

## ANNUAL GREEN BELT POULTRY SHOW OPENED ITS DOORS THIS MORNING; OVER 400 BIRDS EXPECTED TO BE EXHIBITED

Judging To Be Held Friday Under The Direction of West Texas College Expert; Team Judging Saturday

The annual Green Belt Poultry Show threw open its doors this morning for the three-day exhibiting of prize fowls from over the Panhandle.

Lack of housing facilities was solved late Tuesday night when the Dick Allen building on North Kearney Street was secured. The exhibition building is situated next to the Gulf filling station, east of the Antro Hotel.

Early entries in the show indicate over 400 birds will be in competition, according to J. R. Gillham, secretary. All entries must be in by 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Judging of fowls will begin at 8:30 Friday morning and birds may be checked out at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. T. M. Moore, West Texas State College expert, will be in charge of the judging.

Premiums and ribbons will be issued to exhibitors as they withdraw entrants.

Clarendon merchants have subscribed liberally toward the premium list.

Gas, donated by the City Gas Company, will be used for heating the building.

Over 40 F.F.A. Club teams have been invited to participate in the judging contest set for Saturday. Several teams have entered along with Quail, the defending champion.

Early entries include:  
J. L. Cobb—Rhode Island Reds.  
E. V. Quattlebaum—Rhode Island Reds.

Ray Palmer—Rhode Island Red.  
Gilbert Mann—Light Brown Leghorns.

White—Leghorns—Mrs. Kyle.  
Black Minorcas—Mrs. J. M. Accord.

Buff Minorcas—J. N. Riley.  
Dark Cornish—Sam Tankersley, and Bill McDonald.

Buff Cornish—G. A. Anderson.  
White Cornish—G. A. Anderson and W. O. Maxie.

Barred Rocks—Pete Morrow, Max Rumpy, C. L. Knight.  
Patriidge Rocks—Sam Tankersley.

White Rocks—Mrs. C. G. Aten.  
Silver Laced Wyandottes—C. F. Cannon.

White Wyandottes—H. Zeigler.  
White Giants—Quin Aten and Bill McDonald.

Black Giants—  
Buff Arpingtons—J. H. Welch, and Tick Barbee.

Black Tailed Jay Bantams—Frank Hermesmejer Jr.  
Black Langshan—Beatty Hillman.

White Langshan—Primrose.  
Anconas—Hott.

## Clarendon Schools Will Dismiss December 22

Clarendon school children will recess for the Christmas holidays Wednesday, December 22 for an eleven day vacation, Superintendent H. T. Burton said this morning.

School will again open, Monday, January 3, he said.

## Palmer Motor Co. Announces Fords

New Models Will Be Shown Here Saturday

The new 1938 Ford car will be on exhibit at the Palmer Motor Company Saturday, it was announced today.

In speaking of the showing, Doss Palmer said "the forty million dollar plant expansion program is ample evidence that the company moves forward with confidence. A big year behind and a bigger year in view, has prompted the broader, finer line of cars and trucks for 1938."

One of the most important changes for 1938 is the introduction of two new Ford V-8 cars. It is done, Palmer said, to meet a definite demand for luxury that shall be as a stylish sister to the standard V-8.

## Orders Pile Up for Trees Under C of C Program

A large number of Donley County citizens are placing their orders for trees with J. R. Gillham, secretary of the local chamber of commerce following the announcement last week that plants would be available at an approximate cost of three cents each.

Any resident of Donley county may order the trees regardless of whether town or farm dweller.

Bois D'Arc, Chinese Elm, black walnut, desert willow, honey locust and tamarix are the six varieties that are available. All orders must be placed before the first of the year. The deliveries will be made after the first of the year. The trees will vary from two to four feet in height.

## Bronchos to Open Cage Season Thursday Night

The Clarendon Bronchos will open their basketball season here Thursday night at the Junior High gym with the Lakeview Eagles. Though handicapped by the lack of a coach, the locals have been working out for several weeks under the direction of R. E. Drennan and L. B. Penick, local school officials.

The Lakeview Eagles are coached by Bob Clark, former All-American basketball player and all T.I.A.A. quarterback, who played basketball at Canyon under the late coach Burton. The Eagles have been runner-up in their district for the past two years losing only to the state championship club of Carey.

In addition to the high school game, the Clarendon Junior college quintet will play the Lakeview Independents. Game will start at 7 p. m.

## Coaches Apply For Local High School Post

Election of a coach for the Clarendon High School Bronchos is still pending but officials indicated yesterday the board would take some action immediately.

Several applications have been received from outstanding mentors in this section, two in this district and one who has hung up two district 2 titles.

## Passenger Coach Pastor Here Wed.

First Christian Mexican Preacher to Address Local Audience

Fedil Rays, whose pastorate consists of a railroad car in Amarillo, is coming to Clarendon to talk Wednesday night at The First Christian Church in the interest of improving his Mexican Mission.

Native Mexicans, Rays and his wife, graduated from Phillips University at Enid, Oklahoma, have successfully been conducting services in the discarded passenger coach on \$65 per month, subscribed by the First Christian and the West Christian Churches of Amarillo. The money, represented salary, church expenses, etc.

At the Claude convention recently, it was decided that the district build a suitable Mexican church in Amarillo. The district has been asked to raise \$1,500.

Fedil is a noted vocal soloist and is expected to give musical numbers here, according to the Rev. Robert E. Austin, local pastor. Mrs. Rays will also entertain. Rev. Austin said he would try to get Fedil to talk on his work in place of a regular sermon.

## CAR REGISTRATIONS

Earl Alderson, '38 Chevrolet sedan; Sam Dyer, '38 Hudson; S. A. Anglin, '27 Ford truck; JA ranch, '38 Ford truck.

## Lions Hear Speakers At Tuesday Luncheon

Representative George Moffett, Chillicothe, the Rev. W. B. Hicks, Wellington, and Bob Corley, Memphis were special speakers at the regular Lions Club luncheon Tuesday noon.

Scout executive Roberts also explained the work of the area, its size and the possibility of placing a field man in charge of a subdivision.

W. G. Word was voted a membership and the club voted to subscribe \$25 toward the Christmas basket fund.

## Memphis District F.F.A. To Meet Here Dec. 11th.

The second regular meeting of the Memphis District F.F.A. Club will be held in Clarendon, December 11, in order to allow club boys to participate in the Green Belt Poultry show set for December 9, 10 and 11.

O. T. Ryan, Area supervisor of Vocational Agriculture, will be the principal speaker on the program which will include talks by members of the Quail chapter on project markers and Clarendon members will discuss project with a chapter conducting demonstration. Walter Labay, Estelline instructor will also address the group.

## Casey Assaulted; Robbed Sunday Nite

Theatre Employee Found Unconscious On Floor

After questioning several suspects, officers today said they expected to make no immediate arrest in a late Sunday night slugging and robbing of Lee Casey, Pastime Theatre employee.

Casey from his bed in the Adair hospital told officers he did not see the man who slugged him and rifled his wallet as he was making a telephone call in the office at the show.

About \$15 of Casey's money was taken, but the safe, containing approximately \$300, was not tampered with, Casey was found unconscious by officers. His empty wallet and a brick were lying close by.

Miss Lloyd was talking to Casey on the telephone when the assault was committed. Following Casey's failure to resume the interrupted conversation, she asked the officers to investigate.

Sheriff Guy Pierce quoted Miss Lloyd as saying Casey asked her to "wait a minute." She heard other voices and something which sounded like a scuffle. After repeated attempts to get the victim back on the wire, she notified the officials.

## Quail Hunters Must Have Guns Plugged For 3 Shells

Quail hunters must have guns plugged to three shells capacity, Austin O'Neal, state game warden said here Sunday. Most Clarendon hunters have been confused on this point since the regulations issued stated plugs must be used for migratory game birds.

O'Neal said on the average, hunters in this section were not getting the average bag limit.

Many are complaining because the lack of moisture has curtailed dog activity.

## Mayor Patrick Warns Of Check Forgers

With an influx of bad check passers in Amarillo and Yesterdays, Mayor W. H. Patrick yesterday asked newspaper co-operation in warning Clarendon citizens against forgers.

Selecting Panhandle cities for their Christmas operations, they have fleeced merchants out of thousands of dollars.

Most of the Amarillo professionals imitate payroll checks. They have their own check protector machines and make the checks look exactly like payroll checks.

Taking the checks into stores, the forgers purchase a small amount and offer the spurious paper in payment, receiving change.

Many of the forgers use social security cards for identification.

## Pickering Elected Head of School Body

Large Attendance Is Noted At Teacher-Trustee Annual Affair

At the close of the session Thursday night, W. M. Pickering, oldest man on the County Board in point of years served, was elected president of the Teacher-Trustee Association for 1938.

C. W. Howard, principal of the McKnight school, presided as toastmaster. The program was filled in by drawing upon talent of teachers present since a number on the 'set' program failed to show up.

The principal address was made by J. B. Speer, deputy state superintendent, who makes his headquarters at Canyon. Mr. Speer's remarks were directed to the teachers and trustees, but would have been appreciated by any one interested in education in any phase.

O. L. Jacobs, veteran school trustee, was 'keynote' of the affair ready at all times with a storehouse of wit and wisdom whenever called upon to pinch hit as well as fill his regular place on the program for the welcome address.

"What Teachers Expect of Trustees," was very ably presented by Harry Hartzog, principal of the Martin school. Miss Nova Cook and Mrs. Lopez McCarley each gave a reading.

In a musical way, Bill Todd, Harry Hartzog, Lu McClellan and Ralph Stewart made hits with their duets. Again Bill Todd and a Mr. Dyees appeared in a musical act that brought much applause.

Mr. Dyees' specialty with his guitar, a closing number, was a distinct hit because of its 'newness' on such a program, as several teachers remarked at the close of the program.

County superintendent Geo. Kavanaugh was much in evidence helping the affair along with suggestions. A number responded with impromptu remarks. A number pronounced the annual affair one of the best yet. The ladies of the First Christian church served one of their typical banquet affairs, bringing forth the usual amount of favorable comment.

## BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Armstrong, girl, Tuesday morning, weighing 5 1/4 pounds.

## Sunnyview Announces Box Supper For Friday Nite

Promising good music and an entertaining program, a box supper will be held at the Sunnyview school Friday night, according to an announcement yesterday.

A 32-piece dinner set will be given the lady bringing the prettiest box. Another prize will be awarded the man having to pay the highest for his box.

Also included in the prize list is a premium for the little girl who brings the prettiest box, the little boy paying the highest price.

Everyone is invited to attend, according to the announcement which said the money would be used to purchase song books and to pay debts.

## Confederate of 96 Enters Protest

Last week there appeared in the Leader an article which had to do with the passing of a venerable citizen of Hedley. The information was sent in from that point. Naturally we presume that the informant was under the impression that the last Donley county survivor of the Confederacy had passed on.

Now we learn that C. Stogner of near Lelia, aged 96, is a born and bred Southerner, an honored soldier of the lost cause. He served the Confederacy with distinction on more than one battlefield.

To you, Mr. Stogner, we make this explanation. It would take more than a mere newspaper statement to dim your honored record in the service of your country as conditions existed in 1860.

## Poll Tax Sale Continues Slow In Donley County

Sale of poll taxes, for the right to vote in 1938, continued slow in November although an increase of approximately 50 was recorded.

In October, the opening month, only about 10 taxes were issued as against 60 for November.

About 2300 were issued in 1936. Poll taxes must be purchased by February 1 1938 for voting eligibility. Exemption slips will be issued to anyone who has become 21 since January 1, 1937. Persons over 60-years of age do not need certificates.

## Mrs. Allen Bryan To Give Piano Recital Friday

Mrs. Allen Bryan announced yesterday that she would present her piano pupils in a recital at the First Baptist Church, Friday evening, December 10, at 7:30 o'clock.

Appearing on the program will be Margaret Jenkins, Naomi Morris, Margaret Faye Wadsworth, Marilyn Bartlett, Dorothy Ann Kennedy, Guida Muri Miller, Neida Sue Burton, Billy Thornberry, Beverly Gray Stricklin, Frankie Hommel, Kitty Ruth Baley, Margaret Jean Leathers, Ethelyn Drennan, Mrs. Bryan, Fern Martin, Billie Cooke.

## Native Twins Teach In School At Giles

Two Pairs of Twins In Same Family Show Up This Week For Count

Who said old Donley had no twins? The farther the investigation, the more interesting it becomes. Another surprise is in the number of people interested in the Leader's "check-up" of a twin situation.

Down at the Giles school where they have one of the best school units, building and everything, twin young ladies have been teaching six years. They have given excellent satisfaction. They are talented, beautiful and refined. They are Misses Allene and Pauline McCants. Natives of that section and no young ladies anywhere have more friends than they. They look alike, dress alike and are continually together.

Two sets of twins in the same family! That is the best record to date. Lester and Chester, aged 14, are natives of Dallas county. Travis Ray and Mary Fay, aged two years, are natives of good old Donley county. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bolden of Windy Valley are the proud parents of these two sets of twins.

Twins are interesting to a lot of folks. Let's hear from other twins in Donley county. And more than that, who are the oldest twins living in Donley?

## WPA Laborers To Get More Work In December

WPA laborers in all Panhandle counties this month will be allowed to work continuously until they have reached the maximum hours allotted them under the Works Progress Administration program, A. A. Meredith, district director, said yesterday.

This is being done so as to let the workmen have the largest check possible for Christmas.

The laborers will not be permitted to work more than eight hours a day nor more than 40, but they will work continuously instead of the usual split shift.

## 18 Clarendon Bronchos To Receive Grid Letters

Eighteen Clarendon High School gridsters are eligible to receive sweaters for participating in this fall's campaign, according to a check this week.

Indicative of next year's team improvement is the fact that only two of the eighteen have over one stripe. They are Jelly McGowen, 4-years and Billie Cooke, two-years.

One year men are Ray Palmer, Johnnie Grady, Cole Huffman, Buri Longan, Jack Reeves, Max Wilson, Al Word, Junior Warren, Bob McWhorter, J. H. Green, H. L. Lane, Durwood Mears, Clarence Davis, Waldron Melton, George Vineyard, Fisher Johnson.

## FOOD SHOW FOR CLARENDON NEEDY WILL BE SPONSORED BY THEATRE; UNITED CHARITIES WILL ASSIST

Admission Prices to Entertaining Program Will Be Food Stuffs; Committee Will Distribute Baskets

## Local Girl Goes To Argentina South America

Miss Vada Waldron left on the noon train Monday for Ft. Worth where she will attend a special service, in her honor, at the Baptist Theological Seminary. She expected to leave there Wednesday for New Orleans and will speak at the Moody Bible Institution in that city on Friday, Saturday, December 11. She will sail on the Delud for Buenos Aires, Argentina, South America. Enroute she will stop for a short sojourn at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Prior to her leaving Miss Waldron was complimented with several lovely affairs where she was showered with many, many gifts. A host of friends went to the railway station Monday to bid her good-bye.

## Reward Offered In Hedley Bird Dog Theft Last Week

A letter from W. C. Bridges, Hedley, at press time today asks cooperation in locating a valuable bird dog stolen from his property Thursday afternoon.

Bridges will gladly pay a reward for information on the dog robbers and asked that anyone seeing the animal please call him at 89, Hedley.

Answering to the name of Peggy the dog is well trained, white with brown ears and spots at root of tail, small spots over body. A small wire cut, a scar between the eyes and small split in one ear, are other marks of identification.

## Will Collect Taxes In Hedley December 17, 18

The Donley County Tax Collector's office here will be closed all day Friday and Saturday, December 17, 18 as the books will be in Hedley for collection of taxes there, Joe Bownds, said yesterday.

## C. J. Douglas' Step-Father Dies Monday

C. J. Douglas is in Dallas this morning where he was called Tuesday by the death of his step-father, W. L. Phillips.

Mr. Phillips died about midnight Monday following a stroke. Other details could not be learned today.

## United Charity To Again Aid Needy Officers, And Investigating Committee Selected To War On Xmas Want

At a meeting of the United Charities of Clarendon, this week, Judge S. W. Lowe was elected president; W. B. Halle, vice president and Roy L. Clayton, secretary-treasurer. J. H. Hurn, the Rev. R. S. McKee and S. L. Morris were chosen to act as the investigating and distributing committee.

The United Charities was organized last year to aid local needy families and is composed of representation for each church in Clarendon.

No campaigns for additional funds was deemed advisable at present, by the officers, but generous minded citizens are urged to leave contributions with Mr. Clayton, treasurer.

Christmas baskets will be distributed to Clarendon's less fortunate families as was done last year, and through the generosity of the management of the Pastime Theatre, a benefit performance will be given on Tuesday afternoon, December 21, at which the price of admission will be the donation of foodstuffs, such as flour, sugar, fruits, meats, canned goods. Cash will also be accepted, according to a spokesman of the UC.

Last year sixty-eight baskets were distributed and the UC urges Clarendon citizens to respond as willingly this year.

## Inaugurated last year to bring additional Christmas cheer into the homes of Clarendon needy families, The Pastime Theatre, in cooperation with the local United Charities organization, will again sponsor a food show.

Twenty-five dollars was donated toward the cause by the Clarendon Lions Club yesterday.

The date has been set for Tuesday afternoon, December 21.

The theatre staff has promised an entertaining program for the afternoon and every resident is asked to pay admission with some article of food. Depending upon the means of the contributor, one can of food, up to baskets, will buy tickets.

Cash donations will be accepted at the show.

No one will be solicited for contributions, the committee stressed, patrons simply pay for admission by depositing food.

Those unable to attend are asked to send food to the theatre.

The United Charities Committee will collect the food and distribute baskets among the poor.

Feeling that Christmas is the time to help the less fortunate, Mr. Homer Mulkey has donated his services, the services of his staff and the revenue of his regular Tuesday afternoon matinee toward the cause. Citizens of Clarendon will also feel the spirit and donations this year is expected to exceed that of last when piles of groceries, sacks of flour, home canned food, salt, coffee, sugar, cookies, candy and many other sundries were contributed.

A number of years ago a variety store was operated here by J. C. Finley. The Finley's had a son, J. C. Jr. They moved to Amarillo where they have since resided. Now word comes that J. C. Finley Jr. has married Miss Geneva Pressly in Santa Anna, Cal. They will reside in Los Angeles.

## WEDS IN CALIFORNIA

ASHTOLA TO HAVE PIE AND BOX SUPPER FRIDAY NIGHT, DEC. 10

A box and pie supper will be held at the Ashtola school house Friday night, December 10 to provide funds for a community tree, according to an announcement by Ralph Stewart yesterday.

Everyone is invited to attend, Stewart said.

## Goldston Plans Pie-Box Supper Friday Night

C. E. Buck, principal of the Goldston school announced this week that a pie and box supper will be held in the Goldston school building Friday night, December 10 at 7:30 o'clock.

The funds will be used for purchasing playground equipment which is badly needed.

Ladies may either bring pies or boxes, Buck said, in asking that every one please come and help the school.

## Election of 1938 Farm Committee

Selected to Serve For Federal Farm Program

Election of committeemen to serve for the 1938 federal farm program was completed this week, according to H. M. Breedlove, County Agent.

Elected were Nollie Simmons, C. E. Bairfield, Clarendon and W. C. Bridges, Hedley, County Committee.

Community committeemen are W. A. Bailey, Ashtola; Edwin Bairfield, Clarendon; G. F. Leathers, Lelia Lake; Roy Jewell, Hedley; A. E. Ranson, Giles; Jess Stiles, McKnight; W. M. Pickering, Midway; Marvin Hall, Skiffet and Whitefish; S. J. Dale, Goldston.

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**"THE REST OF THE RECORD"**

BY JAMES V. ALLRED  
Governor of Texas

AUSTIN—A few daily papers last week carried the story of an incident in Waco, which while amusing, affords considerable food for thought.

The story reported the meeting

of a group gathered from various points over the state to discuss the endorsement of a candidate for governor who would stand for a full pension of \$30 for every person over 65 regardless of need. Various possible candidates had representatives there trying to line up the old folk's vote.

The amusing thing is that with one exception none of the talked-of candidates have made any public statement as to whether they favor pensions for everybody, or for the needy only. The meeting broke up without any candidate securing an endorsement, but with

the understanding that one would be endorsed later on.

Now everybody is interested one way or the other. Whether we favor pensions for everyone, or for the needy only, we ought to know just where these candidates stand. Certainly no secret commitments or promises should be acceptable to even those who favor pensions for everybody.

We don't know yet, of course, just who will be candidates for governor. Several months are still ahead before the time expires for announcements, but the point is that none of us ought to tie ourselves up to any candidate until we have some open public statements as to their views not only on this important question but on many others.

Many people, for instance, on both sides of the question would like to know the platform of each candidate on sale of liquor for the drink; on the general sales tax; on taxing oil and other natural resources; on an income tax; on a one-house legislature; on the race track gambling law; and on law enforcement.

You know of the fine work that has been done by the Public Safety Commission in driving the big-time gamblers out of Texas. They have had to fold up their tents and get out of business. There is hardly a large community in Texas that has not been benefitted by being rid of the presence of these racketeers. Naturally the gamblers and racketeers are intensely interested in electing what they call a "liberal" as governor next year. They have openly admitted that they are going to put up money to try and elect somebody who will not stand for law enforcement. Let's find out what candidate they are backing before we commit ourselves.

There is another aspect of law enforcement just as important.

You will remember that I said we were not going to have any "sit-down" strikes in Texas; and we haven't! At the same time I said we weren't going to have any violence on either side of the controversy; that is no interference with freedom of speech, assemblage or peaceful picketing.

I happen to know that agitators who are interested in bringing about "sit-down" strikes in the future are trying to get quiet commitments from certain candidates that they will not be interfered with. I know the people of this state will not stand for this unlawful method of taking possession of property; or for violence on either side.

Let's find out about a candidate's attitude before we make up our minds to support him.

Finally, it might be a good idea to withhold judgement until we can examine the records of some of the suggested candidates; and see how

those records fit in with their platform declarations, if they make any.

There is still lots of time for us to get the facts; and I have an idea the facts will be forthcoming in due time.

**BRICE NEWS**

Mayme Smallwood

Rev. Ray Brister of Lakeview preached at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night. The church called him for their pastor for the coming year.

A number from here attended the Junior play presented at Lakeview auditorium Friday night at 7:30. Admission was 10c and 15c. The money will go to the Junior class.

Box Supper  
A pie or box supper will be held at the Brice auditorium Friday night, Dec. 10, sponsored by the Parents Teachers association. Everyone is invited.

Club Meets  
The Brice quilting club met at the auditorium for an all day meeting, Thursday, Dec. 2nd.

President, Mrs. W. E. Davis presided over the meeting. Quilts were quilted for Mrs. W. E. Shepherd, Mrs. M. L. Pittman and Mrs. Joe Wood.

Those present were Mesdames

George Dickson, Hurley Moreman, D. T. Smallwood, M. L. Pittman, J. C. Johnson, C. J. Holland, Odell McBrayer, Joe Wood, W. E. Davis, Eugene McBrayer, C. R. Cross, Starr Johnson, E. F. Gibson, Slick Wilson and Misses Mayme and Frankie Smallwood, Margaret and Clyde Shepherd, Mrs. Hudson of Clarendon was visitor.

At the next meeting quilts will be quilted for Mrs. J. H. Gillespie.

Locals and Personals  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey of Martin were callers here Sunday. Woodrow and Winford Martin of Mexico spent last week with their sister, Mrs. Starr Johnson.

Mrs. Hudson of Clarendon is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Cross.

Starr Johnson returned Saturday after a week deer hunting in South Texas.

Mrs. Henry Youngblood, who received a broken arm some two weeks ago is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. D. Chappell visited Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Colley of Lakeview Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McBrayer were business callers in Amarillo last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ayers, Mrs. M. A. Hahn and J. W. Meadors of Aspermont visited their brother, Boyd Meador and Mrs. Meador at McLean Sunday.

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**FOOD SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY**

PECANS, large thin shell—2 lbs. for	35c
CAKE FLOUR, Marco—4 lb. Pkg.	29c
GINGER SNAPS—2 lbs. for	25c
MARCO-JEL, a gelatine dessert—5 for	23c
TOMATOES—No. 2 cans—3 for	25c
RICE, fancy Blue Rose—4 lbs. for	25c
OATS—5 lb. Bag	25c
CORN FLAKES, Kelloggs, bowl free—2 for	23c
CORN, Field, No. 2 cans—3 for	25c
Tomato Juice Swifts 14 oz. cans—3 for	25c
Marco 21 oz. cans—3 for	29c
PEAS Concho, No. 2 cans—2 for	25c
Brimfull, No. 2 cans—2 for	28c
SOUP—Phillipps Vegetable or Tomato	5c
Any quantity—10½ oz. cans—Each	5c
SPUDS, No. 1 Red McClures—per peck	25c
COFFEE Monarch—1 lb. can	28c
3 lb. can	79c
Wesson Oil Pint can	25c
Quart can	48c
Flour Carnation 24 lb. sack	95c
Mixing bowl free 48 lb. sack	\$1.85
Dobry's Muchmore, 48 lb. sack	\$1.45
Dobry's Best, 48 lb. sack	\$1.75
LYE Dixie—3 cans for	23c
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es a plan to exempt all homesteads up to a \$5,000 valuation from all taxes of any kind except where the property is obligated by bond issues. This is a mighty good idea, Senator.

Senator Capper of Kansas suggests a law that would prevent this nation declaring war upon any other nation without the consent of a majority of the votes of the nation. Many will see in this plan the possibility of ending war or preventing war in any nation when the ones who must bear the hardships have a voice in the matter. Mighty good law, Senator. Push it through quickly.

Marihuana, the native narcotic weed of the southwest, is now being grown in the school experimental grounds of the east. The weed has become the greatest narcotic menace in that section, it is said. Cigarettes, commonly referred to as "goof butts," are often sold right along with food from the hot dog stands. Children are the principal customers, too. Some people will commit a crime worse than

murder for a few pennies of profit. A marihuana victim cannot be cured—they are permanently insane.

In Denver, New Orleans, Chicago and other cities, Tomale, hot dog, candy and other peddlers pass the marihuana smoking habit on to children by selling them cigarettes filled with the weed and a bit of tobacco as a blind.

The marihuana smoking habit is said to have invaded the swanky homes of the so-called higher-ups. In fact it is chasing heroin, cocaine, in fact it is chasing heroin, cocaine, morphine and other commonly known narcotic sales off the map.

In the effete east where late styles are much the vogue, hats modeled after a lamb chop is the latest mental baby of a creative mind steeped in delirium tremens. Many men are said to chase into the hat shop thinking it to be a cafe. Schiaparelli, is the name of the bird who got up the idea.

(Aside to Col. Tack, and confidential.)

Bring down your Sandies and play Clarendon. You could likely make a winning here since every other town has. At any rate stand up and take your defeat like a man. Our bunch has been beaten in every game this season, but you don't hear us belly-ache about the matter. Neither have you, yet, until you have time to recover from the

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shoke and make a survey of the ruins.

And you little folks had better hurry along those letters to Santa Claus. If the letters arrive too late, they will have to be left out of the Leader.

The first sign of age is not wrinkles but the inability to give a darn about other people.

The best citizen for a community is not the one who can make the introductory remarks or after dinner speech, or who appears with glee in a formal dress suit. The best citizen for a community is he who gives employment to others and makes possible the maintenance of more homes and more successful citizens in the community.

Hastoun Yazzie asked Washington to exempt his seventh son, Pozzie, from the wages and hours bill on account of him being a half wit. Monday he received a reply to his request reading:

"My dear Mr. Yazzie: We note with pleasure your intense interest in securing your talented son an appointment. The references and other data enclosed in your letter is being given careful investigation, and you shall hear from me again when the first vacancy appears in the department to which you referred."

After reading that letter, old Yazzie has concluded that Pozzie ought to be in Washington helping to make the laws.

Don't forget that the price of this newspaper will be advanced to \$2 a year January 1st. It costs you less than 3 cents a week now. Get in your renewal right away. If your paper runs out within the next few months, or before June, 1938, you may renew that now at the \$1.50 rate. The Leader outside the county will cost \$2.50 a year after January 1st. This is due to the cost of newsprint advances, added to high postage rates outside the county.

If the Apostle gets all the spare-ribs, backbones, sausage and other good things for Christmas that have been promised him, it will be the biggest event of his life.

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### MIDWAY

Mrs. John Goldston

Mrs. W. B. Higgins and daughter were dinner guests in the Bob Higgins home Sunday. After dinner, the group attended the singing convention at Windy Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mace visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams Sunday night.

Margaret Higgins spent Sunday night with Mary Berrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Berrick and family visited in the Higgins home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Moreland visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Higgins Friday evening.

Cotton picking which has been on the decline, is beginning to increase now as the finishing up of the years crop has begun.

Midway people met at the school house last Tuesday and elected Mr. Pickering for the cotton committee man for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett Wilson of Pampa spent Saturday night in the John Goldston home. They were enroute to Stamford.

Mr. Vaughn, Mr. Clause and Mr. Degrott, museum men from the east here, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes Sunday.

Mrs. John Naylor spent the past week with her sister and mother in Clarendon. Her sister Miss Vada Waldron leaves today (Tuesday) for Ft. Worth where she is to attend a meeting tonight in connection with her foreign mission work then she is to go on to New Orleans where she is to attend another meeting. And then sail from there for Argentina Saturday.

Mrs. Sam Spradlin who has been in the Adair for some time is to be moved to her home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Davis of Silverton spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Haley.

Mr. and Mrs. Reamer and daughter Irene spent the week end with his mother at Spearman.

Mr. W. C. Holland is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Lee Starks and Mr. P. A. Fountaine of Amarillo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pickering Sunday.

Herman Barnes and Lesley Pickering spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beach at Hedley.

Miss Mary Sue Stone spent Friday night with Lucille Goldston and attended the Senior Class play at Lella Lake with the family. And Say, Seniors, your play was good.

The Potter's also attended the play.

### IN AUSTIN

George W. Kavanaugh, County school superintendent was in Austin this week on business.

Miss Ella Clark and Mrs. Maude Rady of Ft. Worth were here Friday on a matter of business.

Sales Pads at the Leader.

Mrs. George Norwood and Mrs. Paul Slaton were in Amarillo Mon.

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40 in. PILLOW TUBING 25c Value—Yard	23c	Mens part wool work Socks 23c—2 pairs for	45c
COTTON BLOOMERS Childrens Knit	19c	MENS and BOYS TIES 15c Each to	75c
COTTON HOSE Childrens, 15c—2 for	25c	DOUBLE BLANKETS 70 in by 80 in.	\$1.39

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<b>\$1.39</b>	<b>PECANS</b> Large paper shell, 2 lbs.	<b>SALMON</b> PINK, 2 cans
<b>.35</b>	<b>Baking Powder</b> DAIRY MAID With Cup and Saucer	<b>.28</b>
<b>.23</b>	<b>Sweet Potatoes</b> 12½ pounds	<b>LARD</b> K. B. White Ribbon or Bird Brand 4 lb. Carton 47c 8 lb. Carton
<b>.35</b>	<b>MEAL</b> Everlite Cream, 20 lbs.	<b>.89</b>
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**PRESENTED AT RECITAL**  
The Mozart Society presented Mrs. Charlotte Ingham Word of Clarendon in a piano recital in Amarillo Monday, December 6th at 8:15 o'clock in the home of Mrs. B. V. Blackwell.

of Mrs. Word's songs are "The Love that is Ours," "Through the Fields of Clover," "My Grandmother's Scarf," "Song for You," and "Evening Hymn."  
A lovely refreshment was served following the recital to about 50. Those attending from Clarendon were Mrs. Geo. Ryan, Mrs. E. D. Landreth, Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, Misses Mary Charlotte and Jo Word.

**1922 BRIDGE CLUB**  
Mrs. A. R. Letts was hostess when she entertained the members and guests of the bridge club with a lovely 1 o'clock luncheon Tuesday at her home.  
The afternoon was enjoyably spent in playing bridge.  
Mrs. Caraway was awarded club high score prize; consolation went to Mrs. Rhode.  
Those present were Mesdames R. A. Chamberlain, T. H. Ellis, Odos Caraway, Eva Rhode, Sella Gentry, Geo. Ryan, Chas. Bugbee, James Trent and hostess, Mrs. Letts.

**TUESDAY CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB**  
Mrs. H. M. Breedlove was hostess to the Contract Bridge club at her home Tuesday afternoon.  
Two tables of bridge were played with Mrs. W. W. Nobbiet winning high.  
A salad course refreshment was served to guest, Mrs. B. F. Kirtley. Members, Mesdames W. W. Nobbiet, Geo. Norwood, Paul Slaton, A. W. Hicks, Sam Cauthen, and Mrs. Joe Bownds.

**1912 NEEDLE CLUB**  
Mrs. Sella Gentry was hostess to the 1912 Needle Club Thursday afternoon at her home.  
Conversation and fancy needle work was the chief diversion of the afternoon.  
The guests were served a dainty refreshment from the dining table.  
Members were Mesdames B. L. Jenkins, L. S. Bagby, Dyer, Ed Dishman, Crockett Taylor, J. T. Patman, A. A. Mayes, Evans, Chase, Letts, R. A. Chamberlain, and hostess, Mrs. Sella Gentry.

**1926 BOOK CLUB MEETS**  
The 1926 Book Club met this week with Mrs. Virginia Bryan and Edith Ballew as hostesses. Mrs. Lena Morris was the leader for the program.  
The book, "Excuse It Please" by Cornelius Otis Skinner, was reviewed by Mrs. Lela Mae Smithey.  
Guests present were Mrs. L. Ballew and Mrs. Louie Merrill.  
Members were Mary Allensworth, Edith Ballew, Virginia Bryan, Eunice Buntin, Alta Lane, Alma Landers, Edgar Mae Mongole, Jennie Dale Porter, Laura Penick, Lela Mae Smithey, Dorothy White, Evadna Cox, Dewey Clifford, Jewel Grady, Temple Harris, Texie Heath, Blanche Howze, Janice Lowry, Lena Morris, Cloteal Ray, Clara Gillham, and Mary Thornberry.

**CLARENDON H. D. CLUB**  
The Clarendon Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. A. Davis Friday December 3rd. with fourteen members present. The president Mrs. J. C. Estlack presided, opening the meeting, reading the Club prayer.  
Plans were completed at this meeting for the annual turkey dinner and grab bag, to be held in



William Powell and Myrna Loy in "Double Wedding"

the home of Mrs. J. C. Estlack Dec. 17.  
Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames G. A. Anderson, A. H. Baker, C. L. Benson, John Black A. L. Chase, J. C. Estlack, G. L. Green, M. A. Hahn, C. D. McDowell, W. D. Van Eaton, A. G. Lane, Misses Etta and Ida Harned and the hostess Mrs. W. A. Davis.

**GREEN-LANIER**  
William E. Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Green of Clarendon and Miss Maxine Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lanier of Waxahachie, was married in Trinidad, Texas on November 24, it was recently announced.  
William was a Clarendon resident for many years, having attended all schools here. He has been employed at Trinidad for the past several years.

**1930 NEEDLE CLUB**  
Mrs. Alfred Estlack was hostess to the 1930 Needle club Tuesday afternoon in her home.  
Those receiving lovely "Polly-Anna" gifts were Mrs. Vada Carpenter and Mrs. Turner Kirby.  
The afternoon was spent in conversation and needle work. A salad course refreshment was served.  
Guests, Mesdames Lucille Garrison, and Hattie Palmer; Members, Mesdames Betsy Landers, Mozelle Wright, Mayb'n Andis, Marguerite Carpenter, Emma Tyree, Marie Patterson, Ruby Couch, Nadine Whitlock, Nora Decker, Lynn Kirby, Maggie Hunt, Mildred Ritter, hostess, Allene Estlack.  
The next meeting will be a Christmas party Thursday, Dec. 16 at the home of Mrs. Haskell Hay, with Mrs. Turner Kirby assistant hostess.

**JUNIOR BEAUX ARTS CLUB MEETS**  
The Jr. Beaux Arts Club had their monthly meeting Thursday afternoon, December 2, at the club room. The leader, Miss Howren, presented famous paintings of Modonnas, and Miss Word gave a few of the old Christmas customs.  
The hostesses, Misses Nell and Nova Cook, served refreshments to the following club members:  
Mrs. L. T. Burton, Mrs. Sam Cauthen, Miss Rosalie Grady, Miss Etoile Sirman, Mrs. Rufus White, Miss Peggy Word, Mrs. Durwood Skelton, Mrs. Willard Skelton, Mrs. David McCleskey, Miss Margaret Cope, and Miss Howren.

**Women's Clubs to Broadcast Third of Series**  
Thursday, December 16, will mark the third of a series of Education for living broadcast over the National Broadcasting Company's blue network sponsored by the General Federation of Women's Clubs.  
Thursday's theme will be "Will The American Home Survive." Speakers will include Mayor La Guardia, New York, Major Eugene Meyer, Washington Press and Cathleen Norris.  
J. D. Swift and J. D. Swift Jr. were in East Texas this week on business.

**FERGUSONS MAY RUN**  
Dopesters have it that the Fergusons, Jim and Ma, will make the race in 1938 on a sales tax and old age pension for every one above 65 platform. Jim will start up his Forum again just as soon as he gets the gas engine to working to make the old Country Campbell hum. This is to be a "homespun" campaign, he says, from start to finish.  
Miss Edna Thomas is visiting her brother Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thomas and family at Tulla.

**Energetic Students Hurdle Poverty Bar at State U.**

AUSTIN—There are twelve University of Texas boys who do not wait for the well-known "crack of dawn" to begin their work. They rise at 3 o'clock in the morning to deliver copies of the Daily Texan, student newspaper, to 9,000 University of Texas students. The "early birds" are Bertram Childs of Timpson, Edmond E. Kinsey of San Angelo, Tom Curtis of Hattiesburg, Miss., Kenneth Walter of Abilene, Bailey Moore of Austin, Floyd Bell of Floydada, Ronald Baethe of Houston, W. A. Wyche, Jr., of Anson, Lawrence Neill of Tyler, Ned Looney of Burlington, James Sarver of Austin, and Clyde Sansing of Austin.

**Speed Vs. Power Will High-Light Wellington And Panhandle Title Bout**

Two football teams, about equal in weight but employing entirely different systems of attack, will collide on Powell Field in Wellington Friday afternoon at 2:30 with the championship of region 1B at stake.  
The Wellington Skyrockets, undefeated champions of district 3B and conquerors of the district 4B champs, the Spur Bulldogs, will pit their razzle-dazzle against the crushing power of the Panhandle Panthers, defending regional titlists and champions this year of districts 1 and 2.

Mrs. Griswell of Shamrock visited her mother Mrs. W. D. Martin Tuesday.

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**Rural School Aid at Highest Figure in History**

AUSTIN—Rural schools in Texas will receive the greatest state compliance with their applications for aid in history it was announced Monday as a legislative committee began a final hearing on adjustment of 1936 applications.  
Reports submitted to the committee indicated that the \$6,080,000 appropriated to aid rural schools would pay 94 per cent on all claims for aid. This is seven per cent more than in previous years.  
Because of dispute over the claims for aid and a conflict of authority between the state board of education and the state department of education, the last legislature added \$1,080,000 to the original \$5,000,000 rural school aid appropriation and named its own committee to put the final stamp of approval on the payments made from the fund.

Mrs. W. H. Patrick and brother, John Bugbee will leave for Graham, Kansas, to visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Marsh.

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	Carnation—48 lb. Sack	\$1.85
<b>Baking Powder</b>	K. 25 oz. ....	18c
	C. 50 oz. ....	29c
<b>COMPOUND</b>	MERIT—4 lb. carton	45c
	8 lb. carton	85c
<b>RICE—Bulk</b>	4 lbs. for	25c
<b>CORN FLAKES—Kelloggs</b>	2 for (Bowl Free)	23c
<b>OATS—K. B.</b>	3 lb. Pkg.	19c
<b>MEAL</b>	K. 10 lb. Sack	29c
	B. 20 lb. Sack	49c
<b>PECANS—Good size</b>	Thin shells—2 lbs. for	35c
<b>CATSUP</b>	Gallon can	49c
<b>SUGAR—Pure Cane</b>	10 lb. Kraft Bag	58c
<b>SALAD Dressing—Verigood</b>	Pints 15 Qt.	25c
<b>SPUDS—No. 1</b>	15 lb. Peck	25c
<b>SALMON—Brimfull</b>	2 for	28c
<b>CORN—No. 2 Cans</b>	3 for	25c
<b>SUGAR CURE</b>	SMOKE SALT 25 lb. Bag	\$1.00

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SALES PADS—Sales Pads are now sold at the Donley County Leader.

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## Noted Speaker to Appear in Amarillo Sunday

Efforts have been made for more than a year to secure for Amarillo the services of one of the most outstanding public speakers of our time. These efforts have at last been successful in securing Judge Summers who will deliver an address at the City Auditorium at 2:30 p. m., December 12th.

Judge Summers was for some time public prosecutor in the City of St. Louis, Mo., and established the Courts of General Sessions of that City. He is now retired from practicing law, and is giving much of his time to writing and speaking on the present economical situation. Unlike most speakers, he points the way to better business conditions and permanent economic recovery.

During the past several months he has been making addresses and is now upon his way home to southern California for a rest. While passing through this part of the State, Judge Summers will make addresses at Wichita Falls, Vernon, Childress, Amarillo, Plainview and Lubbock.

Judge Summers is considered one of the greatest authorities on Taxes, money, credit, and Bank laws. His address promises to hold much of interest to all the people of this part of the State.

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Matter not mailable at parcel-post rates. Written matter in the nature of personal correspondence cannot be enclosed in parcels. Communications attached to parcels: A letter placed in an envelope, addressed to correspond with the address on the parcel and fully prepaid at the first-class rate, may be tied or otherwise securely attached to the outside of the parcel in such manner as to prevent separation therefrom and not obscure the address on the parcel. Do not place any writing in your parcels of a personal nature other than the customary greetings.

## Governor's Mansion Attracts Variety of Cranks

A "good many cranks" have been coming to Texas' gubernatorial mansion lately, Gov. James V. Allred said today.

A woman last week sought to see him, bringing a letter she had written Gov. Frank Murphy of Michigan.

She wanted to meet Murphy, Allred said, and sought the latter's assistance.

"She said she understood Murphy was a bachelor," Allred said.

The woman was questioned by mansion guards and later, according to Allred, was adjudged insane by a Travis county court.

The governor said visits of "cranks" and "suspicious characters" had been checked somewhat by occasional fingerprinting and investigation.

## Floydada May Become Boom Oil Town Any Minute

Wildcatting is due for a big play northeast of Lubbock up to and including a lot of Floyd county the coming year. Seismographs tests are now being made over much of this section.

Floyd county's first test is going down near Floydada, leases are soaring and excitement is about as high as could be expected with nothing on which to base it at present.

The operators own a large block of leases and the contract depth of this test is 6,000 feet. This will insure a thorough test of the formations thought to be in that sector.

The contracting firm is Loffland Bros., one of the best known such firms in the Mid-Continent. Large type rotary equipment is being used capable of going far beyond the contract depth.

Last reports gave the depth as 3200 with the bit going steadily downward.

## Briscoe County Highway Job Approved in Washington

The State Highway 86 project in Briscoe County near Quitaque has been approved in Washington, and all that is lacking now before work will be ready to start is the official signature of President Roosevelt, Congressman Marvin Jones has informed Judge W. Coffee, Jr., Silvertown.

A graded highway is to be cut through the Cap Rock canyons and hills, running from one mile west of Quitaque 5.2 miles west to the top of the Cap Rock.

The project calls for the expenditure of \$64,987.77. Of this, \$28,161.60 is of federal funds and \$36,826.17 is of state highway funds.

## IT'S TRUE!

By Wiley Paden



New York, N. Y.—"IT'S TRUE! That John Beal started his stage career as Frank Craven's understudy on Broadway," says Wiley Paden. "Beal is a Missourian by birth and attended the University of Pennsylvania. He saves pennies . . . his coppers totaled three trifles and with these he built his Hollywood house . . . at least they paid for the entire lumber bill!"

WPA laborers will be used on the project, which will be supervised by the branch office of the State Highway Department at Lubbock.

## CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an open competitive examination for the positions of assistant fisheries statistical and marketing agent, \$1,800 a year, and junior fisheries statistical and marketing agent, \$1,620 a year, in the Bureau of Fisheries, Department of Commerce. Certain education, and experience in fishery work are required.

Full information may be obtained from Miss Norma Rhode, Secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office or customhouse in this city.

## BARTON'S HAVE DAUGHTER

From down Austin way comes a belated announcement of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Barton, November 14th. She was given the name of Linda Jorene. Mr. Barton is employed in one of the state departments in Austin where he and Mrs. Barton have made their home since their marriage. Congratulations!

## CARD OF THANKS

May we through the "Farmer's Paper" express to our friends and neighbors our sincere appreciation of the kindness shown us following our misfortune. Having real friends and sympathetic neighbors is worth more than any loss that might be sustained by fire. J. H. Riffle and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bennett of Borger visited her sister, Mrs. Monica Harvey Sunday and Sunday night. They were on their way to Hot Springs, Arkansas where Mr. Bennett will receive medical treatment.

## Newsprint Raise Is Serious Problem, Publishers Say

DALLAS, Dec. 1.—The announced increase in newsprint prices for 1938 presents a "serious situation," Texas newspaper publishers were told in a meeting here today.

Frank G. Huntress, publisher of the San Antonio Express and News, said the group had determined upon a course of action, but declined to state its nature.

Represented at the meeting, which was executive, were the following newspapers:

San Antonio Express and News, Houston Post, Dallas Morning News and Dallas Evening Journal, Tulsa World, Amarillo News Globe, Lubbock Avalanche Journal, Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Wichita Falls Times and Record News, Abilene Reporter-News, San Angelo Standard-Times, Corpus Christi Caller-Times, Marshall News-Sessenger, Paris News, Big Spring Herald.

"The announced increase in newsprint prices for 1938 presents one of the most serious situations that has confronted Texas publishers for many years," Huntress said. "While it is true the price for the latter half of 1938 will be the same as for the first half, it nevertheless means an average increase of 22 per cent in the cost of newsprint to Texas newspaper publishers and newsprint itself is one of the principal items of cost in the production of a newspaper. Our group today met for the purpose of exchanging ideas and determining the best course of meeting such a situation."

The increase in price to Texas newspapers, it was stated, will involve increased costs ranging from several thousand dollars in the case of the smaller dailies to \$100,000 to \$135,000 in the case of the larger during 1938.

## SOCIAL SECURITY TO HELP JOBLESS

Weekly Maximum Payment Is \$15 a Week for 16 Weeks

Austin, Dec. 7.—Cash benefits to the qualified unemployed will become payable on January 1 from a reserve fund built up by Texas employers since the establishment of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission a year ago.

Signed in October, 1936, by Governor James V. Allred, the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act is this State's method of aiding its unemployed. Soon after the Act was signed, the Unemployment Commission was created. A reserve "Jobless Fund" has been built up and is now on deposit in Washington. This fund will be drawn on after January 1 for cash payments to the unemployed.

The Texas State Employment Service, a division of the Commission, has offices throughout the State which will handle the problems of the employee. Here he may come, when out of work, his record will be gone over, and he will be aided to find new employment. If a job is not found immediately, after a "waiting period" of not less than two weeks, he will be paid benefits based upon his work record for the previous nine quarters.

"Benefits" or cash payments, will be paid for not more than 16 weeks in any calendar year to the unemployed man whose previous work record will qualify him. The maximum benefits per week is \$15, the minimum, \$5 or three-fourths of his weekly salary, whichever is the lesser.

Orville S. Carpenter, chairman-director of the Unemployment Commission, points out that benefits payment is not the chief function of the Act. "The real purpose," says Mr. Carpenter, "is to find the unemployed man a suitable job. 'Benefits' will be paid to 'tide him over' until he can be re-employed."

W. H. Richardson Jr., Austin became chairman of the Public Safety Commission.

## MASTER MICROSCOPE

Enlarge an exclamation point to Washington monument size and you get an idea of what Harvard's new microscope can do. It magnifies distinctly 6,000 diameters (and can go 50,000 diameters, but that's just blur), weighs a ton, uses a new electric slow-motion focusing principle.

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**V. W. Allen, Full Time Pastor.**  
 Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
 Services at 11 a. m.  
 B. T. U. 7 p. m.  
 Evening services at 8 o'clock.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
**Robt. E. Austin, Minister.**  
**Frank White Jr., Supt.**  
**Wilfred Hott, Songleader.**  
 Bible School—9:45.  
 Lord's Supper—11:00.  
 Morning Sermon—11:30.  
 Christian Endeavor—6:00.  
 Evening Service—7:00.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**SUNDAY**  
 10:30 a. m.—The Morning Worship. Please come early.  
 11:00 a. m.—The Sermon, "The Believer and His Bible."  
 11:30 a. m.—The Church School classes.  
 5:00 p. m.—The Vesper Service. Sermon subject, "Apostles and Disciples."  
 5:45 p. m.—The Young Peoples Forum.  
 Wednesday, 3 p. m.—Womans Auxiliary Bible Lesson, Christmas Party and Joy Gift. The Choir will rehearse after the Auxiliary meeting.

This church is providing a Christmas Tree and presents for the little colored children. Members and friends of the church are urged to send in usable toys and gifts.

This Church is also cooperating in the Community Christmas Baskets. Please read the announcements in the papers.

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**AT THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**J. Perry King, Pastor**  
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We are making progress. To some that may be a paradox, but it is true nevertheless. The present "business recession" indicates progress. The world has gone too far without God and now she is having to readjust herself to the plans and purposes of an all wise creator. Going backwards is real progress if we are retracing a false path. The price of progress is what we are paying today. Let us pay it, and place the earth and all that there is therein under the managership of God and we will see the dawn of the greatest day of civilization. The call of this day

day is not for special sessions of the law making bodies but for some progressive retrenchment which will lead us toward God.

There never was a time when your church service means more than now. God has always called for his people to assemble themselves together, saying, "Lift up your heads, O ye gates; and be ye lifted up, ye everlasting doors; and the King of glory shall come in." Let this King of glory come into your life next Lord's day and your life will be different.

We welcome you to worship with us at the Baptist Church in regular services Sunday.

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**SUNNYVIEW**  
 Lou Ella White  
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**School Items**  
 School is progressing nicely. Mr. Speer, Deputy State Supt., visited our school Wednesday, Dec. 2. He spoke well of our school and allowed us \$736 salary aid, which is the most aid that has ever been allowed our school. We had a number of visitors present as well as trustees. The following trustees were present: Mr. Z. D. Davis, Mr. J. E. White and Mr. Gene Hester. We also had the following visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. Elba Ballew, Mrs. Z. D. Davis, Odie Naylor, Florence Hester, Miss Eula Haley, Mr. Paul Smith, Mr. Gambil and Mr. Glen Williams. We are always glad to have visitors in our school.

Mr. W. J. Whitt resigned as bus driver of Sunnyview bus last Tuesday night. Mr. Ballew, an employee of the Phillip 66 Co., was employed as new bus driver of Sunnyview. We are glad to have him.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Naylor, Miss Eula Haley, Miss Orene Riley and Mrs. Howard McCarley attended the Parent-Teacher Trustee banquet Thursday night, and reported a lovely time.

The pupils are very busy preparing a Christmas program. We are all looking forward to Christmas.

**Community Items**  
 We had a nice crowd present for Sunday school. Instead of 29 next Sunday, let's make it 58 will you? Everyone better watch Mrs. McCarley's class cause I believe it will be a hundred per cent class.

Sunday night is singing night, so come out and help us sing. If you enjoy good singing be sure and be at Sunnyview Sunday night. We appreciated the many visitors present last singing night from the various neighboring community, and hope to see you again Sunday night. If you don't believe we have good singing come and see for yourself.

You must not forget the Box-Supper Friday night! We are counting on everyone to help us out, will you?

**Personals**  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cleveland of McKnight.

Misses Lou Ella White and Earnestine White visited Saturday night with Miss Nell Johnson of McKnight.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Watkins and family spent the week end with Mr. Clent Cleveland of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haley visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Riley visited Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Riley Sunday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hester Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. McKee of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Jones of Ashtola and Mrs. Humphrey of Borger.

Mrs. Odie Naylor and son, Robert Henry, visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Gambil Tuesday night.

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**ASHTOLA**  
 Ila Kay Rhoades  
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Sunday school and preaching was well attended Sunday with 54 present. We were very glad to have Rev. and Mrs. Sallie and our presiding elder, Rev. Barcus with us for both services.

Miss Sivia Cook spent the week-end with Helena Poovey.

Mr. Ben Lovell was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Butler of Borger, Willard and Sivia Cook, Willa and Helena Poovey, Rev. and Mrs. Sallie and son.

Ralph, Joe and Johnnie Stewart spent the week-end in their home at Goldston.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham

spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Nichols spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Nichols of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Henson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mandgrofsky.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Merrel spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Sims of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Powell of Clarendon and Jeff Potter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stim Beene.

Miss Mattie Rhoades spent the week end with her parents in Clarendon.

Billie Smith spent Monday night with J. F. White.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Scott of Clarendon spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Collier. Oleta Marshall and Cora Lee Jordan spent Thursday night with Velma and Inetha Collier.

This community was deeply grieved when we learned of the death of Fred James of Goodnight who was killed in a car wreck Thursday night.

The Ashtola basketball boys and girls played the Martin boys and girls on the Ashtola court Friday. The scores were 11 to 30 in favor of the Martin girls and 7 to 8 in favor of the Martin boys.

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**GOLDSTON**  
 Johnnie Stewart  
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Forty-one attended Sunday school Sunday. Quite a few visitors attended singing Sunday night.

Mrs. Leonis Yankee of Goldston and Mrs. Fontayne Elmore and Mary Edna of Clarendon shopped in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richie and small daughter of Quitaque spent

Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale and Lucille.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson spent Sunday in Brice with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goldston ate dinner in Clarendon Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Goldston.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peggram spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Muri Rattan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Littlefield and Loyd of Groom and Ellen and Vivian Veazey visited relatives in Hedley Sunday.

Ralph Stewart of Ashtola spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs.

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H. M. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Hahn and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rowe and family.

Don't forget folks to come to the box and pie supper at Goldston Friday night. The money made on this occasion will be used to buy playground equipment for the school.

J. W. Meador of Aspermont spent the week end here visiting his sister, Mrs. M. A. Hahn and family.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**  
 All owners of real estate within the City limits of Clarendon are hereby warned not to remove or permit to be removed, any improvements of any kind whatsoever from such Real Estate so long as there are any taxes, current or delinquent, due on such property.  
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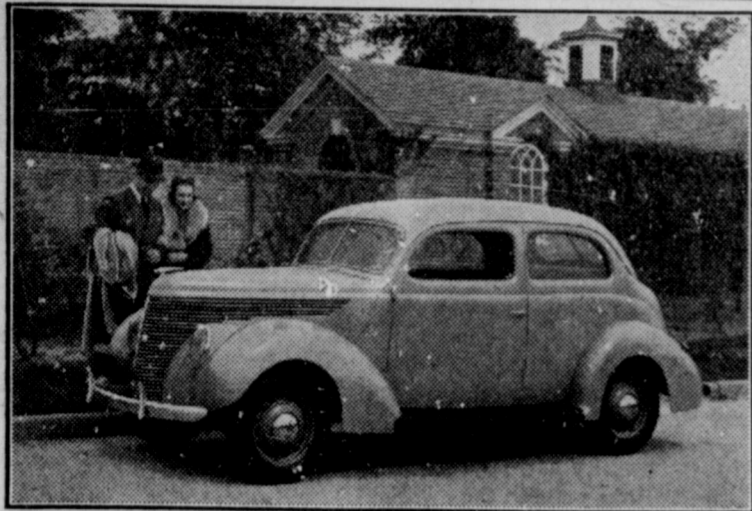
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### 1938 Ford V-8 Standard Tudor Sedan



**M**OST popular of all the Ford V-8 body types is the standard Tudor sedan, shown above. A longer hood, more sweeping lines and newly-designed front end, grille, louvers, fenders and hubcaps are featured. The car is available either with 85 horsepower or 60 horsepower V-8 engine. Interiors are attractively appointed. The front seat is full width. The seat back is divid-

ed. The sections are hinged diagonally and swing inward as they are tipped forward so as to leave a wide passageway on either side for entrance to the rear seat. Like all Ford body types the Tudor sedan has a large built-in luggage compartment. The standard cars are engineered for owners who demand the maximum of economy in first cost and operating cost.

### Ford Introduces Two New Cars For 1938

Ford V-8 type 8-cylinder cars

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for 1938 go on display Saturday in Ford dealer showrooms throughout the United States. They are offered this year as two distinct lines, differing in appearance and price. Both are in the lowest price field.

One is a newly-styled standard Ford line, in coupe, Tudor and Fordor body types, powered either with the 85 or the 60 horsepower V-8 engine. The standard cars are designed to meet requirements of the many motor car owners, whose means dictate maximum economy in first cost, as well as in maintenance and operating costs.

The other is a newly-designed de luxe line for owners who desire additional style and appointments. Powered only with the 85 horsepower V-8 engine, the line in-

### "Double Wedding" Brings Powell and Myrna Loy to Pastime Screen In Gay Film

With William Powell and Myrna Loy back in the farical type of roles which have made them famous as the most amusing co-starring team on the screen, "Double Wedding" opens Sunday December 12th at the Pastime Theatre with the advance reputation of being the dizziest, daffiest and drollest comedy hit to be shown in this vicinity in some time.

This is the setup: Powell is a penniless, happy-go-lucky artist, making his home in a trailer and refusing to take life or anything else seriously. Miss Loy is Margit, owner of a fashionable New York

dress shop, a woman too busy to have time for love or any other foolishness. Florence Rice is her younger sister, Irene, with suppressed desires to be a movie star. John Beal is Waldo, whom Miss Loy has chosen to marry her sister.

When Irene meets the fascinating artist she doesn't want to marry Waldo any more. When the artist meets Margit he doesn't want to bother with Irene any more. Poor Margit and Waldo conspire to straighten things out but before the uproarious climax of the story is reached, everything is more complicated than ever. It is all pure unadulterated farce.

The comedy is enriched by the smartest New York interiors that

the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer designers have ever constructed for a picture, and the women will rave over the stunning new gowns designed for Miss Loy and Miss Rice by Adrian.

Richard Thorpe, who directed the Robert Montgomery thriller hit, "Night Must Fall," now shows his flair for comedy in directing the current laugh-maker. Together with the principals the cast of the new picture includes Jessie Ralph

in another of her inimitable dower roles, Edgar Kennedy as the dumb proprietor of a beer parlor, Sidney Toler, Mary Gordon, Barnett Parker, Katharine Alexander and Priscilla Lawson.

Mrs. Jack Molesworth and children, John, Patty and Fred, spent the week-end on the Mill Iron ranch near Estelline.

Sales Pads at the Leader.

# Announcing

## TWO NEW FORD V-8 CARS FOR 1938

### THE DE LUXE

85 HORSEPOWER

**DE LUXE FORD V-8**... 112" wheelbase; 85-horsepower engine; Improved Easy-Action Safety Brakes; Center-Poise Ride; All-steel body; Mohair or Broadcloth upholstery; Walnut-finished trim; Twin horns, tail lights, sun visors; Clock; 6.00" black tires, white side-walls are extra; 8 body types; 6 colors.

### THE STANDARD

60 OR 85 HORSEPOWER

**STANDARD FORD V-8**... 112" wheelbase; 85 or 60 horsepower engine; Improved Easy-Action Safety Brakes; Center-Poise Ride; All-steel body; Broadcloth or Mohair upholstery, Mohair extra in '60"; Mahogany-finished trim; One tail light, sun visor; Twin horns; 3 body types; 3 colors.

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An all-Hollywood feature packed with singing, dancing, music, romance!

**"SCHOOL DAYS"**  
An instructive and educational picture on tractor service and tractor design.

**"CHAMPIONS ON PARADE"**  
A sensational and humorous picture of the world's greatest tractor race.

Join the crowd and have a good time with us. Learn about new machines, new methods and new ways of cutting costs!

**ASK FOR TICKETS**  
Admission is by ticket only. If you don't have tickets, or need more, ask us for them before the day of the show. They are FREE!

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Prospects for the largest number of competitors in the history of the Green Belt F.F.A. poultry judging contest are bright as entries continue to pour in. A. A. Tampke, Byers' instructor, and former Quail teacher, whose teams have won the contest for the past four years was among the first to make his team's entry. J. M. Hill, former Clarendon instructor, has entered his Tulia team in the contest.

Quail will be defending the cup they won last year. Claude, Kirkland, Childress, Memphis, Estelline, Samnorwood, Lakeview, Miami, Pampa, White Deer, Panhandle, McLean, Wheeler, and Canyon are among those expected to be present at the contest. Invitations were mailed to 35 schools.

The contestants will judge three classes of White Leghorns, Banded Plymouth Rocks, and Rhode Island Reds. The three classes will consist of two classes of females and one class of males of each of the three breeds. The contest will open at 9:30 Saturday, December 11th. The silver loving cup won by Quail last year will be presented to the winning team.

**Local F.F.A. Members Prepare For Intra-Mural Contest**  
Members of the V. A. I and the V. A. III classes are working hard this week in preparation for their intra-mural poultry judging contest to be held Friday of this week. The winner in each of the classes will be presented with a gold judging medal.

The local members will judge the same fowls that are to be used in the contest Saturday in order to check their ability against that of judging team members from other schools. Nine classes of chickens will be judged in addition to taking the poultry examination.

**Clarendon F. F. A. to Enter Memphis Poultry Show and Judging Contests**

The Clarendon F.F.A. judging team will enter the Memphis Poultry judging contest to be held December 18th in connection with the annual poultry show there. Ray Palmer, Jelly McGowen, Joe Williams, Beatty Hillman, Gene Putman, Homer Speed, Carl Morris, Odell Davis, and Jr. Spier will make the trip to enter the contest.

A number of the local F.F.A. members who live within a twenty-mile radius of Memphis plan to enter their birds in the Memphis Show. Black Langshans, Anconas, Black Giants, White Giants, and White Langshans are the breeds that will probably be entered by local chapter members.

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But some folks wanted still more size and style, with the same Ford advantages. For them, we designed a new De Luxe line. The De Luxe Ford V-8 Sedans are longer with more room, larger luggage space, and finer appointments all around.

De Luxe cars are equipped with the 85-horsepower engine only.

The Standard is even lower priced than the De Luxe. It has graceful new lines and well-tailored interiors—with a choice of engine sizes—85 or 60 horsepower.

Before Ford made V-type 8-cylinder engines available to every one, they were used only in expensive cars. Since then, four million Ford owners have learned the genuine enjoyment of driving an eight-cylinder car with all-around economy. The thrifty "60" engine, especially, makes possible in Standard models a very low first cost and equally low operating cost. With two distinct designs, two engine sizes and two price ranges, you'll find a 1938 Ford car to fit your needs exactly.

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Standard and De Luxe cars equipped with bumpers, bumper guards, spare wheel, tire tube, tire lock and band, cigar lighter, twin horns, and headlight beam indicator on instrument panel, at no extra charge.

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### Highlights of C of C Activities for 1937; 1938 Objectives Set Forth For New Year

By J. R. Gillham

The local chamber of commerce is completing a year of widely varied activities. Starting with the annual banquet as the first major activity of the year, a busy program for the year was planned. Immediately following the Donley County Fat Stock Show which was cooperatively sponsored by the chamber, Secretary J. M. Hill resigned and J. R. Gillham was selected to fill the position left vacant by Hill's resignation. The sponsoring of the high school and college band was set forth as one of the major activities of the year.

The sponsoring of F.F.A. Leadership contests which attracted 125 delegates was followed by the Ban-

quet honoring Robert Lee Bobbitt and Harry Hines of the Texas Highway Commission in the interest of the North-South Highway. L. E. Thompson, Frank Whitlock, and Tom Connelly represented the local chamber at the W. T. C. Convention at Brownwood early in June.

A yard beautification contest with twenty entries was sponsored during the months of May, September inclusive with cash and merchandise prizes amounting to \$50 being awarded.

Booster trips to a number of nearby towns preceded the Annual July 4th Celebration which featured the honoring of the pioneers, a

rodeo, singing, and speaking by Railroad Commissioner C. V. Terrel. In the latter part of July the Chamber of Commerce secretary attended the annual Southwestern Chamber of Commerce School held at Dallas.

A fat pig show was sponsored on September 18, and the following week the entry of 235 birds in the Tri-State Poultry show was sponsored enabling Donley County to win their third consecutive county poultry prize. Educational and agricultural exhibits sponsored by the chapter won a large number of ribbons and served as advertisement of Clarendon and Donley County. A county exhibit at the Ft. Worth Frontier Fiesta was sponsored for the second consecutive year.

The chamber of commerce sponsored the water conservation movement in Donley County, secured a representation at each of the meetings held, and attended the five state meeting at Amarillo. The effort to secure a new post-office building was brought to a climax by a conference with Congressman Jones which brought out the fact that Clarendon was deprived of her rightful priority and will probably have to wait until after Hereford secures a postoffice before the realization of this objective.

Attendance at numerous road meetings and tireless efforts on the part of Chairman Sam Braswell of the road committee has been one of the chief works for the year. The securing of a North-South highway was and will continue to be one of the chief objectives of the organization. The group held a mass meeting objecting to the re-districting of Donley County into another highway district to prevent the removal of various highway employees from the county.

An improved livestock program is well underway with the introduction of numerous registered and purebred breeding animals into the county. The chamber has been active in putting underway the most extensive club feeding program ever carried on in the county.

The Annual Green Belt Poultry Show sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce is progressing this week end with the largest number of entries in the history of the organization. The Annual Green Belt Judging contest promises to draw over 200 boys for Saturday's event.

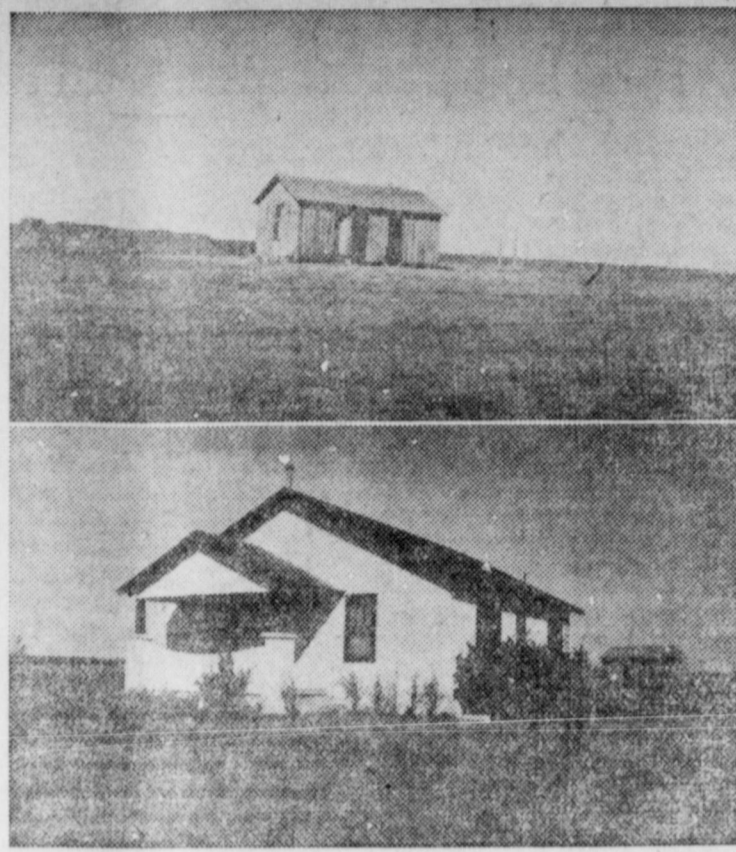
In addition to the above activities hundreds of inquiries, conferences on W. P. A. wages with Wheeler County officials, telegrams and conferences on various forms of legislation, and many other such activities have been carried on.

#### 1938 Program

The spirit of cooperation among the merchants of Clarendon is at a low ebb and must rise if a successful program is to be carried on in 1938. Too many of the knockers and draggers are hurting the work of the leaders and officers and an about face procedure is needed to make the 1938 program a success.

Included in the program for 1938 are the following points:

1. Sponsoring of high school and college band.
2. Sponsoring of Diversified farming program.
3. County Wide Tree Planting program.
4. Improved grade and staple of cotton through introduction of better seed.
5. Continued improvement of poultry.
6. Improved dairy cattle.
7. Larger and better livestock



#### BEFORE AND AFTER

How the Farm Security Administration is assisting farm families return to a self-supporting basis and maintain themselves through balanced, live-at-home programs is illustrated in the above photographs.

The top photo shows the home of a farmer in the Southern Great Plains region at the time he secured his first loan from the Farm Security Administration. It was in February, 1936, that he borrowed \$330. His livestock consisted of four horses, five cows and 50 hens. That year the family, including two adults, a boy of 14 and a girl of 8, showed splendid progress. The farmer repaid all money due the FSA and with the balance of his crop and a small commissioners' loan from the Farm Credit Administration he built his house (below) and out-buildings. He contoured and terraced his farm, and increased his livestock program to a basis where all living needs could be met from the sale of produce.

In January, 1937, the farmer received another loan from the FSA for \$696. His livestock had increased to eight mares, four colts, 150 hens, three hogs and five cows. A cooker and canning equipment was purchased, and 400 containers have been filled with fruit, vegetables and meats for use this winter. The rural rehabilitation supervisor and home management supervisor, who have been working with this family, report that the farmer will repay his entire loan this year and will be able to finance his 1938 operations without further help from the FSA.

#### Bible Sunday Endorsed By Governor Allred

Austin, Dec. 7.—Governor James V. Allred urges the churches of Texas to observe Universal Bible Sunday on next Sunday, December 12.

The Protestant churches of the nation will also unite next Sunday in the observance of Universal Bible Sunday. They will remind the people of the nation of the unrivaled place which this great book has had in the making of our nation and the nations of the world.

In endorsing Universal Bible Sunday, Governor Allred says: "During these troublous times, it is eminently proper that one sacred day be set aside, that one brief instant from the inexorable tread of Time be dedicated to quiet and peaceful thought.

"It is proper, too, that this day should be reverently dedicated to the well-beloved source of hope, inspiration of peace, guide to salvation, the Bible.

"Now, therefore, I, James V. Allred, Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby set aside and proclaim Sunday, December 12, 1937, as Universal Bible Sunday in Texas."

#### Southwest Indian Attends School Rather Late

EL PASO—There is a skeleton in the closet of the Centennial Museum of the College of Mines and Metallurgy here, a branch of The University of Texas.

The remains of a Southwest Indian, believed to be between 500 and 1,000 years old, has been donated to the museum by E. C. Erdis and Townsend Wright of El Paso.

Another recent gift to the museum is a 1,200 pound relief map of Texas presented by the Humble Oil and Refining Company. The map is a replica of one used in the Humble exhibit at the Centennial Exposition in Dallas last year.

#### IN HOSPITAL

Dick Chunn spent the week-end with his mother who is in the Graham hospital at Cisco, Texas.

He reports her condition as very unsatisfactory.

Mrs. Ruth Teat visited in Brownfield this week.

Mrs. DeVault was in Amarillo Tuesday.

show.

8. Improved market for poultry and livestock products.

9. Continuation of work on North-South road.

10. Continuation of feeding programs.

11. Increased membership.

### PAMPA HOST TO DISTRICT MEET

PAMPA, Dec. 8.—The 1937-38 District Two Interscholastic League meet will be held in Pampa April 14, 15 and 16 with the basketball tournament in Pampa, Feb. 17, 18 and 19.

District officers set dates in a meeting here with Supt. R. B. Fisher of Pampa, director general presiding.

Basketball champions from Gray Hansford, Roberts, Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Donley, Hemphill, Wheeler, Carson and Hutchinson counties and Pampa, district headquarters, participating. Play will begin at 9 o'clock Feb. 17 and close with a championship game on the night of Feb. 19.

Opening event of the district meet will be the one-act plays on the night of April 17. Volley ball will be completed in one day, April 15. Tennis will be played the last two days of the meet on eight new courts.

#### Touring Mexico Becomes Part Of College Training

EL PASO—Second annual tour to Mexico City, sponsored by the department of modern languages of the College of Mines and Metallurgy here, a branch of The University of Texas, will leave El Paso December 19.

Ten days will be spent in Mexico City and surrounding territory with the party scheduled to return to El Paso on January 2nd.

#### City Warns Against Shooting Fire Works

We expect the same cooperation we had last Christmas and July 4th in regards to shooting fire works in the fire limits of the city. Take them home or shoot them on vacant lots outside the fire limits.

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City Commission,  
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