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**That Peddler Law.**

Ex-Congressman Oscar Calloway of Comanche county is representing the truck growers without pay in their effort to forestall the effects of the new peddler law.

Judge Joe Eldsen of the 52nd District Court has held the Peddler Law to be unconstitutional in a suit in which the citizens of Comanche county have asked for an injunction preventing the tax collector from enforcing collections from the truck growers and those who would help the farmer market his product.

**Count The Chinks.**

If any one thought that the Chinese tribe had been trimmed up pretty well by war and drouth the past several years that such two calamities have been operative in that nation, they may rest assured that they have been laboring under a delusion.

As a further means of appeal for aims from the remainder of the world, the reports of Chinese drowned this season has exceeded the population of two years ago. Those Chinks may be pestered by annoying circumstances, but they still retain their sense of reason to the extent of 'skinning' the Caucasian race at every opportunity.

**Space Grafters.**

In this modern age of space grafting, the publisher is often granted the privilege of advertising oil, cheese and other commodities free of charge. Mats for making pictures and electros are received almost daily. These are supposed to be printed furthering the sale of the commodity they represent.

Some of the pictures are almost fair, others are descent, but the latest from a well known cheese manufacturing corporation is an insult to any decent-minded citizen white or black.

The picture in question represent some so-called whites, both male and female, lined up around a 'mike' with a nigger standing beside the so-called white girls.

The so-called whites appear happy, but the expression on the face of the negro would lead one to believe that he has sense enough to have enough respect for his race to be uncomfortable in that kind of company. We refuse to print the picture because it is an insult to the respectable element of both races.

**Nothing Doing, Folks!**

Childress sends out a warning that no extra help is needed to build a railroad. The bosses on the job are trying to provide work for the men already on the ground.

Wellington sounds a warning that they have more men than is necessary to build the new court house, and the railroad that is now being built through that section.

Clarendon is in the same fix. Nothing much to do and at present there is work only for those who are willing to work on the shares in gathering truck crops. If the price of cotton remains down to the present level, most of it will be slugged and there will be no demand for pickers.

**Class Legislation.**

Every time an effort is made to enact a law insuring the producer a square deal, instantly the howl goes up that it is "class legislation", meaning that producers only will be benefitted.

Another old hypocritical alibi is still extant in the land when we hear some nut speak of "arraying one class against another."

Was the peddler law recently enacted by the Legislature class legislation? It most emphatically was because it was passed in the interest of the wholesale venders of fruit and vegetables.

Was the cheaper freight rate granted the machinery manufacturer than was allowed the producer shipping wheat and cotton and other farm products class legislation? It was that and nothing else.

Every individual and every newspaper almost is accused of "arraying one class of people against

another" if they make any attempt to defend the producer. Those charges are hatched from the pigmy brain of only two kinds of individuals—the selfish or the ignorant.

**Just Two Lies.**

That's all—just two that we wish to mention here. Some one who evidently had nothing else to do, started a story around this week that some of our grocers were objecting to so much canning, and were even hindering in some instances.

When asked how a grocer could "hinder", he could not explain, and when he was informed that certain grocers were selling jars and rubbers and one grocer was offering tin cans for the purpose at a reduced price to help the folks who are canning, he was ready to seek other fields.

His lie was nailed but not before it had spread over quite a bit of country. That's the worst part about lies—you can stop them but you can't always repair the damage. This is lie number one.

Lie number two may have been spread by the same party. This lie was to the effect that grocers had stated that they would refuse to contribute to a charity food fund unless all the food supplies were bought here at regular retail prices

Our grocers are not that kind. They are honorable citizens willing to help the less fortunate and have proven it in times past in many instances. They will do their share this winter, but like any other citizen, do not stand for any imposition.

**Cotton Situation.**

At this time when there is much agitation to secure the enactment of a law preventing the planting of cotton next season, it might be well to pause and consider past records of government assistance (?) rendered the farmer.

Should the cotton growers of this nation be compelled to avoid cotton planting next year, there is nothing to prevent foreign nations from supplying the market.

Egypt, India, Russia and China are each growers of cotton and able to supply the staple in millions of bales.

Did government regulation (?) help the price of wheat when it dropped from \$1.10 a bushel to 17 cents? Did the Stabilization Cotton Board help the cotton grower?

Should the American farmer be prevented from growing cotton, is it not likely that millions of dollars worth of cotton growing machinery would be sold to Russia? Is this a scheme on the part of the machinery manufacturers to find a mar-

ket, in foreign lands regardless of the consequences to the American cotton grower?

On the other hand, what protection has the American grower against coolie labor produced cotton that may be shipped into this nation under present tariff laws? Russia alone can produce more cotton than both Texas and Louisiana and will do it if that staple is not grown in this nation.

**Our Charity Problems.**

Let it be understood that the individuals earning what they get, even though the job was provided for the specific purpose of aiding the jobless, is not a charity subject.

The noblest charity of all is in providing the means by which one may avoid accepting charity—a job. All honest work is honorable and an honorable man will work at any honest labor if necessity arises.

Locally, a number of citizens gave of their means last winter until it hurt. Numbers of them gave to the limit. It will be the same this winter. These good citizens who give, whether they live in town or country, are entitled to some consideration. That consideration should consist of seeing that only the deserving are helped, and that nothing is wasted.

The purchase of wheat now to be ground as needed later, is a good idea. This idea was advanced by Mayor Cagle some time ago and it is to be hoped that the matter will

be given serious consideration at the proper time.

Drifters should not be permitted to come in and work an undue hardship on local citizens. We can't feed the world—there is no need to try—but we can take care of our share of it. Drifters coming in cut down the funds and by that means also work a hardship upon the needy whom we seek to assist from the very beginning.

Charity should be dispensed under the direction of one individual. That was proven when John W. Watts had charge of that work here for several years. Never to this day have we heard a single criticism of his actions. The matter was left to him and he graciously served this community faithfully over a number of years.

We need another such man as John W. Watts. One who has judgment. One who cannot be swayed by sympathetic appeal. One who believes in charity only for the

needy. One who cannot be imposed upon by the unscrupulous. Where is a man of the Watts type to assume on elected leadership?

M. H. Salmon was up from the Brice country Saturday and reported the finest crops there in years. He also gave out the information that the paving from Memphis to Mulberry bridge will be resumed in Brice Flat soon.

F. J. Mahaffey recently returned from Hopkins county loaded with peaches, pears and syrup which found a ready market.

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**THE LITTLE THINGS IN LIFE**

Big things worth while are made up largely of little things. The home canner means much if used. Cream prices are advancing. Poultry products are bringing better prices.

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Since it is not so much what we "make" that counts, as it is "what" we save, the Live-at-Home idea that has been adopted in our section means that our people will be more prosperous during the next year because of having stored up food and feed supplies to meet their needs.

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**SOCIETY**  
Mrs. J. C. Estlack, Editor  
Phone 455

**MRS. JOHN SIMS, JR. ENTERTAINS**  
A number of her friends were entertained at the home of Mrs. John Sims, Jr. Wednesday morning with a breakfast and two tables of bridge.

Mrs. T. H. Ellis received high score prize.  
The guest list included Mesdames Earl Alexander, Kelly Chamberlain, C. E. Miller, Chas. B. Trent T. H. Ellis and Misses Anna Mores, Loraine Patrick, Mary Cooke.

**MRS. W. H. MATTHEWS IS COMPLIMENTED**  
Mrs. W. H. Martin entertained with a luncheon complimentary to Mrs. W. H. Matthews of Ft. Worth Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Matthews is the mother of Mrs. G. L. Boykin. Those present were the honoree, Mrs. W. H. Matthews and Mesdames H. B. Kerbow, A. R. Letts, C. W. Taylor, Odos Caraway, Minnie Dyer, R. A. Chamberlain, A. A. Mayes.

**GOODWILL CLUB**  
Members of this club met in the home of Mrs. T. D. Nored Thursday afternoon. Bridge games and 42 were the principal sources of entertainment.  
A dainty salad course was served following the games.  
Members present were Mesdames Don Martin, A. O. Yates, H. J. Shoffitt, L. D. Carlile, Cy Johnson, Nash Blasingame, Blanche Oden, Fred Russell.  
Visiting guests were Mesdames F. O. Wood, O. E. Harvey, R. Y. King, Starley Hendricks, Marrs of Terre Haute, Ind., James Harvey of Trenton, Mo., and Miss Shirley Nored.

**TELEPHONE EMPLOYEES ARE ENTERTAINED**  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Heatherly entertained the employees of the telephone company on Wednesday evening of this week at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Speed.

Games of bridge, touring, 42 and dancing provided plenty of enjoyment.  
Delicious refreshments were served at a late hour to Mr. and Mrs. Cahoe, Miss Annie Lou Marshall of Groom, Miss Willie Mae Wilkinson of Claude, Misses Vera Cox and Katie Mae Ewing of Estelline, Carl Throop, Mr. Knox and Miss Floretta Whitefield of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Naylor, Misses Elma Smith, Lois Cox, Fannie Perry and the hostesses of Clarendon.

**B & P WOMEN HAVE MEETING**  
The Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday evening at 8:30 with Misses Lotta Bourland, Helen Wiedman, Naomi Allison, Eva Lee Morrison as hostesses, the meeting being held at the home of Miss Morrison.  
Bridge games were the principal diversion of the evening in which Miss Helen Martin received high score and Miss Gwendolyn Couch low.

The refreshments consisted of choice Donley county watermelons.  
Guests of the evening other than members were Misses Mildred Martin, Helen Martin, Madge Davis, Obie Crabtree, Helen Duncan of Edmond, Okla., Lucile Colbert of Duncan, Okla. and Mrs. W. L. Ball.

**ESCHLE-RIDDLE**  
Geo. P. Eschle of Groom and Miss Elsie Riddle of Clarendon were married at Groom the 23rd. Rev. C. B. Stephens of Houston who has been visiting relatives here, officiated.

The groom attended school here and is well known as a promising young man of ability and endowed with plenty of energy to succeed.  
The bride is a sister of "Shorty" Riddle, formerly a resident here where she made her home. She has many friends in Clarendon who will wish them every happiness.

**SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY**  
Mrs. W. A. Land entertained with a surprise 42 party Thursday evening in honor of Mr. Land's birthday. Games were played until a late hour when the birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream.  
Guests were Messrs. and Mesdames M. W. Mosley, J. D. McAdams, Buel Sanford, A. W. Simpson, W. B. Sims, Marvin Land, W. Z. Borron and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Land and children of Amarillo.

**FRIENDSHIP CLUB**  
Mrs. J. A. Toomb entertained the members of the Friendship club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Quilt making was added to the regular

program and a very pleasant afternoon spent.  
Ice cream and cake were served to Mesdames J. D. Stocking, M. T. Crabtree, C. R. Skinner, L. Ballew, J. W. Rowland, J. E. Mongole, H. Tyree, G. J. Tcel, J. L. Johnson, M. E. Thornton.

**HONOR VISITORS WITH PARTY**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Speed entertained with a surprise 42 party Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Speed's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Ingram of Los Angeles who are visiting here.  
The home was beautifully decorated with cut flowers.  
Guests arrived at an early hour and seven tables of 42 furnished amusement until late.  
Refreshments were served to the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Ingram and Messrs. and Mesdames M. W. Mosley, J. B. Morgan, Heckle Starks, Ralph Andis, Ed Speed, Otis Naylor, I. O. Noble, Nolit Simmons, Neil Bogard, Luther Butler, Harve Smith, John Bass, Mrs. Ray Couch, and Mrs. Everett Barnes of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Speed.

**BULLARD—JOSEY**  
Lonnie Bullard of Lelia Lake and Miss Elsie Josey of the Windy Valley community motored to Hollis Saturday where they were united in marriage.  
The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bullard of Lelia and is a prosperous young farmer of that section.  
The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Josey of Windy Valley where she has resided the past six years and where she has a host of friends who wish them much happiness and success.  
They were accompanied to Hollis by Grady Josey and Miss Eula Rose Allen of Sunnyview.

**Church Society**  
**BAPTIST CHURCH OFFICERS ELECTED FOR COMING ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR**  
At a called conference, Sunday night, the following church officers were elected to serve the coming associational year:  
Sunday school Supt.—S. W. Lowe.  
Associate S. S. Supt.—Van Kennedy.  
Sunday school sec'y-Treas.—W. Z. Borron.  
Training Service director—Miss Ruth Thompson.  
Associate director—F. L. Oller.  
Training Service secretary—Marvin Warren.  
Church Pianist—Mrs. Allen Bryan.  
Assistant Pianist—Miss Gertrude Shepherd.  
Church chorister—Miss Anna Moores.  
Assistant chorister—Carroll Holtzclaw.  
Church clerk—W. C. Stewart.  
Church secretary-treasurer—W. Z. Borron.

Publicity chairman—Mrs. J. Marvin Warren.  
Ushers—Messrs. O. C. Watson, C. W. Taylor, W. C. Stewart, Bill Ray, Allen Bryan, McHenry Lane, S. L. Tidwell.  
These officers will take their places the first Sunday in October. They were elected this far in advance that they might have time to select their co-workers and that the information might be available for the associational report. There were but few changes made. In most cases the same people were re-elected to the positions they were already filling.

**13-14 INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. August 30, 1931.**  
Subject—The Bible and work.  
Afraid of work—Odessa Clark.  
Joseph—Katherine Cornell.  
Two Spies—J. M. Lumus.  
Jeroboam—Stella Reid.  
Nehemiah—David McCleskey.  
Paul—Ruth Tucker.  
Jesus, the worker—Mrs. T. J. Mann.

**15-16 INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. August 30, 1931.**  
Subject—The Bible and work.  
Afraid to work—Ruth Cauthen.  
Joseph—Lola Berner.  
Two spies—Mrs. G. H. McCleskey.  
Jeroboam—Hugh Phelps.  
Nehemiah—Weldon Harkness.  
Paul—George McCleskey.  
Jesus, the worker—Frank Holtzclaw.

**JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM August 30, 1931.**  
Subject—Into the desert for Christ.  
Mongolia—Edith Vinson.  
James Gilmour's Boyhood days—Ruth Warren.  
A happy home—Royce Lumus.  
The Heathen world calls—Ruth Cornell.  
Into the desert for Christ—Francis Fowler.  
The house by the side of the road—Livia Watson.  
A wanderer over the desert—Pauline Brown.  
Doctor and preacher and teacher—Homer Tucker.  
Faithful in the hour of sorrow—Geneva Eldridge.  
Back home again—Florence Boyd.

**B. A. U. PROGRAM August 30, 1931.**  
Subject—The Modern Conquest of Africa.  
Leader—Mrs. Joe Fowler.  
The closed and unknown continent—Mrs. W. J. Deal.  
The opening of Africa—Mrs. Leona Richardson.  
The new Africa—Mrs. J. F. Oller.  
Methenism in Africa—Mrs. L. L. Cornelius.  
New dangers and difficulties—Mrs. Joe Fowler.  
What we are doing, and might do—Mrs. M. W. Mosley.

**SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM August 30, 1931.**  
Subject—Adventuring with the Gospel in South America.

Scripture Reading—Isaiah 6th Carrol Holtzclaw  
Introduction—Carrol Holtzclaw  
Brazile—Faye Barnhart  
Argentine—Agatha Taylor  
Argentina and Brazil go to Uruguay—Harold Phelps  
Chile—Jack Draffen  
The Challenge of South America—Gertrude Shepherd

**Aubrey Dobbs And Telephone Rates in Wellington**

Editor Aubrey Dobbs of the Wellington Standard in his "Fair and Warmer" column last week had the following to say about telephone rates in Wellington:  
With times like they are now four dollars and four bits a month is entirely too much for a business telephone and two fifty is out of reason for a residence phone.

It doesn't make any difference to us how much they've got invested in our city. They invested it just like we bought equipment to print with but we didn't get any guarantees about how much business we were going to get and it's a lead pipe cinch we haven't got any out of the telephone company. May be you have but we haven't.

Personally the writer would like to see this thing brought to a head. People can't go on forever paying these kind of bills especially with times like they are. If the thing comes to a show down a lot of us can and will take our phones out. It's not so swell when a bunch of folks are giggling and squirming around trying to make ends meet, getting further behind all of the time and all that sort of stuff and having to pay bills as outrageous as those phone bills.

There's no use going through a lot of monkey business with those telephone people either. It's either pay what they want to charge you or have your phone taken out. That apparently is the attitude they've always taken toward us and it looks like it's about time we called their bluff.

If a man doesn't want to do the right thing it's a pretty hard matter to force him, but you can at least cut loose from him and attend to your own business, completely ignoring him.

There's a lot of people who want telephones who can't afford them. A number of business people need telephones but can't afford to pay the price. In a case like that we'll just have to do the best we can. Fifty four dollars a year for a

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business telephone is a lot of telephone money when you add your residence phone and long distance calls on top of that. That much money will buy a lot of groceries, clothing or pay lots of taxes. We're hot and ready for the telephone company to do something right away and that something is to cut some rates.

L. E. Burnam of Ada, Oklahoma is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burnam of this city.

Mrs. Nora McMurtry visited with her son, L. H., at Silverton Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Marrs of Terre Haute, Ind. is visiting her sister-in-law and husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Harvey.

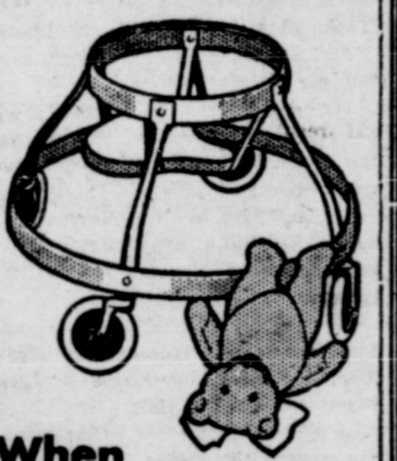
Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey returned to their home at Trenton, Mo. Tuesday. They were called here due to the serious illness of their son, O. E. Harvey some days ago, but who has now practically recovered.

Historical and other data referring to the Pioneer Picnic appears under three separate articles in this issue.

Mrs. Wesley Knorrp of Long Beach, California is visiting relatives and friends in Clarendon.

Mrs. James Trent and Mrs. L. S. Bagby attended the state convention of the Legion and Auxiliary at El Paso this week.

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**When BABIES are Upset**

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**SEND IT IN**  
If you have a bit of news, Send it in;  
Or a joke that will amuse, Send it in;  
A story that is true, An incident that's new,  
We want to hear from you— Send it in;  
If it's only worth the while, Never mind about your style— Send it in!

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Joiner of Pampa returned from Denton Tuesday stopping for a short visit with the parents of Mrs. Joiner, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stewart.

Miss Helen Duncan of Edmond, Oklahoma is a guest of Miss Lotta Bourland this week.  
Misses Lucile and Dorothy Colbert of Duncan, Oklahoma are guests of Miss Lotta Bourland.  
L. H. Baker, local gin man, spent the past week attending a "cotton school" of instruction at Altus, Oklahoma.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson, Misses Maude Crawford, Carrie Davis and Fannie Perry, returned Sunday from a trip to Carlsbad cavern, El Paso and other points.

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## LAST WRESTLING BOUT MEETS WITH POPULAR FAVOR

### Welch Retains Championship Title in Middleweight Class In The Panhandle

The audience out for the athletic events Thursday evening was larger and more enthusiastic than on previous occasions, and many more ladies were present than at previous events of this kind, though a number have been present upon every occasion.

The "battle royal" in which five colored boys took a part in a boxing contest provided the amusement that never fails to create laughter and plenty of lusty cheers. Walter Brady and Elery Watson again appeared in a rapid exhibit of wrestling to a ten minute draw. Both boys did their best but appear to be evenly matched.

Weldon Harkness and Royce Turnbow furnished plenty of surprises in a fast wrestling match that brought forth cheers and compliments for the class of skill shown by both boys. The gong sounded on a draw, and they promise to have it over at some future time.

In the main events, Dutch Betket of Plainview pinned Roy Welch of Borger to the mat after 12½ minutes when he secured a "hook release and arm stretch."

The second round lasted 54½ minutes coming to a show down when Welch handed the Dutchman an overhand slam. Welch was victor in this respect. The Dutchman took time out to rest from the effects of the "slam" but came out for the next round fresh as ever.

In the third heat it took Welch just exactly 30 seconds to administer a "flying Dutchman" that put Dutch Betket out of the contest. The finals came to a sudden halt taking the crowd by complete surprise so quickly and so accurately was the feat accomplished by the skilled manipulator from Borger.

Denzel R. Davis refereed the contests in his pleasing manner, and according to accurate judgment which he acquired when a wrestling champion himself some few years back.

The crowd was orderly and well behaved. The management has received many compliments for the clean athletic sport brought to Clarendon in which T. G. Stargel of the Pastime Confectionery has been the principal on all occasions.

### Special Program For School Patrons Monday Night

Patrons and friends of the public school system of Donley county are especially invited to attend a special program for their benefit at the College Auditorium at 8:30 Monday evening, September 1st.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Galloway spent the week end in Erick, Okla. visiting his parents and brother. They also attended the wedding of a friend there.

J. H. Hurn made a trip to the Vega country Tuesday looking after his wheat interests. For the present, he is storing most of it in an elevator.

Hester, aged 14, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Fulton of Alanreed underwent an appendix operation here recently and was released from Adair Hospital Tuesday.

Miss Agnew Adams and Joe Adams of Amarillo are visiting in the J. T. Patman home here. Dr. C. G. Stricklin returned from a Colorado vacation fishing trip Tuesday.

Cal Sheppard, aged 88, and an old time resident of Clarendon in former years, came down from Panhandle the first of the week to visit in the C. H. Wisdom home.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Steagall announces the arrival of a daughter, weight 6½ pounds, who has been given the name of Janet Elizabeth. Congratulations are extended to grandpa A. L. Chase.

Mrs. Marshall Tucker of Fairbanks near Houston, is visiting her uncles, W. O. and F. J. Hommel and aunt, Mrs. C. W. Smith, and grandmother M. S. Hommel. She will also visit her mother, Mrs. Will Kennedy at McLean before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Curnutt and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wade and son Billie were week end guests of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Miller, returning to their home at Dallas Monday.

## Utility Rates May Be Regulated Now By Cities or Towns

### New Law Passed by Recent Legislature Revives Home Rule Authority

The 42nd Legislature of Texas amended Article 1119 of the Revised Statutes of Texas to read as follows:

"Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That article 1119 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 1119. The governing body of all cities and towns in this state of over five hundred (500) population, incorporated under the general laws thereof, shall have the power to regulate by ordinance, the rates and compensation to be charged by all water, gas, telephone companies, light and sewer companies, corporations or persons using the streets, and public grounds of said city or town, and engaged in furnishing water, gas, light or sewerage service to the public, and also to prescribe rules and regulations under which such commodities shall be furnished, and service rendered, and to fix penalties to enforce such charges, rules and regulations. The governing body shall not prescribe any rate or compensation which will yield more than ten (10%) per cent per annum net on the actual cost of the physical properties and betterment.

The above act of the Texas Legislature takes the place of the old law upon this subject, which old law reads as follows:

"Article 1119. Rates, prescribed, etc. The governing body of all cities and towns in this state of over two thousand population, incorporated under the general laws thereof, shall have the power to regulate by ordinance, the rates and compensation to be charged by all water, gas, light and sewer companies, corporations or persons using the streets and public grounds of said city or town, and engaged in furnishing water, gas, light or sewerage service to the public, and also to prescribe rules and regulations under which such commodities shall be furnished, and service rendered, and to fix penalties to enforce such charges, rules and regulations. The governing body shall not prescribe any rate or compensation which will yield less than ten (10%) per cent per annum net on the actual cost of the physical properties, equipment and betterment."

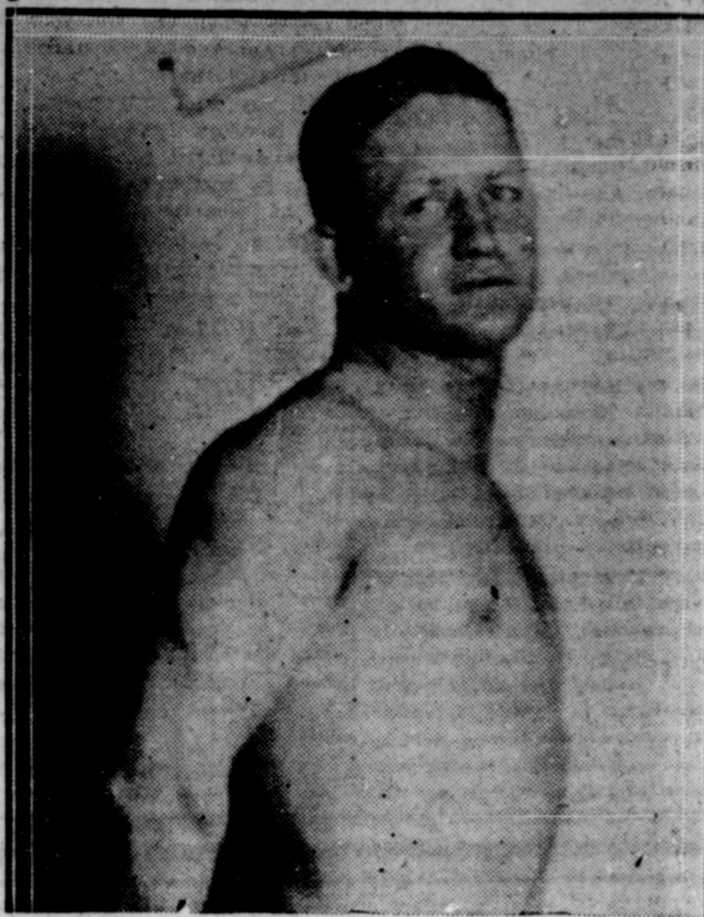
Under the present law the cities can fix any rate so as not to yield more than 10% per annum upon cost of properties: The old law provided cities could fix the rates to yield not less than 10% per annum.

Miss Alice Hommel of Dallas is visiting her brothers, W. O. and F. J. Hommel, and sister, Mrs. C. W. Smith, and mother, Mrs. M. S. Hommel. She will also visit her sister, Mrs. Will Kennedy of McLean.

### Weekly Poem OVER THE HILLS

Over the hills of life we're going, As pilgrims who journey afar, Sometimes in gloom of the valley, Sometimes in the glow of a star; Time moves our footsteps onward, Ever sounds the far call of the west And it's onward, as impotent vessels, Seeking a harbor of rest. Over the hills of life we're going, We are only here for today, Tomorrow, as waters e'er flowing, We've lived and passed away; Moments of joy and of gladness, Tear-drops circle the page, Grief, with its hours of sadness, Youth, and fall'ring old age. Over the hills of life we're going, And it's e'er toward a setting sun Westward, as tired winds blowing, To the hours when the journey is done; Hope, and Promise eternal, Faith that the way ends in light, Dreams of a land supernal, Then tender, loving goodnight! Over the hills of life we're going, To the harvest seeds we have sown Moved by Time, the Unconquerable As chaff on the wild winds blown And it's westward forever, my brother Toward the glow of a setting sun, To the call of the roll in eternity, The hour when the journey is done.

Guy V. Roberts.



Roy Welch of Borger

Who won his second wrestling bout with Dutch Betket here Thursday night.

### Buntin Wins President Cup In Local Golf Contest

President Wesley Knorrp of the Hillcroft Golf Club of this city started a new event here Sunday in the local club when he put up the President's Cup for the winner of an 18 hole handicap tournament.

Players qualified over the past week over 54 holes of play, were given handicaps by the club tournament committee and Sunday the play-off resulted in Fred Buntin winning the cup with a net score of 68 for the 18. Buntin shot two strokes over perfect golf in actual strokes giving him a 74, and with a six handicap, gave him a net score of 68 which threw him into a tie with T. M. Shaver who shot an 83 with 15 strokes handicap. The play-off was over nine holes in which Buntin shot the round in 39 to beat Shaver and win the cup.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patrick, Miss Katherine Patrick and Harold Bugbee are in Canyon for a pioneer gathering.

### Brice Couple Remarries Here Friday at Ingram Home

Rev. C. B. Ingram officiated in a marriage ceremony at his home here Friday in which Miss Inez Williams and Herman Keefer of Brice were remarried according to the minister who reported it to the Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierle of Canyon were guests of Mrs. O. L. Fink Sunday.

### SCHOOL CHILDREN

45 15c World Globe Pencil Sharpeners, one to be given away with every sixth 10c bag of candy.

### THOMPSON'S CANDY KITCHEN

### Radio Audition Contest Date September 12th

Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, local chairman of the 5th national radio audition contest, announces September 12th as the date when singers of Clarendon will compete for the honor of representing this city in the state contest to be held in October.

Any young man or young lady between the ages of 16 and 25 who have not accepted professional engagements, are eligible to enter the contest. The two selected locally, will have their expenses paid to the state contest by the radio manufacturer sponsoring the movement.

The local committee composed of Mrs. J. L. McMurtry as chairman, and Miss Anna Moores and R. S. Cope, will be glad to explain the requirements to any one interested.

Those who have signed up entry blanks to date are Miss Marue Trostle, James Smith, Elbert Bowen, Bill Word and Coy Palmer.

John Terry of Santa Rosa, N. M. visited his cousins, Mrs. J. A. Wheeler at Hedley and Mrs. J. C. Estlack of Clarendon the first of the week.

### Baptist Revival in Progress At Windy Valley

The revival now in progress at Windy Valley is being conducted by Rev. J. L. King of Wellington, assisted by J. S. Harlin.

The meeting began Monday of this week with a good attendance. No definite date has been announced for the closing of the revival which will continue over the week at least.

Mrs. C. A. Burton returned home Sunday from Clovis where she visited relatives and friends over the week.

### Sullivan Cooper Opens New Grocery Store Here

Formerly in the grocery business at Quanah, Sullivan Cooper has decided to cast his lot in Clarendon and has opened a grocery store in the Frank Thomas feed store west of the Y building.

His advertisement appears in this issue quoting prices and asking for a share of the grocery trade.

Mrs. M. W. Mosley accompanied her son Vestal to Colorado this week. They expect to be gone only a few days.

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