, where I found the future of the C. H. S. students twenty years from now.

It is predicted that Colie Huffman is playing the part of 'Bashful' in Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs.

"Lucille Goldston, head of the language department at Oxford, has been received at the court of Queen Margaret Pines.

"Dr. Rayburn Smith, New York brain specialist, has just performed a brain operation on Carl Morris. It is said to have worked wonders.

"La Verne Goodman has just been elected the F. F. A. Sweetheart for another ten years.

"Marjorie Beverly has just finished a cross country trip on her bicycle.

"Jack Rogers, better known as 'Diamond Dare,' is one of the ten best dressed men in the world.

"Claudine Haley has just opened a beanyery. Betty Jo Caraway is the head waitress. Among her regular customers are: Katrina and Colie Huffman, Mildred and Jo Hays, Dorothy Nell and Thad Lyle, Marjorie and Earl Shannon, Donna and Cleo Russell and Louis and Gene Butler. (Incidentally, Louis has won the academy award for her work in 'Gone With the Wind,' which has at last been filmed.)

"Kitty Ruth Bailey's latest novel is 'Why Get Married?'

"Mary Elizabeth Ziegler is a very successful wife of a Dell Sanders, who is now doubling for Nelson Eddy."

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"AGGIES" HOLD SECOND ANNUAL PROJECT DAY

Thirty-eight vocational agriculture students spent Friday, Jan. 13, making a tour of the projects of the class members. Each student received the opportunity to compare his project with those of his fellow F. F. A. members and to gain new ideas to be used in his own work. Swine production projects were most common with calves, ewes, lambs, poultry and broilers forming the other chief points of interest.

Indications point to the largest exhibit of stock ever to be held in Donley county for March 4. Over forty boys are expected to exhibit their projects in the local show.

COLLEGE PERSONALITIES

Name: Belva May Robertson.
Class: Freshman.
Description: Height 5 feet, 5 1/2 inches; weight 125 pounds; blond hair; Medical science.
Favorite sport: Kodaking.
Favorite pastime: Movies.
Nick name: "Babbie."
Pet peeve: Answering personal questions.
Ambition: Nurse.
Hobby: Saving pennies.
Favorite song: "My Own."

Name: Led Jay.
Class: Sophomore.
Description: Height 6 feet, 2 inches; weight 170 pounds; brown hair; green eyes.
Major: Music.
Favorite sport: Boxing.
Favorite pastime: Movies.
Nick name: "Horse."
Pet peeve: Anklets with high heel shoes.
Ambition: to be a great band director.

Hobby: Building model airplanes.
Favorite song: "Star Dust."

Name: Gordon Williamson.
Class: Sophomore.
Description: Height 6 feet; weight 180 pounds; brown hair; gray eyes.
Major: Physical education.
Favorite sport: Football (right now it's basketball).
Pet peeve: Being teased.
Ambition: To be a coach.
Hobby: Eating.
Favorite song: "You Must Have Been a Beautiful Baby."

LITTLE FREDDIE'S DIARY

Boy, oh, boy, exams are over and is everyone glad. Beaming faces dot the campus now as several students have found out their grades. Still others who haven't given school their serious attention find their grades—well not too satisfactory.

Rambling glimpses: Forrest Adamson is doing real well. He has had a date every night, and not a California date either. I wonder if he has met Wilfred. The new recruit from Hedley created a little excitement on the campus Monday. A few of the boys want to become better acquainted with Forrest as she stays at his home. The book-worm of the year, Warren Hardin. Warren has really caused the price of books to advance. If he could only control the otton market, Roosevelt would make a lord, knight, or something of him.

Something I would like to pass on:
"The Ladder of Success"
100 per cent: I did.
90 per cent: I will.
80 per cent: I can.
70 per cent: I think I can.
60 per cent: I might.
50 per cent: I think I might.
40 per cent: What is it?
30 per cent: I wish I could.
20 per cent: I don't know how.
10 per cent: I can't.
0 per cent: I won't.
Yours till the next time.

GLOVES TEAM TO MEET TURKEY THURSDAY NIGHT

The local gloves team will meet the "Terrible Turks" of Turkey High School in a return boxing engagement at the college auditorium, Thursday, January 19, at 7:30 p. m. The locals have lost their last three fights and hope to get back in the win column in their bout with Turkey.

Last Thursday night the locals lost two of three matches with Turkey. Johnson bested Cunningham, but Peabody and Rogers lost decisions to Young and Russell. Turkey will bring eight fighters, and enough local bouts, including a negro feature bout are expected to bring the total to at least ten bouts. The final bout of the year will be with Estelline, January 26.

OUTLOOK FOR JUDGING TEAMS VERY POOR

According to J. R. Gillham, local F. F. A. adviser, and agriculture judging teams coach, the outlook for winning judging teams are the poorest they have been in several years. The judging teams do all of their studying and practicing for contests outside of regular class work. Livestock, dairy, and poultry teams practice an average of 12 to 15 hours per week outside of regular class work for a period of three to four months.

Due to the discontinuance of the rule of adding four points to the grade of each regular judging team member's grades at the end of the semester, a large number of the leading candidates have dropped their judging team work because of the lack of the additional incentive to train for the teams.

The poultry and grain teams are slated to participate in the annual Tulia contests, January 20, which they won last year; however, lack of interest on the part of judging team prospects has raised the possibility of insufficient numbers of members to participate in the contests.

BR

The Mighty Bronchos are to begin spring training soon. The coach reports a strong, large and fast team for the future season. Twelve lettermen from last year's line-up will return to our grid-iron next year. We are very happy to learn that "Bud" Hermesmeier will report for practice. "Bud" is a veteran of the game and we expect much from him. Carlton Gordon is another veteran who will adorn our Bronco stadium this season. The line-up will be changed a lot from last year.

In the backfield we will have J. Grady, B. Allison and W. Melton from the list of lettermen. Huffman, Putman, McWhorter, Johnson, Spier, Goodman, and Lumpkin will return to the line. Colie is captain for next year.

We are very sorry that Greene, Blackman, Lane, Latson and Longan will have to bid goodbye to the Broncos. Boys, we wish you lots of luck, for we really appreciated you in old C. H. S.

Several subs from last season's squad will report for practice. Among them are: Howard Gibbs, Jack Rolf, "Posse" Summers, "Muley" Sloan and Geo. Reeves. These boys are going to make someone hustle for a position this year.

The coach had a successful season last year, and we wish him the best of luck in 1939.

BR

"ROOKIE" REPORTER
We don't like the way some of the BR reporters write up the gossip of the campus so we (that's us) have decided to show those saps a thing or three.

As a starter we hear that (this is only hearsay though) Warren is two timing Zackie. That Gilbert girl ought to be ashamed.

This is a fact and not just a rumor. Gene Butler is still running a close second.

That Frances Grady might give you a few pointers on keeping the boy friend fooled.

Eddy certainly believes in setting a good example for her bad boy.

There's nothing Jo Word won't do to try to beat her cousin Mary Charlotte's time.

We wonder if Ralph would really go so far as to steal his brother's girl.

Billy Cooke is even worse than George Seaton. The poor lad couldn't find his car that was parked on Main street.

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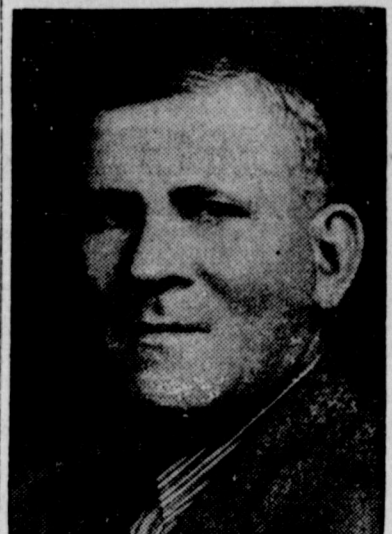
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R. E. DICKSON OF SPUR HONORED AT FT. WORTH

PIONEER WORKER IS RECOGNIZED; MEDAL AWARD PRESENTED

FORT WORTH, Jan. 14.—At a banquet held Friday night in his honor at the Texas Hotel in Fort Worth, R. E. Dickson of Spur was presented the 1939 Merit Award of the Texas Agricultural Workers' Association for distinguished service to Texas agriculture. As superintendent of the sub-station



R. E. DICKSON

of the Texas Experiment Station at Spur for 24 years, Mr. Dickson has served Texas agriculture with fidelity and distinction.

While his accomplishments in grain sorghum improvement and with livestock feeds and feeding have been significant, it is as a pioneer in the investigation of soil and water conservation problems that he is best known, and perhaps it is in this field of agricultural research that he has made his most notable contribution.

In his work on the Spur station, Dickson plowed a virgin field in unearthing many of the principles and practices of soil and water conservation that today are part and parcel of the broad and comprehensive national program with which the nation is seeking to protect and to restore its most important natural resource—the soil.

It is in recognition of these distinguished services, which have contributed to the agricultural welfare of not only Texas but the entire nation, that the Texas Agricultural Workers' Association is awarding its Distinguished Service Plaque of 1939 to Mr. Dickson.

Mr. Dickson, a native of Hunt county and a graduate of Texas A. and M. College, is the third distinguished Texan to receive the Association's Merit Award. In 1937, the late J. W. Stubenrauch of Mexia was honored for his distinguished services in the development of the fruit industry of the state. Last year the award was made to W. W. Cole of Chil-

Cotton Quality Need If Competition Is Met in 1939

COLLEGE STATION.—Cotton farmers must do everything possible to get the utmost return from their 1939 crop, E. A. Miller, agronomist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, said in listing points that would help to increase income.

The biggest gain, Miller believes, can be made through improvement in quality. He urged community, county, and area organization along the one-variety line. "This is important not only because quality and uniformity will bring in more cash per acre, but we need improvement if we are to develop our cotton markets and meet foreign competition," he pointed out.

Soil and water conservation will bring results, the agronomist stated, and quoted increased annual net returns of \$6.51 an acre obtained at the Spur Agricultural Experiment Substation from terraced land farmed on the contour over land farmed with the rows running down hill in a 12-year test.

"It is good crop insurance to treat cottonseed with 2 per cent ceresan at the rate of three ounces per bushel," Miller said. Increases in yield through this practice were 25 per cent at College Station, 15 per cent at Temple, 9 per cent at Brazos Bottom, and 4 per cent at Lubbock, recent experiment tests show.

Commercial fertilizer and manure on sandy and sandy loam soils have proved profitable, and he urged farmers to consult county agricultural agents for local recommendations as to amounts to use.

"Insect control is going to be important in 1939, and no farmer should forget seedbed preparation and cultivation," Miller concluded.

Bristol Boards at The News.

licotho, father of the cooperative cotton gin, in recognition of his long years of service in the field of agricultural organization.

Preceding the presentation of the merit award plaque to Mr. Dickson by Eugene Butler, chairman of the merit award committee of the association, A. D. Jackson, chief of division of publications, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, discussed the "History of Agricultural Research in Texas." Victor Schoffelmayer, agricultural editor of the Dallas News, spoke on "R. E. Dickson—His Contribution to Texas Agriculture." The merit award banquet program, which is featured each year at the annual meeting of the association, was broadcast.

Meeting in Fort Worth for its twelfth annual convention, the association, which is composed of workers in all phases of agricultural endeavor, was presided over by President Louis P. Merrill, regional conservator. Soil Conservation Service, Fort Worth. Miss Maurine Hearn, district agent of the Texas Extension Service, is secretary of the organization.

Shrine Circus At Amarillo; 6 Days Of Entertainment

Let's go to the Shrine Circus, the week of Jan. 30th to Feb. 4th at the municipal auditorium, Amarillo, with six night performances and four matinees, presenting an array of 41 all-star professional circus acts, including performing lions, bears, elephants, a bevy of fun-making clowns including the Famous Randow Duo New York Hippodrome clowns, aerialists of all types, including flying acts, acrobats, strong men, tumblers, wire walkers, sensational Perch acts and that famous high wire act the Bilette troupe of six artists without a doubt the peer of all high wire acts. My what a show, and it lasts two and a half hours to see it all, 21 displays, with 41 daring and sensational circus acts.

The Shrine Temple circus committee is bringing the Polack Bros. famous indoor circus company with the highest recommendation of the Imperial Recorders Association of North America, this circus plays nothing but Shrine Temples and is considered the greatest fraternal indoor circus on the road today.

Matinees will be given Wednesday, Feb. 1, Thursday, Feb. 2, Friday, Feb. 3, and Saturday, Feb. 4, the first three matinees will start at 3:30 p. m. Saturday matinee starts at 2:30 p. m., evening performance starts promptly at 8:15 p. m., doors to the auditorium will open one hour ahead of the starting of each performance.

All Shrine members living in

Continental Oil Co. Will Again Use Ads In Newspapers

PONCA CITY, Okla., Jan. 16.—Newspaper advertising will again be the backbone of Continental Oil Company's 1939 advertising program, the largest in the company's history, it was announced here today by A. J. Rabe, advertising manager.

"While we feel that we have a well-rounded program for the year," said Rabe, "assigning a fair appropriation to every important advertising medium, by far the largest share of our 1939 budget will be spent for newspaper space."

Continental's current newspaper advertising presents the new form "Zig-zag" reading. In this proposed reform for relieving eye-strain, the type of each second line of copy is arranged with the words in reverse order—so that the eye can read from left to right on the first line and from right to left on the second line—avoiding the strain of long eye sweeps between lines.

the Panhandle district away from Amarillo will have circus admission tickets for sale; a chairman in each community under the supervision of Past Potentate Harry S. Wilbur, will personally see that a real Panhandle night from all districts will come to the circus at Amarillo. All Shriners residing in this district are requested to come to the opening night of the Shrine circus with their Fez in evidence.

Condensed Statement of the Condition of

THE DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK

of Clarendon, Texas.

December 31, 1938

In response to a call from the Commissioner of Banking

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$157,454.46	Capital Stock \$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts 17.82	Capital Debentures 25,000.00
Bonds and Securities 9,410.00	Surplus and Undivided Profits 11,216.24
School and State Warrants .. 29,145.61	DEPOSITS \$584,685.92
Banking House, Fur. & Fixtures 14,950.00	
Other Real Estate 10,050.83	
State of Texas Revenue Stamps 102.10	
Cash and Exchange \$22,242.95	
U. S. Bonds Owned 54,000.00	
Bills of Exch. Cotton 32,961.10	
Commodity Credit Corporation Cotton Notes 111,626.35	
	\$429,659.54
TOTAL \$679,901.26	TOTAL \$679,901.26

The above Statement is correct. F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Vice-President and Cashier

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Delicious and Refreshing
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Its taste holds the answer

"Delicious and refreshing." That's ice-cold Coca-Cola... the drink everybody knows... in its own distinctive bottle. Good things from nine sunny climes. Your thirst asks nothing more.

MEMPHIS COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO.
Clarendon, Texas

THE SONG BOOK RACKET

The following letter to the editor from a Texas schoolman is worthy of a careful reading.

On the morning of October 12, while my pupils were busy putting on book covers that had been supplied us by a large soft drink company for advertising purposes I was called to the door by a smooth-talking individual who introduced himself as a representative of an advertising concern. He said he was anxious to supply our school with song books at no cost to the school. Like most schools, we needed the song books, and since I was at the time being supplied with book covers by the medium of advertising, I finally agreed to accept fifty copies. He waited until I had signed the agreement and then told me he wanted someone from our community to help sell the advertising to the local merchants.

After some racking of my brain as to whom I could direct him, I finally decided that perhaps my wife could serve the purpose, though I hated very badly to have her do it. He said she would be satisfactory. He then made arrangements with her to go to the nearby town and solicit the advertising. I went ahead with my teaching and forgot the matter. When my wife came home that

night I realized that I had made a mistake, and had been victimized. By use of a hard-boiled young lady as a solicitor this firm had threatened and high pressured the various merchants in the town for over \$33 worth of advertising, charging \$3.50 for a space about one inch square on the cover of the book. And this advertising was to be printed on fifty copies of the song book that could be bought for about \$13 per hundred. In other words, they had sold \$33 worth of advertising, and were to render only about \$6.50 worth of service.

But this is not the worst of the tale. I do not have the song books yet. I have been informed that if they are sent I must send \$2.50 to pay for some space that a certain firm promised to pay for. I refused to have anything whatsoever to do with their dirty business, and will continue to do so, and have informed the representative of my intentions.

Now my point is simply this: If this firm and other similar companies received the exposure they deserve, they would no longer be able to operate in this state. It is a racket pure and simple, and why should not teachers be warned against getting taken in? I know of no better medium than the Texas Outlook.

REG'LAR FELLERS



Sounds Like Diplomacy

By Gene Byrnes

Better Business Trend Shown In Annual Report

Improving business conditions are reflected in the annual report of the United Fidelity Life Insurance Company, according to George B. Bagby, who received the report yesterday. The United Fidelity is an old line legal reserve company with headquarters in Dallas.

"The company's assets gained approximately \$675,000.00 during the year to a total of \$5,944,304.47," Mr. Bagby said. "This being a Texas company, most of its assets are invested in the things which make for the progress of Texas. On the last day of 1938, the company's funds were being used by almost 100 Texas communities to finance public improvements; and by over 600 Texas families to finance home-ownership. It is the investment policy of the company to give preference to Texas securities, municipal bonds and city, county and state bonds and warrants, the proceeds from which are used to build schools, water works and other things which not only give employment to Texas people in their construction and operation, but make for a better standard of living. The company also uses its funds to assist Texas citizens in buying homes and farms, in the form of mortgage loans.

"The citizens more than ever before are showing a preference for the life insurance protection of strong Texas home-owned companies because they get maximum protection at a cost of low or lower than that of distant companies, and the money stays in Texas to help finance the great development program now going on in the state.

DALLAS MAN GOING TO AUSTIN, GIVES HIS REASONS

PIERCE BROOKS SAYS WILL FORCE SPECIAL INTERESTS OUT

DALLAS.—Pierce Brooks, Dallas businessman, and recent candidate for lieutenant governor, surprised political circles Thursday when he stated that he was leaving for Austin and would become the peoples' lobbyist. "The special interests and monopolies have their lobbyists to represent them at Austin during the legislative sessions; and at this session the plain people will have theirs."

Brooks stated that he would be located at one of the hotels in Austin. "I plan to spend as much time in Austin as my business will permit, in order that I may be on hand to contribute my part to seeing that legislation is passed for payment of old age pensions, and to do whatever I can to protect the interest of the plain people of this state. There is very little that an individual can do, but I can assure you that the people of Texas will become better acquainted, as I propose to force the special interests and monopolies out in the open. During this session of the Legislature the people of Texas will know how their elected representatives stand on various issues.

"This buck passing is going to stop, as I will do everything in my power to see that all issues



How Does Your Garden Grow?

By T. C. RICHARDSON, Secretary Texas Breeder-Feeder Association

The best time to start a spring vegetable garden is last fall, but it is never too late. Some soils require several plowings or spadings, with time for nature to do its share in aerating, pulverizing, and settling. If this was not begun with fall plowing and fertilization it can still be done, but with more labor. A poor seed bed is bad enough with the ordinary field crops, costing loss of stands and yields, but it is inexcusable in the garden. In either case good preparation before planting is the best cultivation the crop will ever have, and the most economical.

It would be presumptuous to offer detailed instructions for making the garden ready, for every good farmer knows what his particular soil requires in the way of tillage and fertilization. For those who do not know there are garden bulletins to be had from county and home demonstration agents, or a neighbor who has learned and practiced good gardening under his own conditions of soil and climate. Smart men learn from others, and it is no disgrace to ask. Those afraid to ask pay dearly for experience.

The "frame garden" has solved the problem of having vegetables under the difficult conditions of high winds, hot sun, and lack of timely rainfall with which much of the Southwest has to contend. It is nothing more than a huge box, four or five feet wide, as long as desired, with plank walls rising 12 to 18 inches above the surface of the ground, of course the soil in the box is well spaded and fertilized before planting. Rows run crosswise for ease of planting and cultivation. It may be sub-irrigated by the usual methods or watered on the surface, and with rows eight to 12 inches apart an almost unbelievable amount of the smaller vegetables can be grown.

Burlap or canvas covers which can be unhooked at one side, wire netting to keep out chickens, also hinged at one side, complete the equipment. Besides furnishing early vegetables it will serve as a cold frame to grow early plants for the open garden when all danger of frost is over. Where wind and sun are most severe, as in Western Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma, a half-shade cover made of plaster laths spaced one or two inches apart is advisable.

Sub-irrigation for gardens has long been in successful use in the Southwest, and directions for installing lath pipes or tile may be had from county agents. This winter is a good time to lay out

BROWN'S LOTION will stop BAD FOOT ODOR with three applications, at night only, or your money back. ATHLETE'S FOOT quickly healed. Guaranteed for RINGWORM, POISON IVY, INSECT BITES, ECZEMA, CONTAGIOUS SORES, CUTS, etc. Sold by DOUGLES & GOLDSTON

ACHING COLDS Relieve Their DISTRESS This Easy, Quick Way! To bring speedy relief from the discomfort of chest colds, muscular rheumatic aches and pains due to colds—you need more than "just a salve"—use a stimulating "counter-irritant" like good old warming, soothing Musterole. It penetrates the surface skin breaking up local congestion and pain resulting from colds.

Even better than a mustard plaster—Musterole has been used by millions for over 30 years. Recommended by many doctors and nurses. In three strengths: Regular, Children's (mild) and Extra Strong, 40¢. Approved by Good House-keeping Bureau. All druggists.



several acres of pasture on the garden plot. It thus gets two or three times as much water as falls directly on the garden, the flow being distributed by a system of "syrup-pan" terraces carefully laid out by the farm level instrument.

There is a way to have a garden in every soil and under every climate in the Southwest, and its value in contributing to a wholesome diet, besides the money value, is incalculable. A few cents' worth of seed multiplies a thousand-fold in skillful hands.

MORTALITY RATE HERE IS TEN HIGHER THAN IN 1937; MEN HIGHEST

The following report was recently given on the number of burials in the Citizens' Cemetery during the past year. There was an increase of 10 burials over 1937 and most of this was those of men, as in 1937 there were 25 men's deaths and in 1938, 36 men's deaths. In 1937 there were 19 women buried and in 1938, 18. Both years the number of children's burials were seven.

The Farmers State Bank

of Clarendon, Texas

Statement of Condition At the Close of Business December 31, 1938

Table with columns ASSETS and LIABILITIES. Assets include Loans and Discounts, Overdrafts, Banking House, Fur. & Fixtures, Other Real Estate, Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, State of Texas, School and Municipal bonds and Warrants, Customers Bonds Deposited, Cotton Producers Notes, U. S. and Federal Land Bank Securities, Cash and due from Banks. Liabilities include Capital Stock, Surplus, Undivided Profits, Customers Bonds Deposited, Deposits.

The above statement is correct - VAN KENNEDY, Cashier

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MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Advertisement for Hotel Lasalle in San Francisco, Calif. Features 150 rooms with bath, \$2.50 single, excellent accommodations, comfort, courtesy and service, convenience to everything of interest, coffee shop, free garage. T.A. Lloyd, Operating Owner. 225 Hyde near Market.

Cars Popular As Christmas Gifts Records Show

AUSTIN, Jan. 16.—Christmas presents of new automobiles were more numerous this year than last, it is shown by records of the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas.

Sales of new passenger cars during December were virtually the same as during the preceding month but 9-1 per cent greater than during December, 1937, the bureau announced today.

Report to the bureau from 16 representative counties indicated total sales during December one-tenth of one per cent below those of November. Aggregate sales for 1938 were 29.1 per cent below those of 1937.

Sales in the lower-medium price group were substantially above those of both comparable periods; while those of the upper-medium group gained moderately. Registrations in the lowest price group were moderately below those of the preceding month but slightly above those of the corresponding month the year before; while those in the highest price group were sharply above those in December last year but moderately below sales in November.

"The real enemy of Fascism just as of Communism is education; not any kind of education, but education for free men in a free world."—Dean Russell of Teachers College, Columbia University.

Bond Papers at The News.

HELP KIDNEYS

To Get Rid of Acid and Poisonous Waste Your kidneys help to keep you well by constantly filtering waste matter from the blood. If your kidneys get functionally disordered and fail to remove excess impurities, there may be poisoning of the whole system and body-wide distress. Burning, scanty or too frequent urination may be a warning of some kidney or bladder disturbance. You may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feet weak, nervous, all played out.

In such cases it is better to rely on a medicine that has won country-wide acclaim than on something less favorably known. Use Doan's Pills. A multitude of grateful people recommend Doan's. Ask your neighbor!



HON. P. PIERCE BROOKS

are brought into the open and disposed of once and for all. The old people of this state have been promised liberal pensions and I think that officials who made these promises should see that legislation is provided to make this possible, or resign. I believe that the people of this state also want the horse racing issue brought into the open and discussed, and will not stand for any 'surprise legislation', which occurred a few years ago.

Brooks, a Dallas real estate broker, led his nearest opponent for lieutenant governor in the first Democratic primary by over 60,000 votes, but was defeated by an O'Daniel supported candidate, Coke Stevenson, former speaker of the House, in the second primary. It will be recalled that Brooks, who made an active campaign, received serious injuries when his automobile overturned during the early part of the second primary. This prevented him from making further public appearances during the remainder of the campaign.

THEY SAY . . .

"Ignorance has contributed more to the downfall of nations than any other single cause, and this nation of ours may prove no exception because there is a deplorable ignorance among us of the things that have made this country the greatest in history in material progress, that have brought to 7 per cent of the world's population in the United States occupying only 6 per cent of the world's inhabitable lands, one-half of the world's wealth and more than one-half of the world's income."—Robert L. Lund, executive vice president, the Lambert Pharmacal Co.

Advertisement for Sinclair motor oils. Includes text: 'DO YOU KNOW THAT SINCLAIR PENNSYLVANIA AND OPALINE MOTOR OILS LAST LONGER?', 'WHY THEY'RE ALL LUBRICANT. THEY CONTAIN NO WAX OR PETROLEUM JELLY', 'HOW'S THAT?', 'THAT'S WHY THEY DON'T THIN OUT WHEN THE ENGINE'S HOT', 'WELL, I'LL GIVE 'EM ATRY', 'O.K. I'VE GOT 'EM RIGHT HERE, AND REMEMBER, MY TRUCK COVERS THIS ROUTE REGULARLY'. 'Let me Sinclair-ize your farm'.

Agent Sinclair Refining Company (Inc.) F. J. Hommel

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Double Guarantee. This Newspaper and Your Favorite Magazines Are a Double Guarantee of Reading Satisfaction for Your Entire Family AT BARGAIN PRICES. THIS NEWSPAPER—1 YEAR FOR ALL AND ANY 3 BIG MAGAZINES FOR FOUR \$2.50. List of magazines including American Boy, American Fruit Grower, American Girl, etc.

FIGHT INFANTILE PARALYSIS JOIN THE MARCH OF DIMES

Your dimes are needed and now is the time to contribute. Pay your dime, and get your buttons from volunteer solicitors or in one of the many local stores.

Watson FFA Speaker Wednesday Evening

Forty-two enthusiastic F. F. A. members attended their second meeting of the 1939 year in the chapter room Wednesday, January 18, at 7 p. m. President Williams announced the boxing matches with Turkey. Treasurer Leathers gave the financial report. Rex Shannon gave a report on the pest eradication contest which showed Cecil Hickman to be leading with 396 points to 230 for Bailey Estes in second place. Williams discussed the scorecard to be followed in selecting the five most valuable F. F. A. members for the 1938-1939 school year, and the group voted to sponsor a ping pong tournament to be run off at the future meetings. Laverne Goodman, newly elected sweetheart of the organization, was introduced and made a short talk expressing her appreciation. Kitty Ruth Bailey, recently selected by the group to

N. C. Hudsons Are Named Outstanding in FSA Program

"A record-breaking year in achievements has just been marked up by the Farm Security Administration in Donley county," says Miss Lois Waggoner, home act as pianist was also introduced. O. C. Watson, in the chief address at the meeting, urged the boys to live a full, well rounded life, and to not be selfish, unintelligent moochers and workers. He stressed the importance of proper preparation for living, and brought instances to the group showing that men of even less than forty years of age are rapidly losing ground in the labor world unless they have special training. Miss Harris, Miss Howren, Mrs. Goodner, Slayton Mahaffey and Lee Marshall were other guests of the group.

management supervisor. Checking accomplishments for the past year, she names Mr. and Mrs. Newell C. Hudson of Chamberlain community as outstanding in their progress during 1938.

By budgeting their income and keeping records in a business-like manner they are able to maintain a very high standard of living. Mrs. Hudson has canned 200 quarts of fruits and vegetables, stored 400 pounds of beans of three varieties, and utilizes all farm products in making cheese soap, etc. A record on their cows shows that they netted the Hudsons an average of \$30 per month in addition to a liberal amount of dairy products kept for home use. "Well-balanced meals are essential for a family's health and happiness," says Mrs. Hudson. Two healthy children confirm her statement.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dishman are in Kansas City, visiting his brother.

HANSON POST HOST AMERICAN LEGION MEETING JAN. 24

AMARILLO POST PLANS BIG TIME FOR OCCATIONS

The first 18th District of the American Legion monthly meeting will be held next Tuesday, January 24, at 7:30 p. m. with Hanson Post No. 54 at Amarillo as host. This month's meeting is being held in Amarillo to celebrate the starting of work on the new million and a half dollar veterans hospital. The commander of the local American Legion post urges every Legionnaire and World War Veteran to be present at this meeting.

The Amarillo Legionnaires are planning a big celebration at this meeting. Ground has been broken for the new veterans hospital and the Amarillo post wants every member of the 18th District to come to Amarillo for this great occasion.

There will be a short business session presided over by Charlie Maisel of Pampa, 18th District commander and Mrs. John Deaver, 18th District president of the American Legion Auxiliary. A buffet supper and a dance is part of the evening's program. Lou Roberts, 18th District membership chairman, will present the district quota to Commander Maisel at the meeting. All posts with few exceptions have reached or exceeded their 1939 membership quota. This will be the earliest date the 18th Legion District has exceeded its quota.

Five Most Valuable FFA Members To Be Honored

The five most valuable members of the Clarendon chapter of the F. F. A. will be honored this year by having their names embroidered on an expensive wool banner to be hung in the vocational agricultural class room. The most valuable student will receive a banner signifying the honor.

The value of the student to the chapter will be based on a scorecard of achievements in which no individual opinion may enter. The student qualifying for the most points will be selected as the most valuable. The points are based on leadership activities, project work, the extent to which the boy has grown into farming, entries in shows, travels, and scholastic record. The move adopted by the chapter is one to aid the students in self-improvement and to aid the chapter in the Lone Star Chapter Contest.

REA PROJECTS WILL BRING LINES TO DONLEY COUNTY

723 MEMBERS WILL SERVED IN TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA

The REA Progress Bulletin, dated January 12th, sends reports from two sponsors, the Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc., of Wellington, and the Hall County Electric Cooperative, Inc., of Memphis, on two projects that extend into Donley county.

The money for these two projects has been allotted, so the co-operatives have been advised, and instructions for getting the lines under construction have been received.

Construction of these two lines will provide nearly 53,000 man hours of employment in direct labor alone, and strict adherence to the schedule will be ordered, so that the time elapsing till the farmers concerned can begin using electricity, will be cut down as much as possible.

The counties to be supplied by these projects are Donley, Hall, Collingsworth, in Texas, and Harmon County, Oklahoma.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

Mrs. Bill Bromley underwent a major operation Friday morning in the Adair Hospital. She is recuperating nicely this week.

Join the "March of the Dimes."

Funeral Services Are Held Monday For Agnes Oakley

Funeral services for Miss Ruby Agnes Oakley, 25, were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the First Baptist Church with Rev. J. Perry King officiating. Miss Oakley, daughter of Mr. C. C. Oakley, died Sunday after a two weeks' illness of pneumonia. She had also been ill for sometime before that. Burial was in the Citizens' Cemetery.

Miss Oakley was born in Hedley on Dec. 8, 1912. She had lived in Clarendon for a number of years and was a graduate of Clarendon High School and Junior College. She was a faithful member of the Baptist Church. She attended W. T. S. T. at Canyon and taught at Goldston in 1935.

Mrs. W. H. Smith, Resident of 20 Years, Buried

Funeral services for Mrs. W. H. Smith who died Tuesday in a Lubbock hospital were held at the First Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Mrs. Smith, familiarly known as Aunt Sally, lived in the Clarendon community for over 20 years. For the past five years, she had lived with her son in Plainview.

She was born Sally Lawrence in Williamson County, Texas, 77 years ago. Her husband, Uncle Billy, died here several years ago. Survivors are one son, Harvey Smith, and two daughters, Mesdames A. G. Amerson and Shorty Owens, and several grandchildren. Rev. L. A. Reavis, her pastor, assisted by Rev. H. C. Gordon, conducted the services. Interment was in the Citizens' Cemetery.

Isadore Mellinger spent this week in San Antonio attending a shoe convention and showing of new spring models.

CAC COMMITTEE EXPLAINS ACREAGE ALLOTMENT OF COTTON FOR 1939

To the farmers of Donley county: The ACP-89 that has been through mails, notifying you of your cotton allotment and tilled acreage on the farm is misleading in one respect. The card stated that the local committee made these adjustments. The fact is these adjustments were made by the State Board at College Station, Texas, and the local nor the county committee had nothing whatever to do with these allotments. It does not state that if you are dissatisfied with this allotment to contact the county committee, but does state that if you believe the cotton allotment is incorrectly determined that you may contact your committeeman within 15 days. We would like for the farmers to understand this thoroughly.

Last year we were allotted 31.75 per cent of tilled acreage for cotton. This year the percentage is 30.41 percent, a difference of 1.34 per cent. These allotments were arrived at in most cases by multiplying the tilled acreage times the 30.41 per cent, unless the farm carries the 50-40 ratio or is a Class B farm which is 5 to 15-acre farms.—County Agricultural Conservation Committee.

BABY CHICKS First Hatch Off January 23rd

Hatches every Monday and Thursday thereafter. All Chicks from blood-tested stock.

Clarendon Hatchery
Clarendon, Texas
PHONE 263

MARTIN (By Billie Ruth Bulman)

New teachers and officers were elected Sunday at Sunday school. Mr. G. W. Kavanaugh, superintendent; Mr. R. Cannon, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Talley, Class No. 5; Mrs. W. L. Jordan, Class No. 4; Mrs. R. Cannon, Class No. 3; Mrs. J. D. Wood, Class No. 1. Class No. 3 did not elect their teacher for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kavanaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rape of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. Ray Stewart, Mrs. G. W. Kavanaugh and Mrs. Richard Cannon spent Sunday evening in the W. H. Morrow home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robertson of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibson from Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Easterling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Pool spent the week-end visiting relatives of Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. Isham of Chamberlain spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartzog.

Donley County Is Offering Bounty On Coyotes Now

Donley county, for the first time on the records, at least since the 90's, is offering a bounty of \$1 on coyote pelts. Heretofore bounties have offered, but only by private individuals or ranches.

The bounty will be paid only on coyotes killed since the first of January and the money will be set aside for the payments at the meetings of the commissioners' court.

The pelts must be brought in and registered, and the ears punched, after which they may be returned to the owner, who may sell them if he so desires. In the case of scalps brought in, these are kept by the county and destroyed.

The bounty has been posted as a result of recent depredations by the coyotes, which have been stealing chickens and turkeys, and killing some calves and sheep.

A good many pelts have been brought so far, and as hunting and trapping is going on now, more pelts are likely to be taken.

Mrs. Eva Hill of Canyon was a visitor in Clarendon Monday.

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 2. DEPENDABILITY
 3. ECONOMY
Low Fuel Consumption
 4. ADAPTABILITY
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1/2 gal. 29c TOMATOES No. 2 cans 7c

MEAL Carnation 10 lbs., 25c; 20 lbs. .40

Shortening
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FLOUR Carnation 48 lbs., \$1.39; 24 pounds .79

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COFFEE Admiration, 3-lb. can with Cup and Saucer .85

Lemons 360 Size Dozen20c		Candy All 5c Bars 3 for10c
Apples Bulk 10 lbs.35c		Cigarettes All Packages Poular Brands 15c
"THESE PRICES CASH"		
TOMATOES, No. 2, 2 for 15c		
FLOUR	Yukon's Best, 48 lbs. \$1.35 24 lbs.75
PORK and BEANS, Phillipps, No. 2 1/2 can		10c
SUGAR	10-lb. Paper Bag49
HOMINY, White Swan, No. 2 1/2 can		10c
BLACKBERRIES, No. 2 can		10c
TOMATO JUICE, Swifts, 50-oz. can		20c
DATES, pitted 2-lb. package		25c
SHORTENING	Swifts Jewell, 8-lb car. 79c; 4-lb. carton40
SUGAR, C. and H. or Domino Cane, 25 lbs.		\$1.25
HONEY, Colorado Extracted, gallon		\$1.00
CHERRIES, Red Pitted, gallon65c
MILK	Pet or Carnation, 7 small cans25
JOWL MEAT, fine for seasoning, lb.		12c
BACON, Pinkney Slab, pound		23c
BOLOGNA, pure meat, 2 lbs.		25c