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Permanent Survey Highway 88, Clarendon To Turkey Ordered

IMPORTANT GAIN FOR 88-18 ROAD

SUCCESS GREETED ROAD PLANNERS IN SAN ANTONIO HIWAY HEARING

Step by step, the objectives of the Highway 88-18 Association are being realized.

The closing of the gap, Clarendon to Turkey, which will join highway 88 and 18 at that point was brought a long way Monday when the Texas Highway Commission sitting in San Antonio granted a plea for immediate permanent survey for the extension of Highway 88 South from Clarendon to Turkey. The hearing, presided over by Chairman Robert Lee Bobbitt, Commissioner Harry Hines, present and Commissioner John Woods, absent, was held in the Gunter Hotel at San Antonio.

G. G. Reeves, county commissioner of Donley County, Sam M. Braswell, chairman of the highway committee of the local chamber of commerce, and J. R. Bartlett, local businessman, represented Clarendon and Donley at the members oflettoincherhsm. in which twenty-two members of the 88-18 association participated. Seven counties were represented along the line from Perryton to the North, to Del Rio on the South, which included four county judges, four state representatives, and many members of commissioner's courts. Sam M. Braswell of Clarendon was made chairman of the delegation and conducted the presentation of the plea.

Following the re-designation of 88 South from Clarendon in April of this year, this is the first follow-up plea on behalf of the objectives of permanent survey and construction on the gaps, Clarendon to Turkey, and Pampa to Perryton, with construction urged on the present highway 30 North of Del Rio in Val Verde county. The Donley delegation also made separate plea for the early construction of the underpass on 88 North under the Denver tracks in Clarendon near the Farmer's Gin, with some hopes of 1939 realization, or certainty in 1940, according to present outlook.

Service Improved On Rural Route

Beginning August 1, rural mail patrons on route number one out of Clarendon were given improved mail service.

The carrier on this route now leaves the post office at 8:15 a. m., and returns from his route at 11:45 a. m., in time to have southbound mail dispatched at 12:20 p. m.

Before Aug. 1, the southbound mail collected on this route was unable to be dispatched on the noon train.

Johnny Beard is carrier of route number one.

Mrs. Ida Couch has returned home after a five week's visit.

Girls in WPA Project Home Can Beef, Peas Successfully This Week

The WPA Project home was officially opened Tuesday July 26, with eighteen girls. The first canning was done Thursday when a 300 pound beef was canned for Mr. Carroll. 168 cans of meat were produced from the beef with only a very small loss. The home received 40 per cent of the cans while Mr. Carroll received 60 per cent. He provided the cans for the beef.

Saturday the girls undertook their regular duties of housework. Sunday, all of the girls attended church at least once and many of them twice at the church of their choice. They are not required to attend, but are given the opportunity if they desired.

Most of this week will be spent in canning peas, as a number of orders have come in. After this week, however, canning will be done only a certain number of hours certain days of the week. The time will be announced when the district supervisor, Mr. Wilson, comes this week. Miss Robinson, supervisor of the home, said that it would be impossible to operate the home as a canning factory since the primary purpose of it is to offer training in Home

OPTION TAKEN ON POST OFFICE SITE

THREE YEAR OPTION ON PRESENT LOCATION EXERCISED BY DEPT.

Clarendon's post office will remain in its present location for the next three years, according to information received from the post office department last Friday, by Postmaster Forest Taylor.

Under the old lease agreement with the building owner, J. R. Bartlett, the government elected to take a three year option on the present location, dating from April 1, expiration date of the lease. Taylor said there would be no change in the physical structure of the building, considering the present set-up sufficient to care for Clarendon's mail needs for some time to come.

It is generally believed that taking up the option on the present location would not interfere with congressional plans for providing Clarendon with a Federal post office building before expiration of the option period. Clarendon has been placed on the Washington list to have a Federal building by late 1939 or early 1940.

DELEGATES NAMED FOR CONVENTION

DONLEY DEMOCRATS ENDORSE STATE AND FEDERAL ADMINISTRATIONS

Donley County democrats in their county convention held at the courthouse Saturday afternoon went on record as endorsing the present state and federal administrations, according to A. L. Chase, secretary of the convention, W. P. Cagle, county chairman, presided at the meeting which transacted only two orders; that of endorsing the administrations and electing delegates to the State Democratic Convention at Beaumont, Sept. 6-13.

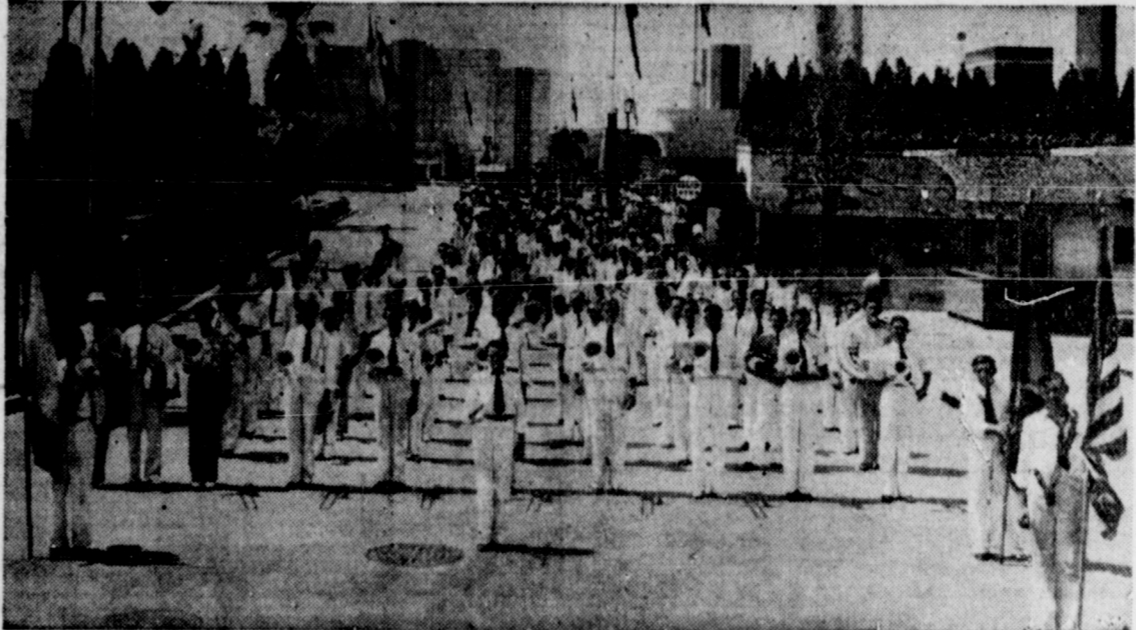
Accredited delegates from the precinct convention elected the following delegates to the state convention: W. P. Cagle, J. T. Patman, H. C. Brumley, S. W. Lowe, Y. O. McAdams, W. A. Davis, J. R. Porter, W. T. Link, C. J. Douglas, A. L. Chase, D. W. Turner, W. M. Pickering, J. B. Masterson, Zeb Mitchell, A. B. Egnum, Frank Hermesmeier and J. A. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bourland and children of Quail visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Johnson over the week-end.

Jerome Price was in Lakeview Friday to attend the funeral of R. E. Jones of that city.

George McClesky left Sunday for Austin to make arrangements for attending the University of Texas this fall.

FFA Band in State Fair Ceremonies



Opening Day Ceremonies for the Golden Jubilee celebration of the State Fair of Texas will be further assisted by the 110 piece band of the Texas Chapter, Future Farmers of America, which organization will observe its annual day at that time.

Arrangements for the Future Farmer Day at the State Fair are being made by L. I. Samuel of Arlington, area supervisor for Vocational Ag-

riculture. He said recently in conference with Roy Rupard, secretary of the State Fair, that he expected at least 6,000 future farm boys to attend the Golden Jubilee Celebration.

The 110 piece band which will be featured in Opening Day Ceremonies and other concerts is directed by H. G. Rylander of Denton. The band has won national acclaim and was "top" band at the national

conference of Future Farmers of America. The band was one of three FFA musical units to receive an invitation to the national conference. A complete program of education as well as amusement is being worked out for the FFA Boys by Mr. Samuels. The boys will be carried on tours of exhibits they have in livestock, Poultry and Agriculture Departments.

New Telephone Directory Is Delivered Here

After working several weeks on getting a set up of page forms, approval of correction pages, and other work incidental to printing a telephone directory, The Clarendon News Monday delivered 800 new telephone directories to the local office of the Southwestern Associated Telephone Co.

Work of compiling the directory and approving the typographical composition was done by J. A. Moses, superintendent of the directory department of the company.

Tan Bessemer Bristol cover, printed in brown ink is used in the 12-page directory which is being delivered in Clarendon this week.

JULY IS COOLER THAN A YEAR AGO

AVERAGE HIGH THIS YEAR IS 97.13 DEGREES COMPARED WITH 100.3 IN 1937

While Clarendon people sweltered under the 105 degree heat of August 1 and wondered if the heat this year was greater than a year ago, a News reporter went behind the scenes and poured over the records as kept by Joe Goldston, local government weather reporter, to obtain a comparison for July, 1938 and July, 1937.

The investigation disclosed that July this year was somewhat cooler than a year ago, both in maximum and minimum temperatures, but rainfall was less. Maximum temperature for July 1937 ranged from 89 degrees July 19 to 113 degrees July 14. The minimum temperature ranged from 61 on July 19 to 78 degrees on July 29. The average high for the month was 100.3 degrees and the average low was 69.22 degrees. Moisture totaled 1.60 inches.

Maximum temperature for July, 1938, ranged from 82 degrees on July 21 to 106 degrees on July 31. The minimum temperature ranged from 59 degrees on July 23 and 25 to 67 in July 27. The average high for the month was 97.13 degrees and the average low was 67.30 degrees. Moisture totaled 1.48 inches.

Car Registrations Fall Off In July

New car registrations for July was six under those for June. A total of 13 new cars were registered at the office of the tax assessor-collector for June.

Last month, July, only seven new cars were registered, being made by Alfred McMurry, Palmer Motor Co., Doss Palmer, Mrs. Ruth Teat, F. E. Chamberlain, Marshall Morris and W. M. Rhodes.

FARMERS AT LELIA LAKE ASK SCS AID

PROBLEMS OF WATERSHED DRAINAGE IN LELIA LAKE AREA DISCUSSED

Soil conservation problems confronting farmers living in the watershed area south of Lelia Lake were discussed at a meeting of approximately 60 farmers and soil conservation officials held Tuesday night at Lelia Lake School.

H. M. Breedlove, county agent of the A. & M. College Extension Service, called the meeting of farmers and other interested parties, as a means of banding the farmers together in an association to work out conservation problems in the Lelia Lake area.

Officials of the soil conservation service explained the aid farmers could give in terracing, and gully and washout work, contouring, strip crop planting. Those attending expressed their view on the program as a whole. Unanimous approval was given to securing services of the various soil conservation service, mainly the Memphis CCC camp facilities, to relieve flood and soil washing problems.

The work to be done on each farm will depend on farm conditions and types of soil in the affected area. John Howard was named chairman of an association committee composed of Elmer Kennedy, M. G. Cottingham, Harvey Shaw and Lamar Aten. Breedlove was named secretary.

Soil officials attending the meeting were P. C. Bennett, camp manager, Vega area, Soil Conservation Service, Amarillo; Mr. Reese, superintendent, CCC camp, Memphis; Mr. Nelson, regional Engineer, SCS, Amarillo; and Mr. Knapp, soil specialist, CCC camp, Memphis.

SCHOOLS BEGIN SEPTEMBER 5TH

Clarendon city schools and Clarendon College will open Monday, September 5, H. T. Burton, superintendent of schools announced this week.

The exact schedule to be followed for registration days and beginning of classes will be announced at a later date, Burton said.

COTTON SUBSIDY FORMS SENT TO COLLEGE STATION

Cotton subsidy papers are being filled out this week according to County agent H. M. Breedlove, with the first shipment of forms being made to College Station today.

The forms will be checked by the state board, and then sent to the disbursing office at Dallas.

Average Of 197 Pensioners In Donley County

An average monthly payment of \$15.77 has been received by an average of 197 Donley County state pensioners for an average total of \$3,110 during the seven month period ending July 3, according to the pension list in the office of the county clerk.

The list is made up and released by the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission.

Pensioners in Donley county for the year are as follows:
January 194 - \$3,062.00
February 193 3,038.00
March 195 3,088.00
April 200 3,155.00
May 199 3,145.00
June 198 3,140.00
July 199 3,143.00

ROGERS' FRIENDS TO SEE PAGEANT

DIGNITARIES WILL TAKE PART IN HISTORICAL EVENT OPENING HIWAY

AMARILLO—Old friends and admirers of the late Will Rogers, plainsman-philosopher, are coming to Amarillo by the thousands for a threeday celebration, Aug. 15-16-17.

The celebration will dedicate the Will Rogers route (U. S. 66), now the first and only all paved highway between Chicago and Los Angeles. Leo Carillo, cinema celebrity; Irving S. Cobb, author-actor and other Hollywood head-liners; Gov. James V. Allred, the Kiltie band of Oklahoma City and cross-country cavalcades from all along the highway named in tribute to the memory of the beloved humorist-humanitarian will join in the celebration.

With a cast of 1,500 persons, "Old Southwest Days," a spectacle on stupendous scale, will be one of the features of the dedicatory ceremonies.

"Old Southwest Days," which will be presented on Butler Field at 8:45 o'clock each night of the celebration, will be historical, yet highly entertaining. Four centuries of history will pass in review within an hour and a half. Old cowboy friends of Will Rogers will portray his life.

Members of the cast will wear authentic, attractive costumes. The stage settings will be 250 feet wide. Powerful elaborate lighting effects will be employed and special sound equipment will be installed for the spectacular show.

Indian attacks on wagon trains, buffalo hunting, Southwestern plains, and other stirring scenes will be enacted. To eliminate commercialism from the celebration all profits will be given to charity. Tickets

DATE SET FOR OLD SETTLER'S REUNION

CONG. MARVIN JONES IS INVITED AS PRINCIPAL REUNION SPEAKER

Old Settlers of Donley County are getting ready to attend the Old Settlers' annual reunion at Tate Grove August 19, according to W. I. Raines, president of the group.

Mr. Raines says plans are well underway for the picnic and reunion to be the best in the history of the gathering.

Invitations have been extended urging everyone who has lived in Donley County 20 years or longer. A record in attendance is expected to be made although several old settlers have passed beyond since the first reunion.

Officials are expecting all residents of Donley county 20 years or longer to attend and bring a basket lunch.

Congressman Marvin Jones has been invited to deliver the principal address. Other speakers will be announced as soon as the program is completed, Mr. Raines said.

LEGIONNAIRES ELECT OFFICERS

L. E. THOMPSON SUCCEEDS B. C. ANTROBUS AS POST COMMANDER

Legionnaires of Aubyn E. Clark Post No. 128, American Legion, elected L. E. Thompson, local hardware dealer, as post commander for the coming year, at the regular monthly meeting Tuesday night, at the Legion Hall.

Thompson succeeds B. C. Antrobus as commander. Installation of officers will be held at the September meeting.

Other officers elected are as follows:
1st Vice Commander, Ralph Andis; 2nd Vice Commander, Nathan Cox; Adjutant, R. M. Chunn, Chaplain, Walter Clifford; Sergeant-at-Arms, Tom Tucker; Service Officer, C. J. Douglas; Historian, Jerome Stocking; Liaison Officer, B. C. Antrobus.

W. O. Hommel, Dr. M. L. Stricklin and Van Kennedy were named on the executive committee.

Delegates of the state convention at Austin, Aug. 28-30 are L. E. Thompson, Nathan Cox, R. M. Chunn and Joe Holland.

Alternates are C. J. Douglas, B. C. Antrobus, R. W. Moore and Tom Tucker.

Band Sets \$250.00 Goal For Year

Parents of the members of the C. H. S. band in a meeting Monday afternoon voted to hold a meeting once a month on the first Monday at the Junior High. A transportation committee to be appointed by Mrs. Fred Chamberlain and composed of mothers of the band members will find transportation for all out of town trips this year.

The most important decision of the meeting was to buy \$250 worth of new instruments, including a bass horn, baritone saxophone, and alto horn this year. The money for these is to be raised by donations and benefit programs.

The drive for the \$250 will start Friday and everyone who is interested is asked to contribute to the fund. The new instruments will increase efficiency of the band greatly.

LATEST ELECTION RETURNS

Latest returns to the Texas Election Bureau show the following totals for gubernatorial candidates in the July 23 primary:
Brogden, 1,503; Crowley, 8,243; Farmer, 4,147; Ferguson, 3,803; Hunter, 113,516; King, 754; McCoy, 1,729; McCraw, 150,940; Miller, 775; O'Daniel, 546,517; Renfro, 8,703; Self, 1,461; Thompson, 212,651.

KUTEMAN TEST IS DOWN 1,100 FEET

OPERATORS INVITE PUBLIC TO SEE DRILLING OPERATIONS AT WELL

Drilling operations on the Robinson-Jones, Nellie Kuteman No. 1 oil test well south of Hedley were resumed Tuesday morning at 11:20 o'clock after being shut down for about three weeks to set surface casing and obtain a sufficient supply of water for the boilers.

At 4:30 Wednesday afternoon a depth of 1,145 feet had been reached.

The well will be drilled to a depth of 4,500 feet if oil in paying quantities is not reached before that depth. When negotiations were first made for drilling the well a contract was made to drill 3,500 feet but since Robinson and Jones took over operations and interest in the project has increased, the well will be drilled to 4,500 feet.

Officials in charge of operations report that formations in the well are running 300 to 500 feet higher than the same formations in Gray county, and other wells drilled in Donley county, according to well logs, and is in line with reports of geologists who have surveyed the area.

C. B. Jones and H. C. Robinson, operators of the well, said, "We have received more co-operation we have ever drilled, and we in Donley county than any place vites the public to come to the location, one and one-half miles south of Hedley and see the large rotary rig in operation."

Drilling crews are working in three tours of eight hours each. There are six men in each working tour.

The well is operating under a large steel derrick, one of the most modern in use in the oil drilling industry, and equipment is the latest manufactures, it was said.

The modern equipment enables the crews to drill an average of about 75 feet per hour.

Eight inch casing, which will be set at about 3,000 feet will be hauled to the site beginning today, the operators said.

Baptist Meeting Is Successful

The Baptist meeting which closed Sunday night was quite successful. Six persons were baptized and joined the church. Members of the church expressed the opinion that Dr. Williams is one of the best preachers who has ever been here. They were also very pleased with Mr. Easum, the choirist.

It is felt that the meeting uplifted the spirit of the church and will result in a much more interested congregation. Good crowds attended all the services and expressed satisfaction with the meeting.

Farm Measuring To Be Completed Soon

Plotting of farm crops on aerial maps and measuring of land from the maps, in Donley county is expected to be completed by August 15, H. M. Breedlove, county agent, announced this week.

A crew of 15 supervisors and 15 helpers is in the field plotting the crops on the maps.

Three shifts of planimeter operators are at work in the county agent's office measuring the plots. As soon as the acreage has been determined on a large scale map the figures are transferred to compliance forms and producers will be notified as to their acreage of various crops, Breedlove added.

TENNESSEE, FT. WORTH FAMILIES VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stallings and family consisting of a son and two daughters, of Lindell, Tenn., arrived here Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Stallings.

The Tennessee family were accompanied from Ft. Worth by Mrs. Bera McGee. G. W. Stallings is an uncle of D. O. Stallings and Mrs. McGee is D. O. Stallings' cousin.

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HIGHWAY 88-18 PROMOTION PROGRESSES

The success of the plea before the Texas Highway Commission at San Antonio Monday seeking the immediate permanent survey of the designated proposed route from Clarendon South to Turkey, as joining Highways 88 and 18 is another solid achievement pointing to the ultimate realization of the plans for a border-to-border highway through Clarendon and for the convenience of state and national traffic.

The 540-mile almost air line, Perryton to Del Rio route by joining 88-18-30 and 70 was brought a deal nearer practical achievement by the Commission order for immediate permanent survey of the gap between Clarendon and Turkey.

We progress as we persistently and intelligently promote the worthwhile things of life.

RECOMMENDING EARLY PLANS

Our esteemed contemporary, The Paducah Post, comments on the movement started in Clarendon a few days ago to lay plans for the 1939 Fourth of July Celebration, and commends the foresightedness of the idea as follows:

"The first issue of The Clarendon News following the Fourth of July, carried an article asking the people of that city if they favored a two day celebration in 1939, rather than the one day event held this year. Persons favoring the two day affair were asked to contact the Chamber of Commerce secretary.

"Someone is making use of his gift of foresight in getting this proposition before the people in ample time—Clarendon is looking into the future a whole year towards planning another celebration—before the people have scarcely stopped talking about the one just passed. We think they have something there. There was talk this year of Paducah having a celebration on the fourth, but plans were not begun in time. Since this is a next year country, what is wrong with Paducahites starting the formulation of a few plans for the Fourth next year?—keep our people at home and also keep their money here. The Jubilee celebration here in 1936 proved that Paducah can really put over the deal.

"The Clarendon article brings out as the advantage of starting plans early, the fact that early plans and contacts will result in the highest form of entertainment being provided for the coming year, with possibly a two day showing of a large rodeo and other star attractions . . ."

INTERNATIONAL ETIQUETTE

Did you read about it? The exchange of speeches when Russia's new Ambassador to Germany presented his credentials to Hitler was utterly devoid of the customary expressions of burning affection and mutual devotion. There was almost a touch of chill in the air. The whole thing was completely lacking in sentimentality. The two didn't even kiss.

Things are coming to a pretty pass. Before you know it these modern diplomats won't even be bothering with touching gloves first; they won't even be waiting for the bell.—Shamrock Texan.

THE HORNETS' NEST



JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"That Boy That's Striking Matches, Is He Your Brother?"
 "Nix. I'm Just Mindin' Him!"

"A GOOD DAY'S WORK"

Peter Molyneux, student of political trends, and long observer of Texas government, carried a thoughtful article in his Texas Weekly last week entitled, "The O'Daniel Victory and its Significance," beginning with the statement, "The people of Texas did a good day's work last Saturday."

From a personal acquaintanceship of over ten years, with Mr. O'Daniel, the writer says the colorful nominee for governor of Texas is a sincere, kindly man, the very opposite of the elements that make a demagogue. Basing his appraisal of the man on his experienced understanding of business, capital and labor relationship, Mr. Molyneux says, "The point we are making is that Lee O'Daniel is no demagogue, who made wild promises during the campaign with the object of obtaining votes. He is precisely the opposite of a demagogue. He is no 'wealth divider' of the Huey Long or Dr. Townsend type. What he said in practically all his speeches was that what Texas needs is not a 'division' of the wealth, but a 'multiplication' of the wealth. The very heart of his 'gospel' was that the wealth of Texas must be increased, and that only hard work could increase it. And the big thing, the significant thing, is that the common people heard him gladly."

Mr. O'Daniel will likely make mistakes in the governor's chair—Texas is used to that, all her governors have made mistakes—but The News is glad that our state is to have the guidance of a Christian gentleman who views state problems from the standpoint of business and human sympathy, than from the narrow view of partisan politics.

We join Mr. Molyneux in the belief that the people of Texas did a "good day's work" when they nominated W. Lee O'Daniel without a run-off in the July primary.

The bush does not forsake its folwer; petal by petal the rose falls from the bush.

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS JR.

AUSTIN—The honeymoon is over, and the first signs of discord between the ill-assorted groups who rolled up such a tremendous majority for W. Lee O'Daniel as Democratic gubernatorial nominee, developed over the week-end, in the wake of county Democratic conventions. In Fort Worth, the nominee's home town, the "Blue Shirt" O'Danielites, led by Joe Stedham, labor leader, walked out, after bitterly assailing the "chamber of commerce bunch" which he accused of steam rolling the convention. Frank Rawlings, ex-senator and political de luxe, was floor leader.

In San Antonio, the Quinn city machine, which has been running political affairs for a good many years, controlled the convention, and a 'rump' session was held by O'Daniel delegates who walked out. There will be a contest for recognition at the Beaumont convention Sept. 13. There was also a split convention in Houston.

COLLINS TALKS

In Dallas, the convention was especially interesting. Carr P. Collins, reputed to be closer to the throne than any other man with O'Daniel, dominated the session. As a result of the influence of Collins, an ardent dry, the Dallas delegates will take to Beaumont resolutions declaring the sale of beer and wine unconstitutional and calling upon the Legislature to bar their sale by the drink throughout Texas. It also urged stronger laws against book-makers, and gamblers, and altogether was a distinct shock to the liberal element in Dallas, whose support was enlisted for O'Daniel on the plea that he was a sensible business man and liberal in his views.

SAVE JUDGES, IS PLEA

Collins also indicated that even O'Daniel leaders are fearful of a 'sweep them out of office' hurricane started by the flour man. Collins urged Democrats in the runoff primary to "find out about the candidates and vote for the best interest of Texas," declaring that there are some men in office who ought to be re-elected, and some down at Austin who ought to be defeated. J. L. Groggans, permanent chairman, seconded the warning not to defeat all present office holders, by adding especially in our judiciary.

Job hunters were warned by Collins that O'Daniel will fill the jobs on merit alone, and told bluntly not to ask the aid of himself (Collins) to get jobs as rewards for political aid because he would not do it.

Reports from rural counties generally indicated O'Daniel supporters were given a free hand. The difficulty at Beaumont will be composing the various fractions who cast 525,000 votes for the flour man. They entertain the most widely varied views on many public questions.

NO NAME CHANGER

Judge Richard Critz, of the Supreme Court of Texas, has always suffered from a slight political handicap because many voters are not familiar with the proper pronunciation of his name. It is pronounced Critz to rhyme with grits. When Judge Critz was considering plans for his runoff campaign last week, somebody suggested that he go to Court and legally change the spelling of his name to Crites.

My ancestors fought in the Revolutionary war, and my father fought in the Confederate Army, and that name was good enough for them. I wouldn't change it for all the votes in Texas, Judge Critz replied.

Then a clever publicity man met the problem by thinking up a slogan: 'Critz for the people's rights' to guide the voters.

FLOOD AFFECTS POLITICS

Out of a raging flood in the Colorado river which tore through five counties, destroyed several bridges, damaged highways and washed away 10 to 20 million dollars worth of farmer's crops ready to harvest, may come one of the significant political developments of the year. Charging that the Colorado River Authority had filled Buchanan Dam with water preparatory to generating a lot of power to sell in nearby cities, and wouldn't let the lake level down even when warned of the flood coming, irate farmers in the five affected counties met in Austin with Gov. Allred and other officials, and demanded a Senate investigating committee probe. Chairman Tom Holbrook no lover of the New Deal and its power-selling theories, called the committee to meet August 8.

The farmers contend dams must be used either for power or for flood control, primarily and can't serve both purposes effectively. They charge the Authority officials sacrificed their crops and homes to their burning desire to generate and sell power. Then, they answered the criticism of the ruined farmers with the arrogance characteristic of bureaucrats, and further angered their protestants. Congressman Lyndon Johnson, of the Austin district, an ardent Government power advocate, is "on a spot" politically over the sit-

uation, and though he has no opponent this year, is reported looking apprehensively toward the primary election two years hence since the flood.

ALLRED TO QUIT SOON?

Hinting broadly that he will step out of the Governor's office near September 1, Gov. Allred exhibited his commission as U. S. Judge for the Southern Texas district, and talked to friends this week about the tremendous congestion of the docket of the new court. It will open for business Sept. 5, with more cases set for trial than any other Federal District Court in the United States. Best guessers feel sure Judge Allred will be on the bench. That will give Walter Woodul, lieutenant governor, about four and one-half months to serve as Governor. Meanwhile, Woodul, high man in the first primary for Attorney General, was vigorously prosecuting his runoff race with Gerald C. Mann, ex-SMU football star of Dallas.

GOLDSTON NEWS

(Mrs. M. Grant)

We are having lovely weather now, but it has been pretty hot.

Bro. King and Brother Salley started a meeting Monday night. Bro. King did the preaching.

A good-sized crowd attended Mrs. Grays quilting Thursday of last week. Two quilts were tacked out.

Tom Zeigler visited at Mr. Zeigler's last week.

Mr. Risley went to Memphis one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stegall have been here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Zoro Hudson went home with her mother to Colorado where she will visit a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dilli last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart and Miss Ura, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Veazy visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant called on Mr. and Mrs. Zeigler Sunday afternoon.

WHITE, CLEAN—Cotton Rags wanted at the News Office.

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State's Wonders And Beauties Is Advertising Theme

CORSICANA — An advertising campaign designed to whet the interest of Texans in the scenic, recreational and travel opportunities in Texas will be released to Texas Newspapers within a few days. Datus E. Proper, executive vice-president of The Texas Good Roads Association, has announced. Final details were worked out by Mr. Proper in a conference with Lowry Martin, President of the Association.

The campaign will consist of a series of advertisements presented by The Texas Good Roads Association showing the wonders and beauties of Texas. The advertisements have been prepared in mat form and will be released through the offices of The Texas Press Association, which endorsed the movement at its recent annual convention. The material will include one full page, attractively designed layout and a page of 15 smaller mats.

The movement has the approval of the Texas Highway Commission, the Texas Traffic Safety Association, chambers of commerce and other civic organizations.

Texas has been slow to stimulate traffic. Many Texans are wholly unaware of the wonderful things scattered through this broad state of ours. The purpose of this effort is to give Texans a better appreciation of their state and to arouse in them an interest to visit spots of rare scenic, recreational and historic value. Texas has everything for the tourist and, we believe, most of them would "See Texas First" if properly encouraged to do so. A brief tour to any part of Texas will convince any motorist that there are splendid opportunities in his own back yard for a zestful, thrill packed vacation or travel tour. Let's "See Texas First." Then when we visit the other states we will be better able to sell Texas to tourists in other areas. Let's get acquainted with the Big Bend, the wonderful Texas Panhandle country, the giant forests and oil fields in East Texas, the beauties of the Texas coast and the magic Rio Grande Valley. Then more effectively we can sell Texas to the world and bring in a golden flow of new, tourist dollars.

ACCOUNTS CREDITED

The Social Security Board has begun to credit the social security accounts of workers with wages reported paid to them by employers. By July, the Board expects to be able to tell wage earners how much in wages has been posted to their accounts.

Wilma Dee Smith left Wednesday to visit Louise Smith in Pampa.

LIBRARY NOTES

(By Mrs. C. A. Burton)

Just a half dozen new books to report this week. Two of them are by that very popular author, Grace Livingstone Hill. They are "The Mystery of Mary" and "A New Name." "The Young Mrs. Meigs" is by Elizabeth Corbett, and "A Certain Crossroad" by another very popular author, Emilie Loring. The next two are boys' books by an author whom they like, Leroy W. Snell—"The Shadow Patrol" and "The Challenge of the Aukon." Both seem to be mystery stores and mystery stories have never been more popular, at least by our readers. Even the little tots who must still be read to inquire very naively if I have any mystery stories for them.

Then another type of books which is always popular is the Westerns. At the recent meeting of the American Library Association in Kansas City, Walter S. Campbell—known to the reading world as Stanley Vestal—educator and writer gave an address on "Hercic Aspects of the Old West" in which he gave some rather illuminating reasons for this. In part he said, "If it be true that literature of a people reflects their major interests and undertakings, it is hardly surprising that the life of the frontier bulks so large in American books and magazines. For every portion of this country was, at one time, on the frontier and the conquest of the continent has been the main business of Americans from the day when the first Europeans sighted North America down almost, if not quite, to our own day. Indeed, leaving out of account the ravages of the Civil War, one may say with full assurance that pushing the frontier forward cost more in effort, blood, and money, in courage, fortitude, and labor than all our other national enterprises combined.

Such an effort, lasting for centuries, was bound to have its literary expression. This has resulted in a widespread popularity for the books and stories and poems which celebrate the national effort. As with all popular, much of it is cheap and tawdry; on the other hand, much of it is fine and intelligent." Then he goes on to discuss the growth of our national life and some of the factors which have entered into it—the rapid changes. He says, "Recently, in Oklahoma City, a leading citizen, Mr. Colcord, died. He had begun life as a buffalo hunter, had developed into a cowboy, a rancher, a farmer, business man and industrialist. He began life with a rifle and a saddle and a skinning knife; he died possessed of oil wells and factories, with an office in a skyscraper. In one lifetime, he passed through every stage of culture from that of the savage hunter to that of the modern citizen: His life was typical of many." And Mr. Campbell closes with this most interesting summary. "The moral values of the literature of the West, however observed by the smoke of six-shooters, are there none the less. Men are more capable of great virtues than small ones. That fact is the justification of the adventure story, wherever the scene may be laid. In a world like ours, with mounting dangers and problems, great virtues are likely to be more in demand than small ones. If the youth of our land is to retain and exercise these heroic virtues, it must have imaginative experience of them. Just here lies the service which the history and fiction of the old west, intelligently handled, may perform. We should help youth to distinguish between motives which are low and selfish, brutal and stupid, and those of courage and honor. We cannot meet the emergencies of life without courage. Men must be brave. Whatever it requires to make their hearts strong must be provided. That it seems to me, is the great function of the literature of the American frontier."

Kenneth Roberts' next book, "March to Quebec" is due to be published next month. It is said that he is using the source material gathered in the writing of "Arundel." The latest book by this author of "Northwest Passage," published only a short time ago was "Trending into Maine."

Let me close with these words from the great English author, Charles Kingsley: "Except a living man, there is nothing more wonderful than a book!—a message to us from the dead, from human souls we never saw, who lived, perhaps, thousands of miles away. And yet, these, in those little sheets of paper speak to us, arouse us of paper, speak to us, arouse us, open their hearts to us as brothers."

HERBINE

When headache, dizziness, sour stomach, biliousness, nausea, lack of appetite, and listlessness or that tired feeling, are associated symptoms of temporary constipation, HERBINE will bring relief. It is strictly a vegetable medicine, free from harsh mineral salts. 60c a bottle.

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Robert Young and Luise Rainer in "The Toy Wife" ACADEMY AWARD WINNERS MAVE DRAMATIC ROLE ROMANCE OF OLD SOUTH

Old New Orleans in its picturesque period after the acquisition of Louisiana from France by the United States forms the background for Luise Rainer's most colorful costume role in "The Toy Wife," which opens a three day showing at the Pastime Theatre Sunday.

The Anne Held of "The Great Ziegfeld," the Chinese peasant woman of "The Good Earth" and the Rumanian immigrant girl of "Big City," Miss Rainer now turns to the plantation life of the old South as "Froufrou" Brigard, shallow and frivolous daughter of French aristocracy.

Two leading men, Melvyn Douglas and Robert Young, appear opposite her, Douglas returning to the type of role he played as John Randolph in Joan Crawford's "The Gorgeous Hussy." He is seen as George Sartoris, attorney and rising politician who becomes Froufrou's husband.

From the role of the young political idealist in "Three Comrades," Young turns to the opposite extreme as Andre Vallaire, roistering young scapace who falls who falls in love with "Froufrou" and finally persuades her to leave her husband and run away with him to New York.

Barbara O'Neil, well-known Broadway actress, heads the supporting cast as Miss Rainer's elder sister who becomes involved in the triangular romance. H. B. Warner has a strong role as Miss Rainer's father and others featur-

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PINEAPPLE JUICE, 3 for 25c

STRING BEANS, No. 2, 3 for 25c

Tomato Juice, each, 7c

BAKING POWDER, 25 oz. can 18c

LARD, 8 lb Carton 89c

FLOUR, Light Crust, 48 lb \$1.59

RICE FLAKES, White House, pkg. 10c

PICKLES, Short Qt., bottle 15c

TRY-TRIX, package 10c

COFFEE, Schillings', 2 lb can 54c

Bananas, doz. 15c

LETTUCE, nice heads, 5c

Pastime Theatre

Matinee Every Day 2:00 Evening Show 8:00

KEEP COOL

Last Times, Friday Aug. 5 Humphrey Bogart, Weaver Bros. and Elvira in "Swing Your Lady" Fox Movietone News 10 - 25c

Saturday Only, Aug. 6 Clarence E. Mulford's "Cassidy of Bar 20" With William Boyd and Russell Hayden Musical Comedy Admission, Matinee 10c to all Night 10 - 15c

Sat. Midnight Show, Aug. 6 FREE—Coca Cola to be served to everyone attending the Mid-night show. A Merry-Go-Round of Love, Laughs and Murder Melvyn Douglas and Florence Rice in "Fast Company" Paramount Variety 10 - 25c

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Musical Comedy, "Snow Gets in Your Eyes" 10 - 25c

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WALLACE BERRY in "PORT OF SEVEN SEAS" **MICKEY ROONEY** in "LOVE FINDS ANNY HARDY"

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FOR SALE—John Deere row binder, practically new and in first class shape. Brumley & Rundell. 31-2tc

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FOR SALE—Modern 4-room house at Canyon, Texas, 4-blocks from square, quarter block, garage, chicken houses, fenced with chicken wire. Property occupied by owner, clear, and in splendid condition, early possession. Address Box 355, Canyon, Texas 27-1tc

CORRECTION

The News wishes to correct last week's story about the burning of Irene's Beauty Shop. The house and part of the equipment belonged to Mrs. Irene Mitchell of Dallas. The equipment was a total loss as was part of the household furniture. Miss Rhodes did not have insurance on her equipment. Mrs. Mitchell had only a small amount of insurance on the building.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Robt. S. McKee, pastor
Sunday:
10:30 a. m., The Morning Worship.
11:00 a. m., The Sermon, "Christ the pattern of the Christian Life."
11:30 a. m., The Church School. There will be no evening service.
Wednesday afternoon, The Circles of the Auxiliary will meet.
Saturday 3:15 p. m., The Choir Rehearsal.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

E. D. Landreth, Pastor
The pastor will preach Sunday at 10:50 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.
Sunday School session 9:45 to 10:45.
A hearty welcome and a helpful service is provided for those who will worship with us.
E. D. Landreth, pastor.

ST. JOHN BAPTIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Newton C. Smith, Rector
Eighth Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion and sermon at 9:00 o'clock.
A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us at this Service.
Newton C. Smith, Rector

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

Political ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Clarendon News is authorized to present the following candidacies to the voters of Donley County, subject to the Democratic primaries in 1938:

For County Tax Assessor and Collector:
J. W. (Jess) ADAMSON
JOE BOWNDS

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
J. H. HERMESMEYER
J. D. WOOD

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Robert E. Austin, Minister
Frank White, Jr., superintendent
Wilfred Hott, song leader.
Bible school, 9:45.
Lord's Supper, 11:00.
Morning sermon, 11:30.
Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m.
Evening Services, 8:00 p. m.

HEDLEY (Pauline Stone)

Mrs. Sam Workman of Bonham visited Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Randall last week.

Miss Thelma Pierce visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pierce in Clarendon last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Stone and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Dickson.

Mrs. Jack Land and children, Jackie and Patricia are visiting at Eldorado, Okla. this week.

George Lighan of Eldorado, Okla. is visiting in the J. C. McAlister home.

Miss Coleen Abernathy has returned home after a month's visit in Hollis, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hall and children are vacationing in Colorado this week.

Nazarine Meeting:
A meeting is now in progress at the Church of the Nazarine with Rev. Leona Forbes, pastor of the Ropesville church. Miss Louita Ludlam of Amarillo is the pianist. Everyone is invited to attend.

Everett Mann and son of Norfolk, Va. visited in the R. E. Mann home last week.

Miss Betty Jo McKee visited in Memphis Tuesday.

Farellita Seets of Newlin spent last week here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas visited Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Sunday.

Boaz Scott is visiting Coyte Doherty this week.

SEE SHOOTING STARS

An unusual display of shooting stars was observed in the heavens Monday night. Clarendon residents reported seeing five stars shoot out into space in huge brilliance, the stars moving in a northerly direction.

Stamp Pad Ink at The News.

Young Visitor



SAM HARBEN BRASWELL, Kerrville, Texas

Sam Harben Braswell, of Kerrville, is here for a few weeks visit in the home of his grandfather, Editor Sam M. Braswell. "Harbie," as he is familiarly known, has visited here before and took advantage this week of his grandfather's trip to San Antonio to return here with him for a vacation before school time rolls around again.

"Harbie" prefers Clarendon to any other Texas town, and says he is going to go to Clarendon Junior College when he gets around to it. He is the red-headed light of the home of Sam Braswell, Jr., home in Kerrville, and keeps his grandfather feeling old and young in varying and alternate degrees.

SAME TAX RATE IS CONTINUED

AUSTIN—Continuation for another year of the present property tax rate of 49 cents on the \$100 valuation was voted last week by the automatic tax board.

Many persons interested in the public schools had urged that the rate for school purposes be increased substantially from the present 7 cents on \$100.

The rates for the general and confederate pension funds were retained at their constitutional maxima of 35 and 7 cents respectively.

Comptroller George H. Shepard estimated the 7-cent school levy would be sufficient to support a per capita state aid apportionment of \$21.40.

Members of the automatic tax board are Governor James V. Allred, Comptroller George H. Shepard and Treasurer Charley Lockhart. Lockhart favored raising the school rate to 10 cents but his colleagues took the position that under the law they could not increase it.

The board unanimously adopted a resolution urging the legislature to clarify statutes governing the school rate. The resolution said further that determination of the per capita apportionment was a legislative function.

Dave McCleskey Killed In Crash

According to information from Mineral Wells this week, Dave McCleskey, 55, farmer-rancher of Perrin, and brother of George H. McCleskey of this city, was killed instantly Monday afternoon when the car he was driving was struck by a truck.

He was entering the highway near Perrin from a side road when his car and the truck collided.

McCleskey was born in Weatherford and moved to Perrin 10 years ago. He was a member of a pioneer family, one of the oldest in that part of the state. His mother, Mrs. W. B. McCleskey, is the oldest living resident of Parker county.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Woodmen of the World, and the Baptist Church. He was buried at Dacey, nine miles out of Weatherford.

Besides his brother here he is survived by his widow, two sons, Pete McCleskey of Mineral Wells and Ed McCleskey of Dallas; two daughters, Mrs. Travis Mask of Perrin and Mrs. Ned Mabry of Breckenridge; another brother, Ned McCleskey of Mineral Wells; four sisters, Mrs. Ralph Hebbard, Weatherford; Mrs. Elmo Wall, Lubbock; Mrs. John A. Miller, Colton, Cal.; Mrs. G. A. Turpin of Fort Worth and his mother.

Mr. McCleskey was on his way to Weatherford to attend a family reunion when the accident occurred.

HAIL HITS DONLEY CROPS SATURDAY

Hail damaged cotton crops in the east section of Donley County Saturday when it cut a three-mile strip in the Spade Flat country. More than 20 farmers suffered a total loss south of Alanreed where crops were beaten flat.

Hail also did serious damage in the Chamberlain community. A number of farmers in that section were protected with hail insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Andis and son, Billy Ralph, are vacationing in New Mexico this week.



The Fatted Calf

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

Just because the man in the parable killed the fatted calf when his prodigal son came home hungry is no reason for folks who raise calves to do without fresh meat until some occasion for celebration arises. With all due reverence for the spiritual implications of the Bible story, it also teaches a very practical lesson, which is as useful today in America as it was in Palestine two thousand years ago.

The custom of fattening a calf for the home table is an old one and a good one. Abraham and Lot, like other range cattlemen, had to depend on grass fattened beef, which was sometimes good and most of the time not so good, but when their posterity settled down to farming they were able to fatten a calf or lamb at any time of the year by feeding some of the crops they raised.

The old-fashioned "beef club" in which several families take turns in killing a fat calf and divide the meat into portions of family size is still a good way for country people to have fresh meat every week. They are not as common as they were a generation ago, when nearly every farm had cows and raised their calves but with auto transportation a "beef club" can be organized over a much wider territory than formerly, and there is scarcely a community without eight to a dozen families who have calves to fatten.

A Wilson county (Texas) beef club which has been in operation for many years brings all the animals to George Boehning's farm where slaughtering facilities have been provided. A blackboard on the wall keeps the record of the different cuts allotted to each family, so that in the long run each gets back an entire beef. A central slaughtering place

is desirable, but not indispensable, if each of the members know how to dress and cut up the carcass in standard portions. With ice or mechanical refrigerators now so common on farms a family can use a larger portion of fresh meat than formerly.

The refrigerated locker system is being installed in many ice plants in the Southwest, and farmers can rent a locker for about \$1 a month. The carcass is cut up and the cuts wrapped separately in butcher's paper; the temperature in the locker-room is kept well below freezing, and the family withdraws the cuts as wanted—enough for the day's cooking or whatever can be cared for in the household refrigerator. This enables a single family to kill fresh meat any time in the year, reduces the cost of living and makes a good living better.

Of course the steam pressure canner also provides a method of saving meat at any time of the year and thousands of families make a practice of putting up a year's supply of meat in cans. Not long ago the writer dropped into an Oklahoma farm home on wash-day just before noon. In a few minutes the lady served a good dinner from the pantry, including delicious beef from the can, fresh-heated in the oven.

After all, the method of handling fresh meat is secondary. The famous recipe of Welsh rabbit began with "first catch your rabbit." Before we can kill the "fatted calf" we must raise the calf and get him fat.

Maybe, too, if more fatted calves were killed and eaten on the farms where they grow, there would be fewer prodigal sons. A farm boy ought not to have to go to a restaurant in town to learn what fresh meat tastes like.

Funeral Is Held For Mrs. DeHart

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Joe DeHart were conducted Sunday afternoon at 6:00 o'clock at the Clarendon Church of Christ by the minister, H. V. Crumley. Burial followed in Citizens Cemetery under the direction of the Buntin Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Fred Rathjen, Odos Caraway, J. A. Warren, Olin Bain, Carl Saye and U. J. Boston.

Mrs. DeHart, a resident of Donley county for the past 13 years, had been ill for about a year.

Deceased was born October 29, 1895 at Byrd, Texas, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Frazier. She had been a member of the Church of Christ for 28 years.

Mrs. Dehart is survived by her husband, S. A. DeHart, two sons, Arthur and Frank; two daughters, Dorothy and Billy Lois, all of Clarendon; a sister, Mrs. Donna Hodge, California, and one brother, Jim Frazier of Electra.

BANKRUPT SALE WILL CLOSE SATURDAY, AUG. 13

The Bankrupt Sale of the former Rieger Dry Goods Co. stock will close Saturday, August 13, N. Muehlburger, manager of the store, said this week in announcing the close of the sale in an advertisement.

After the sale closes, the store will remain at its present location and will do business under the name of The Bargain Store, a branch of The Bargain Store at Wichita Falls.

Mr. Muehlburger will be in active charge of the store.

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2,250,000 BALES ARE SEEN AS TEXAS COTTON CROP

Texas will produce 3,250,000 bales of cotton this year and the nation 1,000,000 bales, J. A. Stewart, veteran Atlanta (Ga.) crop reporter, predicted Monday in Dallas at the cotton exchange.

Mr. Stewart said he would include these figures in his reports to his 200 client cotton mills, oil mills and merchants throughout the country. The best cotton he has seen thus far, and he has traversed all the Southern States, is the cotton around Dallas, he said. The crop in the Carolinas, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi has been hard hit by rain and resulting insects and rank growth, he added.

Texas produced approximately 5,250,000 bales of cotton last year, when a bumper crop was picked.

Mrs. Guy Kerbow and family moved to Pampa to make their home.

DO YOU KNOW—

That the Albatross is one of the largest sea-birds known, some measuring 17 feet from tip to tip of expanded wings. It has remarkable powers of flight and has been known to accompany ships for days without ever resting on the waves.



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To The Voters of DONLEY COUNTY

Permit me to express my deepest thanks for the consideration and vote accorded me in the July primary. I shall always cherish the remembrance of such a nearly unanimous vote given me by my friends and neighbors of Donley County in my first bid for public office.

It will be my purpose to serve the county and its citizenship in a manner acceptable to every good citizen, who believes in the enforcement of our laws, without fear or favor.

Sincerely yours,

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(Political Advertisement)

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SOCIETY

John McMahan Weds Alise Price Sunday

John McMahan and Miss Alise Price were married Sunday, July 31 in a quiet ceremony in Sayre, Okla.

The bride wore an alise blue triple sheer dress with harmonizing accessories.

Mrs. McMahan is the niece of Mrs. W. O. Hommel and has visited here often. She attended the University of Oklahoma and was attending a nursing school in San Diego at the time of her marriage. Mr. McMahan is the son of Phin McMahan of this city where he received his education. He also attended West Texas State at Canyon. He is employed at the Palmer Motor Co.

Bird-Blackshear Wedding Tuesday

Miss Ovil Blackshear was married to Lois Bird Tuesday night at the home of Joe Johnston in Lelia Lake. They were unattended.

Mr. Bird is employed by the Highway Department. They will be at home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Burch Are Honored

DIMMITT—Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright entertained with an outdoor party on Thursday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Burch who are leaving Dimmitt for Clarendon as soon as Mr. Burch's successor arrives to take over the work of rural supervisor of Castro County for the Farm Security Administration. Mr. Burch will serve Donley County in that capacity.

Mrs. H. P. Clemmons read a poem dedicated to the Burches. Mr. H. P. Clemmons made a brief talk concerning the value of the honorees to this community. Rev. Wale also made a talk. After the response, the evening was spent informally. Numerous farewell gifts were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Burch.

Surprise Dinner Honors Two

Mrs. A. A. Tolbert and Mrs. B. C. Stone were honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Hunnicutt at Hedley.

Each of the ladies made a birthday cake. The dinner was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. George Hollis, Mr. and Mrs. James Tolbert, Mr. S. M. Hollis, Mrs. A. T. Tolbert and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stone, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Winters, Tom Willis, George Wilkerson and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hunnicutt and family.

Church Societies

The W. M. S. of the Methodist Church had a very interesting and important meeting Wednesday with thirty-eight present. During a short business session, plans were made for the zone meeting to be held here this month and for the annual picnic on the 31st.

Mrs. Elba Ballew led the devotional and Mesdames Elba Ballew, and M. R. Allensworth gave the program on "Brazil." Mrs. S. M. in commemoration of Mrs. W. R. Braswell read a poem, "Beyond" Holder which was followed by a prayer by Mrs. Burton. Mrs. E. D. Landreth and son Joe sang a duet and the meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. Merchant.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church met at the church Wednesday for a business meeting and Bible study. During the business session, officers were elected for the year. Mrs. A. W. Simpson was elected president, Mrs. George McClesky, recording secretary and Mrs. Warren, corresponding secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Joe Goldston led the Bible lesson. Twelve members were present.

1930 Needle Club Meets Tuesday

Mrs. Maggie Hunt was hostess to the 1930 Needle Club Tuesday afternoon at her home. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in sewing and conversation.

The hostess served refreshments to Mesdames Marguerite Carpenter, Nellie Hunter, Nora Decker, Hazel Lusk, Mozelle Wright, Nadine Whitlock, and Mildred Ritter, members; and Mesdames McClenny and W. T. Hays, guests.

The next meeting of the club will be held August 16 with Mrs. Frances Hilliard as hostess.

Jr. H. D. Club Meets Thursday

The Junior Home Demonstration Club held their regular session Thursday, July 28 at the Club Room with Mrs. Mary Wallace as hostess. The meeting was opened with a prayer by the president, Mrs. Mattie Ballew which was followed by a short business meeting.

The hostess served a salad course to the following: Mesdames Ruth Killough, Lucille Chesshir, Hazel Lusk, Martha Bain, Roberta Jennings, Dale Holland, Mattie Ballew and Hattie Palmer.

Dr. H. H. Latson of Amarillo visited Mrs. O. W. Latson Wednesday morning on his way to San Antonio to attend an Army Reserve Officers Summer Training Camp.

KEEP COOL! With These Summer Dessert Secrets



WHEN it's ninety in the shade right after breakfast, the very thought of planning dessert for dinner makes you shudder. But you can laugh at soaring temperatures if you plan the week's desserts ahead of time. Make up a chocolate sundae sauce on baking day and store it in your refrigerator until wanted either for ice cream, cottage pudding, or for a simple milk pudding. And with a reserve supply of cookies to round out a fresh fruit dessert, you've no longer any emergency to meet.

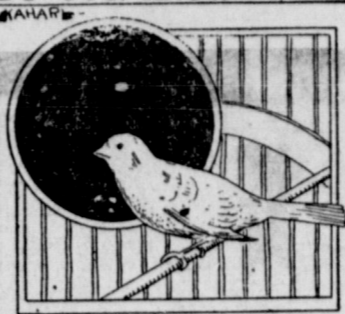
Chocolate Sundae Sauce
2 1/2 squares unsweetened chocolate
1 1/2 cup water
1/2 cup sugar
Dash of salt
Add chocolate to water, bring to a boil and cook 4 minutes, stirring constantly. Add sugar and salt, and boil 4 minutes longer stirring constantly. Serve hot or cold on ice cream, puddings, or cake. Make 1 cup sauce.

Chocolate Macaroons
1 egg whites
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

1/2 squares unsweetened chocolate melted
1 1/2 cups shredded coconut
Beat egg whites until foamy throughout, add sugar, 2 tablespoons at a time, beating after each addition until sugar is blended. Then continue beating until mixture will stand in peaks. Add salt and vanilla. Fold in chocolate, then coconut. Drop from teaspoon on ungreased heavy paper. Bake in slow oven (325° F) 20 minutes, or until done. Cool 5 minutes before removing from paper. Makes 2 dozen 1 1/2 inch macaroons.

Coconut Macaroons
5 tablespoons granulated sugar
5 tablespoons powdered sugar
1 tablespoon flour
2 egg whites
1/4 teaspoon vanilla or almond extract
1 cup shredded coconut
Sift together sugars and flour. Beat egg whites until foamy throughout, then add sugar mixture, 2 tablespoons at a time, beating thoroughly after each addition. Fold in vanilla and coconut. Drop from teaspoon on ungreased heavy paper. Bake in slow oven (325° F) 20 to 25 minutes, or until delicately browned. Makes 18 macaroons.

DO YOU KNOW—



That the canary (named after the Canary Islands) was first introduced into England in the latter part of the 15th or early in the 16th century. In the wild state the plumage is dull greenish in color, streaked with darker shades.

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned in The News. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visit through these pages whenever you go away. We will consider it a courtesy whenever you give us an item of any kind.

WILLARD SKELTON TAKES MERCANTILE TRUCK ROUTE

Willard Skelton, who has been employed at the Bryan Clothing Co., Store for several months, has accepted part-time employment with his brother, Durwood Skelton, a truck driver on a mercantile route. Skelton will continue part-time employment with the Clothing store.

TRUCK, CAR DAMAGED IN CRASH SATURDAY NIGHT

A truck belonging to Raymond Farr was damaged slightly Saturday night when the car occupied by "Skeet" Davis, Kennedy Davis and Marti Kelly crashed into the rear of the truck as it was parked in front of the Mrs. Clifford residence in the west part of Clarendon.

The right fender of the car was damaged. The truck received a bent running board, and damages to the rear part of the dented door.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crumley were business visitors in Lawton, Okla., Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Verna Latson of Tyler is visiting her mother, Mrs. O. W. Latson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stephenson and son were visitors in Amarillo Saturday night.

Isadore Mellinger is in Ft. Worth and Dallas this week attending market.

Jimmy Dean Howze visited the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Clutter in Amarillo.

Mrs. W. H. Martin left Thursday for a trip to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Thigpen and Mrs. Ode McAlbee and children of Childress visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bell Sunday.

Washington County was named for the father of our country. Borden County was named for Gail Borden, Jr.

LOCALS

Canning Interests On Farms Increase

A marked interest in preservation of home produced foods from early gardens is being shown by farm families operating under loans from Farm Security Administration, according to Miss Vera E. Martin, home management supervisor for that agency in Wheeler, Gray, Collingsworth and Donley counties. Gardens in general look good and are making a contribution to family living, although in some spots they have been damaged by hail, wind, grasshoppers and other insects. Good moisture, however, has overcome most of these obstacles.

Canning demonstrations are being planned in all parts of this district and efforts are being made to make use of pressure cookers wherever possible.

As an aid to farm families, information is available from the Farm Security Administration as to suggestions for harvest meals, planning the summer budget, care of poultry and eggs and help in keeping record books of income and expenditures. Record books are being kept by most all families this year.

The stress that has been placed on record books is bearing fruit. They illustrate clearly the dollar and cents value of food produced on the farm and consumed in the home. As a result farm families are more garden conscious than ever before. The farm and home records have proven their worth and all out borrowers are enthusiastic about keeping very complete record books.

She added that if moisture conditions continue satisfactory, many families should establish a new high record on the number of cans filled with fruits and vegetables and the number of pounds of food stored for winter use.

Jane Kerbow of Pampa was in Clarendon Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Crumley returned Wednesday from Pampa where Mr. Crumley has been supplying for M. C. Cuthbertson, minister of the Francis Avenue Church of Christ.

Lee Bell and Homer Taylor left Wednesday morning for Lake Kemp where they will fish a few days. Mrs. Taylor accompanied them as far as Vernon where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, Jr., returned to Clarendon Saturday after spending several days in Oklahoma City on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Weir of McAffen spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Fred Rathjen, enroute home from the Lions convention at Oakland, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greene and Miss Rhoda Weidman are visiting Market in Dallas and Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. J. T. Patman and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Price and daughter, Shirley returned Sunday from a trip to California. Mr. and Mrs. Price left this week for their home in Marion, Ill.

Mrs. J. L. McMurtry was in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Speed and daughter, Mrs. Tom Heatherly and son, left Wednesday for a vacation trip in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bromley and Mrs. Ed Bromley went to Oklahoma over the week-end. Martine Burnett returned with them and will visit for two weeks.

Fannie McGowan left Friday for a three week's vacation in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McElvany of Sapulpa, Okla. visited Mr. McElvany's brother, H. McElvany and family, Monday on their way to California.

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FLOWERS

The liveliest Thought of All . . .

Words cannot express the sentiments that are conveyed by a glowing bouquet of flowers. Whatever the occasion be, contact our local representative and immediate service will be given you by the Panhandle's leading florist.

Cunningham Floral Co. Amarillo Represented by Douglas-Goldston Drug Company.

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

Robertson County was named for Sterling C. Robertson, the empresario.
Coleman County was named for Robert N. Coleman.

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WHEN YOU WANT GOOD QUALITY BEEF FOR A NICE ROAST OR TENDER STEAK—
WE HAVE IT!
The beef is from Fed Calves and is the BEST BABY BEEF on the market today.
We also have—
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Is the Potts Building Adjoining the Potts Barber Shop on the North.
We will be in our New Building with New Equipment—
FRIDAY, AUGUST 5TH
We invite you to visit us and inspect our New and Modern Beauty Shop.
Irene's Beauty Shop
Phone 234-J
Margaret Kerbow—Irene Rhodes—Ailene Rhodes

Geraldine Browder of Ft. Worth has visited here in the home of Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain is visiting friends in Denver and Colorado Springs. She attended the Cheyenne Rodeo with the party of Governor Leche of Louisiana.

Mrs. M. M. Noble left last Thursday after a two weeks visit here.

Leon County was named for Martin de Leon.
DeWitt County was named for Green DeWitt, the empresario.



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Prices on all Cleaning and Pressing and other Tailoring work during—

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Suit, Coats and Dresses . . . 50c (Pick Up and Delivered, 75c)

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Our Student's Specials will receive the same high type of workmanship we have always specialized in. You get more than your money's worth at all times.

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I'VE QUIT WORRYING ABOUT GROCERY BILLS

Ever since I got rid of that monthly nightmare of juggling figures and trying to make my allowance cover my bills, I have been wondering how many other housewives have similar experiences of which they would like to rid themselves.
My worries on that score are over since I buy my food at PIGGLY WIGGLY, and what's more important, I get more and better food for my money.
MORE—because I pay for only what I get and get exactly what I want and pay for.
BETTER—because systematic buying and quick turnover of stock in PIGGLY WIGGLY stores gives me my choice of the world's best brands of food before they have a chance to get stale, and strictly fresh vegetables in season, at surprisingly reasonable prices.

My Dollar Buys More at PIGGLY WIGGLY
Saturday Specials every day in the week

Cherry Queen Picks Cherries for College Education



Miss Josephine LaFrancier, 18, this year's Queen at the Cherry Festival in Traverse City, center of the great Michigan cherry growing region, had a special interest in this year's picking. Her father, owner of one of the largest orchards in the region, gave her the deed to this season's crop to defray her college expenses.



JOHN S. SUMNER, N. Y. VICE CHIEF ASKS HELP IN FIGHT FOR DEGENCY

AFTER twenty-five years as head of the famed New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, John S. Sumner "sums up" in an article in the August issue of Good Housekeeping Magazine by admitting that "While organized societies such as ours can do their part, the fight is really a public fight—it is every decent person's responsibility. In the last analysis the public, and the public conscience, will decide what kind of civilization ours is to be."

During his many years of labor, circumstances have not changed to help in the fight for decency, says Sumner. On the contrary, "in former generations a child brought up in the average home of the day was not easily led into derelictions. Children and parents alike sought and found their entertainment for leisure hours in their homes or in the homes of friends. There did not then exist the massive volume of commercialized distractions with their flamboyant and seductive advertising which now try to take the pennies from the child and the dollars from the night-club habitue. "But more important, our present-day situation is aggravated by the economic depression. Millions are unemployed. Normally nice people out of work sometimes take chances with the law in an effort to make what they are told



John S. Sumner

is easy money. When a man is idle and desperate, he is not unlikely to seek any way by which to earn a few dollars, even though that way borders on illegality and may land him in jail. Thus it is true that the flood of salacious material has increased rather than otherwise. "What to do? In his article, the warrior for decency recommends

that "We must guide our children. And the guided will follow only if they trust the guide. The child must have respect for our tastes and opinions. Did you ever hear your very young daughter settle an argument with a playmate by saying with great emphasis, 'I know it's so because my mother told me'? Then you may be sure you have established a relationship which is priceless. The time will come when your child must realize that you are not infallible; but that won't matter because by then she will know that no one possesses all knowledge. "But if you want the bond of affection between you and your child, you must be honest. I don't believe in giving children fables of the stork. I am against indecency — not against truth. Answer truthfully the questions about birth which your child sometimes puts to you at a surprisingly early age. If a child's curiosity on this momentous subject is not satisfied at home, he will go outside to get information — or rather, misinformation."

As an observer can readily understand, life for the head of the Society for the Suppression of Vice has been no bed of roses. On endless occasions he has been cartooned, lampooned, sued for false arrest and made the butt of cruel jokes. He is called the original "old fogey", but that seems to matter little to him. "I fight the dope of the mind. I fight dirty books, obscene magazines, tawdry, vulgar, and degraded 'objets d'art.' I try to stem the flood of unwarrantably filthy and depraved printed matter which, often created behind locked doors in furtive printing shops, goes forth with the sole purpose of supplying an illegitimate thrill to old fools and to young boys."

"And so," he concludes, "the battle goes on. Indecency continues to appear before us in various forms, threatening the moral health of youth and of many adults. The fight is not won. Perhaps it never will be. But it's a good fight, I think."

SIX 1938 OBJECTIVES FOR FARM WOMEN

Among the six 1938 objectives for farm women suggested by Miss Sallie Hill, home department editor of Progressive Farmer, are the following:

SECURITY OF THE SOIL — Our homes are secure only as long as our soil is secure. Hence soil conservation can well justify its place on this program.

HOSPITAL INSURANCE — Have you investigated this plan for the protection of yourself and family?

ORGANIZATION — As a farm family with pride in your profession, are you a member of a farm organization, farmer-owned and farmer controlled?

SAFER MARRIAGE LAWS — Does your state require bona fide health certificates for contracting parties. One out of ten adults

has syphilis, says Dr. Thomas Parran, surgeon-general of the U. S. Public Health Service.

SAFER PROPERTY LAWS — If your husband dies without a will, do you know whether your state guarantees you a child's part of the property both you and he have accumulated? Or will half of it revert to his family in case there are no children? The latter case is true in some states; make a duly executed will and see that your husband makes one also.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS — On them rests our hope for democracy. It should be the concern of every man and woman that schools be free of political domination.

Ray Ellis of Fort Worth visited Maude Estelle Browder in the home of Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain the past week.

of Texargana, "The Attic is No Place for Children to Play with Matches;" and in the primary division, by James Hardwick of Mineral Wells, "Careless Campers Cause Fires."

Mrs. William McConnell of Panhandle spent the week here.

CLAIMS BEING PAID

Workers in the broad fields of industry and commerce who have reached age 65 since January 1, 1937, are eligible to file claims for lump sum payments. The applications should be sent to the Social Security Board, 1012 Oliver Eakle Building, Amarillo, Texas.

AMERICAN BOY MAGAZINE COMPANION TO THOUSANDS

Teachers, librarians, parents, leaders of boys' clubs and hundreds of thousands of boys, themselves, enthusiastically recommend THE AMERICAN BOY Magazine for all boys over twelve.

"It's more like a companion than a magazine," remarked one high school student. "It gives advice and entertainment on every subject in which a young fellow is interested. I made our school basketball team solely because of playing tips I read in THE AMERICAN BOY."

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THE AMERICAN BOY sells on all newsstands at 15c a copy. Subscription prices are \$1.50 for one year or \$3.00 for three years. To subscribe, simply send your name and address and remittance direct to THE AMERICAN BOY, 7430 Second Blvd., Detroit, Mich. 31-1tp

Fire Prevention Posters Exhibited

AUSTIN — Prize-winning fire prevention posters prepared by Texas public school children last year were recently exhibited in the Library of the University of Texas by the Fire Insurance Division of the State Board of Insurance Commissioners. Each year a poster contest is held by the division in all grades of the public schools, and \$105 in prizes is awarded. Last year more than one thousand entries were submitted.

The display was shown for the benefit of teachers of fire prevention courses who are attending summer school at the University.

First place in the high school division was won by Maggie Wayne Bird of Fort Worth, for her poster "When Habit is a Hazard," showing a lighted cigar at the edge of a desk, drawn in appropriate colors; in the intermediate division, Preston Hatcher

Advertisement for STAR BLADES featuring a dog and the text "A STAR IN THE FIELD! His keen scent makes him a star performer on the field. Keen edges make Star Single-edge Blades star performers on your face! Famous since 1889. 4 FOR 10¢".

Advertisement for STAR BLADES with the text "STAR BLADES FOR GEM AND EVER-READY RAZORS".

Advertisement for Travel TEXAS with a palm tree illustration and the text "Travel TEXAS".

The Rio Grande Valley of the golden citrus is one of the richest agricultural sections of the World. Travelling the roads that wind throughout this fertile section up to the Winter Garden, down to the coast, over to the Border. West toward the hills... will provide a vacation (most fun-filled and long remembered. presented by TEXAS GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION

Harley Sadler's new Stage Show which appears here for two nights brings many new features and is considered one of the biggest and best companies that Mr. Sadler has ever carried. In addition to the regular line vaudeville, orchestra, and special plays, the company has contracted for Lew Childre, nationally famous, and well-known state and recording star, with his River Revelers, famous radio band, which includes Wiley Walker and his fiddle. Among other vaudeville features are: Mary Layne, acrobatic dancer; The Glendale quartet; Jackie Phillips, singer and dancer; Munde and June, jugglers; Jean Oxford, singer and dancer; Bob Silver, vocal soloist; Ray Conlin, Jr., ventriloquist; The Musical Troubadors offer an entertaining presentation. Special scenery is carried for each play. Prices have been reduced, ten cents for the kiddies and twenty-five cents for adults. Numbered chairs fifteen cents extra. The show will be here for 2 nights only. Doors will open at 7:15, curtain will rise at 8:15. The opening play will be a new version of "Trail of the Lonesome Pine."

Tent located at Junior High grounds.

NYA JOBS FOR TECH STUDENTS AVAILABLE

LUBBOCK — National Youth Administration jobs for graduates as well as undergraduates will be available for students at Texas Technological College next scholastic year, according to J. M. Gordon, dean of arts and sciences.

J. C. Kellman, state NYA director, has notified the college that he has received information from Aubrey Williams, executive director, that jobs will be available, but since the Texas program has not yet been set up, it is not known how many college jobs there will be.

A student must have reached his 16th birthday and not have passed his 25th to be eligible for one of the jobs. He must be of "good character" and show his ability for performing good scholastic work, and must be a regular student enrolled for at least three-fourths the normal number of hours of college work.

Maximum to be paid any undergraduate student will be \$20 and the average will be \$15 a month. Under the new program set up for graduate students, the average will be \$30 a month, and the maximum will be \$40. Heretofore, jobs for graduate students have paid the same as those for undergraduates.

Need, scholarship, citizenship, and character have been considered in selection for NYA employees in former years, and only a small per cent of jobs were available in comparison to the number of applicants. It is not known when the college may learn how many jobs are available so that appointments may be made, but officials hope this will be possible by August 15.



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Advertisement for HARLEY SADLER New Stage Show. Includes text: "Coming to Clarendon August 17-18 2 NIGHTS ONLY", "New Stage Show — 40 People 40 — Bigger, Better In Person—Added Feature LEW CHILDRÉ", "The Boy From Alabama — Radio, Stage and Recording Star with Wiley Walker and his Fiddle.", "SINGERS — DANCERS — JUGGLERS", "NEW Plays Adults 25c Remember the Date", "NEW Vodvil Doors Open 7:15 Curtain Rises 8:15 Let's Go! Show at Junior High Grounds", "NEW Features Children 10c".

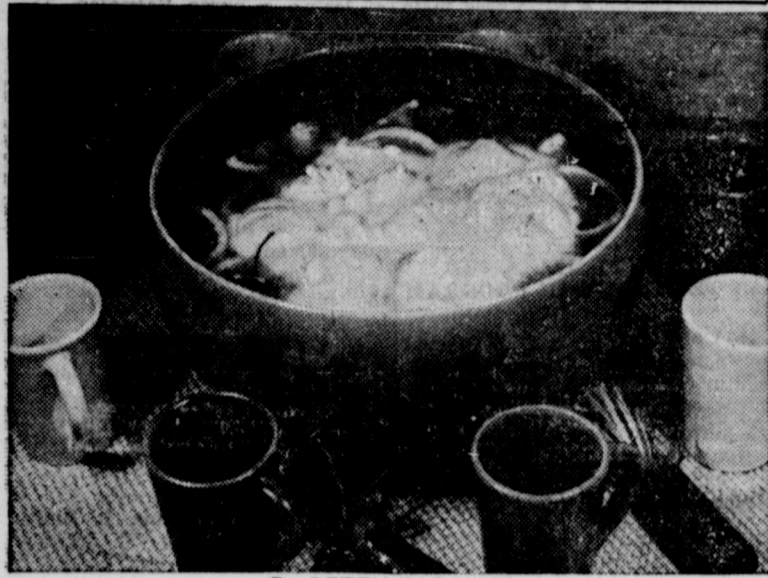
Advertisement for FIRST NATIONAL BANK. Includes text: "1890 — 1938", "From the Beginning...", "The management of this bank has acted on the principle that the only true source of real financial prosperity is to be sought in the deserved confidence of the public.", "Deposits Up to \$5,000 Insured By Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.", "FIRST NATIONAL BANK", "Capital, Surplus And Undivided Profits \$90,000."

Advertisement for PROBAK JUNIOR BLADES. Includes text: "NOW... ENJOY QUALITY SHAVES at a record low price", "4 BLADES only 10¢", "PROBAK JUNIOR BLADES".

Large advertisement for CONOCO BRONZZZZ Gasoline. Features a cartoon character in a hat and the text: "EVEN the folks who travel by thumb can't get around so much cheaper than you can. Just drive in to Your Mileage Merchant's and get all the low-cost mileage of his genuine Conoco Bronz-z-z Gasoline.", "CONOCO BRONZZZZ from your MILEAGE Merchant".

Advertisement for A. BROOKS CHESSHIRE. Includes text: "A. BROOKS CHESSHIRE", "Local Agent", "Gasoline — Phone 222 — Oils and Greases — Phone 222 — Kerosene".

Punch For Summer Parties



By BETTY BARCLAY

The summer beverage parade starts with the Fourth of July. A punch bowl suggests fun and hospitality.

Fortunately California produces a bountiful supply of juicy Valencia oranges, therefore punch parties for patios and picnics are in order.

Picnic Menu

- Chicken Noodle Casserole
Olives Celery Radishes
Tomato and Cucumber Salad
Lettuce Sandwiches
Cherry Pie
Sunkist Iceberg Punch
Sunkist Iceberg Punch
2 cups boiling water
8 teaspoons jasmine tea
1 1/2 cups sugar
5 cups orange juice
1 cup lemon juice
2 quarts ice water, gingerale or charged water

1 quart Lemon Sherbet
Orange slices and cherries or berries for garnish
Pour boiling water over tea. Steep 5 minutes. Strain and add sugar to warm liquid.

Lemon Sherbet

2 cups sugar
1 cup water
2 stiffly beaten egg whites
1 cup lemon juice
1 cup water
Boil sugar and water together for 5 minutes. Fold sirup into egg whites. Add lemon juice and water, beating in well.

The Low Down FROM HICKORY GROVE

I have been half-way afraid that I might have to quit reading just the front page, and turn clear back to the funnies, now that Congress has gone home.

councils, etc.—or anybody who can sniff cash, from far away. And old Samuel, he has only one place to get the money, and it is from your own tax collector, so anything anybody gets from Wash., it is just your own money.

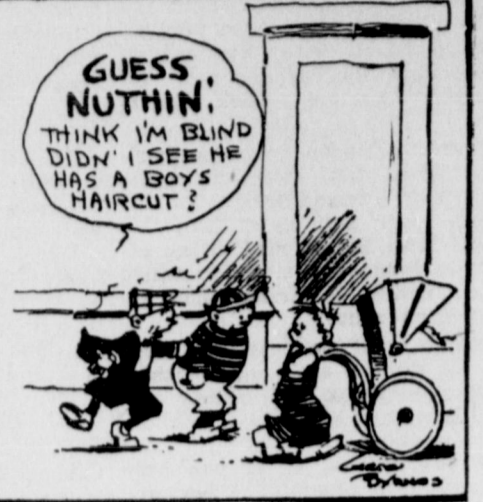
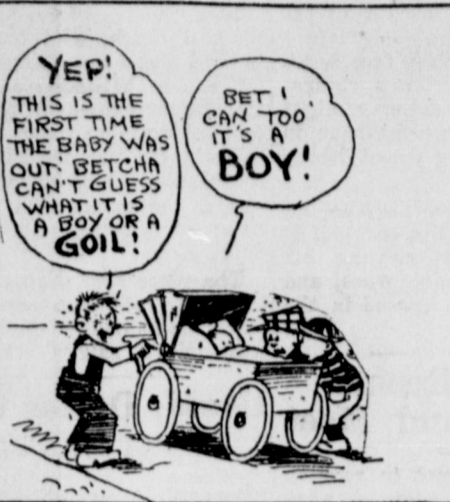
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Clean Cotton Rags at the News Office

Advertisement for Sinclair H-C Gasoline featuring a cartoon character and the slogan 'YOU'LL LIKE THE WAY SINCLAIR H-C TREATS YOU!'.

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

REG'LAR FELLERS



But. That's No Sure Sign These Days

By Gene Byrnes

News of Interest to Donley Farmers

Prepared by Extension Service
Texas A. & M. College

SELL FEEDSTUFFS THROUGH LIVESTOCK

Farmers of the Southwest have produced large crops of grains and other feedstuffs. Although there are a large number of farmers who have livestock through which to market their crops, there are also thousands of farmers who have too small a number of animals or none at all.

ed with 1,294,000 on the same date in 1937. In 1930 there were only 1,202,000, in 1938, 1,238,000 and in 1934 approximately 1,527,000.

Wisconsin is the leading dairy cattle State with 2,065,000, followed by Minnesota with 1,603,000; Iowa with 1,400,000, Texas, New York, Illinois and Ohio.

There have been cases where ranchmen have made deals with farmers to take their cattle and lambs on a co-operative basis, dividing the gains made in weight and in market price.

We call attention to the lack of a profitable cash market for grains and forage crops. The markets that once existed in the cities are no more. There are more gasoline service stations in every town than there ever were feed stores.

Feeders are not high priced and feedstuffs are cheap. It is a good combination even though the price of finished animals is moderately low.

That the dairy cow is becoming a more important factor in Texas agriculture is shown in figures just released by the United States Department of Agriculture placing this state fourth in the number of cows and heifers milked last year.

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MARTIN

Our Sunday School seems to be falling lower than I have ever known. Come on, folks, and take an interest in our Sunday School. We have a big community and can have a big crowd every Sunday if everyone would come.

The Farm Security Administration, through its debt adjustment division, has been instrumental in bringing about compromises between 5,000 debtors and creditors in Texas and 2,500 in Oklahoma whereby debts owed by these farmers of Oklahoma were reduced by \$750,000.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Weatherly left Saturday for Glendale, Calif. where they will visit their children Cap Weatherly and Mrs. C. L. Smith during the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eldings spent Sunday in the U. G. Pittman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Easterling and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan.

Fern Helton spent Sunday with Billy Rae Marshall.

Billy Frank Moreland spent Saturday night and Sunday with George and Gene Bulman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartzog have moved back to the teachers after visiting with their folks over the Summer vacation.

Ray Rampy spent Sunday with Harold Rampy of Chamberlain.

Frank Cannon and J. W. Goodman left Sunday morning with the F. F. A. boys on their annual tour.

Peggy Jean Rampy spent Sunday with Geraldine Rampy.

Tommy Conner of California are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Pool and daughter spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hodges of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hartzog spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman.

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Clarendon Furniture Store

Rural Mail Box Week Is Observed

The country mail box-which for many years was the farm family's chief contact with the outside world until the car and radio replaced it-has come back into its own.

Postoffice department authorities turned their attention to the rural mail box and designated this week, Aug. 1-6, as "Clean Up Rural Mail Box Week" in an effort to improve a situation which many rural mail carriers had reported as acute.

Every rural mail patron is urged to replace the old, weather-worn mail box with a new one. The farmer is asked to straighten the "wobbly" standard on which the box stands, if it has been drooping; to repaint the box and make the lettering clearer, and at least cut weeds and improve the grounds around the box, it was announced.

Mail carriers in the Clarendon area will join in the campaign to urge the farm folk to take pride in the invaluable possession of the farm. Postmaster Forest Taylor said.

WIDOW OF FORMER PASTOR DIES THURSDAY, JULY 28

Mrs. Elna Dora Bearden, 78, widow of the late Rev. C. C. Bearden, pioneer minister of the First Christian Church here, died last Thursday at her home in Amarillo. She had lived in Clarendon, Abilene, and Amarillo. She is survived by three sons and one grandson. She was buried in Bedford, July 29.

FFA Boys Leave On Annual Trip

Twenty-four F. F. A. boys accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Gillham, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Matheson left early Sunday morning for Yellowstone National Park for a two week's trip.

The first day will be spent viewing the scenery this side of Colorado Springs, where the group will spend the night.

David Oden, L. B. Hartzog, George Moore, Earl Shannon, J. T. Finchem, Beatty Hillman, Elbert Bain, Homer Hardin, Johnnie Leathers, Jr. and Obry, Speir, Jack Rolf, Maschil Cole, Joe Williams, Laverne Johnston, Bailey Estes, Clyde Benton Douglas, Jr. Hartzog, Bobby Skelton, Frank Cannon, Gene Putman and Vernon Reid made up the group.

Rev. Hardy's Son Obtains Promotion

Sam N. Hardy, son of Rev. G. S. Hardy of this city, and who has visited here on numerous occasions, has resigned his position as manager of the Memphis Production Credit Association to become field man in Northwest Texas for the Production Credit Corporation of Houston.

He has held the Memphis position for the past 18 months.

Hardy, a young West Texas banker, was engaged in private banking business on the South Plains before going to Memphis. In his new position he will have supervision over 10 credit production associations.

Injury Caused By Washout In Road

Mike Stricklin, employee of the RO ranch, received a knee injury and lacerations on the face when the car in which he was returning to the ranch Monday night plunged into a large washout in the road, caused by recent heavy rains.

Stricklin did not see the washout in time to prevent the car plunging off into space, causing his face to hit the steering wheel and his left knee to be injured in the resulting crash.

Lions Hear Report Of Oakland Meet

The Lions Club met in regular session Tuesday at noon. A very informal session was held. The chief number on the program was an informal report of the Lions convention in Oakland by Lion Mulkey. Headlines from Oakland papers concerning the activities of the convention were read.

President Patrick briefly called attention to the importance of the dairy business in Donley County.

The meeting adjourned with the members facing the flag and singing America.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Clutter and Miss Ruby Lee Landers of Amarillo and Mrs. Reed Powell and son, Bobby, of Centerville, Iowa, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howze and Mrs. W. L. Landers Sunday.

Betty Younger arrived Tuesday to visit Maxine Ellis.

Bronc Training Camp Is Set For August 22

Smil Hutto, Clarendon Broncho football coach, who has been attending school in Canyon, was in Clarendon Wednesday afternoon making arrangements for the fall football training camp which will be held for two weeks beginning August 22. About 25 gridmen will attend the camp. The camp will close in time for matriculation Sept. 5.

The place for holding the camp has not yet been selected but would be announced probably next week, Hutto said.

Uvalde Demos Want Garner As President

UVALDE, Texas—Vice President John N. Garner's home county Democrats in convention today endorsed him for the presidency in 1940.

"He has proven himself a wise and sagacious statesman and to be well-qualified to hold any office within the gift of the people," a resolution adopted at the Uvalde County convention said.

"We the Democrats of Uvalde County believe he should be the standard bearer for the Democratic party in 1940."

Garner was named to head the Uvalde County delegation to the state convention in Beaumont. The meeting here pledged support for gubernatorial nominee W. Lee O'Daniel's platform and favored abolishment of the poll tax payment.

4-H CLUB CALVES ARE MAKING FINE GAINS

A survey of 4-H Club calves in the county was made this week by H. M. Breedlove, club sponsor. Breedlove was highly optimistic over the outlook for a successful calf and pig show in March, 1939.

The club boys are pleased with the gain calves on feed are making, and have great interest in the forthcoming stock shows. Twenty calves are on feed at this time and two more groups of five will be put on feed this month.

Twenty fat barrows will be put on feed in September.

METHODISTS TO HAVE A VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL

The First Methodist Church announces the opening of the Annual Vacation Church School next week. Children from the ages of four to fifteen are invited to attend. The sessions will be held from five to seven o'clock each afternoon beginning Sunday and continuing through Friday. As much teaching can be done in this week as in twelve weeks of ordinary Sunday School teaching. Every child will have a big time. Play periods and construction periods will keep these sessions from being dull to any child. Let the parents encourage their children to start Sunday so they wont miss any of the school.

Mrs. Glen Casey and two sons, and Mrs. Ed R. Bently of Lakeland, Fla. visited their brother, Allen Bryan, and other relatives here Tuesday and Wednesday.

F. F. A. BOYS PURCHASE REGISTERED HAMP BOAR

Ten local F. F. A. boys have formed a Hampshire Boar Ring and have bought a registered male from Ernest McKnight of Pampa. Each boy pays his proportionate amount of the cost of the boar and in return receives two free breeding services. One of the boys keeps the boar for the period of the two breeding seasons after which time the boar becomes his private property.

HALL COUNTY INCLUDED IN TENANT LOAN PROGRAM

Hall and Hansford counties have been selected by Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace to participate in the coming year's tenant purchase loan program, according to word received here today by Bob Land, county Farm Security Administration supervisor, from Regional Director L. H. Hauter in Amarillo.

Mr. Land said this means that the program will operate in Hall, Hansford, Floyd, Randall and Wheeler counties this year. The funds allocated to this part of Texas for these two counties for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939, are \$174,500.

YOUNG LADY SURPRISED AT SITTING ON \$15.00

David Oden, young F. F. A. boy, went through the experience of losing a purse Saturday, containing \$15 he had saved to make the annual F. F. A. trip to Yellowstone National Park, then recovering the purse the same day.

The purse was lost from the owner's pocket as he was enjoying a western thriller at the Cozy Theatre Saturday afternoon. Later he reported his loss to the theatre management, who upon starting a search in the theatre, found it in the seat that had been occupied by Oden.

A young lady in the theatre was much surprised to find herself sitting on \$15 and knowing nothing of it, until the theatre management, through her courtesy, found the purse in the seat.

Mr. and Mrs. Talma L. Smith of Washington, D. C. visited friends here Monday on their way from the Pacific Coast to their home. Mr. Smith is a former secretary to Congressman Marvin Jones, now practicing law in Washington, and Mrs. Smith will be remembered as Miss Annie Martin, former resident of Clarendon.

BARTLETT

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Powdered SUGAR 23c | MARSHMALLOWS 15c
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LETTUCE

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2 for

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CHEESE

Longhorn 18c
Pound

SALT BACON 19c | MINCED HAM 15c
Pound Pound

SPUDS

Colorado White
10 Pounds
18c

Lake Trout FISH 15c | TOMATOES 20c
Pound 3 No. 2 Cans

MEAL

Fresh Shipment 44c
20 pounds

Merit Shortening 4 lb . . . 44c 8 lb 82c	Grape Nut FLAKES 10c
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ORANGES

Juicy Dozen 15c

POST TOASTIES 10c | BRIMFULL PEAS 25c
Each 2 No. 2 cans


LEMONS

Sunkist
360 Size, dozen
29c

ICE COLD WEATHERFORD WATERMELONS

Lemons
Sunkist, Doz
19c

Limes
2 dozen
25c



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BLACKBERRIES, No. 2, 2 for 25c

SUGAR Pure Cane, 25 lb \$1.30
Beet, 25 lb \$1.25

NO. 1 WHITE Spuds, pk. 25c	GALLON Prunes 27c
FRESH Tomatoes, pound 5c	OUR VALUE Peas, No. 2 10c
DATE Pudding, 3 for 25c	15 OZ. Tomato Juice, 2 for . . 15c
NO. 2 1/2 Kraut 10c	GALLON Pineapple 65c
WHITE SWAN Coffee, 3 lb can 79c	SOUR Pickles Full Quart . . 15c

Flour Yukon's Best 48 lb Sack \$1.39
24 lb Sack 75c

MEAL, Yukon's Best, 20 lb bag 45c

SOAP, P&G or Crystal White, 7 bars 25c

CABBAGE, Colorado Solid Heads, pound 2c

BACON, Sycamore Slab, pound 23c

FLOUR, Yukon Western, 48 lb \$1.10

BOLOGNA, Pound 15c; 2 lb 25c

Steam Pressure Canner Easily Operated With Perfect Safety; Always Keep Clean

BY MOLLIE BURTON
Written Especially for The Semi-Weekly Farm News.

Many farm women will operate steam pressure canners for the first time this spring. It is well to attend a demonstration of the uses of pressure canners, if possible; but this is an opportunity that many women do not have. However it is not at all essential to learn by watching a demonstrator at work. After all, about all one gets is confidence in the contraption, so we may go ahead and follow the directions that come with the canner.

Every steam pressure canning or cooking outfit works according to definite scientific principals, and all one has to do is learn the rules and follow them. Under given conditions the canner will act a given way. There is no black art about it, and nothing to be afraid of. It is not even necessary to understand why it works like it does, if you know how to make it do what you want it to do. Every steam pressure outfit has a safety valve, which is carefully adjusted at the factory to release the pressure when it gets too high, and before there is any danger of the canner exploding.

The vessel will stand much more pressure than the safety valve. In event the valve opens and lets off the excess steam, there is nothing to get alarmed about. The show is over, and nothing else will happen until the pressure gets too high again. That's what makes it a safety valve. It never lets the pressure get to the danger point.

Use a toothpick to keep the safety valve clean. Sometimes, when it pops off to let out steam, a food particle may be blown into the opening. You can unscrew it, take it to pieces and wipe the parts clean. Be sure not to scratch any of the parts and do not drop or lose the ball and little spring. After cleaning with a soft cloth, replace the parts exactly as they were and screw the valve back in place on the cover. Next time you get up pressure, observe whether any steam comes through the valve. It will not leak if you line the parts up and screw the valve tight. Don't use pliers; your fingers are strong enough.

The petcock is even simpler than the safety valve, and is used to let steam escape when the time is up. Keep it clean, too. When the cooker or canner is first closed there is air inside, which should be allowed to escape through the petcock as the outfit heats up. Soon the air will all be driven out and a steady stream of steam begin to come out. Let the steam escape for a minute or two, or until it becomes a steady stream, then close the petcock. The steam pressure will then begin to rise. When the cooking or processing period is up, open the petcock gradually and allow steam to escape as long as it will.

In time the pressure will be reduced to zero without opening the petcock, and as further cooling takes place a vacuum is formed around the contents of the cooker. Don't let this happen, because it might cause the juices to be drawn from meat or other products; or, if you are canning in jars, the liquid might be drawn from the jars. Prevent this by opening the petcock a tiniest bit before the gauge touches zero. Never open the petcock wide suddenly. Sudden release of the pressure will cause the fluids to be drawn from your cooking or canning.

Cooking continues after the heat is turned off if the steam is not released. If you want to keep food hot as long as possible, remove cooker from the fire three to five minutes before the time is up and leave the petcock closed, and open it gradually before you remove the cover.

Never under any circumstances loosen the cover before the steam gauge points to zero, or before you have opened the petcock. With the petcock wide open and no steam issuing from it, loosen the cover according to the directions which came with your canner. When lifting the cover, tilt it so that any steam that might arise will be directed away from you. All this may impress the novice that her new pressure canner is dangerous, but it is not if she follows the rules.

There is no denying that steam can be very dangerous, but it always behaves according to known laws, and it is not going to blow up anything as long as the safety valve is working, and it is not going to burn anyone who keeps out of its way. I never heard of a safety valve failing to work before the pressure got too high.

Take good care of the cover to your canner. Don't drop it, and don't immerse it in water. Wipe it dry with a clean cloth when you take it off the canner. Sometimes, food particles get on the cover when it is used for cooking. Clean these off with a damp cloth before they get dry and hard.

Avoid striking the rim of the canner with a spoon or anything else that might mar it. Such treatment might interfere with a steam-tight seal on some cookers or canners. Some of the best canners have the sealing surface below the rim, where it is not easily injured by careless handling. Keep your canner clean, like you do any other aluminum cook vessel, and don't put the cover on tight when you store it. I keep mine in the box it came in, and invert the cover so that nothing can accidentally strike the steam gauge and break the glass.

I have an idea that this gauge is rather delicate and should not be tampered with, except to keep the little vent below clean with a toothpick. If anything ever happens to prevent it registering properly, I will make no attempt to fix it but instead, I will send the whole cover back to the man I got it from and let him have it fixed or replaced. I have been using mine about six years and have never had an accident, not even a minor burn, and the canner looks like it might last a lifetime.

As an extra precaution some canners have a safety plug in addition to the safety valve. This plug is screwed into the lid and is made of fusible metal, which melts automatically when exposed to excessive heat or pressure. This plug acts as a check on the safety valve and removes every possibility that the cooker might be injured or blow up from excessive steam pressure.

After you get used to your new pressure canner you will wonder how you ever got along without it, and decide that you will save more in one year by canning a supply of meat and non-acid vegetables that are not entirely safe when canned without the use of high temperatures possible only under steam pressure.