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Bronchos Open Conference Football Race At College Field Friday Night

WILL TANGLE WITH LAKEVIEW EAGLES AT COLLEGE PARK

PONIES FAVORED BUT HARD GAME EXPECTED, POSSIBLE UPSET ALSO PREDICTED

With two early season games packed away safely in their war bags, the Clarendon High School Bronchos are tightening their belts today for the opening of their conference race with the Lakeview Eagles at College Field tomorrow night.

The Bronchos benefitted materially from the clashes with Claude and Quitaque and with no injuries reported. Coaches Emil Hutto and O. C. Warden will be able to put the full strength of the Ponies into the fray Friday night.

The Bronchos should begin rolling with full steam this week after the early season rough spots have been smoothed out by their first games. Head coach Emil Hutto will probably start his No. 1 boys who have opened so far this year.

Already tasting the dregs of the district's dungeon, the Lakeview club promises to be aiming at retaliation Friday night. The boys from Hall county will have outgrown some of the early season's fright and will be battling for one of their few conference chances. Should the Bronchos have the game won before the first whistle blows, things may turn out darkly for the local lads.

Officials today reported a brisk ticket sale and a banner crowd is expected to see the Bronchos bid for a clean start in the loop play. The tickets are 50c for adults and 25c for students.

ELMER PALMER IS INJURED IN AUTO WRECK MONDAY

COLLISION OCCURS NEAR CLAUDE AS CLARENDON MAN IS RETURNING HERE

Elmer Palmer, employee of the Palmer Motor Company in Clarendon, was painfully injured Sunday night in an automobile collision six miles east of Claude on Highway 370.

Physicians reported a fractured knee.

According to information from the Palmer Motor Company, Elmer Palmer was returning to Clarendon from Amarillo in the company's wrecker after delivering a car. Both automobiles were badly damaged in the accident which occurred about 7:45 o'clock.

A. G. Ray, Amarillo, was reported in a critical condition in an Amarillo hospital after the wreck. Ray is a magazine route manager and was returning to Amarillo.

Palmer was not confined to a hospital and left Clarendon Tuesday morning on a business trip to Oklahoma City.

COMMISSION WINS RATE CASE FOR TEXAS TOWNS

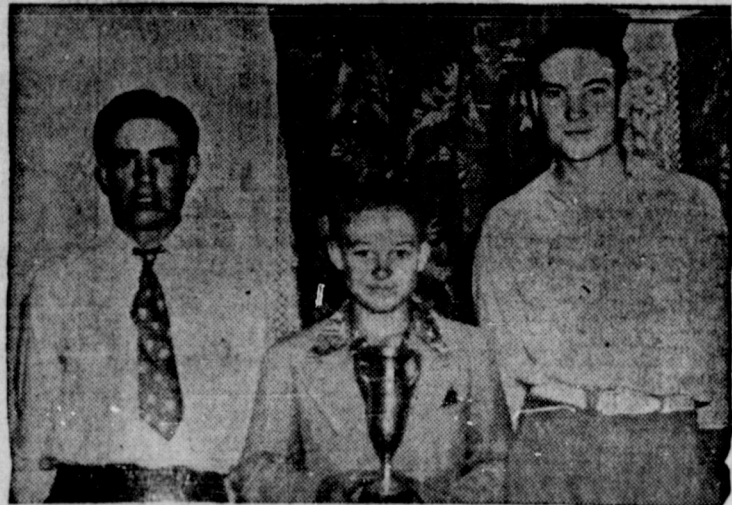
AUSTIN, Sept. 27.—The Texas Railroad Commission was victorious in a natural gas rate case here Monday when District Judge Ralph Yarborough declared their order calling for a rate reduction in Canadian, Booker, Perryton, Wakar, Farnsworth, Glazier and Higgins valid and granted an injunction for its enforcement.

The commission was attempting to force the Public Service cooperation of Texas to accept a rate of 27 cents per thousand cubic feet.

PARITY CHECKS RECEIVED

Twenty-seven cotton parity checks were received here Monday totaling \$1,502.87. The checks brought the total received here to over \$56,000.

Clarendon F. F. A. Champions



These three Clarendon F. F. A. members captured first place in the Tri-State fair poultry judging contest in Amarillo last week to mark the second consecutive year for the local chapter to win the award. Left to right, they are, Junior Spier, Carl Morris, Jr., and Horace Green. Spier and Green also had individual honors being high in placing of the fowls in the judging contest. The local trio out-pointed Tulia, Estelline, White Deer, and Pampa in the order named.

FSA Warns Farmers To Prepare To Fight Drouth Onslaught

Farmers who are following a balanced plan of operation are in a much better position to withstand the onslaught of a drouth which is spreading into many large areas over the Great Plains region, according to L. H. Hauter, regional director of the Farm Security Administration with headquarters at Amarillo.

"Those farmers," Mr. Hauter said, "who are dividing their operations into various sources of income have experienced the fastest recovery from the last period of crop failures and depressed prices for farm products. It is reasonable to assume that those families having more than one source of income will fare better than those who are dependent on a one-cropping system."

Emergency conditions were reported in parts of Colorado, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, the Panhandle-Plains area in Texas and in several counties in New Mexico. Several counties in South eastern Colorado, especially along the Kansas line, were said to be in a severe condition.

Because of the drouth, a Kansas area recently suffered one of the worst dust storms in three years.

In the Panhandle-Plains area of Texas the drouth was said to be seriously affecting farmers in Swisher, Hale, Donley, Cottle, Collingsworth, Cochran, Childress and Briscoe counties.

Rex B. Baxter, director of the FSA program in West Texas, said crops in these counties would be shorter than in 1935. He said 90 per cent of the farmers in Cottle, Childress, Donley and Collingsworth counties will have to start buying feed soon.

Applications from farmers for loans and work grants from the FSA showed an increase in August over July in practically all affected counties, according to officials of the regional FSA office at Amarillo.

The total number of families working with FSA in the eight drouth-stricken counties in Texas is 1,790.

MRS. SAM BRASWELL, JR. HAS EMERGENCY OPERATION AT KERVILLE

Mrs. Sam Braswell, Jr., underwent an emergency appendectomy at a Kerville hospital, Thursday evening of last week, according to a wire received here Friday morning by the News editor.

Later advices say Mrs. Braswell's condition is satisfactory and an early recovery is indicated.

FILLING STATION IS NEARLY COMPLETED

The Brumley and Rundell service station is nearing completion this week and although business is being conducted as usual, a formal opening is expected within the next few days, H. C. Brumley said today.

The station will continue to sell Panhandle gasoline and oil and carry a full line of automobile accessories.

Porter Appointed City Attorney

Mayor T. F. Connally today announced the appointment of J. R. Porter as city attorney of Clarendon.

Porter, one time county judge and a leading attorney of this section, will be in charge of all legal matters for the city, Connally said.

The Mayor complimented the city commission upon their choice of attorney saying he was sure Porter would unselfishly devote much time to the welfare of the city.

LOCAL BOWLERS SPLIT INTER-CITY MATCHES

AMARILLO MIXED TEAM DROPS CLARENDON; AND MEMPHIS LOSES

Clarendon bowlers have been active during the past few days splitting two inter-city matches.

The locals dropped a contest to a mixed team from the Mann Bakery, Amarillo, Monday night after taking a Memphis three-zero last Saturday night.

Playing for Clarendon against Amarillo's three women and two men Monday Dude Gentry, E. C. Hill, Carroll Hudson, Everett Johnson and Bill Mears lost the first game 691 against 758, took the second with 806 against 774 and were short 792 to 835 in the final tilt.

Gentry, Mears and George Eanes beat the Memphis trio Saturday night.

The Mann Bakery team will return for a second engagement soon, according to Mike Stricklin, local alley manager.

DONLEY COUNTY SINGING CONVENTION TO BE HELD AT HUDGINS, OCTOBER 1

The Donley County Singing Convention will meet at Hudgins Sunday, October 1, it was announced today.

The convention will be held all day and everyone is requested to bring a lunch basket, the announcement said.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Payne, Tuesday, a girl. Mr. Payne is a teacher in the Clarendon schools.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Poole of Chillicothe were here Tuesday afternoon of this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Allensworth. Mrs. Stewart is the niece of Mrs. Poole.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wright and Mrs. Elvis Burch were in Amarillo Monday where Guy underwent a minor eye operation.

Bronchos Smother Quitaque Cats 34 - 0 In Season's Second Game At College Field Friday Night

Featuring smashing blocking, power and speed, the Clarendon High School Bronchos took their second game of the season Friday night by smothering the Quitaque Cats 34 to 0 at College Field.

The game was never in doubt from the time Barley Boyd Allison crossed the double lines in the first quarter until Johnny Grady got a one-way 75-yard ticket in the last chucker.

The Bronchos counted in every frame marking up two in the first one in the second, one in the third and one in the fourth. Captain Colie Huffman's goal kicking toe had a 500 percentage booting three out of six attempts.

The bruising Clarendon center ranned one pointers home in the first, one in the second and one in the third. The last aftermarker came by way of a fluke in the fourth when Huffman's placement was blocked and Hartzog scooped up the ball and jaunted over the lines.

Allison drew first blood in the opening quartet when he smashed over from the one yard line. The big Bronco back set the counter up with a toss from the Quitaque 35 to Junior Spier who got to the cross bar shadow before being pulled down. Huffman's kick was good for the extra figure.

Pete Morrow clicked off twenty yards around left end for the second Bronco tally and the period ended Clarendon 13, Quitaque 0.

The Ponies got a nice break in the third when Latham, Quitaque speedy back intercepted a Bronco pass on his own 25 and then dropped the ball after a few strides. Clarendon recovered but the Cats stiffened and took over on downs.

Following Quitaque's punt out to the Clarendon 46 the Bronchos scored again. Allison faded back to the Cat 35-yard stripe and chunked a pass to Carlton Gordon who took it on the fifteen and crossed over the final line. Huffman split the uprights and that ended the first half scoring at 20 to 0.

Johnny Grady came into his own in the last half to count in the third and fourth periods on wiggling runs.

Bulls recovered a Cat fumble on the Quitaque 25-yard line in

the third. Grady got 6 yards at right tackle, Morrow lost three at left tackle and then the Broncos ganged up to spring the little Grady around the endman for a 22-yard touchdown run.

The play was repeated in the fourth but Grady had to go much farther under more difficulties. The blocking line and interference got him past the line in splendid shape but he was on his own after a five yard advance. The Clarendon speed merchant was near the right sideline and was in a spot for the Cat secondary with the safety crowding him to the boundary stripe and other defenders coming up fast to make the tackle when the Bronco sprinter had to slow to make the reverse. It was no dice for the Cats, however, as Grady's change of pace was perfect and although he was thrown off balance by the attempted tackles he regained his stride and safely away for the touchdown and the season's longest run.

The lineups: Clarendon—Gordon and Spier, ends, Hermesmeyer and Lumpkin tackles; Gibbs and Bulls, guards; Huffman, center; Melton, Quarterback; Morrow and Hartzog Halfbacks; Allison, fullback.

Quitaque—Anderson and W. Lee, ends; E. Patrick and W. Patrick tackles; C. Lee center; Drake, quarterback; Hamms and King, halfbacks; Latham, fullback.

Clarendon substitutes—Grady, Johnson, Reeves, B. Grehar, R. Grehar, McCrary, Cobb, Goodman, McWhorter, Adamson.

Quitaque substitutes—C. Bass, Griggs, A. Anderson, Sachie.

Game At A Glance

Clarendon	Quitaque
9 first downs	3
233 yards gained rushing	126
2 yards lost rushing	10
75 yards gained passing	19
0 yards lost passing	36
8 passes attempted	5
3 passes completed	1
3 Passes intercepted by	2
0 penalties	1
0 Yd's lost penalties	5
3 fumbles	4
2 fumbles recovered	4
2 punts	4
39 Average Punts	42
14 yds. punts returned	16
0 punts blocked	1

REVIVAL CLOSED AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY

TWO WEEKS REVIVAL BRINGS ADDITIONS AND INTEREST TO CHURCH

Sunday night's service marked the close of a two weeks' revival campaign at the First Methodist Church, and in that service additions to the church brought the total to nine for the meeting.

Four were by letter from other churches, and five by profession of faith. Several other additions to the church are expected at next Sunday's services.

Rev. G. T. Palmer, district superintendent of Clarendon District, did the preaching, except for a few services when his duties called him out of the city, on which occasions Dr. G. S. Hardy and the Pastor, Rev. H. C. Gordon, preached. The preaching of the series of services was of an unusually high order, according to officials of the church.

In speaking of the campaign, Rev. H. C. Gordon said "The revival was of deep spiritual benefit to our congregation, and while the results were not as large as we had hoped, we are certain that the meeting was a success in every way."

A free-will offering of \$100 was given by the congregation to Rev. G. T. Palmer for his fine services, which he accepted with the stipulation that that sum should apply on his salary from the Clarendon church.

Miss Mildred Martin, former local resident and for several months connected with the FSA here, visited in Clarendon this week.

COUNTY BOOTH AT LUBBOCK, STATE FAIR NEXT STEP

GAME PRESERVATION IS FEATURES IN EXHIBIT BY BREEDLOVE, GILLHAM

County Agent, H. M. Breedlove is at the Lubbock County Fair, in Lubbock, this week with the Donley County booth exhibit which took many first ribbons at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo last week.

The booth features work of the extension service in game preservation with the background a quail and star made of grains produced in Donley county. A small miniature quail natural habitat is reproduced at the rear of the booth.

Following the Lubbock showing, the booth will be taken to Dallas for the State fair by J. R. Gillham who cooperated with Breedlove in making the booth.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lenode Goldston in Houston Friday, a boy. Mr. and Mrs. Goldston are former Clarendon residents and Mrs. Goldston was Miss Ada Benson before her marriage.

TRANSFERRED

W. J. Gregg with the U. S. Re-forestry service in Clarendon for the past several months has been transferred to Wellington and D. S. Miller, formerly of Wellington, is with the service in Clarendon, it was learned this week.

Miss Mildred Allen was an Amarillo visitor, Monday

DONLEY FARMERS START FILLING TRENCH SILOS

MANY FARMERS REALIZE IMPORTANCE OF PITS FOR FEED STORAGE

By H. M. BREEDLOVE (County Agent)

Farmers in Donley County are just beginning to dig new trench silos and to replenish silos that have already been used up.

This week J. W. Sullivan, Charlie Hearn and John Bugbee are filling trench silos. These farmers have pits sufficient to hold 100 tons of silage dug for the very low cost of \$15.00 per silo.

This is a cheap way to store feed as compared to the upright silo which would cost from between \$250. to \$300 to store the same amount of feed. W. C. Bridges of the Hedley community reports today that his silos are filled and that he is ready to feed his livestock a good succulent feed during the cold winter months.

Forrest Sawyer of Clarendon will fill his silos in the very near future. Mr. Sawyer's silos are the largest in Donley County and holds between 250 to 300 tons. All persons wishing to see silage put up in silos will be welcome to visit any of these men while they are filling their silos.

NEWS CLASSIFIED GETS QUICK RESULTS

Two weeks ago the News editor lost his Lions Club Key—one of the earliest to come to Texas and the 168th to be issued in the entire International territory—and inserted a small classified ad asking for its return if found. The first of this week J. D. Garrison came to the News office with the Key having found it near the Postoffice, but not knowing what it was until he saw the ad in the News. Thanks, Mr. Garrison.

NO ONE INJURED IN COLLISION TUESDAY NIGHT

Two cars were damaged but no one was injured in an automobile accident one mile east of Clarendon at 6:30 Tuesday night.

Involved in the wreck were Robert Hampton, Clarendon wrecker yard proprietor and Robert C. Welch of Cincinnati, Ohio.

The accident occurred when the automobile driven by Hampton was struck by the Welch car as Hampton attempted to make a U turn on the pavement, according to Sheriff Guy Pierce who investigated the collision. Both cars were traveling east.

Pierce quoted Hampton as saying that he had pulled off the pavement and was turning back on the asphalt, after an arm signal, when the accident happened.

OPERA HOUSE TO KEEP MODERN BY FACE LIFTING

BUILDING ERECTED IN 1901 WHEN LOCAL GENTRY WORE FULL DRESS

Built around 1900 when the Clarendon gentry donned full dress suits and evening gowns to attend operatic stage shows, the Clarendon Opera House is this week having its face lifted to keep pace with fast tempo music as the younger generation glide across its still sleek floors on intermittent dance nights.

Stucco will replace the tin wall of the entire north exposure and most of the hall's front. New paint will be applied to the part not to be stuccoed. All windows have been refitted and painted a bright green.

LIONS PROGRAM THEME IS CLUB ATTENDANCE

GROUP HEARS OF SCHOOL PROPERTY IMPROVEMENT AND OPEN HOUSE

Tuesday's program theme of the Clarendon Lions Club in weekly luncheon at the Hotel Clarendon, revolved around club attendance and Lion Roy Bartlett chairman of the attendance committee for the year, gave a most interesting and logical discussion of the matter so vital to success of the organization.

Following an invitation from Lion Burton, local school superintendent, to the members to attend an open-house Thursday afternoon to view the completed renovation and improvement of the local school property, under the auspices of the WPA at a great financial saving to the district, comment was made on the lack of appreciation of the local schools, and a most urgent seconding of Lion Burton's invitation to take the time Thursday afternoon to inspect what splendid condition the school buildings were now in. Lion Bartlett suggested that local citizens should be better informed about their school and more appreciative of the facilities offered here as one of Clarendon's chief assets. Lion Drennan suggested that a closer contact of patrons with the teaching staff would mean a better school here.

Announcement was made of the Broncho-Lakeview football game here Friday evening at College Park, being the first conference game of the season.

Lion Gillham made a brief summary of the victories of the county groups at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo last week, saying that the county exhibit was likely the finest exhibit Donley had ever shown at the regional fair, which drew applause from the club members.

DONLEY TO HAVE 40 MORE MILES OF SHELTERBELT

320,000 TREES SLATED TO BE PLANTED HERE DURING THIS SEASON

Approximately 320,000 trees will be planted in 40 miles of shelterbelt in Donley County this season, R. B. Morgan, district officer of the U. S. re-forestry service from Shamrock said Tuesday.

A shelterbelt mile, Morgan explained, consists of ten rows of trees 10 feet apart extending a mile in length.

Eighty miles of shelterbelt trees were planted in Donley County last season, the officer said, and growth has been exceptionally well. The current drouth has greatly affected only those in weed patches, he added.

Donley County is in the Shamrock district which includes Collingsworth, Gray, Hemphill and Wheeler. Two-hundred and five miles of seventeen varieties of trees have been planted in the district.

JOAN TAYLOR DIES ONE DAY BEFORE 2ND BIRTHDAY

One day before her second birthday, Joan Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Taylor of west Clarendon, died after a long illness, Monday, September 25.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Clarendon Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the Rev. J. Perry King officiated.

The child was born September 24, 1937 and became ill last month. She received medical treatment first on August 25. Burial was in the Citizens Cemetery with Buntin and Son funeral directors in charge.

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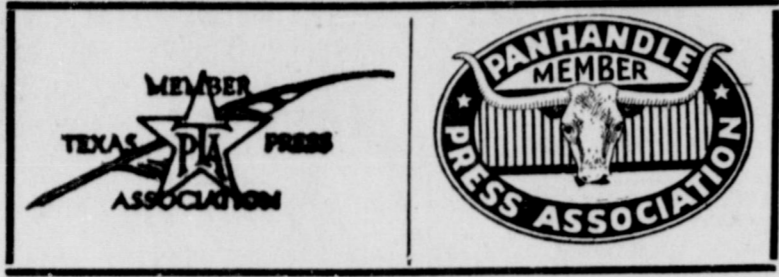
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ROOMS NEEDED FOR VISITING SINGERS

The announcement of the need for two hundred rooms here on the night of October 7th, for official delegates to the Oklahoma-Texas District Singing Convention puts the matter of entertainment squarely up to the Clarendon citizens.

The coming of official delegates, along with six or seven thousand song enthusiasts to Clarendon is an event any city would be happy to welcome, and The News hopes our people will see that the needed housing for the one night is promptly offered, and all other little courtesies for the pleasant entertainment of our guests will be taken care of.

Occasionally one hears the thought expressed that in matters of city-wide import, the private citizen has little opportunity to do his bit. Here's a very present, a very real opportunity to do a big part in making a convention in Clarendon a splendid success—a convention that is away beyond a small town affair.

200 rooms are needed for one night—your co-operation is heartily solicited!

THE BEST WAY TO STAY OUT OF WAR

Many weeks ago The News declared that Congress should have heeded President Roosevelt's plan of repealing our now archaic neutrality laws to fit a mad, modern world situation. Rapid developments of actual warfare in Europe and new national alignments over there, have brought striking proof that we play into the hands of the worst enemies of Democracy by retaining what was a fair neutrality practice of years gone by.

The News hopes Congress will not long delay in its special session to remedy this deficiency, for we believe every weight of argument lies on the side of a "cash and carry" plan, if we are to stay out of war. Editor Peter Molyneux, in his pungent Texas Weekly, last week presented what to us appears the logical, unbiased viewpoint for the repeal of the outmoded neutrality law and the new methods which fit new conditions. We ought to stay out of war, and Mr. Molyneux so argues, as he reasons: . . . "Repeal of the embargo, therefore, would increase our chances of keeping out of war.

"A fact, not a theory, is what we are facing in this connection. The deep feeling of the American people with respect to the struggle now going on in the world is a stupendous fact, which cannot be argued away. It is quite as much a stupendous fact as the present feeling of the American people that we must keep out of the war. We say the "present" feeling, because the feeling that we must keep out of the war could change. For it is a mistake to think that the determination of the American people to keep out of war is a determination to keep out regardless of what happens. The average American does not believe in "peace at any price". He believes in peace, and he wants the United States to stay out of war. But at the same time, the average American wants to see Hitlerism destroyed. He desires, therefore, that England and France shall succeed in destroying it. Let there be no mistake about that. The genuinely neutral sentiment in this country is very small, and the sentiment in favor of Hitler or against England and France in the struggle is negligible. An overwhelming majority of the American people want England and France to win the war, and they want this chiefly because they want to see Hitlerism crushed. That is something that will not change as the war continues. On the contrary, that feeling is likely to grow in intensity, to become deeper, if the war is prolonged. In any event, that feeling will not change. And it is quite as much a stupendous fact as the present feeling that the United States must stay out of the war. It is a more stupendous fact in the sense that it will not change, but is likely to become deeper. It is already a much deeper feeling than the desire to stay out of the war. And for that reason the feeling that we must stay out of the war might change. It is very likely to change if it comes into conflict with the deeper feeling that Hitlerism must be crushed. If it should begin to appear that there is real danger that England and France will be crushed instead, that Hitlerism will triumph, the desire to stay out of the war will grow weaker and weaker in the face of this stronger feeling. There can be no mistake about that. For already the feeling that Hitlerism must be crushed, the desire for England and France to win the war, is deeper than the feeling that we must stay out of the war. And the feeling that Hitlerism must be crushed will not change. Is it not clear, in the face of this situation, that those who desire the United States to stay out of the war and who do not want to see that feeling change, should support the President's proposal to repeal the arms embargo? We think so. We think moreover, that repeal of the arms embargo would lessen the tension in this country greatly and would give to many Americans the feeling that the United States is doing all it ought to do to help in the crushing of Hitlerism. For this reason, we think that the gentlemen who are preparing to do everything in their power to delay the repeal of the embargo will thus be increasing the chances that the United States will enter the war as a belligerent. There is only one power that can

JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"I Always Discourage Beggars!"
"Then Give Me an Egg an' I'll Beat It!"

put the United States in the war. It is the power of American public sentiment. When it is aroused, nothing can stop it. That is why the gentlemen who are preparing to delay the repeal of the embargo are playing with fire.

"The President's example in adopting a moderate tone and in appealing to reason rather than emotion ought to be followed by the gentlemen of Congress on both sides of this question, but we greatly fear it will not be followed. Already dispatches from Washington quote some unnamed member of Congress, "an administration supporter", as saying that Hitler and Stalin have each "ordered" their supporters in this country to oppose repeal of the embargo. If there is actual evidence in the possession of the Government that anything of this kind has happened, surely it has the means of dealing with it effectively, of stopping it, and making it public officially in a way not calculated to inflame public opinion. It should not be circulated as an unconfirmed report or attributed to anonymous "authorities". And certainly those who oppose repeal of the embargo should not be branded as working in the interest of Hitler and Stalin. The President said he ascribed honorable motives to those who disagree with him, and asked that similar motives be conceded to the supporters of repeal. Let us hope that this is not a sample of the kind of arguments we shall be hearing in Congress in the immediate future. Let's have full debate on the merits of the policies involved, and then settle the matter in true American fashion."

MORE COTTON IN DONLEY THAN SOME THINK

In spite of the continued dry, hot weather during most of September, Donley County will gather and sell as much cotton as it did last year. This is the opinion of several of the best posted men on cotton production in the county—men who are conservative in their judgement.

The News believes this estimate for the county is correct and that Donley generally is better off than it was a year ago.

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

AUSTIN — The real test of the popularity of W. Lee O'Daniel with the voters of Texas, about which there has been much speculation and conjecture, probably will be cleared up during the next few months, political observers here believe, as they prepared to watch for the first reaction to a wholesale slash in pension payments. The State Welfare Board, in an all-day session during which its members futilely sought some way to avoid the pension cut, announced that a \$6 horizontal slash will be made in October payments. This means that at least 1500 pensioners who have been receiving less than \$6 monthly, will be cut entirely from the rolls; those receiving \$15 will be cut to \$8, etc. It may also remove additional hundreds, if the board carries out a policy it has heretofore followed, of issuing no check for less than \$5. In other words, if a pensioner has been getting \$9 for instance, the cut will reduce him to \$3, and the board has been granting at least \$5, or nothing. So if this plan is continued, it may remove many hundreds of additional beneficiaries.

Pensions In A Mess

The pension set-up is in a fairly terrible state all around. The Board, under an act of the last legislature, had to begin payments of approximately \$200,000 a month to a group of Dallas banks, repaying money borrowed for pension purposes. This \$200,000 has been matched by the Federal government, so the total reduction of revenues will be \$400,000 a month. Meanwhile, the pension roll, which for October will be about \$119,000 will be steadily increased, as the work for investigating thousands upon thousands of new applicants, who sought relief under the "liberalized" law, can be completed.

Meanwhile, due to the fact the pension investigation section has been continuously understaffed since 1936, there are literally thousands of new applications, as well as more thousands of re-investigations, which remain to be made. The Federal Social Security Board has been tightening up on its requirements, and now insists that all pensioners on the rolls be re-investigated at least once a year. Many Texas pensioners have never been re-investigated since they originally began receiving aid in 1936. Typical of this situation is one Central Texas county. Five hundred persons in that county are receiving pensions, and must be re-investigated before the Federal auditor gets around again, or the State will lose Federal aid

on these cases. In addition, 300 new applications have been made under the liberalized law, and have not yet been checked. New applications in that county come in at an average rate of 80 per month, to swell the total job that is being done by two investigators, who cannot handle more than 100 cases per month. This is a thrifty German county, where the ration of pension-seekers is supposed to be below normal. A worse condition probably prevails in many other counties.

Those Promises Haunt W. Lee

Gov. O'Daniel promised elimination of investigators. He promised everybody \$30 a month, later cutting this promise in half, to \$15 a month. He promised a liberalized law. He got the latter. Today, there are more investigators on the payroll than ever before, and informed persons admit the present staff simply cannot handle the job and meet the rigid Federal requirements, necessary to get Federal aid. The average pension payment drops in October from \$14.24 in September to \$8.24 for October, with prospects of further cuts during the next few months, as the rolls grow longer under the liberal law.

Whether O'Daniel, who has firmly rejected all suggestions for a revenue-raising special session, can resist the pressure which the politicians feel certain will commence immediately among the pensioners—the group which gave him his greatest strength in his election—is the question being asked here. The large cooperate and special interests which backed O'Daniel's

sponsorship of a sales tax to pay pensions—written into the constitution to protect them against increases—are bitterly opposed to a special session, because a constitutional amendment cannot be acted upon except at a regular session. So far, O'Daniel has heeded their pleas for no special session. But Austin observers, having seen the Governor change his mind often and quickly in the past, feel that such a change will come as soon as he sees a definite threat to his re-election in the dissatisfaction of the pension seekers. The best informed here believe a special session must come before the campaign opens up next Spring.

Thompson Campaigning

Meanwhile, Ernest Thompson, railroad commissioner and runner-up in the Governor's race last year, is making hay of his proposal for a 5-cent tax on oil to raise pension money. Thompson this week end spoke to county officials of Texas, meeting in Temple and urged his "nickle for Grandma" program, asking the county officials to help him get the folks behind it. Jerry Sadler, railroad commissioner, also issued one of his hasty statements declaring unless O'Daniel abandoned his sales tax idea, and adopted "something like an omnibus tax program" to raise pension revenue, Sadler himself would enter the race for governor. In Austin, however, Sadler's statement was not taken very seriously, as the fiery East Texan has been known to talk hastily before, and changed his mind next day.

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The Farm Is Still The Best Poultry Yard

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

We have seen numerous spectacular inventions and high-pressure methods in every sort of farm activity, among the latest of which is the battery system of poultry production, by which a thousand pullets could be raised and kept as laying hens in a city back yard. One of our turkey-raising friends who had made a reputation as a breeder on his farm, went into the battery system of turkey raising some years ago, and proudly invited the writer out to see his skyscraper coops. Every ounce of food was scientifically mixed and carried to the poult, the droppings and litter cleaned up and carted away. Being somewhat old-fashioned in our allegiance to nature's own ways, we couldn't help wondering if cod liver oil in the feed would be as good as sunshine and whether the investment in coops and labor wouldn't have been better spread over more acres, where a turkey could live a turkey's life.

We never did learn why our friend soon afterward disappeared from the turkey world. Perhaps we now have the answer. The Texas Experiment Station went to a great deal of trouble and expense to compare results in raising turkeys by the battery system and by the out-door, or what we like to think of as the "natural" system. They found that more of the poult could be kept alive by the battery system but that the weaklings, thus artificially protected in early life, were never profitable in the long run.

To turn it around another way, young turkeys raised out of doors showed greater loss by death during the first few weeks than those in the batteries. They died before they had cost much and those which survived by superior vitality and resistance, were the sort that made the most of their future life.

In recent years Southwestern turkey raisers have been met in the northern markets by com-

petition from huge "turkey factories" on the west coast. They have hurt our markets, not by cheaper production costs, but by a better finish on the birds they send to market. Farmers who use nature's own methods and take proper sanitary precautions, supplement farm feeds with the necessary elements to balance the ration, and "pour the grain to them"—the market turkeys for the last seven or eight weeks before marketing time, need have no fear of the competition from the "turkey-factory" which has had so much publicity lately.

There was a fellow at Los Angeles years ago who developed a back-yard, battery system for hens. It was a typical promoter's set-up. The Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce gave him a spot on its weekly program as an aid to selling suburban half-acre homesites twenty to forty miles out. A Texas group paid this promoter to come here and explain his system, and sold some suburban homesites with the idea that the hens would make the payments. The promoters made plenty of money but the enthusiastic would-be egg-producers seldom did. In the meantime the good old farm hen kept on supplying the market, year in and year out.

Now the specialized poultry farm is an admirable institution, in the hands of the right man, and under certain conditions. We have no fault to find with it. Even the highly artificial "battery system" may have its place.

The one point which should be remembered is that out-doors, on the farm, is the natural habitat of all sorts of poultry, and with ordinary care and good judgement the farm flock will continue to be the mainstay and the most profitable form of poultry production, for either meat or eggs.

This does not mean "letting nature take its course." It only means working in cooperation with natural forces and condi-

Clarendon F. F. A. Chapter Wins \$300 in Premiums At Tri-State Fair - Plans Made for Dallas

By Chapter Reporter
Twenty-two Clarendon F. F. A. youths took 216 chickens, 15 pigs and a booth to Amarillo for the Tri-State Fair and brought back over \$300 in premium money. They won the county premium on poultry for the fifth consecutive year.

Last year the chapter won \$1,408 in cash premiums and with the start made at Amarillo this year, they expect to exceed that amount in 1939-40. The poultry premiums at Amarillo totaled \$225; booth \$16 with the pigs bringing up the balance.

At least 150 chickens will be entered from Clarendon at the state fair in Dallas next month. With eighty-two birds bringing many ribbons and cash prizes in 1938, members expect a larger winning in the current show.

Carl Morris, Maschil Cole, Bill Alexander, Junior Spier, Wilson Rector, Frank Cannon, and Russell Morris are among the chapter members expected to send fowls to the exhibit while Sam Tankersly, William Jordan and Roy Stewart, Donley farmers, will also have entries.

PIG SHOW TO BE LARGEST FALL EXHIBIT EVER HELD

Entries indicate that the annual fall pig show, October 7, will attract the largest entry list ever exhibited in Donley County. Approximately 150 animals will be entered in the show, it is believed.

Durocs, Hampshires, Poland-Chinas, Spotted Poland-Chinas, and Chester Whites will be exhibited by Cecil Heckman, Carl Morris, Russell Morris, Frank Cannon, Horace Green, Maschil Cole, Joe Williams, Junior Spier, Bill Alexander, Johnny Phelan, Howard Gibbs, Ray Bulls, Roy Bulls, Lee Christie, Pete Morrow, Wilson Rector, Peabody brothers, Sneed, Johnson and other 4-H and F.F.A. boys.

The outstanding pigs will be taken to the State Fair in Dallas.

GREENHANDS INITIATED IN F. F. A. CHAPTER

Fifteen greenhands were initiated into the Clarendon F.F.A. chapter, Thursday, September 21, in the regular meeting at the chapter room.

Boys initiated were Lester Bell, Jimmy Goodman, H. A. Harrison, Redell Henson, C. G. Khrkland, Bobby Marshall, J. M. Peabody, Bobby Harold Smith, Billy Smith, Charles Smith, Woodie Spencer, Obra Spier, William Sullivan, Billy Thornberry and J. F. White.

O'DANIEL WANTS \$6 PENSION CUT PAID BY PUBLIC

ASKS ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR OPINION ON PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTION PLAN

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel said this week that he would not convene the legislature to help pensioners whose checks would be cut to \$6 in October, but that he will try to aid them through a public subscription drive.

The cut is necessary because the last legislature ordered that repayment of pension loans, aggregating \$2,230,000, from current revenues must start in October. O'Daniel throughout the last session urged a transaction tax for old age pensions and this week blamed professional politicians and newspapers for beating him.

His plan now is to get Texans to subscribe \$2,230,000 and has asked Attorney General Gerald Mann to say whether the plan can be legally carried out.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson of Memphis visited their son L. E. Thompson, Monday.

tions. Neither poultry raising nor any other farm enterprise will be profitable without intelligent application of known principles of sanitation, feeding, preparation for market, and selling. But the farmer and his family can beat the "factory" system if they want to.

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LIQUOR REVENUES EXCEED \$800,000 DURING AUGUST

Liquor revenues for August totaled \$866,885.23 when renewal of permits brought in state fees amounting to \$394,674.35. This represented an increase of approximately \$30,000.00 in fees over the amount collected in the same period last year.

The sale of liquor, wine and beer stamps also showed gains in August as compared with the same period of 1938. Liquor stamp sales were up to \$235,796.40 as against \$202,470.92; wine stamps were \$17,692.68 as compared with \$14,927.48; and beer stamps amounted to \$192,937.35 as against \$190,627.23.

Tabulation of liquor permit renewals by classes was not immediately available, but there were 801 beer licenses issued during the month.

There were 269 hearings conducted by the Liquor Control Board during August resulting in 120 cancellations, 97 suspensions and seven refusals.

HEDLEY

Geraldine Riley, who is attending Clarendon Junior College, spent the week-end with Mrs. Thelma Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Masten were in Clarendon on business, Saturday morning.

Miss Loyce Mae Lowery went to Wellington last week where she is employed.

Miss Zella Grigsby visited with her parents at Quail Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Hightower of Wellington and Mrs. Ruth Middleton of Memphis visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Edd McQueen, last week.

The Junior Study Club met with Mrs. Ray Moreman last week, with nine members and one guest present. The program was a discussion of international relations.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fowlkes and children of Hudgins visited here Saturday. They are former Hed-

ley residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitfield visited in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Si Woods of Amarillo have just returned from a trip to San Francisco. Mrs. Woods was formerly Miss Pauline Pickett.

Bob Pickett recently underwent an appendectomy and a tonsilectomy in the San Diego Naval Hospital. He is recovering nicely and will return to his ship this week.

Mrs. Tom Wilson and Mrs. Zeb Mitchell made a trip to Amarillo one day last week.

C. E. Hunsucker and family spent the week-end in Amarillo.

Mrs. Harry Womack and Mrs. John Mitchell spent Wednesday in Wellington.

Among those attending the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo last week were Rev. I. E. Biggs and

family, Misses Ola and Eula Curd, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dudley and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rains and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Adamson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moreman, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mann. Many other Hedley people also attended the fair.

Miss Edith Burnam of Amarillo visited her father, this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Skiles of Amarillo were here visiting with friends over the week end. Mr. Skiles is associated with the Finkley Jewelry Company in Amarillo.

Bill Bell of Los Vegas spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bell.

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POST TOASTIES, pkg.	10c
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PEANUT BUTTER, quart	25c
MEAL, Quaker, package	8c
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AUSTIN — (Special)—Out-of-State hunters who purchase 12 resident hunting licenses during the last two years are the object of a quiet investigation started by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission recently. The campaign to save Texas game for Texans or force out-of-state sportsmen to pay in proportion for the game they get through the purchasing of a \$25 license, as the law directs, is beginning to bear fruit, according to the executive secretary of the Game Department.

All persons who hunted on any of the 1,400 licensed game preserves in the state the last two seasons are being checked and the commission has already been able to file charges against many out-of-state residents. Some of these illegal hunters have been taking their limit of deer or turkeys on one shooting

preserve, shipped it out of the state and then going on to another preserve to get more, the executive secretary pointed out.

If they shipped game out of the state, the Federal government can bring them back to Texas under the terms of the Lacey Act, which regulates interstate shipment of wild game. Under that act, they can be made to pay a maximum fine of \$1,000 and serve six months in jail. The game Department can also prosecute them. The maximum fine under state law is \$200.

Despite a drought which reduced the range, deer are going to be plentiful and in good shape when the hunting season rolls around November 16, early reports to the Executive Secretary of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission indicate.

Deer are increasing annually in the Lone Star State. In fact, their numbers are so large in some sections that there would have been a shortage of food for them even had there been no drought. This condition has existed over a period of several years and Game Department biologists, after considerable research have reached the conclusion that the deficiency of food has brought about smaller deer. Many persons had expressed the belief that inbreeding was the cause.

Deer are afflicted with several diseases and are victims of ticks, but investigations being carried on by the Game Department biologists indicate that malnutrition is the cause of most of the deaths to Texas deer, although it was believed by many that ticks were the direct cause of fatalities.

All in all, and in spite of the drought, deer appear to be in excellent health this fall and are spreading into several counties in the State which had not raised them for many, many years.

Fighting to keep the waters of the State as free from pollution as possible and having limited facilities, the Game Department collected a total of \$4,385 in fines during 1937-38, it is reported by the Department's director of anti-pollution.

The Department's campaign to get oil companies to return the salt water their wells produce to the ground is gaining steady headway, the director announced. More than a dozen companies are now following that practice. When all of them adopt the plan, Texas will have more fish in its streams, the director pointed out.

Sportsmen in most regions of Texas are taking advantage of a bumper crop of doves this season and early indications are that the Lone Star State's nimrods who thrill at following a good dog are going to have better quail hunting than in a number of years.

Reports to the Executive Secretary of the Game department from many sections bear out that statement. Farmers are reporting more quail than in years.

Albinos continue to show up in Texas. The latest is a snow-white skunk which has been seen by several persons in crockett county, the State Game Warden for that region reports. Several persons have been within two yards of the animal and they believe it does not boast a single black hair. As yet, no one has been venturesome enough to catch the little animal.

Dame Nature has many unusual ways of aiding her children, but one of the most unique is reported by the Game Department's chief aquatic biologist. The alligator snapping turtle gets part of its food through subterfuge. It sinks to the bottom of a stream or lake and while remaining perfectly quiet, extends its tongue, which has an appendage closely resembling both in size and color an earth worm. Fish swim along, spot the "worm" and seize it, being in turn grabbed by the turtle, which makes a meal of it.

Bond Papers at The News.

LIBRARY NOTES

(By Mrs. C. A. Burton)

Such an attractive lists of new books come from all the publishers for fall reading! What an orgy of buying we would indulge in if—but even with that if in the way, we have a few new ones again, all at bargain prices, but none the worse for it. Agatha Christie's mysteries are always refreshing, and we have two of them—"ABC Murder" and "Cards on the Table." Then two of Ruby M. Ayers' pleasing stories, "Compromise" and "There was Another"; "Once to Every Man" by Fannie Heaslip Lea and then a book which took the literary world by storm not so long ago, "Katrina" by Sally Salmien. The author was a Swedish girl, an immigrant to America, working as a housemaid in a New England home, and her story won the famed Helsingfors Prize, and has been published in nine countries. It was translated from the Swedish by Naomi Walford. It is the story of the bare, rocky islands skirting the fiords of the Finnish coast. Of it Pearl Buck said, "In spite of much continued interest in and appreciation of contemporary novels, I have never before felt I wanted so strongly to tell everybody I had read a fine new novel and press it upon them. But I do feel so about Sally Salmien's "Katrina." The figure of Katrina steps forth as clear, as full, as emmense as a noble piece of sculpture, only she is not stone, but flesh and blood." And Selma Lagerlof, herself a winner of the coveted Nobel Prize said, "No one who reads the book to the end will regret it. You will have found something strong, true, patient, loving, untrusting, a being that is a credit to humanity." And Agnes Repplier, a successful writer, said, "It is a human document. The central theme is never lost though the detail is absorbing."

"Designing Women" by Margarietta Byers which has been quite popular is also on our list. Our last is "Men and Machines" by Stuart Chase, one of America's leading writers on economic problems. In this he tells something of the anatomy of machines; something of their development from James Watt to the mechanical man; the daily contacts of people with machines and their influence; balances the good with the bad in this study of the power age. He writes in a swift moving, smooth style of these rather abstract questions, sincerely and honestly. Besides this book we have Stuart Chase's "Your Money's Worth" and "Mexico."

In an article by the Associated Press recently under the caption "Texas Today" there was a most interesting discussion of our own Mrs. Marguerite Goodner's Master's Thesis on "The Names of Eating Places in Texas"—the thesis which Mrs. Goodner had written at S. M. U. in taking her Master's Degree this summer. And this week we have notice of a new book just off the press, "The Wonders of Texas" by Hazel Cooke Upshaw—Mrs. Fancher Upshaw—of Amarillo who is Mrs. Goodner's sister. In a brief review of the book the statement is made that it is one of the best books on Texas, written in a long while, covering the entire state, tracing its industries from the beginnings to the present day in short, dramatic stories, stories of helium, carbon black, cotton, the shrimp industry, and many others, and all profusely illustrated.

Through the Associated Press comes the statement that work on the tower-like structure which will house the Hoover Library on War, Revolution and Peace, has started on the Campus of the Stanford University. This collection which is the greatest of its kind in the world, was started by Herbert Hoover during the World War.

In the area occupied by the Japanese, China has lost 2,118 libraries. Assuming that the average number of books in each library was 5,000 volumes, the damage to Chinese culture in books would amount to more than a million volumes, not including rare books in the large city libraries.

When Pearl Buck was notified that she had been awarded the Nobel Prize, she was asked to prepare a lecture on literature to be given by her on the occasion of the presentation of the prize at the Swedish Academy in Stockholm, which she did. Later she gave it again in her own College, Randolph-Macon, as a Phi Beta Kappa address.

It is now possible to secure this address in full with a foreword by Dr. Hallstrom, the Swedish Scholar who introduced her at Stockholm. Part of this forward is as follows: "When the Swedish Academy awards this year's prize to Pearl Buck for the notable works which pave the way to a human sympathy passing over widely separated racial boundaries, and for the

Pig-Skin Paragraphs

The Wheeler Mustang's jarring 40 to 0 win over the Lakeview Eagles Friday night was a blast that rocked the entire 3-A circuit.

The Horses are now a team to beat and must be ranked with such crown contenders as Wellington, Shamrock and McLean.

Whether Wheeler retains that rating after Friday's engagement with Wellington Rockets remains to be seen but whoever emerges from that fray will have an upper story berth in the league's favorites wagon.

The Mustangs greatest handicap in the campaign to follow is their lack of material. With only a squad of 17 men and practically a 11 man aggregation, the Wheeler crew can suffer mightily from injuries.

Shamrock rests Friday after two weeks of battering class AA games that did not hurt their reputation as a title threat. Memphis takes on the Paducah Dragons which have lost their first two games and McLean moves on White Deer who blasted Canyon sizably last week-end.

Clarendon ranks second only to Wellington and White Deer in the conference spotlight this week when they tangle with the crushed Eagles. The Broncos 34 to 0 win over Quitaque and the Eagles clipping, may work backward for the locals should Lakeview rebound and the Ponies become over confident.

Season's Standings

Team	W.	L.	T.	Pct.
Clarendon	2	0	0	1.000
Memphis	1	0	0	1.000
Wheeler	1	0	0	1.000
McLean	0	0	1	.500
Shamrock	1	2	0	.333
Wellington	0	1	0	.250
Lakeview	0	1	0	.000

Conference Standings

Wheeler	1	0	0	1.000
Lakeview	0	1	0	.000
Clarendon	0	0	0	.000
Memphis	0	0	0	.000
Wellington	0	0	0	.000
Shamrock	0	0	0	.000
McLean	0	0	0	.000

Friday's forecast:—
Memphis 13, Paducah 6
Clarendon 20, Lakeview 0
Wellington 7, Wheeler 0
McLean 14, White Deer 6
(Note:—This department know nothing about this but it's fun to be fooled.)

Officials have asked that everyone interested attend the pep rally scheduled for tonight at the South end of main street. The rally will be headed by the Clarendon High School Band and will herald conference football for Clarendon.

Pointing out that a gap exists between L. B. Penick's 110 pound football team and the high school squad, interested fans are asking for a go-between. Only a few of the well drilled colts of Penick's make the weight scale after leaving the 110 pound class and must lay-off a year or two before becoming varsity timber, the fans say.

studies of human ideals which have become a great and living art of portraiture, it feels that it acts in harmony and accord with the aim of Alfred Nobel's dream for the future." In China instead of folk-poetry and folk-songs, the novel is their folk literature—and Pearl Buck gives us such a view of this as we get from no other source. Of none of her books is this truer than of "The Patriot."

Miss Rose Erisman of Wheeler and Miss Dalton Burleson of Borger visited with Misses Madge Hall and Eula Joyce Burleson, Sunday.

Elroy Watson is visiting in Clarendon this week after a summer in Colorado where he was employed as athletic director of a camp.

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SOCIETY

MOTHERS CLUB MEETS FOR FIRST TIME

Mrs. J. E. Burch, Mrs. Jimmie Miller and Mrs. Regan Bryan were hostesses Tuesday afternoon to the Mothers Study Club, which met at the Club room in their first meeting of the season.

Mrs. Paul Smithy was leader of the program and gave a talk on "How Fit Is Your Child". Mrs. Kenny Lane spoke on "Are Teachers People?" followed with special numbers by Jack Clifford and Mary Ann Bromley.

Mrs. Ernest Hunt, Club Parliamentarian, read the club constitution and by-laws.

Members present were Mesdames Francis Brown and son, Bill Bromley and daughter, Walter Clifford and son, Ralph Decker, Clyde Douglas, Frank Hommel, Ernest Hunt, Walter Low, Jack Molesworth and daughter, Tom Murphy, George Norwood, Bill Patman, G. G. Reeves, Bill Riney and daughter, Joe Ritter, Paul Smithy, Henry Tatum and two daughters, D. F. Wadsworth, H. T. Warner, Ralph Keys, W. C. McDonald and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Smith spent the week-end in Memphis.

PATHFINDER CLUB OPENS YEAR WITH DINNER

The first meeting of the Pathfinder Club for the Club year was held in the Club room at 7:15 on Friday evening, September 22, at which time a lovely three course dinner was served by the following hostesses: Mesdames Joe Goldston, Marvin Warren, Ernest Hunt, J. T. Patman, R. Y. King, R. E. Drannaa, Marguerite Goodner, and Van Kennedy.

The long table was beautiful with trailing lace vines over the snowy linen, bowls of roses, soft light of candles and attractive place cards.

Mrs. L. B. Jenkins, retiring president, was toastmistress for the occasion. The invocation was given by Mrs. Sam Lowe after which thirty-seven active and associate members responded to roll call with their "first culinary efforts"—with many laughable results.

The Federation Song was sung with Mrs. Allen Bryan at the piano.

Mrs. C. A. Burton gave a toast to Mrs. Clara Driscoll, the Club woman of Corpus Christi, who paid the \$92,000 indebtedness on the Federation Headquarters in Austin. Mrs. Frank

TEACHERS GUESTS OF SCHOOL BOARD AT COUNTRY CLUB

The annual teachers picnic was held Tuesday, September 26. There was much delicious food brought by the school board ladies and the school board served barbecued chicken. The teachers seemed to have a good time visiting and eating. We are sure none of them went home hungry. Mr. Burton just couldn't bear to come home and say he ate only part of a chicken so he went back enough times to make it a whole one. Mr. Payne and Mr. Hutto were the only ones unable to attend the picnic.

We think the school teacher's picnic is one of the best things the school board gives because it gives the teachers a chance to be themselves instead of just teachers.

GARDEN CLUB MEETS FOR LAST TIME

The garden Club met in regular session, September 25 at the home of Mrs. Charles McMurry, who was assisted by Mesdames Walter Taylor, W. T. Hayter, Cap Morris and O. D. Stallings.

The program was a book review given by Mrs. U. J. Boston, who in her usual interesting way reviewed, "Eden on a Country Hill" by Texas' own Ruth Cross.

This meeting was the last for the year for this club.

Lovely refreshments were served to about thirty members and their guests.

Mrs. J. W. Lyons of Quitaque is visiting with Mrs. J. E. Lyons who has been ill.

Heath sang "I Sing of Jeanie" after which Mrs. Jenkins in well chosen words, expressed her pleasure in the work of the past year and her appreciation of the cooperation given her by every member of the Club, bespeaking for her successor, Mrs. Edd Dishman, the same consideration and cooperation.

Mrs. Dishman responded graciously, after which she presided over a short business session during which Miss Mable Mongole was elected to membership in the Pathfinder. Mrs. Rathjen read a charmingly written history of the past year's activities—and the Pathfinder Club, Clarendon's oldest club, was launched on a new year's work.

MRS. MONGOLE HOSTESS TO FRIENDSHIP CLUB

The Friendship Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. E. Mongole, with Mrs. Mongole and Miss Mable Mongole as hostesses.

Mrs. C. Skinner, president, opened the meeting with a prayer. In a short business meeting the club decided to change the regular meeting time to two o'clock instead of two-thirty. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. A. Meaders on October 4. The afternoon was spent in conversation and fancy needle work. Mrs. Lindsey closed the meeting with a prayer.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served to Mrs. W. A. Massie, Mrs. J. E. Neel, and little Miss Emily Ann Smith, guests and members, Mesdames C. Skinner, Ailene Skinner, J. A. Meaders, G. J. Teel, J. W. Rowland, M. E. Thornton, L. Ballew, C. E. Lindsey, Glenn Williams, J. E. Mongole, and Misses Mable Mongole and Katie Meaders.

MARTIN GARDEN CLUB MEETS FRIDAY

The Martin Garden Club met with Mrs. Edwin Bailey September 22, with eleven members present.

Mrs. V. R. Jordan called the meeting to order and Mrs. J. T. Easterling called the roll. Old business was attended to. Mrs. Fred Easterling gave an interesting talk. Mrs. Jack Eddings gave a talk on what kind of plants to plant in the fall. A club flower, the zinnia was selected.

Delightful refreshments were served to Mesdames J. T. Easterling, V. R. Jordan, Guy Sibbald, Sam Rundell, H. B. Hartzog, Jack Eddings, Burk Deboard, Fred Easterling, Bill Waddell, J. H. Helton and the hostess, Mrs. Edwin Bailey.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Burk Deboard on October 13.

MRS. LOWE ENTERTAINS WITH LAWN PARTY

Mrs. S. W. Lowe entertained with a lawn party Friday evening honoring her son, Billy.

Games of various kinds were enjoyed by the group.

Lovely refreshments were served to Dorothy Ann Kennedy, Ellen Bartlett, Marilyn Maher, Mary Frances Phelps, Mary Nell Keys, Lucille Wylie, Helen Porter, Betty Ann Craft, Billy Jack Shelley, Victor Smith, Fleetwood Cornell, Buddy Ryan, Harold Donnell, Ernest Thompson, G. G. Reeves and the honoree, Billy Lowe.

HILLSBORO GARAGE MAN VISITS HERE FRIDAY

Fred Grimes, well-known garage man of Hillsboro, visited briefly here Friday evening with Sam M. Braswell. Accompanied by Mrs. Grimes, Fred was enroute to Wyoming for a bear hunt of several weeks' duration.

MOTHER OF REV. ORION CARTER DIES SATURDAY

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church of Happy Sunday afternoon for Mrs. Sarah Carter, mother of Orion Carter, former Clarendon College student and present pastor of the Childress Methodist Church.

Besides the Rev. Orion Carter, she is survived by her husband, another son, James F. Carter of New Home, and one brother, J. M. Bickley of Clovis.

COWTOWN BAND TO BE HERE SATURDAY AFTERNOON

The Dickie Cowtown Band will entertain Saturday afternoon in front of the Mellinger and Rosenwasser dry goods store, Isadore Mellinger, store manager announced today.

METHODIST CHURCH

H. C. Gordon, Pastor

We are very grateful to all who helped in our recent meeting. The attitude of Sister churches was fine indeed. Their cooperation was a great blessing. As a church we want to show our appreciation by being a more helpful neighbor to other churches and we want to mean all that we should in the life of the town.

Every member of the church and any friends, who can meet with us, will be needed in next Sunday's services. Special recognition will be given those who have come into the membership of this church during this conference year.

Mrs. Ralph Andis and Mrs. Ralph Keys were Amarillo visitors, Saturday.

A. A. Mays and Verna Lusk of Clarendon and J. K. Morton of Lelia Lake attended a dinner in Canadian held for lumbermen this week.

Random Reflections

By DICK COOKE

R. B. Morgan, district officer of the U. S. Shelterbelt program was in the office yesterday and shed a bit of light on, what has been to me, the hazy idea of planting trees along farm sections.

Like everyone else, I knew the trees were to serve as wind-breaks but exactly how was something I didn't know.

Mr. Morgan was nice enough to diagram the proven theory.

It seems a tree will shelter land for a distance thirty times its height. Thus if a row of trees is 20 feet high a farmer will benefit in crop production 600 feet. Consequently a network of shelterbelt (which should run on every section line and through the middle) would protect crops from every direction.

Besides service as a wind break the green leaves of the trees cool the wind and greatly retard evaporation. Erosion is also curtailed because the shelterbelt breaks the direct force of the wind and creates eddies, so to speak.

Morgan declares that many farmers refuse permission for tree planting on the theory the large-plants would sap the moisture for a great radius. This is not true, and the space taken away from crops greatly re-emburses the producer with increased yield on the remaining acres.

Failing to have the usual big day in his stamp business Sunday, C. J. Douglas of Douglas & Douglas accuses Postmaster Forest Taylor of unfair competition. Douglas says it is his opinion that Taylor must be selling stamps on the sly on Sundays.

Periodically there becomes an unsung hero among newspaper writers and his work is reprinted throughout the United States with one pilferer and another getting credit but scarcely however does the true author come into his due fame.

Because we can't think of anything to write and also because we think it is pretty good, we herewith reprint such a story and will not even give credit to the one we stole it from, because we have read it in so many different papers.

FOR FIRE GOERS

"Someone who evidently was at Pecos the other day when that town's fire department, after being troubled with public reaction to fire alarms, distributed a tongue-in-cheek "What to do in Case of Fires," this morning, tacked a copy of the pamphlet on the bulletin board of Central fire station in Lubbock. It read:

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which way to go. "If you have two cars, have some other member of your family bring the other one with all possible speed. Thus, you can park one on each side of the street at the scene of the fire. This will enable your neighbor, who should be right behind you, to park in the middle.

"Whatever you do, don't fail to get to the fire before the fire truck does. (This is imperative.)

"In case you are late and cannot get right up to the fire, dash madly back and forth on the street in the vicinity.

"In case you are the first one there, and find yourself hemmed in by the cars of other idiots, it is wise to suddenly decide you have to leave there.

"This can be easily done by going ahead, and madly backing up a few times until you finally run over the hose. This important move should always be accompanied by continuous blowing

of your horn. "Don't pay any attention to the firemen. If they get in your way run over them. They are just there through curiosity, while your presence is important.

"At a recent fire there were 46 automobiles assembled at the scene. A section of hose was ruined by one or more halfwits driving over it. That's the good old spirit.

"And before you leave, don't fail to make some snooty comparison of the fire department with some other city you may have once visited."

It goes without saying the above message to the public was by a volunteer fire department.

Mrs. Karl Adams and daughter June have returned to Clarendon for the winter as June will attend school here.

Little Miss Jo Ann Ritter is visiting with her grandparents at Farwell this week.

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MILK PET or CARNATION 3 tall or 6 small	23c
SPINACH 3 No. 2 cans	25c
HONEY New Texas, Strained 1/2 gallon	49c
APPLES Jonathan or Delicious 10 lbs.	32c
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EDITORIAL

Importance of Our Commercial Department

You who will live tomorrow cannot be careless in your business affairs. Only yesterday many successful men rode the prairies of Texas who never kept a record of their transactions, who could not write a business letter, who carried checks for weeks before depositing them, and who violated nearly all other safe business practices; today these practices are rapidly disappearing. Tomorrow will be a day of accurate records, carefully worded letters, prompt and painstaking attention to legal requirements, and a thorough understanding of economic principles. Tax requirements, reduced profits because of competition, increased complexity in technical operations, and developments that have followed the government's taking a hand in the regulation of business, point unmistakably to a greater demand for business information. Are you preparing yourself to compete on equal terms in a complex society striving to make a living amid stupendous industrial activities, high standards of efficiency, the accumulation of immense wealth—the business world as it really is today. The demand for accounting-

trained men has increased tremendously in the past quarter-century. Today the accountant is a trained specialist, an expert, whose decisions directly affect the net profit of a business. The increased number of office positions that have opened up for men with accounting training is due to the recognized usefulness of data provided by modern accounting methods—statistical records, cost figures, profit-and-loss figures, inventory records, stock turnover calculations, and overhead expense figures.

Today business men are demanding that their secretaries be trained to assume their duties in the office. They are not willing, as in the past, to take beginners and teach them the many details connected with their business. Young men and women entering business offices must now be trained in the fundamentals of secretarial skills before they take up their duties.

The importance of the business letter cannot be over-estimated. Its ever-increasing use as a means of communication between business men, the part it plays as a selling medium, as a method of making collections and adjusting complaints, all have helped to make it one of the most important factors in modern business. The business man goes to the expense of providing high-grade letter-heads and stationery in order that his letters may reflect the spirit of his business. For this reason, the stenographer or secretary cannot be too careful with the appearance of his or her work.

The recent depression and subsequent recovery have been periods of rapid economic change, and legislation has given a mark-

ed different setting to many of our social and economic problems. During a time in which at least one person in every five was unable to provide for himself, statistics show that our warehouses were literally filled with raw products awaiting processing that would fit them for consumption. Much of the raw products was allowed to waste; many factories remained closed; millions of men and women remained idle, and were forced to accept outside assistance in order to obtain the bare necessities of life. This economic chaos can be eliminated. Economic problems can be solved. Their solution depends not only upon political, industrial and financial leaders, it depends upon trained and informed citizens—upon you.

Our commercial department is one important means of providing this training.

CLARENDON SCHOOLS OFFER WIDE CHOICE OF SUBJECTS

Only a glance at the high school and college schedule is sufficient to prove that our course of study offers opportunity for a wide choice of practical subjects.

Contrary to the usual idea that school is impractical, we have many courses that are an essential basis for numbers of professions and careers.

The commercial department adequately prepares the student for many positions both in the secretarial and business fields. At the completion of his high school and college training, the student is capable of making his own living.

Our science department forms the first step for the boy or

girl who is interested in becoming a doctor, nurse or pharmacist.

For the girl who is interested in the home as a career, and the boy who plans to farm, we have the Home Making and Agricultural departments which deal with every phase of these subjects.

In like manner, every subject taught can easily be seen to fill either its practical or cultural place in our lives.

PRESS CLUB

The Press Club held its regular meeting Monday September 25th. There were nine members present and their sponsor Miss Hall. The paper for the following week was planned and there was much discussion about the different columns. The club decided to have an exchange editor in order to get new ideas. John Burton King has consented to take this position for us.

BAND NEWS

Many new students have taken up work on instruments this past week. Those taking up clarinet are: Elise Norwood, Kathrine May, Johnny Johnson, Frankie Ann Robbins and Dorothy Jean Tatum. Tom Goodner, and Billy Gene Morgan are taking up cornet. June Gibbs is taking up trombone and Charlie Ann Whit and Burel Bones are taking up the snare drum.

Mr. Drennan and Mr. Robbins attended a band meeting at Borger last Sunday. Plans were discussed for the coming contest. This year the contest will be held in Plainview as it was last year. Mr. Drennan and Mr. Robbins were placed on the eligibility committee.

ALL WORK AND NO PLAY MAKES JACK A DULL BOY

Everyone, old and young alike, know that this old saying is true. All young people need recreation after work. We study all week, and find there is nothing to do on week-ends but study. Young bodies and minds need relaxation after strenuous exercises. If they do not get it they become dulled and inactive. I have heard many students complaining about the lack of school activities. They want something to do, and in the school is the best place to do it. We have attempted to get the gymnasium for a recreation room, but our efforts have not met with success as yet.

Many of the parents have agreed to act as chaperons. They will accompany us during the socials. If this is done, what is to prevent our having the gym?

We want the full cooperation of the faculty. We want them to cooperate with us in our socials and school work. They can raise the standards of the students if they promote our socials. There are no other places to go, and the school can correct this situation. The gymnasium is a good place for school parties, it is under school supervision, and it would promote clean social activities. The youth of this town is in sore need of these things, so parents, faculty and School Board please help us to accomplish our aim.

FUTURE HOME MAKERS OF TEXAS

The Future Home Makers of Texas is not a National organization; but August 30, our sponsor attended a meeting which took the first step in making it a national organization.

Last Monday the Home Economics class had its first meeting to elect the following officers: President, Katrina Carlile; Vice President, Betty Jo Bartlett; Sec. and Treas., Mildred Phelps; Reporter, Pearl Derick; Entertainment Committee, Annie Ree Porter, Maxine Robertson, Claudine Haley; Initiation Committee: Jo Ann Smith, Yvonne Smith, Pauline Mayes, Dorothy Nell Oiler.

Plans were made to have a meeting twice a month. Our next meeting will be Tuesday night. The first year Home Economics girls will be initiated.

SOUTH WARD NEWS

Miss Hall, fifth grade, has two new pupils. Their names are: Frances Lockmiller from Houston, and Charles Talley.

Mrs. Penick's and Mrs. Hart's rooms are studying Indians. They are making hatchets, totem poles and other interesting Indian things.

Mrs. Lane's room had twelve absent last week. They were all gone to the fair.

Mrs. Prewitt's room has a South Ward Store. You cannot buy articles costing over 25 cents. They are studying buying in Arithmetic.

FOOTBALL QUEEN

Since the last edition of the Broncho Range the Football boys have chosen to elect their own queen themselves, which should have been their privilege all the time. Only one candidate last week had been announced. A statement by Mr. Hutto today said that he didn't think that the queen would be elected until later on in the season. He said that he could not make a statement as to who the queen would be but that she would be announced later on in the season.

WHAT HAS HAPPENED

We want to know what has happened to this paper? Where is the old spirit of fun and frolic which has prevailed for many years in this paper of the students?

Is this paper for the students? We want to know this, and we will form our answer or answers. Last week's paper was magnificent for a senior college, but we, the High School, want something besides cut and dried facts. The gossip sheets are not disgraceful and we enjoy them very much. In fact, that is the only part of the paper that we enjoy. We do not mean to say that we do not read the other articles, but after reading them we enjoy the spice columns more than an adult could imagine. The so-called gossip columns of the Broncho Range are like the comic strips of a newspaper. We enjoy light news and amusing columns. The gossip columns give us these. We want the "WHOOOSH" column back and we want it next week. Please Mr. Editor, try to get it for us and if you can't we will help you as much as we can.

BRONCHOS

After the Bronchos scored a 34-0 victory over Quitaque, and their previous victory over Claude, it looks like a winning year for the Bronchos. Outstanding in the game was an 80 yard run made by Johnny Grady. Other players who were outstanding were Boyd Allison, Coleman Huffman, and Waldron Melton although every boy played a very good game. The first conference game will be next Friday night with Lakeview at the Broncho Stadium at 8:00. Two more games will be played in Clarendon and then the Bronchos will go on the road for three weeks. Following Lakeview here is Wheeler at Clarendon; and then Wellington, Shamrock and McLean. Everyone is urged to attend these last two games before we go on the road and as many as can are requested to follow the Bronchos on the road. We'll be looking for you and we will also be looking forward for a winning game from the Bronchos.

SENIOR CLASS NEWS

We have a very large and energetic Senior class this year, and I am sure we are very proud of being seniors.

Our Sponsors, I know, are very much interested in this year's class. We are going to do our part and help them as much as we can.

It has always been a puzzle to me why the Seniors are called dignified. Dignified is defined as to invest dignity. When you are a Senior you are in your last year of school and you are going to get out. (That is if you make it). You are rather undecided whether you know as much about Fourth year English as you should. You are rather in a daze until the first semester is over, then you snap out of it. Seniors are everything but dignified. The problem, I guess will have to be left to the Seniors of the future. Maybe they can discover why Seniors are called dignified.

We seniors especially are proud of the Bronchos because there are quite a number of Senior boys on the team that are really going places this year.

We are also very proud that the assistant editor of the Broncho Range is a senior. I am sure because of that fact the Broncho Range will be better than ever before.

The class rings arrived Sunday night. Quite a few of the Seniors are already wearing rings.

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FOOTBALL PERSONALITIES

Pete Morrow, smashing, crashing halfback of the Bronchos, is really developing into a threat to all opposition. He plays halfback and tailback. Pete is one of the most powerful numbers on the squad. Pete is five feet nine inches and weighs 160 pounds. Being a powerful runner, he is one of our most important men on ground plays. He can smash the line with great speed, and amazing success. The pass plays depend a lot on Pete's blocking ability. Pete is one of our most dependable all around backs and we prophesy many touchdowns for him this year.

L. B. Hartzog, blocking viking of the mighty Bronchos, is one of our most spectacular defence men. He can tackle like a collegiate guard, or mess up the most perfect interference. Flashing dodging down the field he is a sure pass receiver. L. B. is our best pass defence man. He has made many yards and saved the Bronchos a lot of embarrassment by his ability to intercept passes. Power to you, L. B. and may you have lots of luck on the gridiron.

Jack Rolf, terrible terror of the line is the smallest warrior on the squad. He is the old dependable. Jack has reported for practice for three years and he has been a great help each year. Although Jack has never been spectacular on the gridiron he is one of the most appreciated men on the team. He has lots of pep and ginger and he is a continual source of amusement to his grim companions. Keep up the good work Jack, and roll Lakeview over a barrel.

OPEN HOUSE AT JUNIOR HI

In order for the patrons of the school to see the work that has been done on the buildings, the Junior High School had open house Thursday afternoon.

In addition to inspecting the buildings, the visitors were entertained with an interesting program consisting of four numbers by the band and talks by A. A. Meredith of Amarillo and Mr. O. C. Watson.

Many improvements have been made on the buildings.

COLTS

The Colts will play the Maverick Club Thursday afternoon in Amarillo. We are all hoping they win and we are sure they will. Mr. Penick, their coach, bought them all new jerseys. They are all proud of them and we are sure they are grateful to Mr. Penick for buying the sweaters for them.

FUTURE FARMER NOTES

The Clarendon Chapter has been working hard the past two weeks in an effort to win the State hog raising contest. They must prepare project books, scrap books, and different records. The boys believe that they have an excellent chance to win the contest. The chapter winning will receive one hundred dollars in premium money.

WHO'S WHO IN C. J. C.

MARGARET HILL: Every year Margaret has been outstanding in her classes. She is now a Freshman in College. Margaret is a likeable person and has a fine disposition. She is a valuable asset in her class and has been a member of the Pep Squad for several years.

She is five feet six inches tall, weighs 108 pounds. Her hair is dark brown, her eyes brown, complexion olive, and a very sweet smile.

JOE WILLIAMS:

To begin to describe Joe's good points is a hard job, as he has so many. He has always been a very good student in every grade. Last year Joe was F. F. A. president. He has won many prizes in F.F.A. work and this proves he is a good worker. This year Joe is a freshman in college and plays a clarinet in the band. The best way to describe Joe's handsome features is that last year he and another boy tied for the most handsome boy in their class.

He is 5 feet 8 inches tall, weighs 130 pounds, has dark brown hair, blue eyes, a fair complexion, and a very winning smile. His hobby is F.F.A. work.

BAND PERSONALITIES

ORVILLE JOHNSON: Orville plays the cymbals in the band and is now taking on the bass drum. The cymbals are very hard instruments to play. They take much time and practice. Orville is working hard as he has not missed band practice once or playing outside since he started on the cymbals this summer. Not many other band members, if any, can say as much. Notice Orville at the next football game and see if you don't think he is doing fine work.

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1939 Schedule For Football Teams In District 3-A, Texas Interscholastic League

	Sept. 8	Sept. 15	Sept. 22	Sept. 29	Oct. 6	Oct. 13	Oct. 20	Oct. 27	Nov. 3	Nov. 10	Nov. 17
Clarendon		Claude 0 -0-0	Quitaque 0 -0-0	Lakeview at Clarendon	Wheeler at Clarendon	Shamrock at Shamrock	Wellington at Wellington	McLean at McLean	Canadian at Clarendon	Memphis at Clarendon	
Memphis		Mobeetie 0 -0-0		Paducah at Paducah	Shamrock at Shamrock	Quannah at Memphis	McLean at Memphis	Wheeler at Memphis	Wellington at Memphis	Clarendon at Clarendon	Lakeview at Memphis
Wellington		Mangum 7 -0-0	Quannah 0 -0-0	Wheeler at Wheeler	Lakeview at Wellington	Perryton at Wellington	Clarendon at Wellington	Panhandle at Panhandle	Memphis at Memphis	Shamrock at Shamrock	McLean at McLean
Shamrock	Shamrock 26 -0-0	Borger 26 -0-0	Childress 18 -0-0		Memphis at Shamrock	Clarendon at Shamrock	Wheeler at Wheeler	Lakeview at Shamrock	McLean at McLean	Wellington at Shamrock	
McLean		Panhandle 7 -0-0		White Deer at White Deer		Lakeview at McLean	Memphis at Memphis	Clarendon at McLean	Shamrock at McLean	Wheeler at McLean	Wellington at McLean
Wheeler			Lakeview 0 -0-0	Wellington at Wheeler	Clarendon at Clarendon		Shamrock at Memphis	Memphis at Memphis		McLean at McLean	
Lakeview			Wheeler 40 -0-0	Clarendon at Clarendon	Wellington at Wellington	McLean at McLean	Florent at Lakeview	Shamrock at Shamrock	Pampa B at Lakeview		Memphis at Memphis

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REG'LAR FELLERS

And Anyway He Doesn't Want To Take It Off

By Gene Byrnes



Donley Takes County Honors In Largest Tri-State Poultry Show

AMARILLO, Sept. 27.—Donley County poultry breeders chalked up another mark in their long list of victories when they took county honors here last week in the largest poultry show in Tri-State fair history.

Donley County, which has taken the county awards for a number of years, was followed by its rival of long standing, Deaf Smith County.

Well over a thousand birds were exhibited and so large was the show that it was necessary to erect an annex just north of the regular barn.

High praise for the quality as well as the quantity of this year's show was voiced by W. E. Tallant of Oklahoma City, well known poultry authority who was judge of the show.

Results of the Donley County winners:

Single comb Rhode Island Reds, G. W. Beasley, 2, 4 cockerel. E. V. Quattlebaum, 2, 3, cock, 2, 3, 4 hen, pullet 4 young pen. 3, 4 old pen.

Rose comb Rhode Island Reds—Masehil Cole, 1, 2, 3, 4 pullets. 1, 2, 3, 4 cockerel.

Single comb Rhode Island Whites—Roy Stewart, 1, 2, cockerel. 1, 2, 3, 4 hen. 1, 2, 3 and 4 pullet. 1, 2, 3, young pen.

White Langshans—Frank Cannon, 1, 2, 3, 4, pullet.

White Orphington—Russell Morris, 1, 2, 3, pullet—1, 2, 3, cock—1, 2, 3, 4, hens—1, 2, 3, 4, cockerel.

Light Brahma—Rex Shannon, 1, 2, 3, cockerel—1, 2, 3, 4, pullet.

Columbian Wyandotte—Carl Morris, 1, 2, 3, 4, cock—1, 2, 3, 4, cockerel. 1, 2, 3, 4, hen. 1, 2, 3, 4 pullet; 1, 2, 3 young pen.

Frank Mahaffey, 1, 2, 3, 4 young pen.

Buff Orphington—Wilson Rector, 1, 2, 3, 4 hen.

Rose Comb Rhode Island White Junior Spier, 1, 2, 3, cockerel; 1, 2, 3, 4, pullet; 1, 2 young pen.

Partridge Plymouth Rock—Sam Tankersley 1, 2, 3, cock; 1, 2, 3, 4 hen.

Light Barred Rock—Horace Green, 1, 2, 3, 4 hen; 4, pullet.

Ligh Brown Leghorn—Pete Morrow, 1, 2, 3, 4, hen; 1, 2, 3, 4, cock; 1, 2, 3, 4 pullet.

Ancona—Lee Christie, 1, 2, cockerel.

Dark Brown Leghorn—Jimmie Goodman, 1, 2, 3, 4, hen; Forrest Helton, 1, 2, 3, 4 cockerel; 1, 2, 3, 4 pullet.

Black Leghorn—Wilson Rector, 1, 2, 3, 4 hen.

White Minorca—William Jordan, 1, 2, 3, 4 hen; 1, 2, 3, 4 pullet.

Silver laced Wyandotte—J. F. Cannon, 1, 2, 3, 4 cockerel, 1, 2, 3, 4 hen; and 1, 2 pullet.

In the sweepstakes, Carl Morris won largest and best display with Forrest Helton winning first in the best display, Mediterranean class and Rex Shannon first in best display Asiatic class.

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MARTIN

(By Billie Ruth Bulman)

There were 50 present for Sunday School Sunday morning. Every member is urged to invite someone to be present next Sunday. We hope to have a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Easterling and family, Helen Joe Bulman Mr. and Mrs. Fred Easterling and son and Mr. and Mrs. Burk Deboard and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Easterling.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bulman and family, Frank Cannon, Miss Mildred Pittman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan and family, Fred Easterling and Clyde Peabody all visited in the G. W. Kavanaugh home Sunday.

Fern Helton spent Sunday with Geraldine Jordan.

Willie Nell Shannon spent Sunday night with Christine Pittman. Juanita Wilkinson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Melba Christie.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perkins of Clarendon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartzorg.

Miss Leota Rumpy of Lelia Lake spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie spent Sunday evening visiting in the Hudgin community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Helton visited in the Buck Parker home Sunday.

with Marcia, James Burke as the sheriff, and Truman Bradley as James Northrup.

"ON BORROWED TIME" OPENS AT PASTIME

One of the outstanding Broadway stage successes of last season, which bids fair to be even more successful as a motion picture come to the screen of the Pastime Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday in the picturization of "On Borrowed Time."

The simple story of an old grandfather who fights death in order to prevent the young grandson whom he adores from falling into the clutches of a scheming and unscrupulous aunt, "On Borrowed Time" presents Lionel Barrymore in one of his finest characterizations as Gramp.

The mysterious stranger, Mr. Brink, personification of Death, is enacted by the British stage and screen star, Sir Cedric Hardwicke, with eight-year-old Bobs Watson, most talked of youngster of the year, as the grandson, Pud.

Beulah Bondi appears as the devoted Granny, Eily Malton is the hypocritical Aunt Demetria, and Una Merkel enacts Marcia, the warmly human maid. Also appearing in prominent roles are Nat Pendleton as Grimes the asylum guard, Henry Travers as Dr. Evans, Grant Mitchell as Lawyer Pilbeam, Charles Waldron as Rev. Murdock, Ian Wolfe as Charlie Wentworth, church organist, Phillip Terry as Bill Lowry who shares the romantic interest

GOLDSTON NEWS

(Mrs. M. Grant)

Beginning next Sunday, Sunday School will be held in the afternoon instead of mornings. We will meet at 2:30 in the afternoon. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck and Miss Cook were entertained at supper in the H. M. Stewart home Tuesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant visited with

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goldston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Buck received word that her mother was seriously ill in a hospital in Talia. Mrs. Buck left immediately to be with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore and Kathleen visited in Clarendon Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boomer and baby of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Taylor, Sunday.

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Red Cross Aid Rushed European War Victims; Chapters Making Surgical Dressings, Garments

WASHINGTON — The American Red Cross is gearing its peace-time organization of 3,700 chapters to aid war-stricken European nations with medical supplies and to assist in the repatriation of American citizens fleeing from danger zones, Red Cross officials here announced.

Needs arising from the first two weeks of hostilities have resulted in the Red Cross setting up an emergency fund of \$50,000 to assist the Polish Red Cross in immediate medical problems. Chairman Norman H. Davis announced that initial Red Cross assistance from this country would include the shipment of hospital tents, drugs and blankets.

Decision of the Red Cross to help reduce the suffering of the nations involved in hostilities came following an extraordinary session of the Central committee of the American Red Cross which met here to determine policies for the current conflict.

Officials of the Red Cross pointed out that aid to Poland was given after an urgent request had been received from the Polish Red Cross which stated that grave needs existed among the injured and sick. Surgical dressings which are being produced by a limited number of Red Cross chapters in this

country will be sent to the war zones.

The Red Cross forwarded \$25,000.00 to the American Hospital in Paris to aid in evacuating American citizens to new quarters at Etretat on the coast. The funds also will purchase, in this country, a 100-bed hospital unit for shipment to the American organization.

Sinking of the British ship Athenia with several hundred fleeing American citizens aboard prompted the Red Cross to allocate \$20,000 to aid in return of American survivors to this country.

Red Cross aid to belligerent nations was offered through the International Red Cross Committee at Geneva. Poland was the first country to respond. France and England sent word through Geneva that they would outline their needs soon. No reply has been received from Germany.

The first supplies to go to Poland include a shipment of 45 items of drugs. Blankets will be of the army type. Tents are being especially manufactured. Red Cross officials said as the Polish Red Cross requested a type which would accommodate 50 stretcher cases.

Following plans for immediate war relief, the Red Cross Central Committee authorized the 3,700

Red Cross Chapters throughout the nation to accept contributions to assist the war-stricken populations of Europe.

In the months to come, high officials of the American Red Cross feel, Red Cross Societies of the belligerent nations probably will be faced with their greatest challenge in history. It was said however, that the Red Cross is better equipped to meet such emergencies because of the growth the international organization has enjoyed since the World War.

The American Red Cross, it was pointed out, had a membership of 16,000 in 105 chapters when the World War broke out in 1914. Today, through peace-time development, the American Red Cross embraces a membership of nearly 6,000,000 men and women in approximately 10,000 chapters.

Mrs. H. B. Turner and Mrs. Elmer Thornton of Seagraves visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Parker Tuesday morning. Mrs. Parker went to Quanah with them for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mulkey were in Dallas and Oklahoma City this week attending to business and visiting friends. They made the trip by auto and will return here today or tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts of Amarillo spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Roberts.

Isadore Mellinger spent the week-end with his parents at Merkel, Texas.

Texan Wins Movie Lead



Six years ago a 17-year-old girl walked into the offices of the dramatics department of Texas State College for Women and announced her intentions of becoming a movie actress. Her name was Ardis Ankerson; her home town San Antonio. In a few weeks now Warner Brothers will release "Espionage Agent." The feminine lead will be played by Brenda Marshall, the Ardis Ankerson who has insisted that she would be a movie actress since she was eight years old. Joel McCrea will play opposite her. In college Miss Ankerson was permitted to take advanced dramatics courses while she was yet an underclassman, and she was the only underclassman ever admitted to the College Little Theater.

CLARENDON METHODIST CIRCUIT

J. G. Walker, Pastor

Good day at Leila Lake Sunday, Sunday School attendance over an average; but number not large. Quality of work fine; and that is what counts. When the Lord comes to reckon, He will not count numbers; but will look at the motives that prompted to acclaim and honest effort made. Of course, if all the Methodist people in and around Leila Lake would do their part, our numbers would be increased; but they don't do it; and we have no way of forcing them. Maybe they don't see the need of it as we do. Maybe the Death crepe will hang on the door before they do see it; then it will be too late. Some doubtless will never see it until they face the Judgement.

The rich man in Luke 16:9 was so enveloped by his riches and sumptuous living that he could not see until he was wrapped and tormented by the flames of Hell. Then he could see where he had an opportunity; but it was too late.

How we fear for some of our own otherwise good people who have allowed their Christian talents to become buried in neglect and worldly amusements.

We are having services each evening this week at Naylor. If they prove to be revival services we will call it a revival meeting. Come and help us make it thus. Next Sunday we go to Ashtola. Subject for the morning hour will be "Opportunity: Have you improved or neglected your opportunities. Read Luke 19:11-24.

How serious we always think when we come to the closing days of our year's work. Just a little more than a month and we will have to report to the Annual Conference. This same report will appear at the Judgement Bar of God. The Book will be opened and the record of the Clarendon Circuit for the year 1939 will be found. Not just the record of the pastor but the record of each individual member. What will your record be?

Miss Dorothy Jo Taylor of Pampa spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Taylor.

Harold Leach, secretary, Donley County ACA has returned from College Station.

Miss Moody Kennedy and her two nieces, Rena and Moody Aten made a trip to Amarillo, Monday.

Leldon Hudson of Demmitt and Miss Betty Farley of Groom visited friends here this week-end.

In 1938 there were 3,285,000 turkeys grown in Texas which brought a total of \$6,866,000 or approximately \$2.09 each.

American production of fats and oils of all kinds amounts to approximately 8 and one-half billion pounds yearly.

HUNDREDS VOLUNTEER FOR RED CROSS SERVICE

Hundreds of men and women who saw service in Red Cross ranks during the World War have again volunteered to carry on its humanitarian activities in the present conflict, Red Cross officials said. In addition, many young men and women, who have never had contact with the scenes of war are anxious to enlist, according to their letters of application.

More than 500 applications have been received in the Red Cross personnel office, and come from every state. They include also many persons who have worked in disaster relief ranks of the organization.

For the present, Red Cross officials stated, no additional personnel is required. An experienced reserve personnel has been created during peace-time operations, it was said, and any future need would be for trained technicians. Volunteers wishing to help the Red Cross are directed to apply to their local chapters.

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SPINACH, No. 2 - 3 for	25c	
CRANBERRIES, No. 1 Eatmors, quart	20c	
OLEOMARGARINE lb.	15c	
JOWLS, Dry Salt, pound	12 1/2c	
BACON, Sliced, Rex, lb.	30c	
PRUNES, gallon cans	29c	
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, 6 for	25c	
COFFEE, Break-O'-Morn - 2 lb.	35c	
SPUDS, No. 1 Red McClures .. pk.	35c	
LARD, Pure Hog, White Rose, 8 lb.	98c	
HONEY, Colorado Extracted, gal.	95c	
Grapes, Black Ribiers, 2 lbs.	15c	
POST TOASTIES, large Pkg.	10c	
POST BRAN, Reg. Size Pkg.	10c	
Salad Dressing or Spread quart	25c	
FLOUR, Sonny Boy, 48 lb.	\$1.60	