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MRS. C. M. LANE RITES WEDNESDAY

Resident of Clarendon Since 1909; Member Prominent Pioneer Family

Funeral services were conducted at the First Baptist church at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon. Services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. Perry King, who was assisted by Rev. R. S. McKee and Rev. E. D. Landreth of Clarendon, and Rev. C. R. Hooton of Plainview.

Flower bearers, Mantle Graves, Helen Wiedman, Lucille Simpson, Eunice Buntin, Louise Howard, Agatha Taylor, Luma Smith, Thelma Bennett.

Funeral arrangements were in charge of the Buntin Mortuary. Mrs. Lane was born in Walton county, Georgia March 20, 1869, and died in Adair hospital March 23, 1936. She married C. M. Lane in that state October 28, 1886. The family moved to Clarendon in 1909. She had been a faithful member of the Baptist church since 1887.

She is survived by her husband, two sons, six daughters, twelve grandchildren, three great grandchildren. Her sister is Mrs. Lelia Elder of Atlanta, Ga.

The daughters are Mrs. A. W. Nunn, Miss Lottie E. Lane, Mrs. W. R. Blocker, Mrs. W. V. Thomason, Mrs. Chas. H. Dean, Mrs. Everette H. Clark. The sons are Matthew and McHenry Lane.

Union Pre-Easter Services Planned By Churches

Pre-Easter, or Passion Week Services have been arranged by the Baptist, Christian, Methodist and Presbyterian churches of Clarendon during the week prior to Easter Sunday.

These services will be held in the various churches on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights and on Friday afternoon, and will commemorate the outstanding events in the life and death of our Lord during that notable week.

The subjects, speakers and time and place of these meetings will be announced next week.

BEAVER EMPLOYED ON EROSION WORK

Game Warden Traps Rodents In Wheeler County For Duty in Donley

Years ago beaver are said to exist in this section as well as muskrat. The beaver left or was killed off as the country settled, leaving the muskrats to continue the work of soil conservation.

Game Warden Austin O'Neal of Wellington was in town Tuesday having two beaver which he had trapped on Sweetwater creek over in Wheeler county, where beaver survived the onslaughts of civilization.

The pair of beaver was given in charge of Winks Adams to be turned loose on Bitter Creek that heads at the old Word ranch south-east of town.

Mr. O'Neal has been scattering beaver in Collingsworth county to help with the soil conservation idea. He also put some deer on favored ranches in that county.

A male beaver was turned loose on Bitter creek last year. He industriously built a dam and otherwise improved the location, but O'Neal thought two female beaver would help make the dam section more habitable.

Past Masters to Feast Here Next Friday Night

In the first meeting of the kind ever to be held in Clarendon, Past Masters of the local Masonic lodge will have a get-together and banquet affair in the lodge hall Friday night of this week.

There are eighteen Past Masters residing here at present. The program will begin at 7:30.

MISS HENDRIX CROWNED QUEEN

Ceremony Takes Place On Main Street During A Parade of Students

One of the most beautiful affairs in connection with the observance of College week, was the parade Friday on the main streets of Clarendon. The crowning of the queen was the fitting climax to the gala affair.

The parade was headed by the school band of 26 instruments being played by students ranging from the lower grades to the college age. The band was directed by Mr. Robbins and Miss Jane Kerbow as official mascot and drum major. The entire band was in uniform of maroon and white.

Following the band came the car of Dean R. E. Drennan of the College with a gorgeous float attached on which was seated the young lady who had won her merits of queenship by a popular vote of the student body. Seated on her throne was Miss Sarah Hendrix of Hedley, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Hendrix. Four maids of honor, near contestants in the voting, included Misses Viola Barker, Dorothy Powell, Avis Lee McElvany and Wilma Dee Smith all seated at the feet of their queen. Royalty was ably represented in the various costumes of the five young ladies.

Mounting the float when the parade had reached the street crossing at Third at Kearney, Dean Drennan placed the crown upon the head of the queen after a short speech of appropriate remarks.

The student body marched behind the royal cortege with the U. S. flag and banners, each keeping step to the martial music of the well trained band. A large number of citizens gathered to do the occasion honor, the streets being lined with onlookers who frequently applauded.

Wind Damages Garage Mon. Near Ashtola

Besides damaging a number of outbuildings in the west side of the county Monday, the high wind destroyed the garage of Clifton Williams.

After scattering the garage timbers, the Dodge sedan that had been stored in the garage, was turned over.

Paving Contracts In Donley County

Work to be Rushed to Care For Centennial Traffic In Early Spring

The State Highway Department awarded a contract in Austin Tuesday calling for asphalt surfacing of 12.4 miles of Highway 5 in Donley county from the Armstrong county line to Clarendon. The contract calls for a bid of \$60,023 and went to the Public Construction company of Denton.

The same company bid in the 13 mile stretch between Clarendon and Hedley at \$66,150.

Bids are now being asked for on the remainder of Highway 5 from the Potter county line to the end of the pavement at the Hall county line. These bids will be determined on April 7-8 according to advertisements for bids.

Work on Highway 66 across the north end of Donley county is progressing rapidly with a clay topping almost completed. Bids for quadruple asphalt surface will be asked for soon, it is said.

Local Preacher Boys to Fill Baptist Pulpit Sunday

Announcement is made by Pastor King that two local young men who grew up here will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday.

At the 11 o'clock service, Carroll Holtzclaw will preach. At the evening service, S. L. Tidwell will preach.

Clarendon Men Meet With Highway Body

Colorado-to-Gulf Highway Association Meets In Amarillo Monday

Despite the dust storm, a large number of highway enthusiasts got together from Colorado, New Mexico and Texas in the one-day meeting. Men from as far south as Waco were in attendance.

War was declared on gaps, the longest stretch of which is being rapidly pushed to completion from Amarillo across Donley county to the end of the pavement at the Hall county line.

Resolutions adopted at the meeting include closing of gaps, safety in signs and systematic numbering of highways. Homer Mulkey of Clarendon was appointed on the routing committee of our highways in North Texas.

The midsummer meeting will be held in Raton, New Mexico.

Talks were made by a number of leading highway enthusiasts from each of the states. The principal object is the direction of Centennial visitors over Highway 5 from all highways converging in or near Denver, thence through this section to Dallas.

With Mr. Mulkey attending was J. M. Hill, secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce. Due to the dust, they were compelled to wait until after midnight before starting on the return journey. They arrived home about daylight Tuesday morning.

School Elections to be Held Over County April 4th

Trustees are to be elected on the boards of each of the schools of Donley county Saturday of next week.

This applies to independent as well as other schools. A poll tax will be required of the voter unless exempt under the law.

INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE MEET WILL BE HELD HERE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Every School in Donley County Will Take Part in Literary And Athletic Events Here March 27-28th

The program for the two days is outlined as follows:

Friday Morning
9:30—Junior and Senior Tennis.
10:00—Picture Memory, Room 20, College building.
11:00—Wild Flower.

Friday Afternoon
1:00—Volley Ball (Gym)—Boys and girls Playground Ball.
2:00—Tiny Tot and Third and Second Grade Story Telling.
Sub-Junior Declamation (College Auditorium)

Thursday Night
7:00—Junior Declamation and Extemporaneous Speech

Friday Night
7:00—Senior Declamation and Debate (College Auditorium)

Saturday Morning
9:00 to 10:00—Spelling (Room 11, College Bldg.)
10:00 to 11:00—3 R. Library—Arithmetic (Room 10, College Bldg. (College Auditorium)

Wednesday Night
March 20th—Choral Singing and one Act Play. (Each Director will furnish own stage properties)

Volley Ball will follow Spalding's Official Rules with only six players to a team.

Tiny-Tot Story Telling will have a separate Rural Division.

Unanimous vote of Directors that no papers will be shown to anyone after judges have rendered their decisions.

All Entry Blanks shall be in the hands of the Director General by March 25th.

Donley County Gained 3,762 Bales Cotton in 1935

A census report shows that Donley county produced 10,884 bales of cotton in 1935 as compared with 7,122 in 1934.

This information comes from Tom A. Ballew, special agent of the Bureau of Census, stationed at Memphis, Texas.

SURRENDER OF SANTA ANNA AT SAN JACINTO



On the day following the Battle of San Jacinto, which was waged April 21, 1836, and achieved the goal of Texas liberty, Santa Anna was captured and brought before General Houston. The reproduction above of the painting hanging in the State Capitol shows the wounded Houston lying beneath the oak while Texans hurriedly gather to witness the final chapter in the struggle for freedom.

Father Local Man Critically Injured

While driving a team on highway work west of Shamrock Tuesday forenoon, S. M. McKee was run over by an auto and critically injured. He was immediately rushed to a Shamrock hospital where it was found that both legs, an arm and his collar bone were broken. Possible internal injuries are suspected.

Mr. McKee is well known to a number of Clarendon people where he often came to visit his son Varn McKee in the employ of H. D. Toomb at the 66 service station.

Varn McKee was informed of the occurrence about noon Tuesday and hastily went to his father's bedside.

Valuables Returned To Pierce Home

Being questioned regarding the return of the valuables taken from his home recently, an account of which appeared exclusively in the Leader, S. A. Pierce stated:

"I am sure that the publicity in the Leader was the cause of the return of the valuables taken from my home. The article appeared in the Leader Thursday, and the articles were returned some time between Friday morning and Sunday morning, no one being at home."

The heirlooms and gold jewelry was stolen from the Pierce home some two weeks ago. Finger prints were secured and Mr. Pierce expected to prosecute, but gave the party a chance to return the goods and say nothing more about the matter. The valuables were returned to the dresser top in the Pierce home—all of them intact as when stolen.

City Election Will be Held Saturday, April 7th

Very little interest is said to be taken in the city election due some two weeks hence when two city commissioners are to be selected.

Names appearing in the announcement column for the two positions that will be open are T. M. (Flop) Pyle, W. B. Haile, H. C. Brumley and Tom F. Connally.

Joe Holland will act as election judge with W. M. Patman and H. J. Edington as clerks. The polls will be open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. The polling place will be at the City Hall.

No city poll tax is required to vote in the city election, it is stated, but you will have to use your regular state poll tax unless exempt from poll tax payment under the law.

Trustee Election Scheduled April Fourth

Due to the expiration of the terms of Odos Caraway and O. W. Latson on the Clarendon school board, an election will be held here on April 4th.

The voting place will be in the City Hall, it is said. A state and county poll tax is required of a voter in a school election, unless exempt under the provisions of the law of the state. Your state and county poll tax is your regular poll tax used in general elections.

LEADER GIVES SUBSCRIBER COMMISSION

In paying a dollar for the Leader a full year, you get a discount of fifty cents. That fifty cents is your commission on your subscription. The only difference is, the Leader prefers to give the subscriber the commission instead of some one else.

The Dollar rate expires May 1st. The rate applies to both new and renewal subscriptions. Fifty-four names are on the Honor Roll this week. Will yours be there next? It's up to you to decide.

Easter Cantata At Methodist Church

An Easter cantata exemplifying "The Living Christ" by Fred B. Bolton will be presented at the Methodist church Easter Sunday, the 12th of April under the direction of Miss Anna Moores.

A choir of thirty-five members is in rehearsal twice each week in preparation for the event. The choir has been selected from the various churches of the town.

This will be a union service in which each church will take a part in observance of this historical event.

Changes Will be Made In Davis Building

The brick business building owned by W. E. Davis, prominent rancher of the Brice country, and situated at the corner of Third and Kearney, is to be improved and changes made soon.

The building is now occupied by the Hommel Sinclair station and Noland's garage repair shop.

The main building will be extended back to the ditch. A new roof is being placed and other changes made to add more to the value and convenience of this valuable piece of property.

Brownfield Jail Breaker Is Picked Up by Pierce

Jess Smith, sheriff of Terry county, and a former resident of near Hedley, came Monday to return "Shorty" Bennett to the Brownfield jail where he was being held on a wife desertion charge.

Bennett is said to have escaped jail there March 10th. Sheriff Pierce located Bennett in a blacksmith shop in McLean Friday. Bennett was brought here and held in the local jail until Monday, when he was returned to Brownfield.

Improvements Are Added To Naylor Home Recently

Moving to the farm home of his father recently, Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor have added a number of improvements to the home. Rooms have been repapered, walls kalsomined and paint applied where necessary. Some of the floor has been replaced.

This farm is owned by Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Naylor, who are temporarily residing at Wichita Falls for the present for the benefit of Mrs. Naylor's health.

Mrs. Dewey White Dies In Amarillo

Daughter of Fred Johnson Dies Suddenly From Grief and Worry

The anxiety and worry over the illness of her son Alex, is said to have caused the almost sudden death of Mrs. Dewey White in Amarillo Wednesday morning. Her son has double pneumonia in Northwest Texas hospital where he has been critically ill for several days.

Mrs. Minnie Pearl White is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson of Clarendon where she resided for several years after her marriage.

Other children surviving are Ralph 16, Robert Lee 14, Betty Lou 6.

Mr. White is an auto salesman and well known over the Panhandle. He is at present in the employ of the Plains Chevrolet company of Amarillo.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. E. D. Landreth at 2:30 p. m. today. Four brothers and three sisters survive. The sisters are Mrs. Maggie Gray, Phoenix, Arizona; Mrs. Elsie Webb, Channing; Mrs. Lucy Radney, Amarillo.

Her brothers are W. N. Johnson of Sayre, Oklahoma; H. E. Johnson of Pampa; Hubert and Bryan Johnson of Clarendon.

BUSINESS WOMEN PRESENT PROGRAM

Mrs. Ruth Teat Presides As Snappy Program is Heard By Enthusiasts

The Business and Professional Women are complimented for one fact: They know how to present an interesting program, and know when to quit. This was the expression one heard often after the gala affair at the Christian church Monday evening.

Mrs. Ruth Teat presided in a most graceful manner, never allowing the program to drag. Her's was a diplomatic position requiring skill, and she certainly disappointed no one. Miss Fannie Perry gave the Club collect, after which the program was entered into with a zest.

With well chosen words Mrs. Helen Watson gave the welcome address. Responding, Mr. Fred E. Chamberlain acquitted himself nobly in his talk that pleased the women, and in which the male guests could pick no flaw.

In complimenting the fair sex, Mr. Chamberlain stated that "one could buy brains, but not loyalty." He paid a distinct compliment to the ladies in the business world, and to their loyalty.

The talks made by Mrs. Watson and Mr. Chamberlain were the high lights of sober thought of the evening.

Miss Ruth Donnel and Miss Ruth Hartzog presented a snappy skit under the guise of "Who is Oscar?" The young ladies received hearty applause because of superb presentation.

Musical numbers by Miss Mantie Graves and Miss Norma Rhode in a piano duet, and Arthur Chase Jr. in a special number were highly acceptable.

A prize of five dollars was presented Nell Starr Sachse for having written the best essay on the subject of "If I were Mayor." The young lady complied to a request to read the essay aloud, after which she was complimented most highly. This essay contest was sponsored by the B & P Women's club, the girl of fifteen being adjudged the winner in a number of contestants.

Arrested on Gasoline Theft Charge Saturday

Otis Owens, 25, was arrested near Hedley Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Marion Quisenberry and charged with the theft of sixty-five gallons of gasoline from a highway truck near there.

Owens was turned over to Judge Penn Johnson, Hedley justice of the peace.

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TAXPAYERS AND VACATIONS FOR GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

Consciously or unconsciously, the American people are paying more and more year by year to support Government employes in ever-increasing numbers. John E. Edgerton, president of the Southern States Industrial Council, charged today, citing the desire of Congress to lengthen vacations of Federal employes as an illustration of what happens "when the Government feels an economy wave."

"Three years ago Congress made some gestures toward economy. It hardened up to the point of saying that Government employes should have only 15 days of vacation each year, plus Sundays and holidays, plus 30 days sick leave plus Saturday half-holidays.

"Now Congress is moving to 'right this injustice', the opinion now being that Government employes should have twenty-six days of vacation exclusive of Sundays and holidays, and plus up to 120 days sick leave.

"That vacations are a boon to mankind there can be no doubt, but that there should be some equalization in the matter is likewise evident.

"Who, for instance, pays to keep the Government employe this month at the seashore or in the mountains?

"If the burden fell solely on the so-called big-income groups, the logic of long vacations might be more irrefutable, but—unfortunately—taxes to pay for the 'righting of this terrible injustice' must come from the pockets of us all.

"For instance, the stenographer who works in a private employment for \$900 a year donates one day in eleven to keep in a happy frame of mind the Federal stenographer with a minimum salary of about \$1020. If the privately employed stenographer gets two weeks with pay for a vacation present, she is happy. More than likely she will not be getting that this year, since her employer, too, is having to pay more to keep the Government happy.

"Another excellent illustration of inequalities in taxes and vacations is found in the farmer. As we all know, the farmer is lucky if he can take one short trip a year, and if he gets a real vacation once in a lifetime. Whether he knows it or not, however, he pays in taxes \$15.50 out of each \$49 he earns. Some of this is necessary. Some of it is to pay for such things as leisure time.

"The demand of Government employers for longer vacations is but another illustration that bureaucracies feed upon themselves. The more they get the more they want, while the taxpayer gets less and less for paying more and more," Mr. Edgerton declared.

TO AVOID THE VICIOUS CIRCLE

Governor Allred has taken a long step forward in the field of humanitarianism in the establishment of parole boards throughout the state.

The meeting Saturday at Austin, when 200 members of these boards met to plan their work, was an inspiring occasion.

As the governor pointed out, too often the history of our handling of convicts has followed this vicious circle: Crime to detection to punishment to parole to discouragement and back to crime again.

Now, when the convict is paroled, he is to find helping hands when he comes out of the prison walls, hands that will be extended to make a new life possible, without the brand of "ex-convict" closing every door to him and leading him straight back to evil associates.

The new parole boards, which already have been organized in more than 140 counties, including a fine group for Harris County, have been chosen on the nomination of the service clubs of their communities, and do not represent "political" appointments. The members are serving without pay, giving freely of valuable time, for in each case the members are substantial citizens with work of their own to do.

They will undertake to be a brother's keeper, indeed, to the paroled men as they come out. They will familiarize themselves with the cases and histories of the men released, will try to find jobs for them, will exert every effort to see that they are received back into society and given a chance to

make good.

Naturally, the system will not be perfect. There are many who believe that really effective results will have to wait on the time when we have trained, salaried probation officers to undertake this work. In other cases, even the best intentioned men will make mistakes, and, of course, there is the possibility that some boards will tire of their work when the novelty wears off.

But the state has not provided the means for expert probation supervision, and this voluntary effort puts Texas well forward on a new step in its dealing with the problem of criminal rehabilitation.

It is a tribute to the character of Texas citizenry that so many men are willing to undertake this task and a hopeful sign for the future. That reformation is more important than punishment, in the handling of the criminal class, is generally admitted. Reformation, however, is unlikely unless the soil is prepared for real opportunity for the paroled man to resume his part in the world around him.

Many problems are involved, not the least of which is to find work in a world in which there are more humans than there are jobs, but the governor, in making these appointments and inaugurating this work, has assured Texas of an honest effort to tackle the problem in manly fashion.

Texas, the Centennial celebration state, is as large as Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Connecticut, New York, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Illinois.

** WITH OUR **
** EXCHANGES **

Editor Miller vs Amarillo.

I will admit that I had overindulged because us country newspaper guys seldom get a chance to sink our teeth into a steak that cost 90 cents wholesale for a single helping and that is about a foot long and three inches wide and thick, and if you happen to ask me I will tell you that I don't believe Judge McDade is overly used to it either as he didn't waste any time in masticating his helping.
—Moore County News.

Biggest Free Space Gaffer

Yes sir, the biggest Frost I ever saw stopped in at the Herald office Wednesday afternoon and stepped right up just like he was as welcome as spring.

And what's more he introduced himself as Jack Frost. Can you imagine it? A full 240 pounds of Jack Frost!

Well, it all summed up that Mr. Frost had no idea of trying to make things cold around here. In fact he was seeking a warm reception, because he is a salesman for the Wapples Platter Grocery Co. and had the uncanny ability to talk himself right into telling us all about himself.
—Panhandle Herald.

Bob Haynes Shi of Grit

We were just going to write a dissertation on our fine spring weather and our scarcity of sand storms, when the wind changed to the north Tuesday morning and a genuine "duster" struck us, full-force. We will say, however, that it is nothing to compare with this time last spring and we are having only our own sand to contend with, which is a great relief from the black dust storms of last year. It wouldn't be West Texas if we didn't have more or less dirt to dig out every few days.—Miami Chief.

Editor Deck Wells Tells It

Suppose that war does come to the distressed countries that lie beyond the sea. We may sympathize with them in the unbearable

horror which is their lot. But is our sympathy any justification for joining this blood bath and making it worse? We entered one war in 1917 to make the world safe for democracy. Look at democracy now. Having once contacted the century old hates of an older continent, we may be invited to sacrifice our best young men again. If the purposes of the last war were so noble, why is it that another—far more horrible—threatens us now?—Wellington Leader.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our heart-felt gratitude to the many friends and neighbors who so graciously gave us aid and sympathy during the illness and death of our father and grandfather.

- W. E. Tucker and Family, Canyon, Texas
- Mrs. A. Reed and Family, Ashtola, Texas
- J. W. Tucker and Family, Olton, Texas
- L. D. Tucker, Ashtola, Texas
- Miss Viola Tucker, Ft. Worth
- Mrs. T. W. Duffie and Family, Eldorado, Okla.
- Miss Eula Tucker, Gallup, New Mexico.

Anson's historic "Cowboys' Christmas Ball" will be repeated in December as a Centennial year celebration which will attract interest from far beyond the state's borders.

Driver of Oldest Chevrolet Given a New One

Hiram H. Dohner, 70 of Quentin, Lebanon County, Pa., was found to be the owner of the oldest Chevrolet licensed and in daily use in the United States in a contest conducted by Chevrolet Motor Company recently. Mr. Dohner will be presented with the one millionth car built in 1935, a 1936 model.

Mr. Dohner owns and drives Chevrolet No. 470, a 1913 Royal Mail roadster, which he purchased from a Chevrolet dealer in Lebanon, Pa. He has already received official notification from Chevrolet officials and will shortly drive his present 22-year old car to Detroit, where he will inspect Chevrolet factories and take delivery of his new 1936 model.

Mr. Dohner is a carpenter in Quentin, a hamlet in the valley of the Susquehanna, with a population of nearly 500 people. He has been a carpenter all his life but like the versatile and ingenious people who live in small towns, he can do many things. He can take care of an automobile in a way that would prove surprising to the modern motor car owner. The fact that his present car has served him well for 22 years, piling up a total of more than a quarter million miles, proves the value of motor car care.

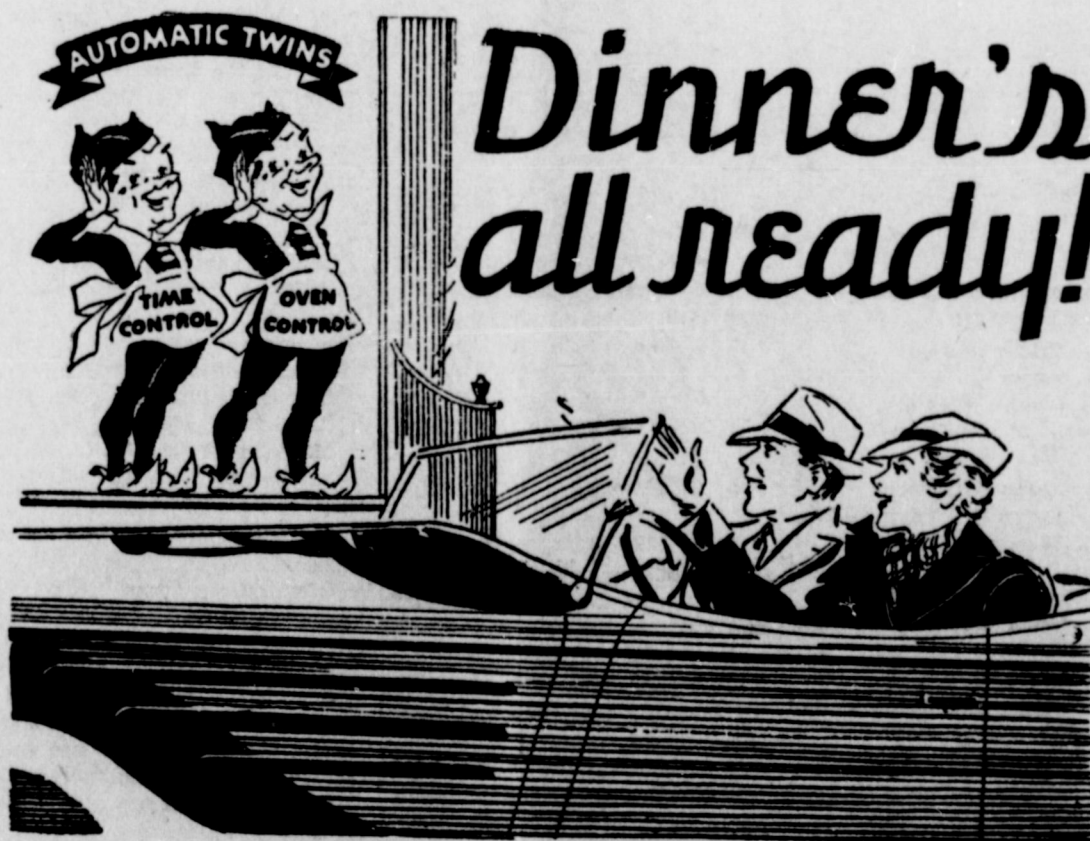
W. W. Ballew of Amarillo was visiting relatives and friends here, Saturday.

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY, MARCH 27-28th

PRESTON FOSTER and JANE WYATT

—in—

"WE'RE ONLY HUMAN"

MELODRAMA—He hated lawbreakers, but heart breakers got him down proving that, after all, we're only human.

Matinee 1:30 p. m. 10—15c

MIDNIGHT SHOW—SATURDAY 28th

GEORGE MURPHY, GERTRUDE MICHAEL

—in—

"WOMAN TRAP"

GANGSTER DRAMA—Thrills and action—Love on the trail of bad men below the Mexican border.

10 and 25c

SUNDAY and MONDAY, MARCH 29-30th

DICK POWELL, ANN DVORK, PATSY KELLY

—in—

"THANKS A MILLION"

MUSICAL—Whatever its got you want—Whatever you want its got—It's got stars—It's got fun—It's got songs—It's got rhythm—It's got what it takes for a joyous Jamboree.

Matinee 2:00 o'clock sharp.

10—25c

TUESDAY, MARCH 31st

WALTER ABEL, MARGOT GRAMAME
GAIL PATRICK

—in—

"TWO IN THE DARK"

MYSTERY—Thrill and chill to the surprise and suspense that awaits in this modern mystery. IT'S A BIG \$175.00 NIGHT. You may attend the Matinee.

Matinee 2:00 p. m.

10—25c

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, APRIL 1-2nd

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—in—

"MILKY WAY"

COMEDY—The cream of the comedy crop—The inimitable Harold Lloyd in his greatest comedy of all time—Long loud laughs in the years funniest story of a milkman who could whip his weight in cream.

Matinee 2:00 o'clock sharp.

10—25c

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY, MARCH 27-28th

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BUCK JONES and DOROTHY DIX

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10 and 15c

Matinee 1:15 p. m.

Night—7:15 promptly

TEMPLE OF TRUTH
 By the Apostle



The reason so much junk is thrown into the city ditch is that they can't drag it any further in that direction.

All the talks made during the College drive last week, were made by actual students of that institution. They are said to have made at least one talk in every rural school in the county.

The owl may be wise since he stays out all night and sleeps all day. That also may be the reason

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for the actions of some of the brains of the new deal.

A man picked up on a Houston street following a serious car wreck, proved to be one of the city's leading mind readers and fortune tellers.

It is said that old timers of the Panhandle used so much rawhide string and baling wire that they became experts. In fact one is said to have made a watch during his leisure moments. Over in New Mexico they specialized on bear-grass, and a clock was the best product turned out.

The dime chain letter is a matter of history, but a quilt scrap chain in the east is headed this way. In some instances, women of a nervous type, sit up half the night to comply with the demands of the quilt chain letter—afraid of the 'booger' man superstition that keeps such things going.

And Louise Well over at Plainview has been awarded a \$300 college scholarship by the Home Demonstration Association. She won on merit by raising chickens, turkeys and garden vegetables. She canned 1,595 quarts of food besides adding finishing touches to her farm home. Now that's something worth while. Compare that record with a young man who drew a prize for "being the best dressed man at a golf match." Both instances happened in the Panhandle of Texas.

I have more confidence in the integrity of a man who has stolen something, repented of the act and returned the goods, than I have in the man who says he "never did a wrongful act in his life, even to telling a lie."

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 10,956 miles of Asphalt Seal Coat with Prime Coat from Hedley to the Hall County Line on Highway No. 5, covered by Control 42-7 & 8-6 & 4, in Donley County, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., April 8, 1936, and then publicly opened and read.

The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions concerning prevailing and minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in the proposals in compliance with House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

Title of "Laborer" Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage "Workmen" or "Mechanic" (Based on Eight (8) Hour Working Day)

Roller Operator	\$ 3.60
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Teamster	2.40
Dumper	2.40
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Form Setter	3.20
Unskilled Laborer	2.40

Overtime and legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

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Does a fellow learn to play a trombone for his personal pleasure, for business reasons, or for plain spite?

If you haven't taken advantage of that dollar subscription rate, you had better do so right now. The Donley County Leader at \$1 a year is less than 2 cents a week.

The echo from clothesline gossip has often doomed an innocent victim to a living death.

Three Scotchmen rushed into a church Sunday to get away from the sandstorm. Just about that time they passed the plates and the three instantly began twitching their wits for a way out. Finally, one of them fainted and the other two carried him out. This is an old story, but she sure fits in right here in describing both Sunday and the Scotch.

Some men's ambition is to seek the course of least resistance during their prime of life, and when they become worthless, finally windup by marrying a meal ticket.

Under six, they write to Santa Claus. Over sixty, they write to Townsend.

A lottery would not be a bad thing altogether. We could draw for senators and congressmen and improve our chances in that respect.

Speaking of scandal, the most disreputable couple is Ida Went and Will Also, not to mention that hardworking old man Butt.

THE SAME OLD CROWD

Just what is behind the effort to discredit the present Texas Governor as evidenced by the flurry of minor opponents announced against him, has not yet been disclosed.

It is unusual—even in Texas—for a public servant with the brilliant record of Governor James V. Allred, to have an opponent for the traditional second term accorded by the Democratic Party.

Allred has fought valiantly and in most cases successfully to carry through on his platform pledges as endorsed by the voters two years ago. That he has been unable to crash through the formidable opposition of the Utilities and other corporate interests on a few occasions is in no wise a reflection on his ability and sincerity of purpose. Had it not been for powerful influences at work in the Legislature he would have scored 100 per cent on all his platform pledges. At that the record made in a little more than a year's time is nothing short of remarkable.

It's pretty good for a Texas Governor. It's good for any Governor! Good enough, in fact, to justify a second term without the necessity of a useless campaign—even though it be a nominal campaign. The Texas Centennial Governor who has done more to publicize the 100th birthday of Texas than any other single individual is deserving of the whole-hearted support of all loyal Texans.

When the truth is uncovered—as it will be—we strongly suspect that the manifest opposition will not be the puppets who propose to be Allred's opponents, but instead the same group of representatives of entrenched wealth that have always fought him since his entrance into the State political arena.

A champion of the people will never cease to have the bitter opposition of that crowd.

—El Camp News

Farm Program Plans Getting Under Way

College Station—Farmers who want to participate in the benefits of the new Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act but also want to go ahead with their planting while the season is favorable without waiting for full details might do well to be guided by their last year's plantings, putting acres which were "retired" under the old program into soil building crops for 1936, according to Jack Shelton, vice director and state agent of the Extension Service, who has just returned from the regional meeting at Memphis called by the Secretary of Agriculture to help work out ways to put the act into effect.

"It is a soil utilization and soil conservation program and crops will be classified as soil depleting crops, soil conserving crops and soil building crops," Shelton stated. Cotton, corn, wheat and grain sorghums are our principal soil depleting crops in Texas and farmers making planting plans will have to remember this fact. There will be no crop control program, the Secretary of Agriculture has stated, but for working out the details of administering the Act, a job which has been assigned to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, recommendations made at the four regional meetings will be assembled in Washington and from these will be developed the program which will finally be sent to the county.

"It now seems that payments will be made directly to farmers based on the productivity of the land devoted to soil conservation; and that they will be made on proof of compliance," Shelton stated.

ROLL CALL

(By Gene Lindberg)
 One more good old timer's left us. There's a story 'bout him here, Tellin' of the life and passin' Of another pioneer.

Makes you think to see that headline— Wonder who the next will be To hitch up the covered wagon Startin' for eternity?

Pioneers - - - we were among 'em Out here when the West was new. Now there's his'try bein' written Round the things we do.

Crossed the plains and built a cabin; Worked and raised a family. That's the pioneerin' story Of plain folks like you and me.

Soon again we must be leavin' For a distant Western goal. Pioneers - - - all hitched and ready When the Leader calls the roll.

Interesting Centennial year event in Texas will be the commemoration of the Battle of Velasco to be held at Freeport on May 14. The Battle of Velasco on June 22, 1832, was the first armed clash between the Texas colonists and the enemy.

MEMORIAL MUSEUM TO GET EXHIBITS

The largest collection of Texas Indian Lore in the world is on exhibit in the famous Russian National Museum at Leningrad. It was gathered some years ago, in this state, by a Russian noble. There are some nice collections still in Texas, but owing to lack of facilities for showing them, have not been extensively exhibited. The Texas Memorial Museum, to be built on the Campus of The University of Texas, will provide housing for many famous collections of scientific and historical materials now owned by Texans.

Texas, rich in nature as well as history, has lost many valuable scientific and prehistoric materials during past years, but Texans hope that all of these discoveries can be kept in Texas and housed in the Texas Memorial Museum at Austin, construction of which will be started in June.

Included in the famous Swenson collection of coins, which will be housed in the Texas Memorial Museum upon its completion at The University of Texas, are 2,217 bronze pieces, 1,172 silver pieces, 87 gold, and 1,846 metal and gilt. The earliest coin included in the collection dates back to seven centuries Before Christ.

Sale of Texas Centennial half-dollars will be conducted throughout the State to raise a \$500,000 fund to augment state and federal funds in the building of the first unit of the \$1,000,000 Texas Memorial Museum, to be erected on the Campus at The University of Texas.

All exhibits prepared for The University of Texas Centennial Exposition, which will run from June 1, 1936, to December 1, 1936, are being prepared for transfer to the first unit of the Texas Memorial Museum, immediately upon its completion, according to Wm. Mc Gill, Director of the University Centennial Exposition. Ground for the first unit of the Texas Memorial Museum will be broken on the Campus at The University of Texas as part of the ceremonies opening the Centennial Exposition.

A KANSAS COMPLIMENT

Some people are unable, even with the best of intentions, to deliver a compliment without couching it in anopning terms. There is the case, for instance, of the Topeka (Kansas) Capital, which devotes an editorial eulogy to Texas and the heroes who died 100 years ago in the Alamo. But right at the end the Kansas compliment turns on this line:

"The inspiration of bravery shown by the handful of soldiers

and the resulting slogan of 'Remember the Alamo,' did for Texas what the martyrdom of Old John Brown did for Kansas in winning freedom from oppression. Texas and Kansas have much in common in their historical traditions and background."

To compare Travis, Bowie, Crockett and the rest of the Alamo defenders with a woolly-minded fanatic whose "martyrdom" was gained, not in defense of his country, but in a crackbrained revolt against his country! About all that Texas and Kansas have in common is the duststorms that State stared dumping on us last year.

—Star-Telegram.

A PLATFORM FOR US

The Progressive Farmer, probably the most widely circulated farm journal in the South, celebrates its fiftieth birthday this year. In its anniversary issue, there appears the following statement of its objectives:

- "1. Richer lands for every farm.
- "2. A home of beauty, comfort and convenience for every family.
- "3. A 'Blue Ribbon Farm Family' in every home.
- "4. A modern equipment for every worker.
- "5. Club work and vocational training for every child.
- "6. Every crop from purebred seed, and every animal from a purebred sire.
- "7. Support of farm organizations, farm and home agents, and cooperative marketing by every family.
- "8. 'Equality for Agriculture' in every form of legislation, taxation, and education.
- "9. 'Full gardens, corncribs, smokehouses, and feed barns to in-

sure a good living at home plus at least two money crops and an important cash income from cows, hogs, or hens' as the business policy of every farmer.

"10. A love of the country community, of church and school and Sunday school, of country things and country sports and recreations, of books and music and art, to enrich, and ennoble life for every individual."

The Big Spring annual Cowboy reunion and rodeo will be staged this year on August 8 to 11 inclusive as a Centennial year celebration which will emphasize the spirit and atmosphere of the west of story and song.

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SOCIETY PAGE

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COLE-BRANDON

Miss Hazel Cole and J. R. Brandon were married here Thursday, Rev. Robt. S. McKee officiating. Mrs. Brandon has been teaching in the Ashtola public school, and Mr. Brandon has been keeping books at the Ashtola gin.

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID

The Ladies met at the First Christian church at 3 p. m. Wednesday, six members being present.

Mrs. F. E. Johnson led in prayer, and presided as president over a short business session, and in the devotional as leader. The lesson was taken from the 21st Chapter of Revelations, read and discussed.

The ladies will hold an all-day session Wednesday of next week, and spend a portion of the time quilting.

JOLLY GROUP "42" CLUB

The Jolly Group "42" Club enjoyed several hours of 42 games at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell, Thursday evening.

St. Patrick color scheme was used in the delicious refreshments which was served by Mrs. Russell to guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ritter. Club members were Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Dawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tyree, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell, hosts.

MRS. SMITH COMPLIMENTED

Honoring Mrs. C. L. Smith of Los Angeles, Calif., Misses Mildred Martin, Mantie Graves and Norma Rhode entertained at the home of Mildred Martin last Friday evening. The entertaining rooms were decorated with bouquets of early spring flowers.

After a humorous contest a large basket was presented the honor guest. Upon examination it was found to contain "white elephant" gifts, also a china mixing bowl and a silver pitcher presented to Mrs. Smith by the entire group. Later in the evening the hostesses served a delicious ice course

to Mrs. C. L. Smith of Los Angeles, Calif., her mother Mrs. R. C. Weatherly Sr., and Mesdames Wallace Weatherly of Haskell, Texas; Robert Weatherly Jr., Emma Weatherly, Ruth Teat, Tom Connally, J. T. Patman, D. S. Smith, Walter Clifford, Eva Rhode, A. A. Mayes, Thelma Darden, Allan Bryan, H. B. Kerbow, Misses Helen Martin, Herloise Burrell, Anna Moores, Mantie Graves, Norma Rhode, and Mildred Martin. Taking part in the shower but unable to attend were Mesdames L. S. Bagby, E. W. Bromley, Mae Shaver, Harold Bugbee and Miss Lynn LaFon.

MOTHERS CLUB

The Mothers Club met at the Club room Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Ralph Keys and Mrs. Henry Tomb were hostesses.

Program leader, Mrs. Rayburn Smith who gave New Approaches to the Three R's. Mrs. Van Kennedy—"What Causes Naughtiness" Jimmy Frank Heath—Song. Ada Sue Smith gave reading. Lovely refreshments were served to 17 members.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Mrs. C. R. Skinner entertained the Friendship Club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Pleasant conversation and fancy needle work were the entertaining features of the afternoon.

Lovely plate lunch was served by hostess, Mrs. Skinner, assisted by Mrs. Allene Skinner to Club members, Mesdames Absher, Allison, Tomb, Teal, J. A. Meaders, Glen Williams, H. Tyree, Thornton, Mongole, Lindsey, Miss Katie Meaders; guest, Mrs. Brent.

CLARENDON H. D. CLUB

The Clarendon Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. A. H. Baker Friday afternoon with eighteen members and three visitors present. The president, Mrs. Fink presided. The meeting opened with prayer led by Mrs.



MILKY WAY

Lloyd Estate Gives Funster Everything Needed for Diversion and Entertainment

Without leaving his estate, Harold Lloyd can play golf, tennis, table tennis, squash, handball, croquet, or any of the aquatic sports. These amusements should make any man self-sufficient.

Lloyd keeps in good condition with these sports, plus his daily roadwork over the spiral trails of his twenty-acres of wood-covered hillside.

The spectacled comedian was slim and wiry on presenting himself at the Paramount studio, for the making of "The Milky Way," which comes next Wednesday and Thursday to the Pastime Theatre. The evening pastimes of this farce king are mild. Once or twice each week he screens some of the new films for his household and guests. When he wants a quiet evening, he paints in his study, assembles slides for his microscopes, or reads in his library.

Occasionally some of "the boys" drop in and repair to the pool hall for a bout with the cues, or a go at the pinboards, which Lloyd introduced to the West Coast. A favorite amusement of the

comedian is to get out some of the kid games owned by the Lloyd children—especially those that require mental agility—and play them with his offspring, Harold Jr., Gloria and Peggy.

There is a cache of such games in the library which the funmaker keeps for the entertainment of adults. The guest who really finds pleasure in Bingo, Lotto, Parcheesi, or the many crossword-puzzle games, is sure of a repeat invitation.

"The Milky Way" brings Harold Lloyd to the screen as a timid milkman who ducks a prizefighter's blow, and then keeps on ducking his way into fistic fame. His supporting cast of players is headed by Adolphe Menjou, Verree Teasdale, Helen Mack, William Gargan, Dorothy Wilson, George Barbier and Lionel Stander.

Van Eaton. Each member answered roll call with household hints.

After the business session Mrs. Chase and Mrs. Baker demonstrated the making of a fancy waste paper basket, garden set and crocheted edges, which proved very interesting to all present.

Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. John Lott April 3, 1936.

A lovely refreshment plate carrying out the Easter motif was served to guests Mrs. J. D. Mc Adams, Mrs. Henry Tice and Miss Jessie Lott; and to members, Mesdames Karl Adams, G. A. Anderson, Sloan Baker, C. L. Benson, A. L. Chase, John Clark, H. J. Edington, J. C. Estlack, O. L. Fink, G. L. Green, M. A. Hahn, John Lott, C. D. McDowell, L. R. Schull, Ed Speed, W. D. Van Eaton, J. A. Tombs and A. H. Baker, the hostesses.

KILL KARE KNEEDLE KLUB

Misses Ida and Etta Harned entertained the Needle club at their home Thursday afternoon. A lovely time talking and sewing was had by the ladies until late afternoon when a lovely salad plate was served to club members.

Mrs. Sims will be hostess to the Club April 2, at her home.

LOYAL WORKERS UNION

Program for March 29, 1936. Ninety Years of Missionary Labor Leader—Mrs. Rampy.

In the day of Small Things—Mrs. Vinson.

At the Beginning of the Present Century—Mr. Roberson.

Record of the Past Thirty Five Years—Mrs. Hill.

The New Day that Lies Ahead—Mr. Vineyard.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Hedgepeth returned home from their visit with their daughter at Whitedeer Thursday.

Mrs. W. L. Crane and daughter, Mrs. Shane and small daughter of Amarillo visited her sister, Mrs. John Clark Thursday.

BRICE NEWS

Frankye Smallwood

There was no singing Sunday afternoon due to the terrible sand-storm that we had.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Finchum, of Chamberlain, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Perkins motored to Pampa Friday.

The women of the community enjoyed a quilting in the home of Mrs. M. L. Pittman Thursday. There was a large number present and almost four quilts were quilted. The next quilting will be in the home of Mrs. A. P. Todd the second day of April.

Agatha Taylor, of Clarendon, was a dinner guest of Mayme Smallwood Sunday.

Several from here attended the singing school held at Leslie the past two weeks.

Miss Lola Bess Todd went to Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Smallwood and family, of Clarendon, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Smallwood Sunday night.

Mr. Dexter Todd spent Saturday night with his brother Bill Todd who lives at Chamberlain.

Mr. Smith, attended business on the plains last week.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Merle Lemons, who has been sick the past two weeks is improving.

Miss Velma Lemons is visiting Mrs. Moore at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon of Memphis called in Brice Tuesday.

Mrs. W. E. Davis attended the Fat Stock show at Ft. Worth last week.

Mrs. Moore and little daughter of Memphis spent Tuesday in the Hope Lemons home.

Miss Frankye Smallwood spent Saturday night with her sister who lives at Chamberlain.

W. H. Stroud of Hedley had business in the county capital Wednesday.

In the 15 districts of Texas 120,482 were employed. By March 31 this must be reduced by the new order to 101,650, and to 84,650 by May 31st.

Clarendon Youth is Active At State University

Austin, Mar. 26—George Chamberlain of Clarendon, student in the University of Texas here, has been appointed to a committee in charge of organization participation in the Round-Up, annual spring home coming of University ex-student.

Chamberlain, a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity, is in charge of the inviting of alumni of several fraternities. These groups are mailing out letters to all their members urging them to come back to the campus for Round-Up.

Chamberlain is a candidate for the associate editorship of the Cactus, annual student publication at the University, and if elected, will have a great deal to do with this important University publication.

The 1936 Round-Up is the seventh annual such event, and is ex-

Alfred Wrong Either Way, Says One

One of Jimmie Allred's opposing candidates for the governorship takes the Governor to task for not calling a session of the Legislature to provide more money for old age pensions.

Before closing the free space article mailed us, he takes Gov. Jimmie to task for allowing the Legislature to waste money in called sessions. As we understand it, the Governor is wrong either way.

pected to attract thousands of University ex-students back to the University.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Kemp had business in Oklahoma Tuesday.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

W. Wallace Layton, minister. Hours of Worship—Sunday Bible Study (all ages) 10 a. m. Worship and Sermon—11 a. m. The Lord's supper—11:45 a. m. Young people's meeting—6:30 p. m.

Gospel preaching—7:30 p. m.

During the Week

Ladies Bible Class—(Wednesday)—2:45 p. m.

Prayer meeting—(Wednesday)—7:45 p. m.

Sermon Topics—March 29th

Morning—"The language of Ashdod."

Evening—"The church that needs no re-modeling."

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CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. W. E. Lawson, pastor. Preaching Sunday 11 a. m. Sunday School at 9:45.

Official opening of the Caddo Lake State park near Marshall on May 4 and 5 will be made the occasion of a Marshall Centennial year celebration.

A seven ton stone monument, erected a year ago on grounds of the Velasco coast guard station, marks the site of the Battle of Velasco, historic Texas event to be commemorated in Centennial ob-

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TEXAS FARMERS PRACTICE SOIL CONSERVATION

College Station—Terracing and erosion control demonstrations were conducted by county agricultural agents on 9,791 Texas farms involving 702,152 acres during 1935, according to figures compiled from county agents' annual reports by M. R. Bentley, Extension agricultural engineer. The work covered 191 counties.

An estimate of the total amount of work done by county agricultural agents, vocational teachers, farmers, and others in the State amounted to 1,178,642 acres on which terrace or contour lines were run during the past year. The work involved 19,040 farms in 202 counties. The nearest approach to this in previous years was in 1931

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Clippings Aid Study Auto Accidents

Centennial year will bring with it a greatly increased auto traffic, and consequently increased auto wrecks—preventable and otherwise. Schools in some parts of the state have already adopted a school safety program. Teachers of Donley county who adopt this course, are kindly requested to report their actions to the Leader. The program outlined is as follows:

First: Students must bring into class newspaper clippings of all automobile accidents.

Second: Class discussions will analyze the accident and decide the cause; whether through drunken driving, slippery streets, faulty mechanism, etc.

Third: Students then will decide what steps could have been or should have been taken to prevent the accident.

Fourth: Injuries resulting from the accident will be listed and the proper first aid or emergency treatment decided upon.

Fifth: The situation will then be analyzed to decide what laws and traffic regulations were involved and whether new ones are needed.

Sixth: A study will be made of local conditions, listing all hazards and deciding how such hazards can be overcome.

when 1,000,000 acres were reported. In 118 counties, county owned tractor and grader outfits terraced 165,656 acres. In 13 counties the commissioners' court has voted favorably on using a portion of the funds from auto license tag fees for terracing as proposed in Senate Bill No. 227. In 130 other counties, the county tractor-grader outfits are available for terracing at approximately the cost of operator's wages and gas and oil, or at a higher rate, when they are not being used for road work.

In addition to the terracing work done, 948,860 acres in northwest Texas were chiselled during 1935.

The estimated number of acres in pastures which have been terraced in Texas is 248,928. This is the first time that this figure has been asked for in annual reports of the county agricultural agents, and it includes the terracing of pastures done in all previous years, not in 1935 alone.

Farmers Busy Turning Dirt This Week

With the best season in the ground at this time of the year, and bright warm weather, farmers are in the fields early and late taking advantage of conditions.

Dozens of large tractors are to be seen. One farmer who uses mules, stated Wednesday that ninety percent of the farms would be tilled with tractors within five years. He wants to trade his mules in on a tractor right now, he says, because it is a cheaper and faster method.

Texans, celebrating 100 years of independence this year with the Centennial, may boast that the Lone Star State comprises one-twelfth of the area of the entire United States. Texas is larger by 83,000 square miles than France. Russia is the only European country with an area larger than Texas.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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122nd District of Texas
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DISTRICT ATTORNEY
JACK B. DEAHL
JOHN DEAVER (Re-election)

DISTRICT CLERK
WALKER LANE

COUNTY SUPT. SCHOOLS
G. W. KAVANAUGH
SLOAN BAKER (Re-election)

COUNTY JUDGE
S. W. LOWE (Re-election)

SHERIFF
GUY PIERCE (Re-election)
C. HUFFMAN

COUNTY CLERK
W. G. (BILL) WORD (Re-election)

ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
JOE BOWNDS (Re-election)

COUNTY TREASURER
MRS. CURTIS E. THOMPSON
LEON O. LEWIS

COUNTY ATTORNEY
R. Y. KING (Re-election)

Commissioner Precinct No. 1
J. H. HERMESMEYER (Re-election)

Commissioner Precinct 2
G. G. REEVES (Re-election)

Commissioner Precinct 4
G. W. BECK

CITY OF CLARENDON
(April Election)

CITY COMMISSIONER
T. M. (FLOP) PYLE
W. B. HAILE
H. C. BRUMLEY (Re-election)
TOM F. CONNALLY (Re-election)

Playground Ball Games Are Lively

Under the direction of J. W. Hazlewood, the Donley County Playground Ball Tournament went off in great style. Saturday was an ideal day for this event, and a large crowd of enthusiastic boosters for each team came from all over the county.

The tournament was played at the Junior High Building; and six diamonds were kept in full swing throughout the whole morning and it took four hours to play the entire tournament. Sixteen teams were entered in the contest, with Clarendon Jr. High coming out in first place for the boys division and Lelia Lake was the winner for the girls division. The Clarendon Team was the outstanding team in fielding, allowing their opponents six runs in three games and scoring a total of forty-three runs themselves. Johnny Grady of Clarendon Jr. High was the outstanding pitcher of the meet.

First Round—Girls
Clarendon beat Hedley High, Hedley Jr. High beat Windy Valley Lelia Lake beat Hudgins, and Martin drew a bye.
Second Round
Clarendon beat Hedley Jr. High, Lelia Lake beat Martin.
Final
Lelia Lake won from Clarendon

WANT ADS

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—3 piece used over stuffed Living Room Suite at a real bargain of only \$22.50. H. C. Kerbow & Sons. (4-c)
FOR SALE—Rope of all sizes. C. D. Shamburger Lumber Co. (44tfc)

PLATES
Per Plate \$7.50 and up
We are equipped to render the highest type Dental Services.

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Percheron stallion, aged 3 years, weight 1500, 16½ hands high, at public service for fee of \$8 on Calco farm 4 miles south and east of Ashtola, 4 miles south and west of Martin school, one mile south of Widow Smith farm. Howard Holland, Owner. W. J. Holland, Manager. (4-p)

FOR SALE—Two-row godevil and mowing machine. See W. C. Stewart. (7-c)

FOR SALE—Sudan seed free of Johnson grass seed. Three cents a pound from the grower. Frank Hardin, Phone 932-K, Clarendon. (3tfc)

FOR SALE—Black locust posts, many of them split, some round. All good size. See A. H. Baker. (4-p)

OK'D USED CARS
1934 L. W. Dual Chev. Truck \$385
1930 Plymouth Sedan \$200
1934 Ford Coupe \$400
1934 Chev. Master Sedan A-1 \$495
1927 Buick Coach \$50
1933 Chevrolet Coach \$375
1933 Chevrolet Coupe \$325
1930 Studebaker Sedan \$35
1934 Chevrolet Pick-Up \$390
1931 Chevrolet Coach \$195
1932 Chevrolet Coach A-1 \$285
1929 Chevrolet Coach \$80
1929 Chevrolet Coach \$70

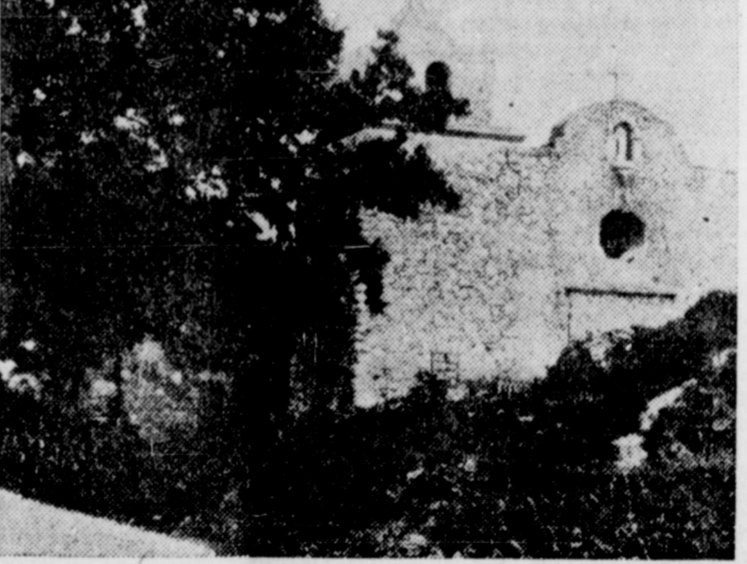
CLARENDON MOTOR CO.
FOR SALE—Single Row Listers, Cultivators, Godevils, Harness, and Bundle Feed. Stewart & Russell, at W.C. Stewart's place. (51tfc)

FOR SALE—Green or red barn or roof paint \$1.35 per gallon. C. D. Shamburger Lumber Co. (44tfc)

WANTED
WANTED—Good, clean cotton rags—white preferred. Hilliard's Service Station. (1tfc)
WANTED—To buy a second hand windmill, tower, steel casin and sucker rod and pipe at once. See L. O. Christie four miles west of Clarendon. (6-p)
WANTED—Any one interested in a small irrigated farm in the Medina valley to see I. B. Pierce at once. Located near San Antonio. Free trips. (2tfc)

STEADY WORK—GOOD PAY
RELIABLE MAN WANTED to call on farmers in Donley County. No experience or capital needed. Write today. McNESS Co., Dept. S, Freeport, Illinois. (4-p)

FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment Phone 9. (4-c)



HAVEN OF WORSHIP
Still serving as a place of worship after more than two centuries, the Mission La Bahia del Espiritu Santo is one of Texas' most historic shrines. In Goliad, where its crumbling walls rise beside a winding road, James W. Fannin and his gallant band of Texans committed their lives to the cause of Texas freedom.

27-18.
First Round—Boys
Lelia Lake beat Goldston, Hedley High beat Martin, Hedley Elementary beat Chamberlain, and Clarendon Jr. High beat the South Ward.
Second Round
Hedley High beat Lelia Lake, Clarendon Jr. High beat Windy Valley (bye in first round), Hedley beat Hedley Elementary.
Final
Clarendon Jr. High beat Hedley High 15-1.
The officials were: Director General, J. W. Hazlewood, Director of Boys, Raymond Wilson; Director of Girls, Hessie Holland.

The umpires of these games were taken from the Physical Education Class of the Junior College and they were: Alex Cooke, E. Watson, Hubert Reavis, D. W. Tomlinson, Westley Hastings, Lowell LaFon, Drew Wilkerson and Marvin Baker.

Mrs. Van Kennedy and children and her father, Mr. Cagle spent the week end visiting his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Anthony at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Estlack and small daughter, Margaret Rochell and Mrs. J. C. Estlack visited her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bebee at Amarillo Saturday.

R. M. Chunn and brother L. E. Chunn and family of Hedley visited their mother, Mrs. R. A. Chunn at Abilene over the week end, where she is living with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Perdue.

Courthouse Legiron Is 30 Years Old

While serving Donley county as sheriff back in 1906, J. T. Patman held a prisoner of ponderous size. This big boy had a craving for outdoors instead of the jail. Sheriff Patman was willing to oblige, especially since the trees needed 'digging around', but he did not propose to take any chances with the big fellow.

The Sheriff accordingly had the "legiron" made that may be seen at the courthouse east entrance any day. It served a good purpose, but has been used as a door prop for the past several years. A caretaker now looks after the courthouse grounds, and all prisoners are kept in jail as a precaution since customs have changed during the 30 years.

Joe Cannon has moved his family to Vernon.

Mother of Bill Rains Is Buried at Hedley

Aunt Dolly Rains, mother of Bill Rains, and a resident of Donley county for more than a half century, passed away at the Rains home northwest of Hedley Wednesday night, the 25th. The funeral was held at Hedley this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Evert Johnson are making their home at Goodland, Kansas where Everett is employed by a hatchery and chicken ranch.

Ivan Jones of Hedley won the 100 yard dash at the Southwest Invitation Track meet at Ft. Worth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mace and Mrs. Herron Mace of Dalhart, and Mrs. Wayne Loman and daughter of Amarillo, spent the week end in the J. R. Mace home at Lelia Lake.

Donley County Leader, \$1.50 a year

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- Single and 2 Row Cultivators
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- 2 Row Knife Planter
- Wagons.

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THE FARMERS' EXCHANGE

We Buy Your Cream and Sell for Less
BRING US YOUR EGGS—WE PAY CASH

1 lb. Bulk Coconut	19c
1 lb. Fancy Sliced Bacon	33c
1 lb. Fresh Sliced Bacon	23c
2 lbs. Saltine Crackers	29c
2 lbs. A-1 or Saxet Crackers	17c
1 quart Peanut Butter	23c
1 lb. Pecan Peanut Butter	23c
1 lb. Fresh Cheese	19c
FRESH 2 lbs. Peaches	25c
DRIED 2 lbs. Apricots	29c
FRUITS 2 lbs. Prunes	15c
1 gallon Pineapple	64c
1 gallon Pears	53c
1 gallon Apples	43c
1 gallon Apricots	55c
No. 2½ Peaches—1 can 17c	2 cans 33c
5 lb. pkg. Soap Flakes	39c
3 pkgs. Jello	22c
Fresh Pineapple, Cherry, Each	23c
Preserves Strawberry, Peaches, or	
16 oz. Blackberries	2 for 43c
48 lbs. Everlite Flour	\$1.89
24 lbs. Everlite Flour	\$1.05
48 lbs. Cream of The Plains	\$1.65
24 lbs. Cream of The Plains	93c
48 lbs. Gilt Edge Flour	\$1.49
24 lbs. Gilt Edge Flour	85c
20 lbs. Cream Meal	45c
10 lbs. Cream Meal	29c

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We have plenty room to park. Phone 53-J
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COMPLETE SETS OF
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For Coupons in all Sacks of
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Your radio will mean much to you in hearing the latest news several times a day. If it is not giving you full service call - - - -

EDWIN EANES
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Your Business Appreciated.

W. T. LACKEY, Proprietor

INTERESTING FACTS REGARDING TEXAS HISTORY IN AN EARLY EXCITING EPOCH

Gracious hospitality on the part of the Mexican people welcomed visitors from Texas less than two score years after the culmination of the Texas-Mexican war, and reports from Texans who found it expedient to remove their residence to the republic below the Rio Grande reveal the friendliness that existed between the two peoples.

In the Governor Oran M. Roberts papers, now in the University of Texas Library, are to be found letters from practically every prominent Texan of his day. Besides, these official and semi-official epistles, there are many letters of a more personal nature. One of these is from a personal friend of the Roberts family, a woman who found it necessary to tear up the roots of her domestic life in the State of Texas and to go with her husband to live in Mexico. From her enthusiasm for her new home, her keen interest in the Mexican people and her affection for the beauties of the picturesque scenery of Mexico, one can not doubt that she proved to be a valuable "ambassador of good will" from Texas to the country across the Rio Grande.

Her letter of June 29, 1882, to Governor Roberts was written from Saltillo, shortly after she and her husband, a surgeon who carried his practice to that Mexican city, had left their Texas home. It reads as follows:

"Dear Friend and Governor—
I was extremely sorry not to

have seen you before leaving Austin, made several attempts to do so, but you could never be found; however it is not too late for me to write and express my sincere thanks both for your book and for that excellent official letter to our excellent Governor here. It has been of great value to us in more ways than one, and the Governor has extended to us through it every kindness especially in the way of giving Dr. Bibb every possible facility in embarking on the practice of his profession here. Of his own free will and accord he had many notices published in all of his papers complimentary and commending him as physician and surgeon. We are both pleased with not only the climate of Saltillo, but all the people whom we have met. They appear to like Americans very much, and there is a great interest now in the study of the English language. The private secretary of the Governor is an exceedingly intellectual man, a hard student, has mastered three languages already; and now comes here every night to say his lesson in English, meantime assisting us greatly in the Spanish—Sr. Francisco Rios, his wife is my best friend here, a charming and bright little woman and my near neighbor. The scenery around Saltillo is beautiful indeed and Nature has certainly done remarkably well in every way for the place. There are two lovely parks; or rather one is called the Alameda where in the evenings you can see as handsome equipages as in the states driving around and around under the shade of immense forest trees—inside however, are nice seats and beautiful flowers, and always chatty bright children, with nurses walking. But the plaza near us is just as pretty, a fine fountain and every night it is thronged with people of every age, size and station. Three times a week a splendid military band plays and I tell you no band of any country could make finer music. The church which stands in front of the plaza was built in 1800—has elegant exterior decorations; the carving would certainly reflect credit upon these more enlightened and civilized times. The house in which we live was General Taylor's headquarters during the Mexican War—the ceilings are 30 ft. high, walls from two to four ft. thick and most beautifully frescoed in-

deed; so handsome is the frescoing that one can scarcely believe the house could have been built in 1823 and has never been retouched since. Just up this street 3-4 of a mile stands still the Buena Vista fort erected by Taylor's Army. I have not yet been there, nor to the fort but the latter is in sight. I find the people universally polite—in every little thing they are considerate of others. Drunkenness is a thing almost unknown. Since coming to the Republic have seen two men staggering from liquor, and they do not pass more than a square or so before being overhauled by a policeman and are made prisoners. There is no loud talking in the streets nor even calling aloud. If you wish to attract the attention of a friend—merely slap the hands together—once or twice—or an inaudible hiss is sufficient. The donkeys are the principal means of transportation; Large numbers—frequently as many as twenty and thirty—heavily laden with adobes or rock for buildings, or with provender for horses as the case may be—pass silently along, meekness in their faces and the man who directs merely says occasionally hiss! Even the large carts and stages with eight and ten mules go in the same way, no whooping in driving or passing here as in our country. If there is a heaven and animals of any kind are admitted surely the poor donkeys will have a pleasant corner appointed for their permanent abiding place. There is a wide spread evidence of industry, as in the fields in every vocation. In the city everybody is at work; from daylight until dark you can hear the saw and hammer—even the street vendors of dulces are selling and working steadily.

"It is something very remarkable to me that, having been steeped and dyed in Revolution for sixty years, having known no peace until the past six years—can reasonably say two generations have melted away amid war—and through all this, these Aztec descendants have retained a love for the beautiful in flowers, trees, in the arrangement of the interior courts of their houses &c &c. And these revolutions were in such rapid succession. One man in power one month or two, another dispute his claim, rally men and walk in over the other one.

"The Governor here seems to be very progressive, is endeavoring to inspire these far-behind people with some of the zeal and business thrift of the Americans. He is the first Governor this state has ever had who had any interest in public education. He gives his entire salary to the schools here and pays all the men in his service officially from his own private purse. But of course he has large means. We receive the Statesman &c see your name mentioned frequently. When you leave the gubernatorial chair Texas will sustain a loss difficult indeed to be repaired, for you have been Governor and no ring nor party whip has played any part in that business. I hope when you retire from the perplexities of public life you can bring Mrs. Roberts out here for awhile. The primitive customs of these people will certainly furnish much interest to all who are unaccustomed to them. For instance, the ploughs they use are those used by Cincinnati when called from it, to be dictator of Rome, 400 B. C., are of wood. It is remarkable how they make anything at all.

"I know you will say on opening this, now here is a letter from some woman asking a reprieve for her husband from the penitentiary or from hanging, and will toss it over without reading to your clerk with disgust not even looking at the name signed to the bottom. But if you do treat me this way and do not answer—my Aztec friends shall not receive you kindly when you come among them. Dr. Bibb is very busy now all the time, is doing well; and, well satisfied, he wishes me to say to you he feels indebted to you for much of it. It has been so cool ever since coming here have been compelled to wear light woolen clothing. There is an abundance of fruit which is now ripening & will be very cheap. This letter is intended for both yourself & Mrs. Roberts, and if you have not time to write ask her to do so. Dr. Bibb wishes to be remembered to you all. Accept my sincere regards for the family—or yourself & Mrs. R. especially.

"Your friend sincerely
Fannie C. Bibb."

The Texas state capitol at Austin, attraction for many Centennial year visitors, was built for the state in exchange for 3,000,000 acres of public land which were converted into the XIT ranch, at one time the largest ranch in the world.

New Agricultural Plan To Start Soon

Head Office Will be Located In Amarillo to Serve Panhandle Area

College Station, Texas, March 24.—The emergency wind erosion program being administered by Texas A&M College through the Extension Service is ready to go into immediate action as soon as funds are received from Washington, Director H. H. Williamson of the Extension Service has announced.

"A major part of the counties are organized in the Panhandle area and applications for treasurer's bonds are being received," he said.

He added that all application forms have been sent out to the counties and administrative machinery set up at College Station to handle the emergency wind erosion program with the least possible delay.

Director Williamson explained the program will be handled in the counties by county wind erosion committees elected by the county council. These committees will consist of three farmers, who will elect a chairman and a treasurer. The treasurer of such an organization need not be a member of the committee.

The county agricultural agent will act as secretary and be responsible for the educational phases of the work and generally supervise the program. The county agricultural agent will represent the director of the Texas Extension Service.

Other points of the emergency wind erosion program are: The county committee will appoint community committeemen, who must approve farmers' applications, and, after the work has been completed, certify before final payment is made that the work has been completed as specified by the county committee and agreed to by the applicant.

Checks for 60 percent of the total grant will be issued to each farmer upon approval of application, and the balance paid upon certification that the work has been completed.

Only solid listing or strip listing or chiseling can be approved by the county committee, and all work must be done on the contour. "This requirement has been made," the director explained, "in order to conserve all moisture and assure a vegetative covering that will prevent the occurrence of the same situation next spring."

K. J. Edwards, who has been appointed assistant district agent for soil conservation work for the Panhandle area, will assist in the wind erosion program. He will have his permanent headquarters at the Potter county agents' office in Amarillo.

All field work will be carried on by Parker D. Hanna, Extension district agent of the Panhandle area, and O. G. Tumlinson, Extension district agent of the South Plains area, through the county agricultural agents in each of the counties affected by the emergency wind erosion program.

Firms Most Liberal to Help Baby Beef Calf Cause

The week of the fat stock show is over and the boys are now getting ready to start the calves for another year and the second annual Donley county fat stock show. When the calves were led in to the ring to be sold at Amarillo several were bought by Clarendon supporters and also other firms who were interested in Donley county. Persons and Companies buying the Donley county calves at the Amarillo fat stock show were as follows:

- Stratford Cattle Co., Stratford, Texas.
- Boxwell Funeral Home, Amarillo
- Donley County State Bank.
- Piggly Wiggly, Pampa, Texas.
- First National Bank, Clarendon.
- Donley Co. State Bank, Clarendon.
- Capitol Hotel, Amarillo.
- C. R. Conner, Amarillo.
- Perry Powell, National Ins. Co., Amarillo.
- Amarillo Cotton Seed Oil Co.
- C. R. Conner, Claude.
- Piggly Wiggly, Amarillo.
- Wilkerson Bros., Amarillo.
- Fred Chamberlain & C. T. Mc Murtry, Clarendon.
- Carey Salt Co., by Castleberry Market, Clarendon.
- John Whatley, Groom.
- Swift Packing Co., Amarillo.
- American First National Bank, Amarillo.
- D. L. McDonald, Amarillo.
- Seymour Cotton Oil Co., Seymour, Texas.

Increased Advertising Hikes Sales of Conoco

Tangible evidence that the Continental Oil Company's heavy use of newspaper space in its marketing territory during 1935 was a sound advertising move is indicated in the figures of the Company's annual report for 1935 just issued.

These show that the Company increased the volume of its general business as well as its profits, and that it enjoyed a notable gain in the sales of its patented "germ-processed" motor oils. This product, which was especially stressed in the Company's advertising, had an increase in sales of over 14 percent, in comparison with the figures for the previous year.

Continental recently announced that it would again expend the larger part of its 1936 advertising appropriation for newspaper space.

Second West Texas College Building Accepted

Canyon, March 22.—The second building to be completed on the campus of the West Texas State Teachers College under PWA grant was accepted by a committee of the board of Regents of the State Teachers College of Texas today. This is a \$57,400 addition to Cousins Hall, dormitory for girls. It is PWA project number 9350Y.

The addition to Cousins Hall increases its capacity from 80 girls to 130 girls and also furnished the college a fine center for social activities.

While in Canyon today the board of regents committee also accepted the equipment and furniture for Stafford Hall which was PWA project number 8471. Stafford Hall has been occupied since February 1st. Cousins Hall will be ready for occupancy by the opening of the summer session, June 2nd.

THE FINAL CURTAIN

The world's a stage, they say,
We're actors, playing parts,
Tho' roles that we must play,
So often break our hearts.

One scene can be so bright,
So beautiful, so complete,
Where hearts are gay and light,
And life, indeed, is sweet.

Then one is filled with gloom,
With so much pain and grief,
Where gladness has no room,
And there is no relief.

Then cruel is an act,
So utterly unfair,
We oft bemoan the fact,
Such burdens we must bear.

We do the best we can,
In spite of what folks say,
The critic's God, not man,
All will be right some day.

Now, true, the show goes on,
Until the Master calls,
And then, Behold the Dawn!
And the final curtain falls.
—Madame Zaida.

Texas Remembers Tragic Massacre With Observance

Goliad, Texas, March 26.—The aged, stone walls of Mission La Bahia near here, from which 390 Texans, prisoners of war, were marched on Palm Sunday, March 27, 1836, to be massacred on the South Texas coastal plain, will be the background for one of the most impressive of the state's Centennial year observances.

Solemn ceremonies at the mission Friday, March 27, will commemorate the tragic event which decreed the independence Texas won less than a month later on the fields of San Jacinto.

The Goliad massacre came as Texas was waging its revolt against the tyranny of Santa Anna, the Mexican dictator. Colonel James Walker Fannin of Georgia was in command of the Texan force at Goliad when the order was received to evacuate the frontier post as Houston retreated from Gonzales to the east. The retreat from Goliad was started on March 19 but Fannin's force was engaged by the enemy at Colito. The battle lasted into the next day and ended with the surrender of the Fannin men as prisoners of war. They were returned to Goliad and imprisoned in the walls of the mission.

A few days later Colonel William Ward and a Georgia battalion, captured near Victoria, were added to the prisoner band.

At daylight on Palm Sunday, March 27, the Texans were roused from sleep and marched from the fort in three different companies, each guarded by a file of soldiers. They had been told they were going for wood, to drive up beaves, or to proceed to Copano and were entirely unprepared for the assault made on them when they were mowed down by fire from their captors' guns. Only a few men were saved or escaped.

Colonel Fannin, wounded at Colito, and other wounded men were killed in the fort.

The commemorative observance here will be opened Friday morning with a solemn pontifical field mass to be celebrated in the quadrangle of the mission. The service is planned by the Corpus Christi diocese of the Catholic church and there will be in attendance six bishops of the church, ten monsignori, and several hundred priests and nuns.

The mass in the morning will be followed that afternoon by a colorful parade of historical floats and military and school bands. Later in Goliad State park, talks will be made by Governor James V. Allred of Texas and other state officials. Markers at La Bahia and San Rosario missions will be unveiled as part of the ceremonies.

Goliad's observance of the Fannin massacre is one of the 175 events planned in all parts of the state this year in celebration of the Centennial of independence and progress.

Hundreds of persons will participate in the pageant, "Texas in the Making" which will be presented April 21 at Paris' Centennial year celebration.

The world famous King ranch, with headquarters at Kingsville, one of the Centennial Celebration cities, is larger than the State of Delaware. The Santa Gertrudis ranch house on the ranch is called the finest "farm house" in the world.

FOR HAIR AND SCALP JAPANESE OIL
Made in U. S. A.
The Antiseptic Scalp Medicine—Different from ordinary Hair Tonics—40c & 50c. FEEL IT WORK! An All-Druggist writes for FREE Booklet "The Truth About The Hair." National Remedy Co., New York

Don't Guess But Know

Whether the "Pain" Remedy You Use is SAFE?

Don't Entrust Your Own or Your Family's Well-Being to Unknown Preparations

THE person to ask whether the preparation you or your family are taking for the relief of headaches is SAFE to use regularly is your family doctor. Ask him particularly about GENUINE BAYER ASPIRIN.

He will tell you that before the discovery of Bayer Aspirin most "pain" remedies were advised against by physicians as bad for the stomach and, often, for the heart. Which is food for thought if you seek quick, safe relief.

Scientists rate Bayer Aspirin among the fastest methods yet discovered for the relief of headaches and the pains of rheumatism, neuritis and neuralgia. And the experience of millions of users has proved it safe for the average person to use regularly. In your own interest remember this.

You can get Genuine Bayer Aspirin at any drug store—simply by asking for it by its full name, BAYER ASPIRIN. Make it a point to do this—and see that you get what you want.

Bayer Aspirin

Rid Yourself of Kidney Poisons

DO you suffer burning, scanty or too frequent urination; backache, headache, dizziness, loss of energy, leg pains, swellings and puffiness under the eyes? Are you tired, nervous—feel all unstrung and don't know what is wrong?

Then give some thought to your kidneys. Be sure they function properly for functional kidney disorder permits excess waste to stay in the blood, and to poison and upset the whole system.

Use Doan's Pills. Doan's are for the kidneys only. They are recommended the world over. You can get the genuine, time-tested Doan's at any drug store.

DOAN'S PILLS



To Help You AVOID MANY COLDS

At the first nasal irritation or snuffle, apply Vicks Vapo-nol—just a few drops up each nostril. Used in time, it helps prevent many colds entirely.

VICKS VAPOR-NOL
REGULAR SIZE 30c . . . DOUBLE QUANTITY 50c



Cars in Perfect Tune

That's the phrase we hear again and again from our customers who've been out on a trial spin after we've worked on their repair jobs. And well we might hear it! For we're adequately equipped and expertly staffed to do any type of repair work for any make of automobile.

This week we have a Special on a complete motor tune-up for only \$1.00. Material extra.

Clarendon Motor Co.

Phone 62 Road service

STAR BLADES

—their keenness never varies



MADE SINCE 1880 by the inventors of the original safety razor, Star Blades have 56 years of precision experience stropped into their keen, long-lasting edges. If your dealer cannot supply you, mail 10c to Dept. AX-2, Star Blade Division, 88 Johnson Street, Brooklyn, New York. FIT GEM AND EVER-READY RAZORS

CAPITOL HOTEL STEAK HOUSE

The FAMOUS "Grand Champion" STEAKS SPECIAL
TENDERSTEAK Only 60¢



CAPITOL HOTEL AMARILLO Texas



A Toast TO THE "Grand Champion Tendersteak" Fireproof -200 Rooms \$2.00 UP with Bath

SUNNYVIEW
Pauline Riley

The Sunnyview school has purchased a new piano, which everyone seems very proud of. A large number attended the singing that was held at the school house Sunday night. There will be a singing next Sunday night and we will have our new song books, everyone is invited.

Several visitors from Clarendon were present Sunday night. We were very glad to have them.

We are expecting a large crowd to be here Friday night for the pie supper, the proceeds will be used for song books that are needed very badly now.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Moreland and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meaders of Midway Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Martin and children of Lelia Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellis.

Miss Irma Faye Moreland spent Saturday night with Lora Jean Meaders of Midway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Riley and children visited relatives in Magic City, Sunday.

Robbie Zoe Moreland spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Davis and children visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Davis of Clarendon, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cannon visited Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Riley Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lamberson who are living in Clarendon at this time, and Miss LaVern Lamberson visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waddle of Martin, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Weidman visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Sunday afternoon.

Sunnyview School Honor Roll
FIRST GRADE:

- Edna Lou Lamberson—98
Wendell Davis—98
Arlie Marie Anderson—90
Erma Lee Elliott—94
Eriette Cannon—92
J. M. Hall—90

SECOND GRADE:

- Colvern Davis—98
Jack Ballew—98
Earnestine White—97
Eloise Elliott—95
Lois Marie Williams—94
Robert Cannon—88

THIRD GRADE:

- Joe Smith—97
FOURTH GRADE:

- Billy Moreland—98
Lou Ella White—97
Rogers Hester—95
Jack Riley—92

FIFTH GRADE:

- Bobbie Harold Smith—96
Willie Nell Lamberson—92
Margaret White—86

SIXTH GRADE:

- Junior Davis—88
SEVENTH GRADE:

- Frank Cannon—95
Robbie Zoe Moreland—90
Louise Hall—90
Cymantha Hester—92
Ivon Ellis—93

EIGHTH GRADE:

- Pauline Riley—96

The memorial tower to be erected jointly by the national and state governments and the City of Houston to honor of the Texans who fought at the Battle of San Jacinto, April 21, 1836, will be higher than the Washington monument. It will cost approximately \$1,000,000.

NAYLOR
Mrs. Richmond Bowlin

Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor entertained Las Tres Mesas Club Friday night in their new home, the T. L. Naylor home. Games of "42" were enjoyed until a late hour after which a short business session was held.

Delicious refreshments carrying out the St. Patrick's day motif were served to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Naylor, Mrs. Waldron and Miss Vada Waldron, guests and to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Estlack, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Hall, Miss Ruby Hall, Floyd Naylor and host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tidrow, son J. D. and daughter Jo Laverne also Miss Gertrude Downing left Friday for Littlefield, the Tidrow's visiting Mrs. Tidrow's mother, Mrs. Carnes, Miss Downing visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Carnes and Mr. Carnes. The Tidrow's returned Monday, Miss Downing staying for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris of Shamrock visited Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Royce Hall and Mr. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Estlack and daughter Rochelle were business visitors in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Beach spent Friday night with R. E.'s mother, Mrs. Mattie Beach in Amarillo.

J. T. Johnson was painfully injured Monday morning near the school house when he was hit by a car driven by Harley Longan. Mr. Longan rendered aid.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blair were pleasantly surprised on Wednesday night, their many friends gave them a fine shower at the home of Mr. Blair's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wood. The newly weds received many nice and useful gifts. Mmes. M. L. Glenn and Ernest Wood served delicious refreshments.

Mrs. Jesse Hall is spending this week with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hefner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Bowlin.

Lloyd Hefner spent Sunday with Clarence Granger.

AT FIRST
METHODIST CHURCH

SERVICES AT
10:50 a. m. and 5:00 p. m.
SUNDAY

Sunday will be observed as Church School Day at the Methodist Church, as it will in all the Churches throughout Southern Methodism. At the regular morning worship service a program will be given by the various departments of the Church School portraying something of the work being done by the various groups.

The pastor will preach at the five o'clock service. The young people's choir and orchestra will lead in the music.

You will find a hearty welcome and a helpful service with us.
E. D. Landreth, pastor.

MIDWAY
(Mrs. John Goldston)

Miss Katie Meaders accompanied her brother Bill Meaders to Wellington Friday for an X-ray examination by Drs. there.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Williams attended the 50th wedding anniversary of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams near Goodnight Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Seaton and son, Oscar and Farris Seaton left Friday for Oklahoma for a few days visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Slayton Mahaffey of Ashtola spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Odie Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Millsap and son were dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Authur Seaton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goldston and children visited them in the evening.

The Midway pie supper netted the sum of \$38.68. We were delighted to have our old friends Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith of Goldston, Mr. and Mrs. Slayton Mahaffey of Ashtola and others friends visit us and we appreciate their liberal help. The good coffee donated by the Farmers Exchange was enjoyed. Thank you Farmers Exchange, we'll be seeing you.

Rev. Brister preached at Midway Sunday, though the sand was raging there were a number present.

Mrs. Waldron and Miss Vada spent the week end with Mrs. John Goldston.

W. K. Davis received word Tuesday morning of the death of his brother in Oklahoma. Mr. Davis left immediately.

Frank S. Peterson, district supervisor of the tax survey work in the Panhandle, was in town on official business Tuesday.

Mrs. Eugene Cluck of Gruver visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Hall.

Large crowd attended Sunday school and services Sunday. Bro. Brister was with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kaizer and little daughter of McLean spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Granger. Mr. Kaizer is a brother of Mrs. Granger.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bowlin of Carizozo, N. Mex. spent Monday with R. W.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rich Bowlin, also with Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Bowlin, the day spent in Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Bowlin's home.

Mrs. T. E. Naylor and two sons of Hedley spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bain.

THE GREAT
CONTROVERSY

W. Wallace Layton, Minister
Identity of the N. T. Church
Article XII

Martin was foremost as a "successful" reformer, for in his withdrawal from the Catholic church he uncovered the Bible from the debris of creeds and gave it to the common people.

Luther was born of German parents, and was piously dedicated to the monastery of the catholic church, where upon reaching maturity he featured preeminately the Catholic doctrines. Being a priest he had an opportunity to the Bible as no ordinary member of the church could. Luther was convinced that some of the doctrines observed by the Catholic church were not in harmony with the Bible, and he sought to correct these. He also translated the Bible into the German language. But all that he did was opposed and disapproved and condemned by the pope; and in 1520 Martin Luther was excommunicated. He had a following and he continued his work; consequently a new religious cult was brot into existence. It is known today as the Lutheran Church. Excepting the Roman Catholic church, it is the oldest of our present day "denominations" — dating from 1521. In the year 1530 the "Augsburg confession of faith", the ritual of the Lutheran church, was drafted and adopted. One of the cardinal doctrines of Luther was that of salvation by "faith alone" as opposed to the elaborate system of works featured in the Catholic church. So bitterly was he opposed to the Catholic church that he committed the awful sin of changing Gods word in his translation. Where James says (Jms. 2:24) "We are not justified by "faith only"; Luther said "we are justified by faith only."

Luther is the father of the Lutheran church—not God nor Christ) and is the originator of the doctrine of "faith alone"; however many other denominations have incorporated the doctrine into their creeds.

Next week we shall notice the work of John Calvin, another great reformer.

AT THE FIRST
BAPTIST CHURCH

J. Perry King, Pastor
There is Always Worship
Fellowship :: Service

When the outlook is bad one of the finest things that anybody can do is try the uplook. Babson has said that the way out is up. President Roosevelt said, "I doubt if there is any problem, social, political, or economic, but that would melt away before the fire of a spiritual awakening." God has said "If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land. The most expensive pursuit for any people is a forsaking of the supreme power and trying to solve their problems within themselves. Follow the leadership of the Holy Spirit into the services of your church next Lord's Day and be endued with power for the tasks of the week that is to follow.

We are happy to announce that two of our fine preacher boys from The First Baptist Church will occupy the pulpit morning and evening next Sunday. Carroll Holtzclaw will preach at the eleven o'clock hour and S. L. Tidwell at the evening service.

The time for the services is 6:45 for the Training Service, and 7:45 for the evening preaching service.

GOLDSTON
Dorothy Dill

Sunday School was attended Sunday by thirty-seven members and six visitors.

Brother Brister of Clarendon will preach at the school house next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Scaff visited Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. George Barrow of McLean.

Mrs. Les Wallace and children spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. Duckett at Chamberlain.

Mrs. Clifton Smith returned home from Dalhart where she has been visiting for some time with her sister.

Margie Lucille was the name given to the little girl, who arrived Thursday of last week to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Vodie Clemmons of LeFors visited Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clemmons.

Miss Margaret Milan spent the week-end with her parents at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith attended the pie supper at Midway Friday night.

Miss Elgin Risley was a guest of Cora Lee Jordan of Clarendon over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dill entertained their Sunday School Class Saturday night. Pie and coffee was served to those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart.

Mrs. Robert McNeely of White Deer attended Sunday School here Sunday.

Junior and Aubrey Spier spent Saturday night at Chamberlain with their sister Mrs. Ray Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Spier visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Parker.

Several from here attended the play "The Black Ace" which was given at the College auditorium at Clarendon Friday night.

Mrs. N. D. Hudson is a visitor in this community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lack of Groom visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Harris.

Visitors to Texas during the 1936 Centennial celebrations will be exempt for a period of 90 days from the state's new laws, providing that motor car drivers must be licensed.

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Worst Duster of New Year Strikes Here Monday

Many were reminded of last year's experiences when the wind changed from the southwest to the northwest early Monday. The sandstorm was changed to a dust storm with the veering of the wind, bringing the first 'duster' of the new year.

The public school was dismissed after the first period after noon. The same rule was followed at Pampa permitting the children to return to their homes before visibility became poor and auto hazards more dangerous.

The high wind was said to be due to a snow storm in the central states, reaching as far south as the south line of Colorado. Traffic on the highways entering Amarillo almost stopped due to the dangers of collisions during the darkness.

Former Livery Stable Man Here Dies in Amarillo

Hearing a gun shot in the kitchen about 10:30 Tuesday morning, Mrs. Josephine Young residing at 1208 Buchanan Street, Amarillo investigated and found her husband, Charles L. Young, aged 79, dead.

The body was in a chair with a portion of the head blown off by the shotgun charge. Beside him was a 12-gauge shotgun. The coroner's verdict was suicide.

Back around 1902 to 1904 Mr. Young conducted a livery stable in Clarendon across the street from where the Clarendon Grain company is now located.

Surviving are his widow and four sons. They are T. W. Young, Rock Island engineer of Amarillo; Chas. J. of Amarillo; Walter of Adrian and W. E. of Landers, Wyoming.

GOLIAD MARTYR



Colonel James Walker Fannin, leader of the Texas revolutionary force at Goliad 100 years ago, shared the martyrdom of 390 followers who were massacred by the enemy near historic Mission La Bahia on Palm Sunday, March 27, 1836. The mission, from which the men were marched as prisoners of war to be slain in nearby fields, will be the scene Friday, March 27, of a commemorative observance which will be one of the outstanding events of the Texas Centennial year.

HONOR ROLL

The following new and renewal subscriptions were placed on the Leader's mailing galleys the past week:

- J. K. Morton
- Lelia Lake Blacksmith Shop
- John S. Morgan
- W. E. Davis
- S. J. May
- H. F. Russell
- F. L. Goldston
- C. W. Galloway
- H. W. Lovell
- J. A. Tollett
- J. W. Adamson
- L. R. Bowlin
- Chas. Corder
- Mrs. U. G. Koontz
- Miss Annie Bourland
- W. O. Hommel
- H. R. Kerbow
- C. B. Morris
- Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton
- D. E. Stevenson
- Cal Merchant
- Carl Parsons
- R. L. Brazille
- Mrs. T. E. Naylor
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- Farmers Exchange
- Dr. A. W. Hicks
- Mrs. L. E. Holloway
- C. K. Killough
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- D. W. Hinkle
- A. T. Russell
- Mrs. T. Jones
- A. F. Lake
- H. DeBord
- J. M. Thompson
- H. F. Miles
- C. W. Bennett
- Parkers Variety Store
- M. S. Parsons
- Dr. J. W. Evans
- Geo. B. Bagby
- Mrs. A. T. Cole
- Walter Clifford
- Homer Mulkey
- J. C. Drennan
- Rev. E. F. Robinson

4. To furnish Tax Collectors with all the information necessary to aid in the speedy and economical collection of Taxes;

5. To give the State Legislature information to guide in the passage of corrective tax laws in the future:

The work has been outlined for a 12 months period and funds totalling \$2,644,000.00 have been appropriated by the WPA to give employment to 4,185 "White collar" workers.

Mr. Anderson has stated that when the Tax Survey is completed "Eighty percent of the people of Texas will pay 10 to 20 per cent less taxes and 10 to 15 per cent will pay taxes in the future that never have paid before."

All the officers of the County are enthusiastically cooperating in this work which should be of great immediate benefit to the tax payers of Donley County. The information gathered will be available as public Record and be of invaluable assistance not only to County Officials but to School Districts and the Tax Authorities of the Cities and Towns of the County.

Rev. Ferrell is Appointed County Parole Chairman

In appointing a parole board for Winkler county, Gov. Allred selected Rev. W. E. Ferrell as a member of the Board. Rev. Ferrell was selected as chairman by the committee.

The minister was pastor of the local Christian church for a number of years, but is now pastor of the First Christian church at Wink.

WPA Worker Force Reduced Over the State

Three men were dropped from the rolls of the local tax survey work here the past week according to county supervisor A. H. Baker.

The reduction orders come from the district office at Amarillo where the names are selected from a list best able to find employment otherwise.

Donley County Folks Like Irrigated Valley

Tracts purchased by local people averaged approximately 18 acres, some tracts contain as little as five acres, others thirty.

Those buying land are Miss Carrie Davis, Mrs. Victor L. Smith, W. D. Bryson, Geo. Jones, Ollie Hommel, Price Morris, Chas. Lowery, O. L. Williams, Dick Cannon and Guy Pierce.

The land is located in Medina valley about 28 miles from San Antonio, and is susceptible to irrigation from water impounded in a large lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Killough and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Estlack were in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Borron of Groom were here Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. C. M. Lane.

Public May Park On City Block

Announcement is made by F. L. Goldston, city marshal, that the city has no objections to anyone parking on the old grammar school block at the south end of Kearney street.

This block is owned by the city and is a convenient parking place for those who wish to remain several hours.

Other parking places now used are behind the postoffice and near the depot. Some of our business men are suggesting that cars owned by those in business on the main streets, be parked farther back on the side streets on Saturday that purchasers may find more convenient parking places nearer the stores where the goods are purchased.

Rehall Store Installs Ice Cream Machine

Capable of making three gallons of ice cream every five minutes is not the big feature of the electric ice cream machine installed recently at the Rehall store. The product is better and smoother than of the ordinary grade.

The machine, weight 1920 pounds, is also a storage under refrigeration as well as a miniature factory. The sanitary features will appeal to the purchaser as well as the quality of the product.

Doss Palmer and Meredith Gentry are in Oklahoma City on a matter of business.

J. O. and J. W. Adamson of Hedley were in town today transacting business.

Oklahoma Relatives Visit In Morris Home Here

From the Rush Springs, Oklahoma country where sandstorms are handed the public in broken doses, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Morris did not encounter the sandstorm of the week end until near Childress Saturday afternoon.

They are the parents of Verde Morris, and Mrs. Morris is a sister of Homer Mulkey. Two sisters of Mr. Morris with the parents were Mrs. Horace Wood of Marlow and Miss Mildred Morris of Rush Springs. They spent the week end with relatives here returning home late Sunday.

License Rush is Scheduled For Last Minute

Judging from the number of registrations up to noon today, the tax collector's office is expecting a last minute rush before midnight March 31st.

Only 593 autos have been tagged. Sixty-ne far mand commercial trucks have been tagged with the new Centennial year tags.

Approximately 3,000 driver's license had been issued, Mr. Bownds stated today. Sheriff Pierce says the driver's law is to be rigidly enforced all over the state, according to instructions received by him. Every driver of a car must carry along a driver's license at all times. To fail to do so, entails a fine of one to one hundred dollars.

Marrying Justice is Again Disturbed at Night

"It was getting along after 10 p. m. Saturday night," Judge Davis said, "when I was called from peaceful slumbers to tie the knot for a Dumas couple.

The contracting parties were Miss Thelma Ray and Ansley Fox, both said to reside in Dumas, up in Moore county.

Judge Davis claims the title for matrimonial contracts of any J. P. in the Panhandle for any town the size of Clarendon.

Judge Davis does not confine his efforts to one section. He is broad-minded for on Friday he united in marriage Miss Johnnie Griffin and Marvin Bartlett of Hall county, sending them on their way happy.

Rhode Island Red Hen Opens Egg Season Monday

Making her 'daboo' in hen society Monday by laying an extra large egg again starts the season for egg publicity. In fact big egg events is an annual affair in the Leader columns.

This egg came from a hen owned by "Shorty" Oller, and measures 7½ inches over the ends, and exactly 6 inches around. Some egg! As stated above, this will likely start something. Who will be next?

Bids Asked for Completing Highway 5 Hedley East

Bids for placing the topping on that stretch of Highway 5 from Hedley to the Hall county line will be opened in Austin April 8th.

Completion of all of Highway 5 across Potter, Armstrong and Donley counties is being rushed that it may be in readiness for the Centennial traffic that is expected about June 6th when the Centennial opens in Dallas.

The above with one exception, all reside in the Clarendon trade territory. Watch for change of date figures on your paper. If an error occurs, please let us know promptly. In changing several hundred names each month, an error will naturally creep in somewhere at times.

Fifty-six loyal supporters of the Leader. Certainly that is encouragement to those who produce the Leader, in which our loyal rural correspondents play an important part.

PURPOSE OF TAX SURVEY OUTLINED

Search of County Records Included in Work Of Local Citizens

(By A. H. Baker)

A thorough survey of tax records and all lands of Texas which will eventually result in collection of thousands of dollars from property values now escaping taxation is being carried on at the Court House for Donley County, under the Supervision of A. H. Baker as County Project Superintendent, by the following citizens: Geo. S. Blackman Sr., Floyd M. Griffin, Hubert C. Heatherly, Vester L. Keffer, Oleta Chenault, Maude Crawford, Rural Taylor, James A. Warren, John Hale, Walter Wilkinson, and Lelia Brown.

The work consists of a survey of the County Tax Records, Abstract Records and all other records pertaining to the lands of the county.

In addition there will be an actual physical survey of the lands themselves to gather full information as to improvements. Acreage in cultivation, classification of land as to productivity. When the survey is completed there will be available for County records a complete picture of every acre of land on any subdivision of land of the entire County.

Similar survey is underway or planned for every County of Texas as part of a State Wide Works Progress Administration Project sponsored by the State Tax Board under the supervision of R. B. Anderson, The State Tax Commissioner, for the purpose of:

1. Securing the rendations of "every" acre of land for taxation at a fair and equalized value.
2. To eliminate duplicate or double assessments of taxes:
3. To provide County Commissioners with all information to equalize the values in the County:

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No. 1	55c
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COFFEE, Del Monte—2 lbs.	56c
COFFEE—1 lb. Del Monte	31c
LETTUCE—Large Heads	5c
BANANAS—Large Fruit—Doz.	20c
SOAP	25c
LAUNDRY—P&G, Big Ben, Crystal White—6 Bars	