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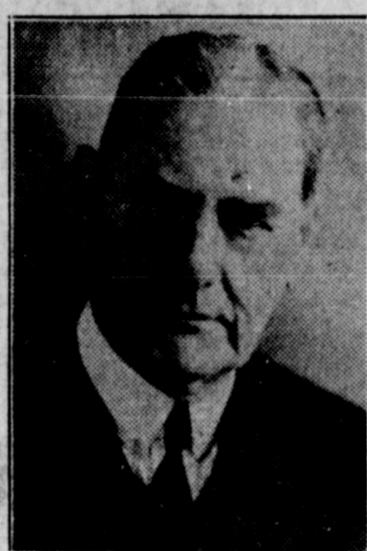
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A Common Paper for Common People

## Funeral Services Held Here Monday For Pioneer Banker

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at St. John The Baptist Episcopal Church for William Henry Patrick. Bishop George H. Quarterman officiated.



W. H. PATRICK

Mr. Patrick was born March 14, 1865, near Staunton, Ill. When he was 10 years old his parents moved to Staunton and he attended schools there. But the scholarly life was no match for the call of the west to a young man in the 1890's.

He joined an emigrant train and traveled to Salt Lake City and from there to California where he worked for a short time before heading back to Texas. He helped drive a herd from the Pecos River to Kansas and passed through the unfenced and mostly uninhabited Panhandle country.

In November, 1898, he returned to the Panhandle, coming to Clarendon to visit an uncle, O. P. Wood of the O. P. Wood Banking and Mercantile Company.

After his uncle's death he stayed to help with his business affairs and when the Bank of Clarendon opened in July, 1899, young Mr. Patrick was the clerk and bookkeeper. He was married to Miss Ruby Bugbee on Sept. 4, 1899.

He served as cashier when the bank was succeeded by the First National Bank of Clarendon in July, 1900. He became president in January 1917, and continued to hold the position until June 30, 1952, when he sold the bank.

He acted as Worshipful Master of the Masonic Lodge No. 700 for three years.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. W. H. Patrick, two daughters, Mrs. Harold Bugbee of Clarendon, Mrs. J. R. McNaghten of Amarillo and four grandchildren.

Palbearers were Jerome Stocking, W. J. Lewis, Jr., C. E. Bairfield, Carl Almond, John Head, Don Wright, Joe Goldston and W. A. Philpot.

Honorary pallbearers were W. W. Taylor, S. W. Lowe, Odos Caraway, Walter Clifford, C. T. McMurtry, J. T. Patman, E. S. Ballew and J. R. Porter, all of Clarendon; W. T. Coble, Charles Fisk, Joe Killough, John L. McCarty, C. T. Ware, Howard Paul, all of Amarillo; Dr. J. A. Hill and L. F. Sheffy of Canyon; F. N. Foxall and S. S. Montgomery of Memphis; M. K. Brown and Joe Frost of San Antonio; Warren Andrews of Maine; W. J. Lewis Sr. of Dallas; Roland Irvine of N. Y.; Everts Haley of Lubbock; Raymond Thatcher of Pueblo, Colo., and J. M. Crews of Childress.

Burial was in Citizens Cemetery with funeral arrangements under the direction of Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home.

## School Cafeteria Menu, March 16-20

MONDAY — Roast and gravy, green beans, sweet potatoes, spaghetti salad, bread, milk, pie.  
TUESDAY—Turkey and dressing, English peas, cranberry sauce, cheese salad, bread, milk, fruit.  
WEDNESDAY — Hamburgers, lettuce, pickles, onions, potato chips, buns, milk, cookies.  
THURSDAY — Macaroni & cheese, Spanish rice, spinach, green salad, bread, milk, fruit cocktail.  
FRIDAY — Bar-b-que weiners and sauce, creamed potatoes, blackeyed peas, English pea salad, bread, milk, pie.

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## Donley Farm Bureau Backing 4-H & FFA Club Work In County

The Donley County Farm Bureau is backing 4-H and FFA club work in Donley County. The Donley county organization paid for two rooms for both the above organizations for one week at the Amarillo Fat Stock Show.

This saved the club boys a total of seventy eight dollars. The two rooms had three double beds in them and then a roll away bed; in fact about ten boys slept in each room. H. Wood, president of the Donley County Farm Bureau, said the board of directors voted to the last man to do this for the boys and to show them that their organization was very much interested in the young people of the county and their work in club organizations.

Doyle Messer, vocational teacher at Hedley, Tom Seay, vocational teacher at Clarendon and H. M. Breedlove, county agent, wish to join with all the 4-H and FFA boys from over the county to thank the local Farm Bureau organization for this wonderful gift to the club boys. It sure did help out and especially at this time with the low price of livestock.

## TWO MORE ANNOUNCE IN SCHOOL TRUSTEE RACE

According to information received from the School Tax office, the total number of candidates for the three school trustee offices coming up this year now total four. L. L. Wallace and Pat Slavin both announced this week. Walter B. Knorrp and J. Alfred McMurtry both announced for re-election last week. The third member of the board retiring this year is George Thompson who reported that he would not seek re-election due to other obligations.

## Fireman's Ball Next Tuesday Night

Local members of the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department are reminding everyone to remember next Tuesday night is the time set aside for the Annual Fireman's Ball and St. Patrick's Day Dance. The Ball will be held at the American Legion Hall and will be open to the general public, in fact, everyone is urged to buy tickets regardless of whether you dance or not, as the profits from the dance will go into the Volunteer Fireman's fund for needed equipment. As long as our fire department is adequately equipped, we all have more protection against fire losses. The tickets sell for \$1.25 per person and you may purchase same from any member of the fire department.

M. G. Martin and his "Hillbilly Playboys" will furnish the music which will be a variation of old time and modern tunes.

## Operetta To Be Presented April 16

Choral classes under the direction of C. L. Graves assisted by Speech students of Mrs. Christine Grace will present the Operetta "The Gypsy Troubador" in the High School auditorium Thursday evening, April 16.

A cast of 13 characters and a chorus of 20 or more voices will enact this story of gypsy life, dividing the play into two acts. Harold Clappitt will be the accompanist throughout the first act with Bobbie Seago accompanist for the second act. The Orchestra under the direction of Mr. Graves will play the Overture and possibly the last medley and finale.

The cast and story of the plot will be published at a later date. Watch this column to see who is portraying the characterizations. Tickets will go on sale in the near future. Mark this date on your calendar!

## Donley Club Boys Sell Calves At Amarillo Show

Donley County club boys sold all their calves at the Amarillo show with the price range from thirty one cents per pound to thirty nine. The average price for the Donley County steers in the show was thirty four and one half cents per pound. H. M. Breedlove, county agent, says that this was a pretty good price considering the cattle market.

The placing of the Donley steers in the show was spotted this year; however, the Donley county boys won second on the best display from any one county at the show.

Breedlove says that steers are already being put on feed for next year and any boys who have not been contacted and wish to feed a club calf next year should contact him at once. This is for 4-H Club calf feeding.

## Piano Artists To Be Here March 16th

Edward and Jeanne Deis, who will be presented by the Donley County Concert Association at the College Auditorium on Monday, March 16, at 8 o'clock, are two of the best known pianists and concert artists in the country, and one of the best known piano duets in the nation.

The two artists have been together nine years. Mrs. Deis received her early training in Dallas and she and her husband have appeared in concerts at Scott Hall in Dallas many times as well as in New York and Chicago where they have received praise from eminent music critics.

In their programs they attempt to deliver that particular style of music desired, whether it be light and modern or more classical. Their repertoire is so extensive that they are able to present an appealing program of highly practiced musical compositions.

Recently they have been appearing in a series of twelve minute movies featured on television.

## SERVICES HELD SATURDAY FOR LOWE INFANT

Graveside services for William Douglas Lowe, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lowe, were held Saturday afternoon in Citizens Cemetery with Rev. Howard E. Scott and Rev. I. E. Biggs, officiating.

William Douglas Lowe was born Thursday morning at a Memphis hospital. He died Friday evening. Survivors besides the parents are one sister, Cynthia Anne, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter, all of Clarendon.

## YOUNG MUSICIANS TO PLAY WITH SYMPHONY

Student soloists and young artists to appear with the Amarillo Symphony were selected Sunday afternoon when try-outs were held in recital hall of Amarillo College. Judges were present from Universities throughout this area.

Named among the winners were Janiece Christal of Lelia Lake, pianist, and Jinna Sue Bain in the Violin division. They will appear with the Amarillo Symphony in their Music Week program to be presented May 3rd.

## Good Reports Coming In On Red Cross Fund Drive Here

Mrs. C. G. Henson, volunteer worker in the Red Cross fund-raising campaign at Ashtola, was the first of the county workers to complete her report in the drive being staged throughout the county to meet this year's quota for the American Red Cross. Ashtola residents contributed more this year than at any time since World War II.

This year the American Red Cross is trying to raise \$93,000,000 its annual nation-wide fund campaign, a higher figure than at any time since the war years. The request for more funds became necessary when the Red Cross agreed to collect, process, and distribute blood to be used for gamma globulin in addition to the many other services the Red Cross habitually gives. As a result Donley County's quota was raised almost \$200 above the amount for last year.

Mrs. C. E. Blackburn, Mrs. Edwin Eanes, and Mrs. G. D. Hillis, volunteer workers, have completed gratifying reports for their communities, all of which gave as generously as in past drives. Mrs. D. B. Koen is still working in the Chamberlain community.

In Hedley work for the fund-raising campaign was begun on Monday and by noon of that day, Hobart Moffitt, chairman of the drive there, had requested more 100% stickers. Craig Johnson, Lelia Lake, has not yet completed work in that community; and there have been no reports from the Alanreed and McLean portions of the county.

With the outlying sections of the county unreported and Hedley and Lelia Lake incomplete, no definite figure of Donley County's contributions can be given at this time, but Kelly Chamberlain, county fund chairman, using completed reports as the basis for his statement said that the county could hardly fail to meet its quota before the end of the month.

## Local Schools To Close Friday For Teachers Meet

Clarendon schools will be closed Friday, March 13th, so teaching personnel may attend the annual convention of District IX, Texas State Teachers Association in Amarillo. The majority of the local faculty plans to attend.

In all, several thousand teachers from 26 Panhandle counties are slated to register for the meeting. Outstanding educators will deliver addresses at morning and evening sessions. In addition, numerous teachers will serve as discussion leaders, panel speakers and consultants for the sectional meetings scheduled for Friday afternoon. Morning and evening sessions will be held in the Amarillo High School auditorium.

## Casper Geyer Rites At Wichita Falls

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at Wichita Falls for Casper Geyer, age 74, who died here at Blackburn's Convalescent home Monday night. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery at Wichita Falls with the Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Geyer, a retired farmer, had been ill for several months. He had been a resident of Donley county the past three years and was a member of the Methodist Church.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. W. C. Thornberry of Clarendon; three sons, Carl Geyer of Clarendon, Harry Geyer of Wichita Falls, Byman Geyer of Mansfield, Texas; two brothers, George of Donovan, Ill., and John Geyer of Minn.; two sisters, Mrs. N. C. Brown, Lafayette, Ind., Mrs. M. K. Emmert of Wichita Falls; also 8 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.



## Presbyterians To Feature Evangelistic Services March 22-27

A simultaneous visitation and preaching campaign will be in progress this coming week all over the state of Texas through the efforts of the Presbyterian Church. This series of Evangelistic services will be held here in the local Presbyterian Church in cooperation with the State-Wide Evangelistic Campaign March 22nd thru the 27th. Rev. James H. Hardin, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Waskom, Texas, will be the evangelist. He is reported to be a dynamic preacher and a tireless worker.

Everyone is welcome. Make your plans now to attend all or as many of these services as possible each evening at 7:30, stated Rev. Cockerell, local pastor.

## TV Test Pattern Not So Good

TV enthusiasts in Clarendon were somewhat disappointed with the test pattern that was beamed from Amarillo's KGNC-TV Channel 4 here Wednesday morning. Reports state that the test pattern was fairly good until the cloudy weather disappeared and the sun took over. The majority of the reports stated that the TV screens appeared as snow banks with the test pattern barely discernible. One TV owner reported that he had his antenna set for Oklahoma City and was receiving a picture when suddenly about 8:45 the test pattern from KGNC took over and was fairly perceptible until clear weather set in.

Tom Kritzer, General Manager of KGNC-TV, announced that the station will begin telecasting regular programs next Wednesday, March 18th.

Sidney Muse of Canyon spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Muse.

## Water Meeting At Court House March 17th

Mr. Cap Morris, President of the Salt Fork and Upper Basin of Red River Water Association, has called for a mass meeting at the Court House in Clarendon, Texas on March 17, at 8 o'clock.

The Association includes Armstrong, Hall, Collingsworth and Donley Counties and a good representation is expected from each of these counties.

Mr. Morris stated that he and a group of interested citizens had a hearing last week with the State Board of Water Engineers, and that the time is limited for this area to act if the rights to its water in these rivers is to be retained. Water is becoming more and more the number one problem and it is urged that every interested person attend this meeting.

## Thirty Four Out For Track This Year

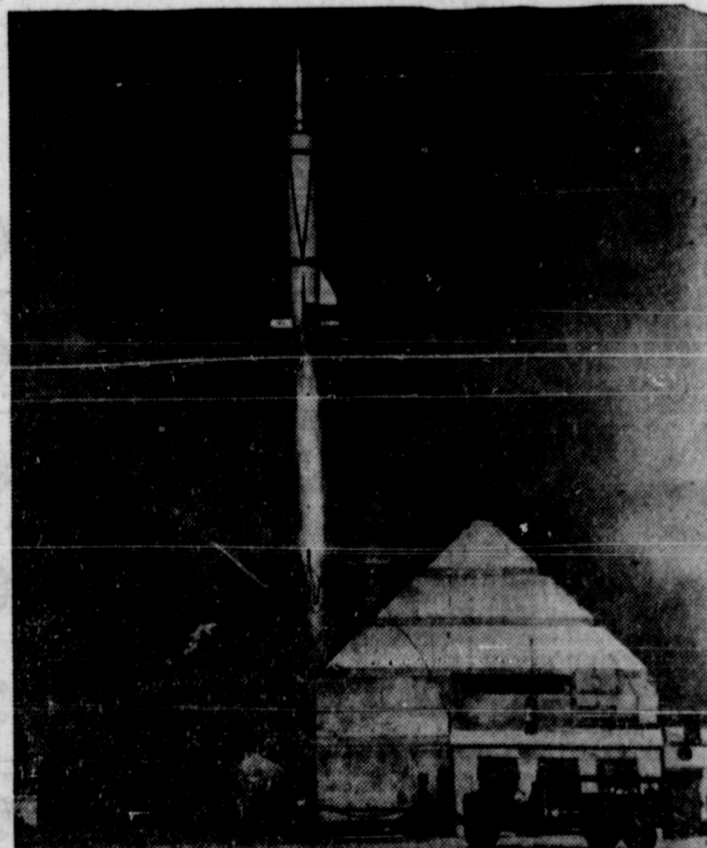
Coach Ray Moore announced this past week that thirty-four boys had reported for track this year and the boys were progressing rapidly since this is the first year for the entire group. In fact this is the first year that track has been offered here in several years. The track team is looking forward to the meet to be held at Panhandle March 28th and also a triangle meet to be held here between the locals and two other teams in approximately two weeks.

Those reporting for the track team: Hill, Jordan, Martin, Spivey, Bradshaw, Eastlack, Lane, Landers, Graham, Johnson, Wallace, Noblet, Benson, White, Phillips, Ray, Evans, Kidd, Hicks, Wilson, Percival, Clifford, Houdashell, Webb, Lamberth, Cosper, Hensley, M. Johnson, Hall, Cash, Clifton McNabb, Earnest McNabb, Morrow, and Self.

Part of the team participated in the Amarillo invitational meet week before last and made a pretty fair showing for their first competition. Clifton McNabb placed 3rd in the low hurdles and also entered the high hurdles; Max Johnson placed third in the 440 yard dash; Earl Morrow entered the 100, and 440 yard dashes; David Lane ran the low hurdles; Hill and Martin also participated in other events. Fourteen teams were entered in the meet.

Coaches Moore and Spann are looking forward to a successful track year even though their squad is green at the game. It will give them some good competition as well as help them with other sports, Coach Moore stated.

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V-2 INVADES NEW MEXICO ATMOSPHERE as the Army initiates its V-2 firing program with reconstructed German supersonic missiles. Used primarily for upper atmosphere research, a V-2 rises from a launching stand at White Sands, N.M., bound on a scientific journey to gather facts from a relatively unknown world.



HOT HOUSE—Raised in a deadly atmosphere of radio-active gases; these flowers are tended by a well-protected gardener, entomologist A. C. Miller, who is clad in gas mask, gloves and protective clothing. Located in Pittsburgh, Pa., the "hot" house is used by the Gulf Oil Corp. to raise pyrethrum flowers from which insecticides are made. Miller will use radio-detection equipment and the plants to trace processes by which the drug kills insects.

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GOLDSTON NEWS

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Those who took dinner Sunday with Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Reid of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson and family of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Lois Putman and girls.

Mrs. Charlie Sullivan visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Reeves and Glen of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Reeves of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyvon McBrayer of Lubbock were home over the week end visiting homefolks. Lyvon's mother, Mrs. Odell McBrayer underwent surgery at the Groom hospital last Friday. She was reported doing nicely at this time.

Mr. Roy Roberson and Mr. Ray Godbey were in Memphis Monday on business.

Mrs. Jim Peggram is visiting with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Peggram and family of Petersburg for a while.

The ladies of the Goldston Quilting Club and their husbands met at the school house Thursday night. The ladies quilted a quilt for the Boys Ranch while the men played 42. Everyone enjoyed the evening and the refreshments of coffee, cookies and cold drinks.

Mr. Bill Townsend of Amarillo took dinner Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and Minnie.

Mrs. Willie Putman, Mrs. Charlie Sullivan, Mrs. Roy Roberson and Minnie Roberson visited with Connie Talley Friday evening.

Pat Roberson spent Thursday night with Carl and Howard Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Young Wednesday night.

Mrs. Charlie Sullivan spent Wednesday with Mrs. Gwan Wilkinson and Judy of Clarendon.

Mrs. Roy Roberson, Minnie and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan visited Saturday evening with Mrs. A. O. Hott and Mrs. G. G. Gregory and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Young visited until bed time Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott and Mrs. G. G. Gregory and children visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson, Pat, Minnie and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan.

Keith and Oranda Covington spent the week end with the Roberson's while Mrs. Al Covington was in Amarillo to be with Al who was operated on Friday night. He is doing just fine at this time.

We are so sorry of the death of Mrs. Goldie Mooring. She was one of our good neighbors in the Goldston community. She had lived here for many years before moving to the Naylor community. Every one loved her and the family has our sympathy.

Sue Talley and Irene Moss

were in Lubbock over the week end attending an FFA convention.

Mrs. D. B. Perdue is visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family and Mrs. D. B. Perdue visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Webb and family and Grandpa Talley Sunday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Williams took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moss and family.

Lenn Spiers of Clarendon spent Tuesday night with Jimmy and Randell Hord.

Jimmy Hord spent Friday night with Lenn Spiers of Clarendon. Mrs. Mazie Eichelberger visited Sunday evening with Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Mrs. Nath Helton, Mike and Nancy of Groom visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger Saturday evening.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield and Genger visited Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield Sunday night.

Mrs. Mode Hatley visited with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield Thursday night.

Geraldine Jackson visited Thursday morning with Mrs. Mode Hatley.

Mrs. Mode Hatley visited with Mrs. Walter Goldston Tuesday evening.

CARD OF THANKS

We thank God for friends and neighbors who made the loss of our son and brother easier to bear.

"With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand, He has wandered away into an unknown land And left us dreaming how very fair, It must surely be, since he lingers there And tho we know he has gone to stay He is not dead; he is just away."

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harrison and Dennis

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Doleman Jr. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harrison Jr. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Cannon

Mrs. Olace Hicks and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fedric, in Silvertown Saturday.

LELIA LAKE NEWS

Mrs. H. R. King

Billy Hill, who has been stationed at Fort Bliss, left Monday for an Army Camp in Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Knox left last Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Borer Howard and daughters of Amarillo.

Mrs. Lesley Wardlow of Decatur left Saturday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Leathers and other relatives.

Miss Shirley Aten attended a Youth Rally of the First Baptist Church in Memphis last Saturday evening. Two guests from Hardin-Simmons at Abilene spent the night with her.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones returned Saturday afternoon from a visit with relatives at Portales, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hill and Mrs. Luther Butler visited Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Womack of Memphis Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox and daughters spent the weekend in Buffalo, with relatives.

Carl Pearson of Elida, New Mexico left Thursday after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Wood and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill De Pauw and children spent Friday night and Saturday with relatives in Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Holland and children of Tulsa, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Holland and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mills and Doris Robertson of Amarillo spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams and Sharon of Groom spent the week

end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King accompanied Denison Cook and Pete Easterling of Clarendon to Clarksville last Wednesday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Tomlinson and Donna. Mr. Tomlinson became seriously ill while they were there and was placed in a Veterans hospital at Bonham. Mrs. Tomlinson and Donna accompanied them home for a visit here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McIlroy and children of McLean visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Mace Sunday.

Albert Bramblett of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wood and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Wood Saturday evening.

Jimmie Lee Butler and Miss Dorothy Schraeder, of Wichita, Kansas spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Butler.

Mrs. W. N. Poole visited Jess Poole, who is a patient at Odom-Dryden hospital at Memphis, last Friday.

Mrs. Clarence Ayers spent last week in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. George Moore.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Butler Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hill and sons of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hill of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Womack of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hill formerly of Fort Bliss, Miss Dorothy Schraeder and J. L. Butler of Wichita, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ayers and children visited Mr. and Mrs. George Moore of Amarillo Sunday. They also attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Eades.

Miss Bobbie Seago joined a group of students from Bethany

College Friday afternoon to go to Slaton for weekend services.

Miss Jessie Lee White is still in Odom-Dryden Hospital at Memphis. She isn't showing much improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Hergert Shields and children of Dalhart spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shields and children. Rev. Delton Fisher and family are in Abilene this week attending a series of lectures.

HUDGINS NEWS

Mrs. Carl Barker

Those to visit Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Self and Mr. Blevins Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dillard of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shaw visited her brother, Alfred Bowlin and family of Ft. Worth Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Darby Friday night.

Othel Dean Elliott of Martin spent Thursday night with Ann Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDaniel Friday night.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barker and Don Sunday were Mrs. Hinkle and Stella, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tims and daughter, Pamela of Levelland are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shaw visited Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Self Friday night.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue Monday were Bro. Harmonson and Mr. and Mrs. George

Self.

Mrs. Pauline Cearley and children of Clarendon spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. W. O. Elliott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tyler visited Mr. and Mrs. Barker Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins of Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Self Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann attended a FHA meeting at Ash-tola Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue visited Mr. and Mrs. Barker Saturday night.

Wanda and Betty Elliott spent Sunday with Drucilla Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann and daughters, Ruby and Francis visited her father, R. A. Bayane of Memphis last Sunday. Shirley Barker, Mary Lou Fitzgerald accompanied them.

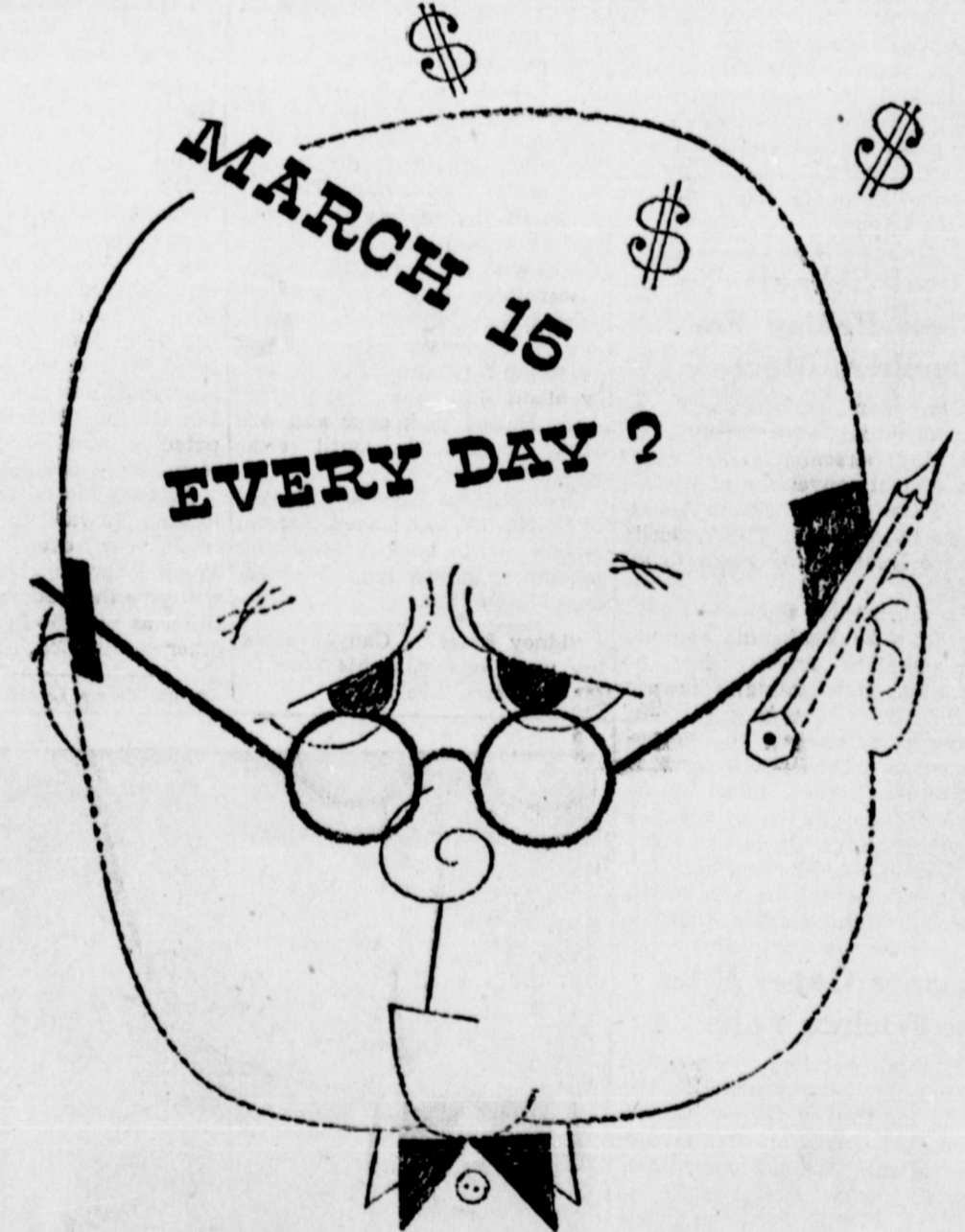
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Tomlinson and son, Douglas of Phillips visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barker Thursday.

The Quilting Club met with Mrs. Price Webb Tuesday. One quilt was finished. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served to Mesdames Elliott, Perdue, Self, Koontz, Cosper, Noble. The next meeting will be with Mrs. George Self.

Mrs. Herman Cross and Annette of Amarillo are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cross. Mrs. C. R. Cross returned from the Groom hospital Saturday where she underwent surgery the week before.

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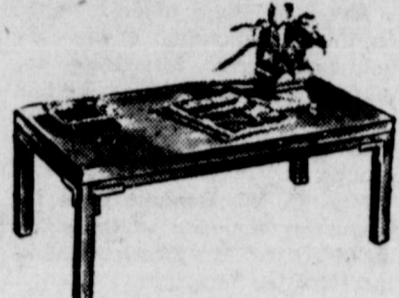
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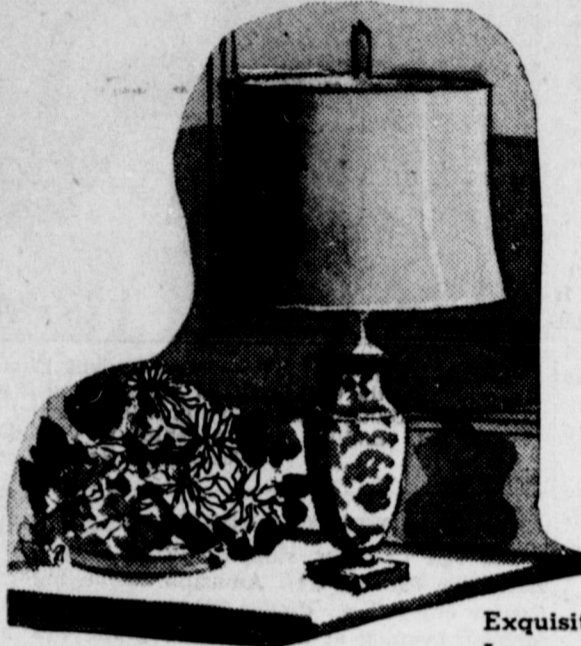
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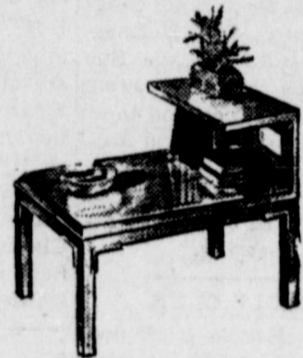
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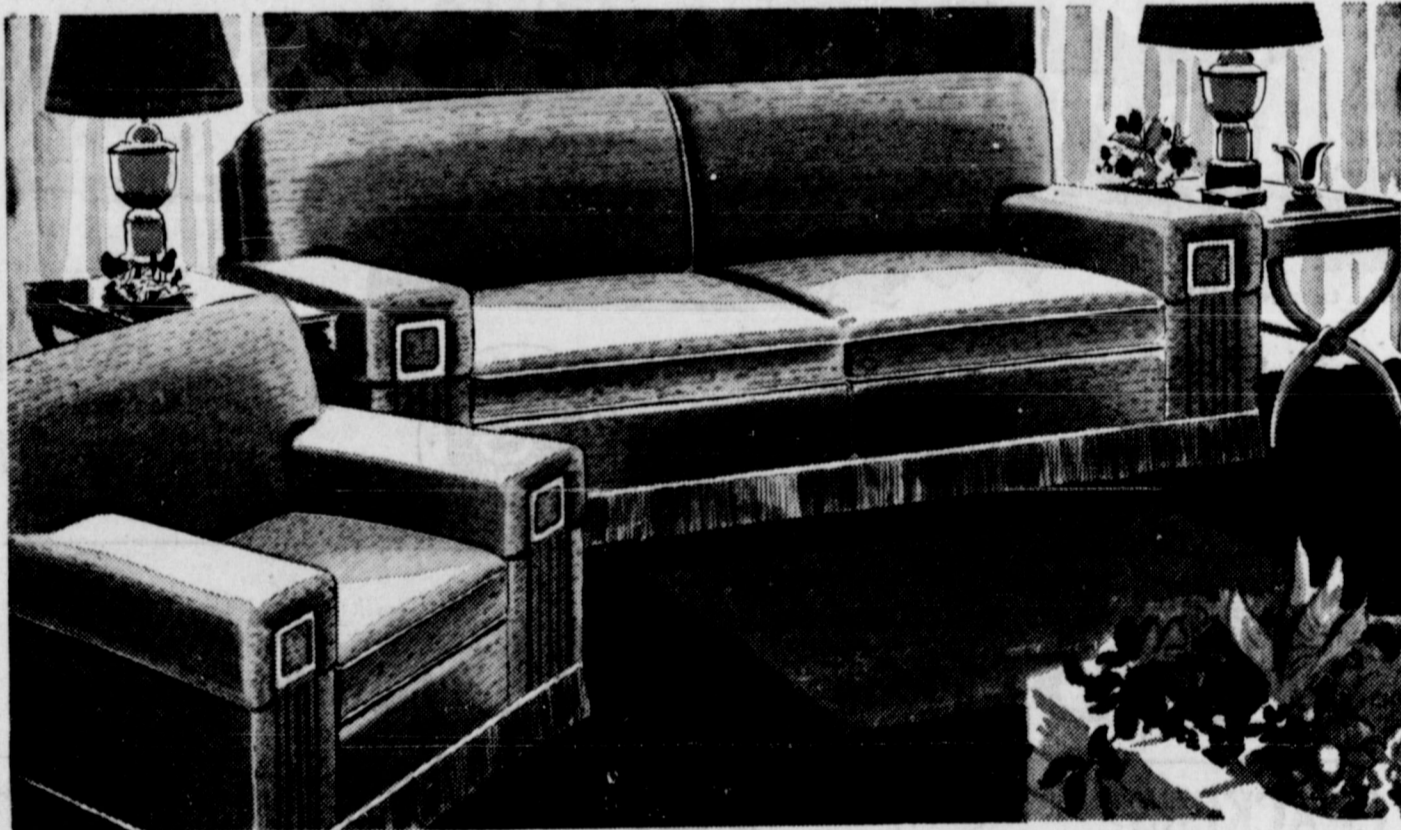
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### ASHTOLA NEWS

Mrs. Doyce Graham

Delma and J. R. Graham and Mrs. J. M. Graham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rush and sons near Elida. Mrs. Graham remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Talley of Silverton spent the week end in the H. A. Harrison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Denny have a baby daughter born March 5th and named Virginia Florence. The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox. Mrs. Knox plans to go spend about ten days with them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Butler and sons at Berger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lamberson and children are spending this week with her parents in Beaumont.

Laura Mae Harp of Amarillo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harp and Lucky.

Joe Tom Lovell spent Wednesday night in Dumas with Mr. and Mrs. James R. Lovell and Lynita.

Mrs. Jimmy Beard spent Friday night with Patsy Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey are proud owners of a new '53 Ford.

Ensign Joe Tom Lovell returned to his ship on the West coast Friday after a 10 day leave with homefolks. Mrs. Ben Lovell and Mrs. Leo Wallace took him to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hill and girls spent the week end at Wayside with Mr. and Mrs. John Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reid and Mr. and Mrs. M. Dunn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill at Goldston.

Bobby Holland spent Saturday night with Dave Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Naylor visited in the H. S. Mahaffey home Sunday.

Mrs. Glenn Barrett spent the week end with her parents in Roy, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cook and Dean of Stinnett spent the week end in the W. A. Poovey home.

Sgt. and Mrs. John Just and daughter of White Sands, N. M. are visiting in the T. A. Nelson home.

Grady, Bernice and Dorris Porter of Berger spent the week end with the L. M. Porter family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue and Wynona visited relatives in Lubbock over the week end.

Mrs. Myrtle Reed, Gail and Earl spent the week end in Ama-

rillo visiting Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morehead. They also visited Mrs. Reed's brother, Ed Tucker, in Canyon.

Gail Reed has a new Pontiac. Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Evans and children drove out to Burson Lake for an outing Sunday.

### BRICE NEWS

Mrs. Flora Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Osborn and Mrs. Perry Campbell spent the week end at Darrouzett with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osborn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hatley were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kerbie Hagins in Memphis. Cleburn Talley of Clarendon spent the week end with Grady Montgomery.

Mrs. Thomas Perkins and Pat visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Johnson and family.

Mr. S. A. Pierce of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. Blue Pierce of Sanbernardino, Calif. visited Sunday eve in the Starr Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bennett and Lou Anna of Amarillo visited Sunday with her parents, the Zack Salmons.

Miss Velma Lemons was taken Monday to a Groom hospital where she will undergo surgery.

Mrs. Joe Wood and Jo Ann, Mrs. T. W. McAnear and Dena Sue, Mrs. J. C. Johnson and Judy and Mrs. C. V. Murff all shopped Saturday in Amarillo.

Visitors in the Starr Johnson home the past week were her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Tedd Huffman and two boys of Espanola and her uncle, Mark Banks of Iowa Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Weaver of Silverton visited Friday in the L. T. Weaver home.

The WMU met Thursday at the church. Mrs. Buck Johnson reviewed the book, "The West is Big." The ladies also packed a large box of clothing to send to Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Shafe Weaver and children of Silverton visited Sunday with her parents, the Roy Allers.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stevenson returned home Monday night after visiting the week end with their daughter Juanelle Stevenson, and in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Paul Wright, at Pecos.

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## 1926 BOOK CLUB

Members of the 1926 Book Club were entertained Tuesday afternoon, March 3, at Patching Club House.

Texas Music was the theme of the program which was ably led by Mrs. Bill Riney who was assisted by Mrs. Rayburn Smith. Guest artist for the afternoon was Bobbie Nell Seago of Lelia Lake. Miss Seago sang numerous selections to carry out points stressed by Mrs. Riney taking up music in Texas from the time the area was first settled down to present day times. Among melodies brought to mind were those of the old plantation days, cowboy songs, and college songs. To close the program Miss Seago sang the old Clarendon College song. The entire program was most enjoyable.

The business session was presided over by the club president, Mrs. Homer Parsons.

Hostesses Mrs. Loyd Johnson and Mrs. Clyde Hudson served refreshments to approximately 15 members and two guests.

## T. E. L. S. S. CLASS

The T. E. L. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday, March 10th for a 1 o'clock luncheon. A lovely covered dish lunch was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Jake Arthur and sons, visitors, and members, Mesdames Roney, Phelps, Pool, Butler, Eddings, Naylor, Darden, Simpson and Bingham.

After an hour of fellowship and visiting, Mrs. Darden, president, presided at a business meeting.

It was decided to send our orphan girl Glenda Hughes at Round Rock a box for her birthday. Part of the afternoon was spent in visiting. We urge all members to be present Sunday, also at our next meeting, 2nd Tuesday in April. —Reporter.

## LELIA LAKE M. Y. F.

The M.Y.F. of the Methodist Church of Lelia Lake entertained with a farewell party Tuesday night, March 3rd, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers. The party was given in honor of Billy Hill who is in the service and will leave for Canada March 11, and Billy White who will leave March 9th for induction in the service.

The entertaining room was arranged for various games which were enjoyed by all. The winners in contest games were Billy White and Paul White.

Gifts from the M.Y.F. were presented to the guests of honor by Mrs. J. B. McDaniel.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and drinks were served to the following: Jean Fox, Winnie White, Marilyn Ayers, Christine Shields, Janelle Fox, Carolyn Monk, Patty Shields, John Bob Butler, Paul White, Terry Monk, Dale Ayers, Boyd White, Jerry Don White, Roddie Seago, Gary and Larry Mooring, Bobby Seago, Marilyn Hill, Ardith White, Glen Myers, Nelson Seago, Mrs. Grace Ayers, Mrs. Rachel Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Orvel Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDaniel, Rev. and Mrs. Delton Fisher, Eugenia Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers, and the honored guests, Billy White and Billy Hill.

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## SURPRISE BIRTHDAY

Mrs. A. L. Wilkinson received a surprise last Friday when a group gathered in to honor her on her birthday. Those to wish her a happy birthday from Amarillo were her daughters, Mrs. Carl Weller, Mrs. Loyd Marshall and baby, two nieces, Mrs. Charlie Reeves and Mrs. Clarence Cudd and Patricia and a sister, Mrs. Kenneth Cox of Washington, D. C.

## MOTHERS STUDY CLUB

Members of the Mothers Study Club observed guest day when they met Tuesday afternoon at Patching Club House. Program for the afternoon was presented by Mrs. C. B. Morris who in her delightful and charming manner, reviewed "Snap and Snails."

Refreshments of spiced tea and cake were served from the dining table which was covered with a lace cloth and centered with a Planter and Ivy. Guests present were Mesdames Geo. Bulman, Jr., Bill Blackman, Sam Lowry, Tommy Saye, John Miller Morris, and Carrol Lewis. Members present were Mesdames Bill Mooring, Bonnie Mooring, Richard Maxey, Grady Tyler, Chauncey Hommel, Bill Chilton, Bill Germer, Beaty Hillman, Dub Tyler, and the hostesses Mesdames Billy Phillips, Noel Cudd, Eddie Forrest, and C. M. Bennett.

## WIN ONE SS CLASS

The Win One Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church met in its social and business meeting of the month, Monday last, in the home of Mrs. Eva Rhode.

The president, Mrs. George Hillis was in charge of the business. This class is paying out the carpeting of the aisle around the altar of the church by each donating a dollar every month for one year. They also sponsored the carpeting of the choir, donating \$250 from its treasury. One member, Mrs. J. L. McMurry, donated \$200 individually. All Sunday school classes and circles cooperated.

Mrs. R. Y. King gave a very inspiring devotional closing the meeting with a prayer.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to guests, Mesdames Scarborough and Hayter and to members Mesdames J. T. Patman, Bertha Benson, C. D. McDowell, C. C. Powell, Roy Bartlett, W. M. Pickering, R. Y. King, Neely Hudson, William Payne, Will Johnson, I. E. Biggs, George Hillis, John Goldston, Cook, Frank Bourland, Bill Greene, Tom Connally, Miss Mary Howren by the hostess, Mrs. Eva Rhode.

—Reporter.



MADAM PRESIDENT — Mrs. Dwight Eisenhower is honorary president of the Girl Scouts of America and is seen above receiving her Girl Scout pin from Cynthia Beth Curtis, 12, of West Hyattsville, Md. Smiling girl in center is Virginia Ann Gray, 15, a Washington Scout.

## ART CLASS ENJOYS DINNER

The Art Class or students in Education 325 at the Amarillo Center enjoyed a dinner party Monday evening at the Cavalier. Mr. Cabellero, West Texas State College instructor, is teaching the class. Forty-two students and guests were present for the dinner.

Attending from Clarendon were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Mears, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hoggatt, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Payne, Mrs. Tom Seay and Bobbie Seago. All of the ladies are taking this Art work in classes Monday evening of each week at the Amarillo Center.

## JUNIOR LES BEAUX ARTS CLUB

Members of the Junior Les Beaux Arts Club met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Joe Goldston and were taken to the home of Mrs. Harry Brumley where they viewed pictures which she had painted. After discussing the various paintings, the group returned to the home

of Mrs. Goldston for films taken in all parts of the country and displaying many picturesque scenes from other states. The program was most interesting and enjoyed by everyone.

Following this program, Janet Stogner was hostess to the group at Ruby Bromley's for refreshments.

Those present were Janet Stogner, Bobbie Seago, Joan Hermes-meyer, Biffie Blair, Glenda Sue Davis and Miss Mary Howren. Members of the club extend their thanks to Mrs. Goldston and Mrs. Brumley for such a good program and hope that more of their members will be able to attend the next meeting.

## ASHTOLA NEEDLE CLUB

The Ashtola Needle Club met March 5 at 2:30 with the vice president presiding. Meeting opened with a prayer by Nona Hinders. Several brought work to exchange. The members voted to donate \$5.00 to the Red Cross. Mrs. Bain gave an interesting

reading, then read several poems. March is Pollyanna month and several received gifts. March 19 will be an all day meeting with a sack lunch. Vena Hudson will demonstrate making aluminum trays. All members try to be present Virginia Tolleson, hostess, served delicious refreshments to 14 members. —Reporter.

## W. S. C. S. MEET IN REGULAR SESSION

The W.S.C.S. met in regular business session at the church on Wednesday, March 4th. Mrs. J. R. Bulls gave the opening prayer after the group had sung "Have Thine Own Way."

Mrs. R. Y. King told of the extra session study about Africa in primary and junior groups and that all children were supposed to bring an offering. Mrs. Chas. Lowry told of the new W.S.C.S. study on Africa and textbooks to be read.

Mrs. I. E. Biggs made a report on the Jurisdictional Conference held in Amarillo. Mrs. Biggs appointed Mrs. W. M. Pickering and Mrs. Walter Hutchins as chairmen of the two new prayer groups.

Mrs. C. W. Bennett gave introductory material on the study about Africa. Mrs. Walter Hutchins read the scripture.

The meeting closed with the group giving the W.S.C.S. benediction.

Twenty-two members were present.

## ATTEND FUNERAL AT TURKEY

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. David attended funeral services March 4th at address for Cpl. Cecil R. Floyd who was accidentally shot by another soldier in Korea recently. Cpl. Floyd was a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Floyd of Turkey. The Floyd's are former Clarendon residents. He worked here several years as a blacksmith.

## Si Johnsons Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. "Si" Johnson of Amarillo, and formerly of Clarendon, celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary Thursday, March 5th. The couple's three children and a grandson presented them with a TV set, commemorating the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were married in Silverton in 1903 and came to the JA Ranch to make their home as that was where Mr. Johnson was employed. They set up housekeeping at the Camel Creek Camp, and for 45 years worked at all phases of ranch life.

It was on the JA Ranch that their three children were born. They are living today—Mrs. Ollie Mae Pyle of Logan, N. Mex., Henry J. Johnson of Houston, and Mrs. Emma Lee Underwood of Amarillo. The grandson is Lynn Johnson of Houston.

## FORMER RESIDENT DIES AT CLAUDE

Funeral services for Mrs. Mae Laycock, well known Claude dress shop owner, were held Tuesday in the First Christian Church of Claude with Rev. Ford Ellis officiating.

Mrs. Laycock died Sunday in an Amarillo hospital. She was born Nov. 7, 1894 in Clarendon and was the widow of the late L. A. Laycock, who died in 1949 and was well known in the Clarendon area.

Survivors include a daughter, Edwina Laycock, Claude and two sisters.

Mrs. Bob Hutson and Jack and Mrs. Ray Hawkins of Borger visited relatives here Sunday.

Lynn Blackburn and Dana Boston of Amarillo were guests in the William Lewis home for the week end.

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General Revenue Picture Facing 53rd Legislature

(NOTE: Following up a discussion of his plan for raising the money to increase teachers' salaries, the Governor of Texas has prepared a brief article outlining the general revenue picture facing the 53rd Legislature, now in session.)

By ALLAN SHIVERS Governor of Texas Texas' budget is a billion-dollar baby. But it doesn't have much spending money. The State budget for the next two years is around a billion dollars.

But five out of every six dollars already have been promised one way or another.

The Legislature can spend only the money in the general revenue fund, or in sight during the next two years, which now is about \$176 million. Because of decreasing oil production, it may drop sharply in the next few weeks.

What happened to the other millions? They are either in special funds, for special purposes, or already allocated for specific State services.

The trend in financing our State government in recent years has been toward the emphasis of the special funds and allocations, with the result that the general revenue fund has dwindled.

In a recent series of articles

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I discussed two of these special funds: (1) the available school fund, which is paid out to school districts on the basis of school-age population and (2) the Gilmer-Aikin or minimum foundation fund, which supplies enough money to guarantee every child in Texas a minimum standard of schooling.

There is an allocation of \$35 million a year for assistance to the old people, the blind, and to dependent children.

Another \$15 million goes into a special fund each year for farm-to-market roads under the Colson-Briscoe program.

We have a large—though not large enough—State highway fund.

The money for teachers' retirement also comes by special allocation.

So the general revenue fund has been shrinking in proportion to the State's total budget, because many allocations have first access to the tax money collected by the State.

Out of the present modest portion—\$176 million or less—the Legislature must cover all general services of the State.

Higher education, including all State-supported colleges, universities, and junior colleges, must be paid for out of the general revenue fund.

The money for upkeep of State hospitals and special schools must come out of that same \$176 million.

So must the funds for operation of the courts, from the district level on up.

The same is true of any capital improvements, such as State office buildings, prison system buildings, or additional State hospitals—that is, hospital building costs above the \$5 million

a year provided by a special tax. Even the expenses of the Legislature must come from the general revenue fund.

The financial tasks of the Legislature are further complicated by the fact that the government of Texas is now operated on a strict pay-as-you-go basis. This policy rigidly limits appropriations to anticipated revenues.

The Texas Constitution, Section 49a, Article 3, sets forth this requirement in detail:

"It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of Public Accounts in advance of each regular session of the Legislature to prepare and submit to the Governor and to the Legislature upon its convening a statement under oath showing fully the financial condition of the State Treasury at the close of the last fiscal period and an estimate of the probable receipts and disbursements for the then current fiscal year.

There shall also be contained in said statement an itemized estimate of the anticipated revenue based on the laws then in effect that will be received by and for the State from all sources showing the fund accounts to be credited during the succeeding biennium."

The Constitution goes on to require that, "save in the case of emergency and imperative public necessity and with a four-fifths vote of the total membership of each house, no appropriations in excess of the cash and anticipated revenue of the funds from which such appropriation is to be made shall be valid."

When the Comptroller finds that an appropriation bill exceeds the estimated revenue he must return it to the house where it originated and in such a case the Constitution prescribes that "the necessary steps shall be taken to bring such appropriation to within the revenue, either by providing additional revenue or reducing the appropriation."

The Comptroller has estimated that there will be available, during the next biennium, about \$176 million in the general revenue fund. The Legislature must bring all general service expenditures within this figure—or find more money.

That is why, when the public school teachers requested a \$600-per-month increase that would cost the State approximately \$67 million in the next biennium, I raised the question of where to find the money. That \$67 million would represent nearly 40 per cent of the entire general revenue fund.

It is the Legislature's responsibility and prerogative to determine how much we shall spend for what, and who shall pay for it. It is the Governor's responsibility to recommend a program and a plan of financing it.

In my message to the 53rd Legislature when it convened January 14, I made these specific recommendations of expenditures: State departments—\$41,618,484; higher education—\$72,896,438; State hospitals—\$44,313,692; the judiciary—\$6,976,050.

I also suggested that funds in addition to those already earmarked for State hospital construction be provided, on an emergency basis, for a tuberculosis hospital building program costing \$6,725,000.

At that time I pointed out that these items, totaling \$172,529,664, plus legislative and other necessary expense, would virtually wipe out the general revenue fund.

Naturally there may be some inclination to cut these figures I have suggested—but my recommendations themselves represent a considerable paring from the amounts the agencies concerned would have liked to have.

The main source of the general revenue fund is the omnibus tax. Of it, the major portions are from production taxes on basic material like petroleum, natural gas, and sulphur, and from special sales taxes on automobiles, beer, liquor, and cigarettes.

I have suggested that, if the Legislature decides to seek additional revenues to finance State government, it consider levying more taxes on "long-line" natural gas transmission lines.

The people of Texas have shown so much interest in the financial operation of the State

Political Announcements Subject to the City Election to be held Tuesday, April 7, 1953.

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that I thought a detailed report on some of the problems your Legislators and your Governor are facing would be of interest.

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LADIES OF REBEKAH LODGE TO HAVE BAKE SALE

It has been announced that the ladies of the Rebekah Lodge will hold a bake sale Saturday, March 21st at the Clarendon Electric. The sale will begin at 9 a. m. and everyone is urged to plan ahead to buy your pies and cakes at this sale.

IN HOSPITAL IN JAPAN

Pfc. Walter M. Warner, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Warner is a patient in the Osaka Army Hospital in Japan where he is recovering from frozen feet. This is the third time Pfc. Warner has been hospitalized with his feet frozen. He has been overseas for the past 16 months spending a year in Japan and the remainder of the time in Korea. He will be eligible for discharge soon.

ATTEND FUNERAL IN IOWA PARK

Mrs. J. I. Spurgeon, Mrs. Will Johnson, Mrs. Bob Head, Mrs. Lee Muse and Mrs. Victor Smith attended funeral services at Iowa Park, Thursday, March 5, for Mrs. Mattie Roach, sister of Mrs. H. T. Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy of Memphis, visited Sunday with Mrs. J. R. Ayers and Emma Ayers. Mrs. Addirene DuBose of Amarillo was a week end visitor in the Ayers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goforth and Miss Billie Starkey of Amarillo were guests Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith.

Capt. James D. Swift based at Sheppard Air Base in Wichita Falls spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Swift.

Those who visited and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. (Bob) Baird Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart of Clarendon, Mr. T. A. Stewart of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. George Talley, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Tidwell of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Nall of Turkey, Mrs. Ollie Nall and Mrs. Marie Lyles of Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Helton and girls of Amarillo visited Sunday with the J. A. Helton's.

A/3 Jany Jean Helton of Barksfield AFB, Freeport, La., accompanied by Bobby Ricker-son, is home on a 15 day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Estlack and Mrs. Edith Longan spent the week end in Plainview where they visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Beach and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wardlaw and daughter Sherylnn of McKinney, Texas visited her mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McKittrick last week.

Mrs. C. W. Newsom of Amarillo visited Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Lee Muse.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cannon of Bula, Texas visited Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mrs. W. E. Hardin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann and R. A. Bayne of Memphis, attended the funeral of an uncle and brother, L. C. Bayne, at Paducah Monday afternoon. He was about 80 years old.

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**MARTIN NEWS**

Mrs. W. H. Morrow

There was a good crowd out at Sunday school and church Sunday. Had one addition to the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Morrow and Bobby Wayne of Amarillo spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow. Miss Della Wood visited with her brother Lonnie Wood of Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and family were dinner guest with Mr. Guy Sibley and girls Sunday.

Those that visited Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hill Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francher and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Lee Hill and girls, and Mr. Ralph Hill of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land and Mrs. Bill Land and boys visited Mrs. Pete Land's sister at Tulia Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Jackson is visiting her parents at Wellington this week. We are glad to hear that Mr. C. E. Jackson's father is improving.

Mrs. Richard Cannon, Mrs. Frank Cannon and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Hawley Harrison Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ray Young of Clarendon visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Riddle Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Jordan left for Calif. Wednesday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. Berry Norton and family.

The next quilting will be with Mrs. Pete Land March 19. Everyone come.

We are sorry that Mrs. O. T. Hill is on the sick list. Hope she will soon be better.

Those that were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Grey Tims Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman and Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tolbert and girls were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tick Barbee Sun.

Mrs. Tick Barbee and family spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman.

Those who took dinner Sunday in the Otho Elliott home were Bro. and Mrs. Phillips of Clarendon, Mr. W. L. Jordan and Perry, L. L. Foster, Mrs. Patt Myers, Mrs. Pauline Conley and boys.

Those that took dinner in the Odell Osburn home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Osburn from Earth, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McKay and family from Amherst and Mr. and Mrs. Rabbit Osburn and family from Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self Sat. night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Kidd visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kidd Sunday.

Larry Wayne came home with them and spent Sunday night and Monday with them.

Mr. Earl Easterling and Mr. Dinnis Cook came home Saturday night. They were called down to Clarksville where Don Tomlinson had a bad heart attack. Don has been very ill, but is some better now.

**GABIE BETTS BURTON LIBRARY NOTES**

By May L. Prewitt

We received "The Memoirs of Herbert Hoover" with compliments of The Standford War Library, Stanford, California. Also have "Are These Our Doctors?" by Evelyn Barkins. This is a revealing book about doctors and their patients by a doctor's wife. In addition to being a successful writer, she is an attorney specializing in domestic relations, a cum laude graduate of college and law school, a concert pianist and the fascinating center of an active social life.

We have two children's books: "The Dog Catcher's Dog" by Andre Duzo and "Hucklebones" by Mickey Klar Marks. These were gift books to the Library. Quite a few very readable books have been given us recently and our reading clientele is increasing some.

**Calvary Baptist Church**

The Calvary Baptist Church is still making good progress. We had 51 in Sunday school last Sunday and a very fine spirit prevailed in our service. We have had 12 additions since our organization which gives us 40 in our membership now. The men are making good progress in the repair work on the building. We are to have a very beautiful auditorium completed in the very near future.

The Calvary Church wishes to express her gratitude for the fine cooperation of the citizens of Clarendon and especially to those who have given so generously in money for our repair job, and to those who have given their time. May our God who is able to supply all our needs, bless you, both materially and spiritually is our prayer for you.

We welcome you to our services and to see our fine building. "THE CHURCH WITH A FRIENDLY WELCOME"

Ernest Phillips, Pastor

**THREE DONLEY STUDENTS PRACTICE TEACHING**  
CANYON—Two students from Clarendon and one from Hedley are practice teaching this semester at the West Texas Elementary School.

Those students from Clarendon are Miss Mary Edna Elmore and Miss Doris Jean Wallace. Both are senior students and members of the Kappa Tau Phi social sorority. Miss Elmore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fontayne Elmore and Miss Wallace is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wallace.

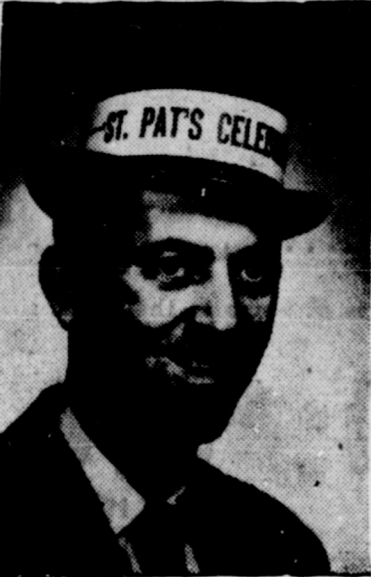
Miss Thelma Moss of Hedley is a member of the WT ACapella Choir and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moss.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the kindnesses bestowed upon our loved one, both before and after her death. Everyone has been more than kind.

Edd Mooring  
Herman Mooring & family  
B. J. Mooring & family  
Bill Mooring & family  
Arlis Mooring & family  
Mr. & Mrs. Brownie Dickenson and family  
Naoma and Genella Mooring.  
Those to enjoy a birthday dinner Sunday for J. I. Spurgeon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hicks and family were Mrs. Bob Hutson and Jack and Mrs. Ray Hawkins of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Spurgeon and family, and Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Spurgeon.

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**HARRY FRYE** of Shamrock, shows what the true, Texas-type Irishmen are wearing this year—donegals, which may be trimmed or untrimmed, according to preference, and green high-top hats. The purpose, of course, is to publicize the St. Patrick's Day Celebration to be held in Shamrock on March 17. Mr. Frye, who is general chairman, stated this week that plans for the big Irish Festival are shaping up well and that a tentative program, loaded with entertainment, will be announced in the near future. A crowd estimated at 25,000 attended the fete last year.

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**FOR RENT**—Nice furnished 2 room apartment, in Latson Bldg. See Bill Salmon at Apt. 2 or Hubert Heatherly. (5tfc)

**FOR RENT**—Nice four room house with bath. Lots of built-ins. See J. E. Eudy or phone 296-W. (5tfc)

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## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to friends for the beautiful flowers, calls, cards, food and kind deeds during our bereavement. May God bless each of you.  
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### FARM NEWS From the County PMA Committee

#### DROUGHT EMERGENCY HAY PROGRAM:

The Drought Emergency Hay Program has ended and no more orders will be accepted, according to B. F. Vance, State Agricultural Mobilization Committee Chairman. More than 16,000 cars of hay were shipped into 182 Texas counties to aid dairymen and growers of beef cattle, sheep and goats to maintain their foundation herds during the extreme dry winter months. The hay was sold to livestock growers at prices that would justify maintaining foundation herds. Some additional hay is now in transit and will be received probably this week.

#### MULKEY

Tuesday Only—March 17th  
BARGAIN DAY



#### MULKEY

SUNDAY & MONDAY—MARCH 15-16th



which will bring the total cars shipped to Texas to about 18,000. The hay program has been handled almost entirely by the farmer elected county PMA committees. Committees in counties in the dry areas took orders from growers and committees in areas where there was a surplus of hay, made purchases from farmers and shipped the hay.

Vance says the program has operated very smoothly and has been of great assistance to livestock growers of Texas many of which would have found it necessary to dispose of their foundation herds had it not been for the hay program. Growers will have paid more than 8 million dollars for the hay when all shipments have been received. It is estimated that the growers would have had to pay approximately 10.5 million dollars for the same amount of hay had it been available on the local market.

#### DISCUSSION OF PRACTICES:

In this week's article we are going to discuss Practice No. 45, "Establishing or improving permanent pastures by seeding adapted pasture grasses, pasture legumes, or mixtures of grasses and legumes." The payment for Pr. 45 varies according to the type of grass seed.

#### SPECIFICATIONS:

Seeded areas must not be grazed until the stand is well established, and no assistance will be given if the county committee determines that the area seeded is overgrazed. Grasses or legumes that may be planted for assistance in any county are restricted. A list of the grasses or legumes

will be mailed to all producers interested in the practice. Also along with the list of grasses will be the specifications in more detail information. The county specifications will include requirements as to fertilization, land preparation, date of seeding, method of seeding, quality of seed and seeding rate per acre.

#### More Dog Poisoning Reported Here

There seems to be quite a number of people who are interested in the dog problem here as we have received numerous letters and phone calls in regard to the situation. The poisoning of animals seems to bring the ire up in those persons who own or love pets. On the other hand there are others who are equally against the poisoning but strongly believe in pet owners keeping their dogs or other animals at home. It is more than just an aggravation when you put forth numerous hours on a yard or garden and have them destroyed by animals that become pests instead of pets in your neighbor's mind. Some complaints have centered on overturned trash barrels. They report large dogs turning these barrels over nightly in quest of something to eat.

At the present time all stray animals over town should be disposed of in some manner and one of the best ways is to call R. C. Hill, the City Marshall. Any method of poisoning should be stopped also as it is dangerous to small children who are not old enough to know better than put most anything in their mouths. Everyone should be more considerate. The dog owner should keep his dog at home to keep it from annoying others and also keep it from getting poisoned or being shot. This is a problem that should work its own way out if everyone is willing to cooperate. The person that does not cooperate has no room to make comment either way.

Guests Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hicks and family were Mrs. Bennett Haley, Charlotte and Bill of Plainview, Mrs. Paul Smith and Janie, and Miss Eula Haley.

#### Steer Hide Publicises Donley County

Donley County is getting some publicity in Washington now on a beautiful Hereford steer hide on the wall of Congressman Walter Rogers. The Hereford steer was fed by a 4-H club boy, Don Thornberry last year and was sold at the 1952 Amarillo Fat Stock Show. H. M. Breedlove, county agent for Donley county, said the steer was bought by Frank Carter of Pampa, manager of Combs & Worley. He paid 70c per pound for the steer. The calf was shown for reserve Champion of the Amarillo Show but was beaten. Mr. Carter had the calf butchered and thought the hide was so pretty that he sent it off and had it tanned. He then sent it to Walter Rogers as a present from him.

The hide is called a Texas Mink in Washington and according to reports from Mr. Rogers it is causing a great deal of excitement for those who see it. Don Thornberry has a picture of himself and his calf for that year and will send it to Mr. Rogers to go over the steer hide. This was requested by Mr. Rogers through Mr. Carter, the buyer of the calf. It took a long time to tan the steer hide and in fact it was almost a year from the time the steer was butchered before the hide was returned to Mr. Carter.

#### FATHER OF LOCAL MAN DIES AT CHILDRESS

Funeral services for John William Allmond, Childress resident since May, 1898, and father of Carl Allmond of Clarendon, were conducted Saturday morning at the First Baptist Church in Childress by Rev. B. J. Martin and Rev. George Curlee officiating. Mr. Allmond died last Thursday. He was a pioneer business man at Childress and was engaged in several lines of business during his life time. In 1929 he purchased the Chevrolet agency here and it was operated by his sons, Carl and Roy Allmond.

Other survivors include a brother, J. M. Wilder of Houston and a sister, Mrs. Annie Aycock of Wortham. Burial was in the Childress cemetery.

#### F.H.A. Girls Attend Area Meeting In Lubbock

Twenty-three members of the Clarendon F.H.A. Chapter, Miss Loyd Richerson, and several mothers attended the Area I meeting of Future Homemakers held on the campus at Texas Tech in Lubbock, Saturday, March 7th. The group left Clarendon Friday afternoon, spending the night in Lubbock so as to be on hand for early registration. An over all attendance of 2333 was recorded with 2160 of this number being girls of the various Chapters. Of 113 Chapters over this Area, 104 were represented.

The program for the day included the Opening Ceremony, the Address, a discussion of Our Area's Civil Defense, a meeting of the House of Delegates, a Talent Show, a tour of the campus, recognition of Degrees, Confering of Honorary Degrees, installation of officers and the Closing ceremony. Dr. E. N. Jones, president of Texas Tech delivered the main address.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Lewis, Mrs. T. H. Gattis, Mrs. George Schollenberger, and Miss Loyd Richerson took their cars providing transportation for the group of Clarendon girls.

#### FORMER RESIDENT BURIED AT IOWA PARK

Funeral services were held Thursday, March 5, at the Iowa Park Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Mattie Roach, sister of Mrs. H. T. Warner. Mrs. Roach was killed in a car-train accident, March 1, in Liberal, Kansas. She was a Clarendon resident some 23 or 24 years ago, daughter of the late L. C. Parker, and Mrs. Rowena Parker of Iowa Park.

Survivors include the husband, two children, Claudette and Leonard Roach of Houston; her mother, Mrs. Rowena Parker of Iowa Park; two brothers, Leonard Parker of Wichita Falls and Walter Parker of Floyd, N. Mex.; also one sister, Mrs. H. T. Warner of Clarendon. Burial was in the family plot in the Iowa Park Cemetery.

#### Notes from - - - CITY HALL

We have a speed limit of 30 miles per hour within our City limits. Speeding and reckless driving laws have not been observed too well in past months thus endangering lives and destruction of property. With this in mind the city officials have instructed the City Marshall to arrest anyone that might be guilty of either offense, subject to a fine. We especially call your attention to the fact that there is too much of this going on to and from school and near school grounds. Slow Down, and be more careful for the safety of all. (Watch the Stop Signs and Observe them.)

Major B. Hudson, Mayor.

Mrs. A. L. Wilkinson returned home last Tuesday from a Memphis hospital where she underwent minor surgery.

Mrs. Coy Wayne Rodney and baby of Amarillo visited in the W. E. McKittrick home last week.

#### MULKEY FRIDAY & SATURDAY March 13-14th



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WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY—MARCH 18-19th



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<b>ORANGES</b>	California Sunkist—Pound	<b>9c</b>	<b>Cheese</b>	KRAFTS VELVEETA 2 lb. Box	<b>.97</b>	<b>ORANGE JUICE</b>	Minute Maid—Can	<b>19c</b>
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<b>Fruit Cocktail</b>	WHITE SWAN 303 Cans—2 for	<b>.49</b>	<b>SHORTENING</b>	Vegetole—3 lb. Carton	<b>59c</b>
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There are many in Austin who would like to do away with the gasoline tax refund. This tax is refunded to those who use gasoline for non-highway purposes including farming. Why should a farmer have to pay a road tax on fuel used while plowing his field. It is just not reasonable to argue such a thing. About one gallon in eight is used in this way. Last year this same group succeeded in complicating the procedure of getting this refund to the extent that many thousand...

ands of dollars have been lost to the farmers. Now they will keep trying to further complicate or do away altogether with this refund. It seems to me that bureaus and departments hired to work for the people would confine themselves to working at the job, rather than trying to dictate to the legislative branch the rules under which they operate. Watch out for this legislation. It will mean thousands to the farmers.

Alcohol makes a man colorful; it gives him a red nose—a white liver—a yellow streak—and a blue outlook.—from Outdoor Life

Someone suggested that we use the following poem for our scrap book selection. The author is unknown.

LIVING BOUQUETS  
When I quit this mortal shore,  
And mosey 'round the earth no more,

Don't weep, don't sigh, don't sob,  
I may have struck a better job.  
Don't go and buy a large bouquet  
For which you'll find it hard to pay;  
Dont mope around and feel all blue,  
I may be better off than you.

Don't tell the folks I was a Saint,  
Or anything you know I ain't  
If you have any jam to spread,  
Please, hand it out before I'm dead.

If you have roses—bless your soul,  
Just pin one in my buttonhole,  
While I'm alive and well today;  
Don't wait until I've gone away.

Last week we took a little trip down through Donley County, and over to Wellington in Collinsworth; then on up to the good old Irish city of Shamrock in Wheeler county. Here we spent the night with the brother-in-law;

this being the one without the appendix. Also, he is the one who mostly insists on feeding me on hamburger and bologna and all the cheap cuts of meats even though his life's trade is groceries.

Anyway, this time was different; they were not expecting us and the ice-box was stuffed with the finest of fine T-bones. When his wife opened the door to make preparations for supper, packages just plain fell out in the floor. There was no other way around it, he had to serve us the steak. It was "Serumdacious". I don't think that anything could have tasted better, especially considering his agony at my appetite.

He spends most of his days displaying merchandise so that folks will buy it. I helped him stack up heaps of jars of 20c jellies to be run at the unheard of price of five for a dollar. It took me hours to talk myself out of buying some. I tried the scheme out on Mama. "Mama," I says,

"the brother-in-law is running five twenty cent cans of jelly for a dollar." And before she thought it out she said: "Maybe, you ought to buy some." It just sounds so tempting when put that way. Oh me.

"When your knees knock, kneel on them," read the foregoing someplace.

According to an article in our daily paper; quoting from a magazine called Fortune the following is supposed to be true; "More and more people are drinking less and less", and the quotas go on to show that the number of moderate drinkers are increasing. The whole facts would show not only; more and more moderate drinkers, but also more and more heavy drinkers, more and more sots, more and more alcoholics, more and more teenagers drinking, more and more accidents due to drinking, more and more lives ruined, and more and more money spent in propaganda to convince more and more people, that it is alright to drink more and more.

The word "fad" comes from the first letters of the words, "for a day."

NOTICE TO BIDDERS  
NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Donley County, Texas, will receive bids for the purchase of One 2-ton Truck Chassis with cab, heater, 8 ply front tires, 10 ply dual rear tires equipped with flat steel bed and 8 ton bed hoist; said bids to be received in the office of the County Judge and to be opened at 10 o'clock A. M., on March 9th, 1953, with the right to reject any and all bids.

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Notice to Creditors  
Notice is hereby given to all creditors of the estate of Mrs. Mollie E. Gray, deceased:

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of Mrs. Mollie E. Gray, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 25th day of February 1953, by the county court of Donley County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address is: Bessie Gray Stricklin, Clarendon, Texas. February 25th, 1953.

Bessie Gray Stricklin,  
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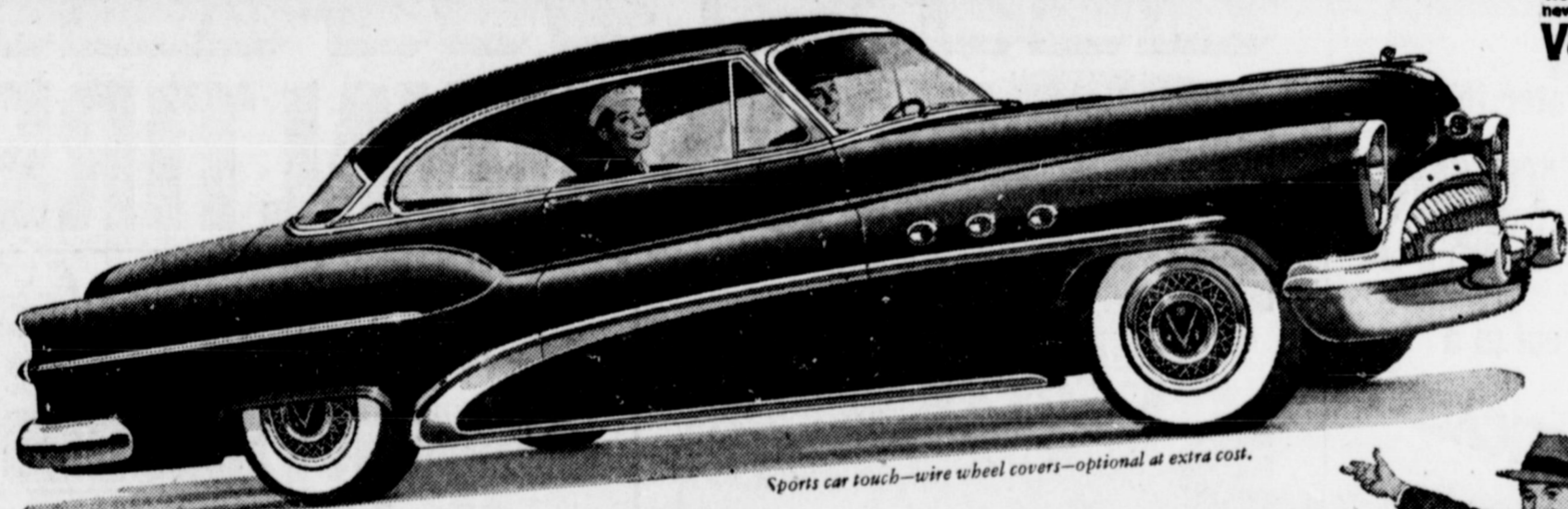
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Andy Rogers Sez!

By VERN SANFORD Texas Press Association AUSTIN—In the Senate is a bill that has turned out to be the most controversial and most costly of the legislative session to date.

days of debate in the House before it finally passed by a vote of 97 to 41. House Bill 5 is the designation of this measure, whose original purpose was to prevent optometrists from advertising and to break up the optometry chain stores.

Representative Stanley Banks Jr. of San Antonio, has the support of the Texas Optometry Association, a statewide organization of independent optometrists.

Opposing the bill are the advertising optometrists, including the chains.

Proponents of the legislation say they want to lift the standards of the profession and increase the authority of the state board of optometry so that it can tighten regulation and thereby eliminate any undesirable practices.

Opponents contend that the bill would invade their private rights, and that the public would have to pay more for glasses if the measure should pass.

Amendments in the House toned down the bill's provisions, but did not remove objections of the opponents, who are redoubling their fight against the measure in the Senate.

The attitudes of three members of the House summed up various viewpoints on the bill:

Representative Banks: "It raises the standards of the profession."

Representative Douglas Bergman of Dallas: "It's just an attempt to stifle free enterprise."

Representative Bill (Jitterbug) Henderson of Houston: "Let the people decide where they want to buy glasses. I say get the government out of business."

Another bill that caused a good deal of controversy—one to ban resort lodges from state parks—was killed in the House, 63 to 59.

Barring revival of the bill, which seems unlikely, the state parks board can sell bonds to private investors and build resort lodges at Inks Lake near Burnet, Lake Texoma, and Possum Kingdom Lake.

Each project will cost about \$1 million. When the lodges are built, they will be leased by the parks board to private operators.

You can look for stout argument next Wednesday, March 11, on whether to repeal or amend the automobile inspection law.

The House voted to postpone further debate on the issue until

that time. Representative Sam Bellet of Waco is author of a bill to wipe the law off the statute books. Representative D. H. Buchanan of Longview has a bill which he says will remove the undesirable features of the present law but retain its major objective—to take mechanically unsafe cars off the roads.

Highway Department top brass is toiling to perfect a presentation of their \$500 million road improvement program for a joint session of House and Senate.

"We plan to lay the full facts before the Legislature at one time," says Chairman E. H. Thornton Jr. of the highway commission.

He added that the commission will not undertake to tell the Legislature how to raise the money because "that is a legislative prerogative, and an administrative agency should not interfere in it."

The department has estimated that it will take an additional \$100 million per year for the next five years to bring Texas highways up to standard and maintain them.

It would take a constitutional amendment to complete a proposal by Senator John Bell of Cuero to help solve the state's water problems.

The proposed amendment, which passed a Senate committee test unanimously, would authorize the charging of fees for the use of Texas waters. The money would be used to build dams and reservoirs.

If passed by the Legislature, Bell's proposal would be voted on by the people next November 7.

A strong advocate of the proposed amendment is Senator Grady Hazelwood of Amarillo, who says his area's water shortage is critical.

Senator Bell predicted that if the amendment passes, local communities will build \$250 million worth of dams for water storage, flood control, and irrigation as soon as the money is available.

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**MIDWAY NEWS**

Mrs. Howard Hensley

Friends to Mrs. Edd Mooring in the Midway Community are sorry to lose such a fine person and a loving neighbor as she was. Our prayers and deep sympathy are with her family.

J. J. Cathey of Ft. Worth visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Land.

Sgt. and Mrs. O. L. McBrayer of Lubbock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morgan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes left Sunday morning for Austin on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Bennett of Big Spring spent the weekend with the David Bennetts.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hillis

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played 42 at Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Richerson of Phillips spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shaller and Teddy attended the Amarillo Fat Stock show Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Longan of Pampa spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Edith Longan.

Lewis and Robert Wells and their families of Memphis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hill Wells and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams played 42 at Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Morelands Saturday night.

Mr. Howard Hensley and David Bennett were in Amarillo Monday attending the Fat Stock show.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Chamberlain and William visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shaller and Teddy Sunday afternoon.

Guests for Sunday night supper in Mrs. Edith Longan's home were Ruth, Sarah Jane, Elsie Mae, David and Troy Carter of Amarillo. Friends will be glad to know David has won several places in wrestling and is to go to Iowa in April.

Mrs. Edwin Eanes and Mrs. George Hillis have been taking contributions for the Red Cross in our community for the past week.

A. C. Williams of Borger spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones and Mrs. J. F. Jones of Clarendon were in Memphis on Friday.

Those to enjoy the family reunion held at Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lindsey home of Clarendon Sunday were Mrs. D. J. Bibbs and Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Jones all of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Caraway, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Che-nault, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bulman all of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Richerson of Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Watters of Clarendon visited with Mrs. Edith Longan Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Wells visited in Memphis Thursday night with Lewis Wells.

Mrs. Roscoe Land attended a tea at Mrs. Willis Thomas of Hedley Tuesday night.

Charlene Siddle has been visiting in Lubbock with Sgt. and Mrs. O. L. McBrayer, but is now at home.

J. C. Estlack of Clarendon and Mrs. Edith Longan were in Plain-view Saturday night visiting Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrel Phelps of Clarendon visited in the Marvin Jones home Sunday night.

Mr. Richard Dingle and his three daughters of Chamberlain spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Smith played 42 at Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones Tuesday night.

Those to enjoy 42 at the Howard Hensley's Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland, Mr. and Mrs. George Hillis, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Land, Mr. and Mrs. David Bennett and Mrs. Maybelle Hensley of Guthrie.

The Midway quilting club was postponed due to one of the members, Mrs. Edd Mooring, passing away. Will meet this Thursday with Mrs. Beth Bennett.

**REEVES REPORTING**

Elbert Reeves Representative 88th District

Monday we introduced House Bill 441, a bill which we consider important to the school children of Texas, their parents, and the school officials, known as the Surplus Commodities Division. This bill provides for creating a division within the State Department of Public Welfare, to continue the distribution of food commodities made available free of cost by the United States Department of Agriculture, to eligible recipients including public schools of the state, non-profit child caring and summer camp facilities, and state institutions including those caring for children. The temporary plan now in effect for the distribution

of these commodities was set up on an emergency basis in August, 1952. As an indication of the monetary values involved and the importance of the state making some provision for the continued receipt of the commodities, Texas has received food stuffs with a wholesale value of more than four million dollars since August, 1952. Unless some action is taken by this Legislature, the state cannot receive the commodities, and I have been informed by various school officials that the loss would seriously impair the continued operation of our lunch room program, and in some instances would mean the closing of the lunch rooms. Schools, Parent-Teacher Associations and patrons should contact members of the committee on appropriations and make their requests known, as to whether they want this program to continue or be dispensed with. This bill has not been set, as yet, for hearing, but interested people have indicated they want to be in attendance before the hearing.

**BILL TO REPEAL CAR LAW KILLED**

A bill to repeal the drivers financial responsibility law was killed Monday night by the House State Affairs Committee. That leaves opponents of the law that require proof of ability to pay up to \$15,000 in damages with one other chance at getting it wiped out. A bill asking repeal is set for public hearing in the

state senate Wednesday. The law requires a driver must prove he can pay for the accident or that he is innocent of blame, or that there has been no damage suit for one year. For failing to do so, a person can lose his drivers license and his car registration papers can be suspended.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION**

The State of Texas: County of Donley: By virtue of an execution issued out of the District court of Donley county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 20th day of April 1938 in favor of J. E. Crabtree, Obie Pope and Josephine Dubuque, and against P. H. Longan, in the case of said J. E. Crabtree, Obie Pope, and Josephine Dubuque against said P. H. Longan, Number 1956 on the civil docket of said district court, I did on March 7th 1953, at 10:30 A. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Donley County, Texas,

as the property of said P. H. Longan to-wit: and being the North 320 acres of section Number 4 block "R" and located about 5 1/2 miles Northeast of the town of Clarendon, Donley county, Texas, and being the same land conveyed by Edith Longan and others to Veterans Land Board of the State of Texas, by deed dated November 29th 1950 and of record in volume 93 page 482 of the deed records of Donley county, Texas, all herein referred to for better description, and on the 7th day of April, 1953, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction all the right, title and interest of the said P. H. Longan, and all those claiming under him in and to said land. Dated at Clarendon, Texas this March 7th 1953.

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**SOUTH BOUND DEPARTURES**

1:56 a. m. 3:44 a. m. 5:24 a. m. 8:43 a. m.  
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10:26 p. m.



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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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"He was thinking of quitting but now I've got to talk him into

staying. Handy never pretends to be an expert, he's just a good all-around hired hand."

From where I sit, Slim's smart so be wary of people who consider themselves to be all-around "experts." Some folks will "expert" on anything—from the clothes a man should wear to whether he ought to drink beer or buttermilk. Personally I don't want to "classify" myself as knowing all the right answers.

Joe Marsh

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 Calvin Ashcraft, Supt.  
 Morning Worship—11 A. M.  
 Song & Praise Service—7 P. M.  
 Preaching—7:30 P. M.

**St. John The Baptist Episcopal Church**  
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 11:00—Worship Hour  
 6:30—Training Union  
 Bailey Estes, Director  
 7:30—Worship Hour  
**MONDAY**  
 7:00—Intermediate R. A.'s  
**TUESDAY**  
 4:30—Junior R. A.'s  
 6:30—Youth Choir Practice  
 7:30—Sanctuary Choir Practice  
**WEDNESDAY**  
 3:00—W. M. U.  
 4:15—G. A.  
 7:00—Sunday School Officers and Teachers meeting.  
 7:30—Mid-Week Prayer Service

**Lelia Lake Baptist Church**  
 Rev. J. C. Denton, Pastor  
 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
 Leo Smith, Supt.  
 Preaching Service—11:00 A. M.  
 Training Union—7:30 P. M.  
 Walter Fancher, Director  
 Preaching Service—8:30 P. M.  
**MONDAY**  
 W. M. U.—2:00 P. M.  
**FRIDAY EVENING**  
 Prayer Service—7:30 P. M.

**First Methodist Church**  
 Rev. L. E. Biggs  
**SUNDAY**  
 Church School—9:45 A. M.  
 Morning Worship—10:50 A. M.  
 Junior and Primary Fellowship—6:00 P. M.  
 Methodist Youth Fellowship—6:15 P. M.  
 Evening Worship—7:00 P. M.  
**WEDNESDAY**  
 Woman's Society of Christian Service—3:30 P. M.  
 Homemakers' Circle, Fourth Wednesday—4:00 P. M.  
 Bible Study and Prayer Service—7:00 P. M.  
 Choir Practice—7:30 P. M.

**Saint Mary's Catholic Church**  
 Rev. L. Connaughton  
 Mass Every Sunday at 9:00 A. M.  
**First Christian Church**  
 L. L. Oliver, Minister  
**SUNDAY SERVICES**  
 Bible School—9:45 A. M.  
 Morning Worship and Communion—10:50 A. M.  
 Young People's meeting—6:30 P. M.  
 Adult Forum—6:30 P. M.  
 Evangelistic Service—7:30 P. M.  
**WEDNESDAY**  
 Ladies Meeting—3:30 P. M.  
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 C. E. Spilman, Pastor  
**SUNDAY**  
 Sunday School—9:45  
 Morning Worship—11:00  
 Young People's Christ Ambassador Service and Booster Band—6:45 P. M.  
 Evangelistic Service—7:30 P. M.  
**WEDNESDAY**  
 Bible Study—7:30  
**SATURDAY NIGHT SERVICE**  
 First Saturday night in each month only—7:30 P. M.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
 Wm. A. Cockerell, Minister  
 Sunday School—9:45 A. M.  
 Supt., J. Gordon Stewart  
 Morning Worship—11 A. M.  
 Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.  
 Junior Choir sings at the evening worship service.  
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 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
 Perry Jordan, Supt.  
 Preaching Service—11:00 A. M.  
 Sing time—7:00 P. M.  
 Preaching Service—7:30 P. M.  
 Wednesday evening: Prayer Service—7:00.  
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 R. C. Copeland, Jr., Minister  
 Services Sunday Morning—10:00  
 Bible Classes—10:00  
 Morning Worship Service—10:50  
 Preaching—7:00  
 Ladies Bible Class Wednesday afternoon—3:00  
 Midweek Services—7:30  
 Wednesday evening—7:30  
 You are invited.

**Methodist Church**  
 LELIA LAKE  
 D. E. Fisher, Pastor  
 Sunday School every Sunday at 10 A. M.  
 Preaching Service—11 A. M. every Sunday except third Sunday.  
 Evening Service—8:00 P. M.

**Missionary Baptist Church**  
 Bro. J. W. Reynolds, Tyler, Texas Pastor  
 Bro. Elwin Lane, Ft. Worth, Texas Pastor  
 Sunday School each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.  
 Church services each First Sunday.  
 Church services every other Fourth Sunday.

**Martin Baptist Church**  
 T. H. Harmonson, Pastor  
 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
 George Bulman, Supt.  
 Morning Service—11:00 A. M.

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