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A Common Paper For Common People

Donley County Museum Welcomes You Sunday

Beginning With Nothing a Year Ago, Collection of Articles Number Some Two Thousand Today. Larger Quarters Is Being Prepared

Sponsored by the Les Beaux Arts club, the Donley County Museum had its beginning in March of 1936, little over a year ago. Endowed with enthusiasm and energy on the part of a few ladies who constituted the Board of Directors, the institution has steadily grown. The present quarters have become crowded. Larger quarters are being made ready in the dormitory building. The arrangement will make an ideal room for the ever growing demands of the second largest museum in northwest Texas.

The members of the Board are Mrs. L. S. Bagby, J. D. Stocking, J. W. Evans, W. W. Taylor, J. H. Morris, Miss Mary Howren.

Sunday from 3 to 6 will be an "open house" event for the convenience of the general public. The Museum is open every Monday from 3 to 5. No admission has ever been charged, and will not be because the Museum belongs to and is a part of all of Donley county.

In the collection of approximately two thousand articles, may be found items of interest from the prehistoric to the present day. Take for instance the Civil War period. Here you have saddles, swords, utensils, bullet moulds, powder flasks, etc. used, not to mention books and diaries of that period.

Many articles were in use from one to two hundred years ago. Some of the specimens will take you back to childhood. The ladies will see in the dresses of fifty years ago, reminders of a day of stirring events.

Both students and adults find plenty of interest in the Donley County Museum. The hours will be from 3 to 6 Sunday afternoon, May 2nd. Bring the whole family. The Board issues a cordial welcome to the general public. In the meantime, if you have a relic or heirloom that you will give or lend to the exhibit, bring it with you.

Hospital Patients Show Improvement This Morning

Reports from the Adair Hospital this morning gave conditions of all patients improved.

Mrs. Jack Molesworth, fire victim three months ago, is greatly improved and expects to return to her home shortly.

Mrs. Cecil Killough who entered the hospital Sunday, is reported better.

Mrs. W. W. Taylor, seriously ill with pneumonia this week is also showing improvement.

Mrs. Bart Russell, who underwent an operation recently, is convalescing nicely.

Houston Russell, wreck victim yesterday, showed slight improvement and had partially regained consciousness.

Holman Williams, the small boy who entered the hospital 6 weeks ago, is ready to go home.

DONLEY SINGERS TO MEET SUNDAY

All Day Session to Be Held At Sunnyview School

The Donley County Singing Convention will meet at the Sunnyview school five miles east of Clarendon next Sunday, May 2nd. The program will begin at 10 a. m.

Singers from a distance have signified their intention to be present, many of them skilled vocalists who have attended in times past.

Those who enjoy good singing attend these meetings in large numbers. Donley county is fortunate in having some of the best talent in this respect.

The public is cordially invited. Since the sessions are to continue throughout the day, those who can, are asked to bring well-filled baskets for the noon lunch.

RA LOANS DONLEY FARMERS \$23,169

Better Living Conditions Are Made Possible By Federal Aid

Donley County farmers have received \$23,169.18 in Resettlement Administration loans from January 1 to April 15 inclusive, R. C. Land, county supervisor, said this week.

Land said the loans were made to "deserving" farmers to enable them to purchase seed, feed, gas, oil, livestock and necessary equipment.

A few of the loans, he said, were made to include necessary repairs of a minor nature to buildings.

Another important phase of the RA's broad-gauged credit program designed to rehabilitate drought-stricken farmers, is the loan policy which makes it possible for the farm women to improve their conditions in the home and provide an adequate diet for their families.

Different phases of the program will gladly be explained, at the RA office at the city hall, he added.

City To Haul Rubbish Free During Clean-Up Week May 10 to 16th.

With Clean-up week set for May 10-16, a truck will haul rubbish free during that time, city commissioner T. M. Pyle said yesterday.

The truck will not pick up inflammable refuse, Mr. Pyle said and asked that every one wishing to take advantage of the offer place their rubbish in the alley Monday morning May 10.

Pyle said also the truck would not pick up cow lot cleanings, and the men would not go inside yards or lots.

The commissioner also asked that no one phone the city hall as all streets and alleys would be visited during the week.

To insure free hauling, Pyle said it is essential to place the rubbish in the alley not later than May 10. The truck will not go over the route but once, he added.

Regular Monthly Meeting Of American Legion To Be Held In Shamrock

The monthly meeting of the 18th district of the American Legion will be held in Shamrock at the Legion Hut tonight.

Principal speakers for the evening will be C. A. Cryer, McLean, Mrs. Van Stewart, chairman of the child welfare committee and Mrs. Mary Clay, Wellington, auxiliary president.

The entertainment will consist of band numbers, a male quartet, tap dance numbers, readings and dancing for the entire group.

Goodnight Revival Closes Sunday Night

Rev. C. B. Stovall of Goodnight closed one of the most successful revivals for that section in many years, at the First Baptist Church Sunday night, it was reported.

Rev. Stovall reported that during the one week of the meetings, from 75 to 125 attended daily. There were 18 conversions, 17 additions, many re-dedicated, and two youths surrendered to preach, Rev. Stovall said.

The two young men, Claude Stovall Jr. and Ashton Bailey, will enter Wayland College or Hardin-Simmons University this Summer. Miss Inez Blankenship directed the music and Mrs. Nell Park was the pianist.

GOLDSTON SCHOOL TO PRESENT PLAY

Closing Exercises Includes Three Act Play With Ten In Home Talent Cast

Constant rehearsals are going forward in preparation for the presentation of "Up the Hill to Paradise," a play that will be presented at the Goldston school Wednesday night, May 5th.

The play, shown in three acts, contains a bit of comedy all the way through, but just enough to arouse interest. The real theme of the play has an impressive moral in a young man's battles to overcome evil and make good despite all obstacles.

The cast has ten characters including both pupils and teachers. It is a last effort to raise a small debt being carried by the school for athletics, hence a very small admission charge will be made.

The final closing exercises of the school will be held the following night, Thursday, May 6th.

Over 300 Here For Church Convention

Delegates Are Chosen For Northwest Texas Meet

Over 300 Methodist pastors, officials and church members closed the 2-day district conference convention here yesterday afternoon with the election of lay delegates to the annual Northwest Texas conference convention, in Quanah, in November, and choosing McLean as the next convention city.

Delegates chosen were John Forbis, Wellington, J. R. Porter, and Sam Braswell, Clarendon; J. B. Hill, T. E. Trostle and Mrs. W. Purviance, Shamrock; T. M. Britt and Mrs. J. M. Porter, Wheeler and R. B. Fisher, Pampa.

Out of town delegates were guests in local homes where they were served breakfast. Tuesday's noon meal was served chuck wagon style on the church lawn with dinner yesterday served in the basement of the church.

Meals were under the direction of the ladies of the church.

Man Near Death After Bad Auto-Bus Collision

Houston Russell, 26, of the Chamberlain community, is in a critical condition in the Adair Hospital today following a collision with the Memphis-Clarendon College school bus on Highway 5 near the Clarendon gin about 2:30 yesterday afternoon.

Russell received a brain concussion and a broken collar bone. Neither vehicle overturned and none of the 18 passengers on the bus were injured.

The car driven by Russell entered the intersection from the south and was sideswiped by the bus which was going east.

The impact of the collision spun the light car completely around and it came to rest over the curb. Russell was thrown clear and was lying a few feet behind the car. The rear door of the car was hurled about 60 feet.

After the collision the bus cut diagonal across the pavement, climbed the curb and halted about 30 yards from the highway.

The light car was badly damaged and appeared to have been struck near the left rear wheel. The front of the bus was slightly damaged.

Deputy Sheriff Guy Wright and Bill Gaither were at a filling station about a block away and heard the impact. They were the first to the scene and rushed Russell to the hospital.

Russell Crone, driver of the bus, said he saw the car just as it came on the pavement. He applied his breaks and turned to the left in an attempt to avoid the crash. Tire marks on the pavement indicated the collision occurred about the middle of the road. Other marks pointed out that Crone had applied his brakes for about 40 feet.

Crone also said the jar of the crash threw him from his seat and he lost control of the bus until he stopped it near the gin.

Russell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bart Russell who are on the Chamberlain farm south of Clarendon. Mrs. Russell is in the hospital at this time.

Cattle Are Shipped

Thirteen cars of cattle were shipped from here recently consigned to the Sherman Ranch at Crawford, Kansas.

Several ranchmen of this section made up the train load. Shippers included Forest Sawyer, Bus Bell, Bairfield Brothers, Silas Hopkins, Ed House and Allan Jeffries.

Pastor Church of Christ Visiting In Abilene

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Layton and babe left here Monday to be gone for most of the week, or until Friday.

He will preach at Abilene and Ranger while away.

Mothers-Daughters Banquet Is Tonight

Program Will Begin at 7:30 At First Christian Church

Mothers and Daughters of Donley County will gather at the First Christian Church here tonight at 7:30 for the annual banquet. Arrangements are being made to accommodate a record crowd, of officials announced.

The ladies of the First Christian Church will prepare the dinner.

Mrs. J. Perry King will deliver the invocation and Mrs. Elba Ballew the main address.

A pageant, "The Melting Pot of The World" will be presented. Mrs. Sam Braswell, Mrs. J. L. McMurry, Miss Anna Moores and Mrs. C. T. McMurry are on the committee.

Miss Jo Ella Stewart is president and will act as toastmistress. Mrs. J. W. Evans, Mrs. Sam Cauthen and Mrs. Joe Goldston will decorate the church for the pageant.

Music arrangements will be in charge of Mrs. Allen Bryan.

In charge of tickets are Miss Dorothy Dale Powell, Mrs. Seldon Bagby, Mrs. Ernest Hunt and Miss Mantie Graves.

Tickets are 55 cents.

Visit Medina Valley Farms This Week

Charles Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon, and W. O. Hommel visited their farm property in the Medina Valley this week. J. W. Ragsdale also made the trip.

The party left Sunday and returned last night. They also visited in San Antonio.

Golfers Plan to Visit Memphis Club Sunday

After postponing the scheduled date with the Memphis Country Club last week the Hillcroft golfers plan to visit the Hill County seat Sunday.

With pretty weather prevailing for the past few days, local linksmen are breaking out their clubs for the summer and about 15 players are expected to make the trip.

Former Clarendon Girl Is Given Phd at University Of Manila

Mrs. T. W. Hardisty, formerly Miss Gertrude Wiedman of this city, received a Phd at the University of Philippines in Manila in the spring graduation, April 1st.

Mrs. Hardisty is the wife of a naval officer who gave her a six weeks vacation trip to China and Japan for a graduation gift.

Erection New Bank Building To Displace Old Landmark

Erosion Program At College Tuesday

Lecture And Film To Show Cost And Prevention

Stressing the cost of erosion and methods of prevention, D. A. Dobkins and R. W. McGinnis, regional information directors of the soil conservation service, will give a program at the College Auditorium here Tuesday night at 8:15.

In connection with the talk by McGinnis, Mr. Dobkins will present a series of pictures pertaining to the subject.

As the program will be of special interest to both farmers and ranchers various phases of the 1937 government program are to be shown and discussed in detail.

The pictures are of soil conservation work now being carried on in the Panhandle.

The pictures will be presented at the Lions Club Luncheon and at the College Auditorium.

Members of the Vocational Agriculture classes are required to attend, and all business men or women, farmers, ranchers, or others interested in soil conservation are invited to attend the program.

Thompson Chosen C of C Director For WTC of C Convention In May

L. E. Thompson was chosen by the local Chamber of Commerce to succeed Ovis Caraway as a director in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce from the local organization at the director's meeting, Thursday, April 22nd.

Mr. Thompson and two or three other delegates, to be selected at a later date, will represent Clarendon at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention to be held in Brownwood, May 10, 11, and 12th.

No sponsor will be sent from Clarendon to the convention this year because of the great distance and the expense connected with the project.

Baptist Pastor Will Preach At Big Springs Sunday

Announcement is made that Rev. F. N. Allen, pastor of the Baptist church at Turkey will fill the pulpit at the First Baptist church here next Sunday at both morning and evening hours.

Rev. J. Perry King will conduct the services of the First Baptist church in Big Springs next Sunday. He will be visiting his sister there at the time, and has complied with a request to fill the pulpit that day.

CAR REGISTRATIONS

Hommel Bros, '36 Oldsmobile sedan. Elmer Palmer, '37 Ford Tudor.

Early Morning Fire Causes Big Damage Wednesday

Property loss, expected to run into thousands of dollars, resulted from fire in the Douglas & Goldston building here early Wednesday morning, that damaged the drug and jewelry departments, offices above and Bryan Clothing store, adjoining.

General belief is that the flame was caused by defective wiring between the ceiling and floor.

The fire was discovered by Jack Hayes, about 6 o'clock, who was bringing the morning papers from the station. Firemen fought the blaze for about two hours.

Clyde J. Douglas was the first in the building. He said a strip of the metal ceiling about six feet wide and running the width of the store was red hot. The strip collapsed soon after he entered, he said, and furniture and equipment

Of the Sixteen Original Stockholders, W. H. Patrick Alone Survives. Eight Patrons of Those of 1889 Continue Their Business With This Bank

Donley County Leads With Citrus Fruit Quality

Mrs. A. L. Chase harvested here perennial lemon crop this week and although the gathering lasted only seconds, probably a record was attained as to weight and size.

The bumper yield consisted of only one fruit yet the lemon measured about 15 1/2 inches over end and 13 1/2 in circumference, weighing exactly one pound.

Mrs. Chase has the tree in a hot house at her home. It is about two feet high and produces one lemon yearly.

The fruit is on display at the Douglas and Goldston Drug Co.

HEDLEY CITIZEN 88 YEARS OF AGE

Descendant of Pocahontas Among First Pioneers Of Donley County

Close personal friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richmond P. Bowlin at Hedley Sunday to help Mr. Bowlin celebrate the passing of his 88th milestone in life, more than half of which has been spent in this section.

A baked ham again was a pleasant feature of the feast. An angel food cake in four layers bearing 88 tiny candles was a fitting climax to table decorations. Many gifts were presented the honored citizen in tokens of affection for one of our leading citizens.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pickering and son Lesley, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Quattlebaum, and Will Chamberlain, all of the Naylor community.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bain, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Whitfield and children and J. S. Perrine of Hedley, and Mrs. J. D. Stocking of Clarendon.

Each guest was presented a photo of the honoree as he looks today.

Lion Club Delegates to Attend Convention at Big Springs Next Week

Delegates from the local Lions Club will leave for Big Springs Sunday to attend the District 2-T convention which begins Sunday May 2 and continues through Tuesday, May 4.

They are P. B. Gentry, D. O. Stallings, Dr. A. W. Hicks, Sam Braswell, Homer Mulkey, J. R. Bain and O. C. Watson.

A contract for the rebuilding of the First National Bank of this city was signed Monday and actual construction will begin at once according to O. W. Latson, building contractor. Completion is expected within ninety days.

A one-story structure of brick, tile and stucco will replace the old two-story building erected in 1889. The bank will be furnished with marble fixtures, a tile floor and other conveniences of modern banking, according to W. H. Patrick, president.

The First National Bank is the outgrowth of the pioneer Bank of Clarendon, said to be the second banking institution chartered in the Panhandle.

The passing of the old landmark which once afforded a board walk, a high wooden awning and a facade supported by Corinthian Columns brings to memory an interesting bit of pioneer history linked with familiar names and frontier firms.

W. H. Patrick who has been actively connected with the bank for more than 40 years said:

"The old Bank of Clarendon was organized November 1st 1889. Stock certificate Number 1 was issued to C. Goodnight and was signed by himself as president of the institution. W. H. Cooke, first cashier signed the document also. Goodnight and Cooke remained as executive officers in the bank until '93 when the late H. W. Taylor became president and D. W. Van Horn succeeded as cashier.

"When Mr. Van Horn was chosen president January 1896, I became cashier," continued Mr. Patrick, "and the two of us operated the bank until 1900 when J. B. Pope, a pioneer cowman was made president.

"In June 1900 the old Bank of Clarendon was converted into the First National Bank," Mr. Patrick stated, "and H. W. Taylor was returned as president of the new organization. The two of us worked together in our respective positions for seventeen years."

W. H. Patrick, who has been associated with the Bank of Clarendon and First National Bank since 1889, was made president in 1917 and W. W. Taylor has served as cashier since 1917. W. W. Taylor who is also vice president is the son of the late H. W. Taylor who during his lifetime had served as president and chairman of the board.

Original stockholders of the old Bank of Clarendon were Charles Goodnight, J. B. Pope, H. W. Taylor, T. S. McClelland, C. J. Lewis, J. N. Browning, W. H. Cooke, W. H. Patrick, James O. Johnson, J. T. Cain, O. P. Woods Mercantile Co., Mrs. M. O. Rogers, J. B. McClelland, Miss Susie Rogers and R. L. McLaren. W. H. Patrick is the only surviving member of the original group of stockholders.

Eight customers still doing business with the bank opening accounts with the institution back in 1889 include H. D. Ramsey, P. A. Buntin, H. W. Taylor Est., F. E. Harrington, J. B. McClelland Est., W. H. Patrick, Estate of Mrs. C. Adair and Stocking's Drug Store.

Hedley Boy And Girl Are Second In Extemporaneous Speaking At Regional

Two Donley County contestants placed second in the literary division of the Regional Interscholastic League in Canyon Saturday.

Stephen Milner and Syble Holland, Hedley, who captured first in extemporaneous speech for both boys and girls in Pampa, recently, were next to Rodney Rodgers of Amarillo and Mattie June Dellen of Morton.

Rodgers and Miss Dellen will represent the Panhandle-Plains area at the state meet in Austin.

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AMARILLO—THE CONVENTION CITY.

Not unmindful of the many courtesies extended them, members of the Panhandle Press Association again voted to continue meeting in Amarillo. Lubbock offered inducements as a strong contestant for the convention. In consideration of this invitation, the Panhandle Press and West Texas Press associations will meet in a joint session at Lubbock this fall.

LONGER OFFICIAL TERMS.

The House of Representatives by a vote of 107 to 32 approved the submission of a constitutional amendment prescribing four year terms of office for representatives, senators, district, county and precinct officials. The bill provides that the present representatives shall continue in office for another two years without election. If the bill meets with the approval of the Senate, the amendment will be submitted to the vote of the people August 28th.

There are many objections to this plan. The first is, that the majority of the present state representatives are not worthy of that much consideration. This statement is based on the grist turned out of the mill this session from either house.

The bill should provide that these four year officials could not hold office for more than one term. And could not be eligible again until a four year term has elapsed. This, in a measure, might prevent the building up of a political aristocracy such as we are threatened with at the present time on the part of some of our lawmakers.

These biennial elections provided for under House Joint Resolution No. 10 on alternate years when the governor and lieutenant governors are elected, would enable the enemies of the governor to marshal more strength than at present. The majority of the lawmakers so far this term have apparently taken more interest in harassing the governor than they have in the best interests of their constituents.

The voters of Texas will likely prefer a "recall" law with teeth in it, rather than any method of prolonging an agony that has become disgusting bordering upon the unbearable. In other words, taxpayers want something for their money besides horseplay.

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THE RISK OF CRIME

The most shocking thing about crime is not crime itself but the laxity with which a crime-ridden nation deals with criminals.

J. Edgar Hoover, director of the federal bureau of investigation, believes one of the greatest causes of crime is failure to adequately punish criminals.

In an article in the New York American, Mr. Hoover disclosed that the average sentence served upon conviction for murder in the United States is 43 1/2 months.

"Largely because of this inadequate punishment," he concludes, "before the sun sets tonight, as you read this, 36 persons who began this day with their usual hopes and dreams will have been wiped out by the hand of the murderer."

Mr. Hoover's revelation suggests the question: What are the risks of crime? A man contemplating a crime knows in the beginning that he has a reasonable chance of not getting caught.

He knows that if he is caught, his term of imprisonment may not be what the court says it is.

He knows that during the period of his imprisonment he will be comfortable, well-fed and will enjoy luxuries of entertainment and recreation above the standards of many honest men struggling against poverty and depression.

No wonder so many people are willing to take the risks of crime. They know, as Mr. Hoover writes, that the sentence of life imprisonment actually means an average of less than ten years.

They know that of the 3200 murderers released every year, more than half are turned loose by pardon or parole.

Mr. Hoover is an ardent believer in education against crime, and particularly in the education of parents to their responsibility for keeping children out of crime.

But he is also a strong believer in the principle of making punishment for crime so severe as to MAKE CRIMINAL CAREERS UNATTRACTIVE.

Crime can be prevented, he says, through parental responsibility, through ridding law enforcement agencies of politics, through civic organizations demanding adequate enforcement of laws.

But it must also be prevented, he writes: "Through the quick solution of crimes, the swift apprehension of criminals and the severity of punishment that will discourage others from the path of crime.—San Antonio Light.

BRICE NEWS
 Mayme Smallwood

School News—Picnic
 The pupils in Mr. Chappell's and Mrs. Jame's room went on a picnic Thursday afternoon in M. L. Pittman's pasture. Various games were played, and the supper cooked over a campfire was enjoyed very much by the entire group.

Cream Supper
 The P. T. A. is planning an ice cream supper in the school auditorium Thursday night. The money they make will be used in sending the seventh grade students to Carlsbad Cavern.

Party
 Miss Pittman entertained her room with a party Wednesday afternoon on the school ground. All the pupils reported an enjoyable time.

Play
 The senior class of Lakeview will present the play entitled "Here Come Three Knights" at the school auditorium Tuesday night. Admission will be 10c to all.

Personals
 Mrs. W. H. Youngblood is visiting with her son, Dr. and Mrs. Wade Youngblood of Stamford. Freddie Starr Johnson visited Miss Neely of Tell Saturday and Sunday.

Mary K. Hardin of Clarendon, Dexter Todd and Granville McAnear were dinner guests with Frankye Smallwood Sunday. Mildred Pittman shopped in Amarillo Saturday.

Mary Hugh Coley of Webster visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. D. Chappell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hart of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Arm Hightower Sunday.

Club Meets
 The Quilting Club met Thursday April 22 at the school auditorium for an all day quilting and covered dish luncheon. Three quilts were finished for Mr. Morgan Salmon and two for Mr. Henry Wood.

At the noon hour the luncheon was served cafeteria style. After the business session, the day was spent in informal conver-

sation and quilting. Those present were Mrs. Ben Hill of Clarendon as visitor and the following members, Mesdames Ray Finchum, Mac Baten, Cal Holland, Zack Salmon, Starr Johnson, H. Gattis, Cecil Rich, F. E. Gibson, W. E. Shepherd, Lugene McBrayer, J. C. Johnson, N. L. Murff, Joe Wood, "Fat" Gibson, Charlie Murff, W. E. Davis, "Slick" Wilson, Lee Shumate, H. Tate, C. R. Cross, H. Morman, Odell McBrayer, Boyd Dickson, George Dickson, A. Hightower, M. L. Pittman, J. W. Chappell, D. Myers, L. Gillespie, Elmer Cheek, Vergil Wells, M. O. Evans, Jess Wood, Ed Murff, Bill Wood, Misses Clyde and Margaret Shepherd, Junita Higgins, Edith Rich, Mayme and Frankie Smallwood.

The next meeting will be May 6. Mrs. M. O. Evans and Mrs. W. E. Shepherd will have charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Fair of Mineola, Texas visited his sister, Mrs. Lafa Smallwood one day last week.

Miss Lora Black, who is employed by Williams Hardware Co. at Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Black.

Enoch Darnell of Vigo Park visited in Clarendon over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Todd were Amarillo and Canyon visitors Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Smallwood of Brice spent the week end with their son, Lafa Smallwood and family. Rev. Smallwood preached at the Baptist Church at Lelia Lake Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buntin left last week for Fort Worth and Dallas where they will spend about three weeks.

Uncle Jim Says



(Title) "Everybody is better off when farmers make more money because their spending helps business men, city workers, and investors."

(Legend) Everybody knows that when farmers in one section make a poor crop, merchants, business men, and laborers suffer. The same thing is true in the national picture. When farmers over the country make poor crops, or fail to get living prices for their products, business men sell fewer automobiles, fewer farm implements, less fertilizer, and less of all the things farmers buy.

The result is that there is less business for industry, less work for labor, and lowered profits and wages all around.

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 Big M, No. 2 can—3 for 28c

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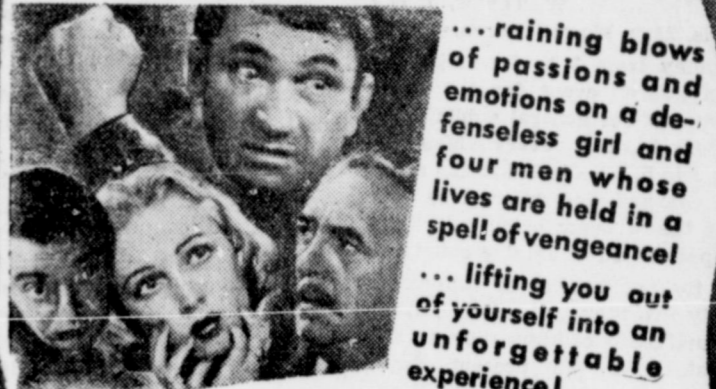
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Do you suppose Amarillo had anything to do with all this red tape in connection with the distribution of relief foods?

the government truck brings down the 'chuck' as per the 'want' list. Should a hungry family apply between truck trips, they just have to rough it out until the time rolls around for rations to be issued.

Believe it or not, but there was a business man here a few years ago who bought a mutual life insurance policy 'free' from a promoter, then immediately took it to the Donley County State bank and offered the policy as security for a loan.

This boxing craze in the public schools is said to be a scheme to offset the 'softies' resulting from softball.

Well sir, the Apostle's trip to see the King crowned is rapidly growing into an uncertainty. To get into the abbey, whatever that is, he will have to spend some \$400 for clothing alone.

during his lifetime to date. In rehearsing for the event of May 12th, he finds that a silver gilt circle, surmounted by 16 silver balls, cocked hat of crimson velvet, ermine and gold tassel will flatten him for \$80.

his son was stuck for bootlegging in dry territory. Lightning killed his team. A few days later a cyclone intercepted the old gent as he was making a mad rush for cover.

Here comes free publicity from Chief Rabbittail, a Shoshone Indian who is building a dude ranch. He hastens to assure the public that the rate will be \$20 a day, ponies and fishing thrown in.

A Dakota exchange says that Senator Hitchcock is walling in sackcloth and ashes for having accepted \$1000 from a cigarette manufacturer for the use of Hitchcock's picture and testimonial.

A young man here who married his father's wife's sister claims he had no intention whatever of helping Bob Ripley at the time.

The press meeting Friday and Saturday passed off without incident. One little flurry occurred soon after adjournment on a crowded elevator which shocked the other press folks to silence.

Speaking of ridiculous things recalls an old farmer who lived in the cyclone belt of Kansas some years ago. He was a firm believer in the efficacy of prayer, and need of divine guidance often.

The English will spend millions crowning a king, but they ain't got any money to pay a war debt.

Walter Morrow was fined \$50 last week for contempt of court. No, it wasn't our Walter Morrow. It was a fellow by the same name who publishes the Akron, Ohio Times-Press.

Grabbing at the handle on a taxi cab door as it sped away in New York City, Drexel Drake was somewhat surprised when the door opened and a nude dead man slid out on the curb.

The government seized and destroyed copies of the Kurjer Codzienny published in Katowice, Poland last week when it referred to Herr Adolf Hitler having an affair with Pola Negri, movie star.

We are printing one of these 'heart throbs' poems this week written by B. L. Wood, Lumpkin, Georgia. He is said to be a very, very fine old gentleman, and we thank him for this privilege.

By golly! Had you noticed your biscuits lately? I mean this idea of the bread sticking to your teeth. Of course in war time it did that and worse, but that was caused by mixing kaffir flour with it.

ASHTOLA Jessie J. Tomlinson

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mrs. Kykendall by Mrs. Sid Powell at her home last Tuesday afternoon. They spent a very enjoyable afternoon.

Mrs. Johnnie Moss and daughter Edith Marie, of Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Knox last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhodes and Charline Knox spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Stim Biene and daughter, Lanelle spent Sunday in Memphis.

Sivina Cook spent Monday night with Ila Kay Rhodes.

Mrs. Violet Mace and family of Lelia Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wallace during the weekend.

Mrs. L. A. Eason and family spent Sunday in Amarillo.

be blessed with dust mulches. It comes down softly and stays. Being under the cap rock is a great advantage, but being so constituted to enjoy a dust storm is vastly more.

Times up. Red, pull the switch!

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tomlinson were shoppers in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Graham and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Henson.

Mrs. Dollie White, John and son J. F. spent Sunday in Amarillo. Mrs. Harris who has been visiting with them returned to her home.

We had 74 at Sunday school. The attendance has been increasing so everyone be present next Sunday.

Memphis School Census Shows Sharp Decline

Several teachers in Hall County schools will not be returned to their positions next year, and almost all schools in the county will lose a part of their state rural aid money, all because of a sharp decline in the school census.

Hall County rural and city schools next year will receive \$6,764 less than was received this year. Census figures showed a decline of 356 students.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jackson and family left Monday for California where Mr. Jackson will be engaged in business and where they will make their home.

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PATHFINDER CLUB

The Pathfinder Club entertained with a "Musical Tea" at the Club Rooms Friday, April 23rd, following a short business session. Hostesses, Mesdames Carrie SoRelle, L. N. Cox, J. T. Patman, W. H. Patrick, R. E. Drennan and R. L. Bigger converted the club room into a lovely home-like entertaining suite by their arrangement of chairs, huge baskets and bouquets of garden flowers, floor rugs and lace covered tea table with gleaming silver service.

Honor guests were Senior High School girls and their sponsors Misses Harris and Howren. Seniors present were: Claudene Pearson, Edna Thomas, Margaret Kelley, Ruby Tucker, Louise Patterson, Madalyn Taylor, Marian McCormack, Maxine Oliver, Jane Williams, Billy Jo Wilson, Margaret Easterling, Pauline O'Neal, Reba Nichols, Ruth Cornell, Joan Thompson, Lillie Jewell Barnes and Jean McDonald.

Program guests included Billy Cooke, Maxine Ellis and Eloise Hill. Other guests were Mesdames Geo. Ryan, A. R. Letts and T. H. Ellis.

Thirty-six members graced the occasion with their presence. Mrs. J. L. McMurtry as leader, gave interesting sketches of the American composers featured on the following program:

Piano Duet—Mrs. Ben Hill and Eloise Hill.
"Love Song" and "Pale Moon"

by double trio, Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, Mrs. E. D. Landreth, Mrs. L. E. Thompson, Mrs. S. M. Braswell, Mrs. Ed Dishman and Mrs. Frank Heath.

Piano Solo, "Dance Negre"—Mrs. Simmons Powell.
Vocal Duet, "Indian Love Call"—Mrs. Landreth and Mrs. Heath.
Tap Dance—Maxine Ellis, accompanied by Mrs. Bryan.
Piano Solo, "Melody of Love"—Billy Cooke.
Vocal Duet, "Perfect Day"—Mrs. Landreth and Mrs. Heath.

At the conclusion of the program, Mrs. L. N. Cox poured tea. Hostesses were assisted in serving by Misses Ethlyn Drennan, June McMurtry and Phoebe Ann Buntin.

MISS MAY IS GIVEN PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER

Mrs. Roy Stewart and Miss Bertie Stewart honored Miss Dixie May with a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Roy Stewart Tuesday afternoon.

Friends attending were Mrs. Lewis Foster, Mrs. E. A. Edmondson, Mrs. Olmer Rampey, Mrs. J. W. Rhodes, Mrs. Harold Edwards, Mrs. Howard Stewart, Mrs. Roy Stewart, Mrs. Cicero Turpin, Mona Churchman, Jacque Foster, Elsie May, Bertie Stewart, Gilbert Stewart and Dixie Ann Turpin.

Those sending presents who were unable to attend were Mrs. H. M. Stewart, Uva Stewart, Mrs. J. B. Millsap, Mrs. Neely Hudson, Mrs. Dick Eichelberger, Fannie

Perry, Carrie Davis, Allene Rhodes and Irene Rhodes.
Refreshments of ice cream and cake was served to those present.

BLUE BONNET BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. C. G. Stricklin entertained the Blue Bonnet Bridge Club members and guests at her home Tuesday afternoon. Beautiful tulips of different colors and lovely Iris were used for decorations. A lovely buffet luncheon was served at the close of the games.

Mrs. C. T. McMurtry, Mrs. Fred Chamberlain and Mrs. McCanne won the prizes in the cut for high score. Mrs. Letts received the consolation prize.

Guests playing were Mesdames James Trent, Homer Glascoe and L. S. Bagby. Club members playing were Mesdames W. H. Patrick, R. L. Bigger, John Blocker, C. C. Powell, Geo. Ryan, C. E. McCanne, Fred Chamberlain, C. T. McMurtry, A. R. Letts.

MISSIONARY CIRCLES

The Circles of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church met in the following homes during the week:

No. 1 met with Mrs. E. M. Ozier with 12 members present.

No. 2 met with Mrs. L. N. Cox, 13 members and one visitor present.

No. 3 met with Mrs. E. P. Shelton, 11 members and an interesting program was heard.

The Bell Bennett Circle met with Mrs. Jenn Bennett.

KILL KARE KNEEDLE KLUB

Misses Ida and Etta Harned entertained the Kneedle Klub at their home Thursday afternoon April 22.

After several hours of fancy needle work and visiting a lovely refreshment plate was served to each guest. The guest was Mrs. Beck of Altus, Okla. Club members, Mesdames Mark Stricklin, Henry Williams, Sam Lowe, Joe Cluck, E. M. Ozier, J. R. Bartlett, Cap Lane, H. C. Brumley, J. H. Harris, Buel Sanford, Eva Draf-fin, W. T. Sims, J. Perry King, W. A. Land, W. C. Stewart and Glen Rieger.

B. P. R. 42 CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Powell entertained the club members with a lovely three course dinner at their home Thursday evening.

The decorations were of Iris and spirea and score cards representing spring. Games of 42 were played for several hours.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Sam Braswell, Louie Thompson, J. R. Porter, H. T. Burton, Fred Rathjen, C. C. Powell.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Mrs. J. A. Meaders was hostess to the Friendship Club at her country home Tuesday afternoon. The guest rooms were beautifully decorated with cut garden flowers. The afternoon was spent in fancy work and visiting.

The next meeting will be May 11 at the home of Mrs. Mongole and there will be a flower exchange.

Mrs. Meaders, assisted by her daughter, Miss Katie and Mrs. Williams, served a dainty refreshment to guests, Mrs. Eby and Miss Mabel Mongole. Club members, Mesdames C. R. Skinner, Allene Skinner, J. E. Mongole, H. Tyree, C. E. Lindsey, Rowland, Teal, Thornton, J. D. Stocking, Allison, Williams, Meaders and Miss Katie Meaders.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Robt. E. Austin, Minister.
Frank White Jr., Supt.
Wilfred Hott, Songleader.
Bible School, 9:45.
Lord's Supper, 11:00.
Sermon, 11:30.
Christian Endeavor, 7:00.
Evening Service, 8:00.

FINAL RITES FOR MRS. DORA DAVIS

Funeral Services Are Held At The Church of Christ At 10 O'clock Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Dora Davis, 63, who died at her home here Thursday morning, were held at the Church of Christ Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. W. Wallace Layton was in charge.

Mrs. Davis had been a Clarendon resident for about 4 years. She was the wife of J. S. Davis who died in 1934.

Pallbearers for the funeral were George Gilliland, Joe Johnston, R. O. Thomas, Frank Thomas, Lonnie Bullard and Joe Hall.

In charge of the flowers were Melba Bullard, Mrs. Alan Angel, Mrs. Ruth Dodson and Mrs. Wayland Angel.

Mrs. Davis is survived by five

MARRIAGES

Amos Yates and Lorene Griffin were married at the home of Rev. J. Perry King here Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Rev. King performed the ceremony.

Miss Louise Parkhill became the bride of Sam Tomlinson in Benjamin, Saturday, April 17. Mrs. Tomlinson is the niece of Mrs. Lee Muse of Clarendon.

W. L. Rawlings, who said he was in Clarendon for the celebration of the opening of the court house in 1889, married Mrs. Esther Compland in Childress, Sunday, May 25th.

Personals

Miss Carrie Davis was a Childress visitor Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Halle were in Amarillo Monday.

Jeanne Bourland visited here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Sawyer were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. W. W. Taylor has been confined to her home through illness for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Baker and children will leave soon to make their home in Cleburne.

Mary Shakelford of Amarillo visited Miss Rhoda Wiedman here last week end.

Mrs. Walter Taylor is very sick with flu-pneumonia at the Adair hospital.

Mrs. Cecil Killough who is very sick at the Adair hospital is reported to be some better.

Miss Dixie May of Pampa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. May near here Sunday.

Harold Black accepted employment with the Amarillo smelter Monday.

Misses Mildred and Helen Martin of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Shaver here over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Osborne, Mrs. J. W. Webb and Miss Theresa Webb of Hedley visited Clarendon Tuesday.

Misses Carrie Davis and Fannie Perry spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson at Goldston.

Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. C. D. McDowell and Mrs. Keith Stegall and children were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Miller of Panhandle, parents of Mrs. Otis Jackson, were visitors in the Jackson home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Patterson have leased the residence recently vacated by Otis Jackson and family and will reside there.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Lusk and son Bobby Gene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hefner in Amarillo over the week end.

Mrs. W. P. Hamilton who now owns the R. S. Moss residences here was down last week looking after her property interests.

Mrs. L. Ballew is in Lubbock to be with her daughter who recently underwent an operation in a local hospital.

Mrs. Cal Holland and daughters, Laurel, Patsy and Faye of Brice were guests of the John Rhodes home Saturday.

Mrs. Grace Lewellen of Pampa visited the week end with her mother, Mrs. H. Tyree and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tice of Mineral Wells spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cavanaugh, publishers of the Plainsman at Floydada, were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Thomas. The ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rhodes and sons H. B. and Weldon of Tell, visited here Sunday in the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes.

Mrs. M. C. Reid and Mrs. Geo. Garrison spent the day in Borger Monday visiting in the homes of Mrs. J. W. Fierce and Mrs. Jack SoRelle.

Mrs. S. T. Cox was called to Newport Friday to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. W. T. Adair. Mr. Cox went to Newport after Mrs. Cox Tuesday. Her father Mr. W. T. Adair accompanied her home for a visit.

children, Mrs. Alberta Adkins of Clarendon, Mrs. J. H. Bullard and Mrs. Bud Phillee of Phoenix, Ariz., and Kenard Davis of Phoenix, Arizona and Gilbert Davis of Amarillo.

Burial was in the Citizens cemetery with Buntin Funeral home in charge.



Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald in "Maytime" Showing Wednesday, Thursday, Friday—May 5-6-7th.

"Maytime" Reunites Jeanette MacDonald And Nelson Eddy In Smash Musical Treat

John Barrymore Tops Supporting Cast In Rida Johnson Young Romance of Opera Star, in Love With Young Singer, Who Marries Impresario to Whom She Owes Career, With Fateful Results

Topping even their triumphs in "Naughty Marietta" and "Rose Marie," Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy, America's favorite singing stars, now come to the Pastime Theatre screen starting May 5th in "Maytime," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's lavish adaptation of the Rida Johnson Young opera which was one of the memorable hits of the New York stage. Directed by Robert Z. Leonard, the man who gave filmgoers "The Great Ziegfeld," with a wide variety of songs by Sigmund Romberg and Herbert Stothart, and with a brilliant supporting cast headed by John Barrymore in his first appearance since "Romeo and Juliet"—the new M-G-M musical opens as one of the outstanding sensations of the new movie season.

full bloom and numerous other colorful sets. Six stages were turned over to the creation of these settings, among the most elaborate ever attempted in Hollywood. The story, taken from Rida Johnson Young's original play and adapted by Noel Langley, opens in 1905 with Miss MacDonald appearing in old lady make-up for the first time, trying to solve the romantic problems of Lynne Carver and Tom Brown by telling the girl of her own life so she can choose between love and a career. The story then goes back to 1865 and, briefly, throws Miss MacDonald - - - but wait, it would be much better to see what happens in this beautiful musical romance, beginning Wednesday, May 5th, and showing three days.

The famous song hit of the original play, "Sweetheart, Will You Remember?" was retained for the film version.

Most elaborate is the court of Louis Napoleon in 1865. There are opera houses, great parks, forests, streets of Paris, lavish hotel suites, an entire section of the Latin quarter of Paris, an apple orchard in

Miss Ella Clark of Ft. Worth spent the most of the past week here with her mother, Mrs. John Clark.

Mrs. Faye Scoggins, member of the public school faculty at Pyote, spent the week end here with relatives and friends.

BISHOPS CRUSADE AND ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED FRI.

Program And Supper Held At Methodist Church

Over 100 Methodists and their friends gathered at the church Friday night in observance of the 89th anniversary of the sailing of the first foreign missionaries, and in connection with the Bishop's Crusade.

A covered dish supper and a program featured the evening's entertainment.

Contributions amounted to approximately \$160, Rev. E. D. Landreth said.

Following the supper, the congregation assembled in the auditorium for the radio program broadcasted over several stations.

A pageant "Methodism Marches On" was presented under the direction of Mrs. U. J. Boston. She was assisted by Mrs. C. A. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Braswell, C. B. Morris, A. V. Hendricks, Wesley Powell, Woodrow Bulls, Linwood Betts, Allen Patman and Lowell LaFon.

Shamrock Editor to Head Press Association

Albert Cooper, editor of the Shamrock Texan and former vice president, was elected president of the Panhandle Press Association at the close of the sessions Saturday in Amarillo. Mr. Cooper succeeds J. C. Estlack.

W. H. Graham, publisher of the Stateline Tribune of Farwell was chosen vice president to succeed Albert Cooper.

Directors selected are Douglas Meador, Matador Tribune; Ed Bishop, Dalhart Texan; Max Wade, Groom News; J. C. Estlack, Donley County Leader.

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Broncho Gridsters Lose to Exes Tues.

Rough Spots Show In Loss But Club Gives Promise

The 1937 edition of the Clarendon High School Broncho foot ball team fell before practically the intact last year club 20 to 7 in a practice game here Tuesday afternoon.

With only three lettermen aided by eight raw recruits who ranged from junior high students to one 14 year old squadman, the Bronchos were in a daze during the first half and stood helplessly while the older and larger exes ran past them for their 20 counters.

After managing a halve in the third period, the Ponies grabbed off their 6 points in the final frame. Johnnie Grady, the 14-year old squadman, squirmed around right end for the longest run of the tilt to put the ball in scoring position.

Four plays at the line left the ball in the exes hands on about the one-inch line. Following the kick-out a passing attack again put the ball on the goal line from where Allison piled it over.

Suffering from inexperience and an inferiority complex, the 1937 hopefuls were ragged but fans are optimistic in their opinion. With the normal summers addition in weight railbirds see an improvement over last year's squad.

Talent was shown in both running and blocking but the highlights of the game were the kicking and passing. Clarendon's next year air department is looked on to click.

Mrs. J. B. Ray returned to her home at Whitesboro Saturday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Ray here and her son, Ronnie Ray near Alanreed.

Miss Jinnie V. Powell who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Paul Slaton left for Boise City, Okla. the last of the week where she will visit her father, Mr. Powell.

Mrs. Homer Mulkey returned home Friday from Amarillo where she had spent the week with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Richey who was quite ill, but is very much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hopkins and daughter, Martha Ann, and Mrs. Maggie Hopkins of Pampa were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Adams over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Garrison left Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. for Ft. Collins to be with their son Price, who is seriously ill at the hospital there.

Prison Term Given Alanreed Youth In Recent Bride Slaying

James Linden Sentenced To 7 to 8 Years; Mental Lapse Told By Defense

DENVER, April 28.—Marion Linden, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Linden of Alanreed, was sentenced to seven-to-eight years in the penitentiary for the killing of his estranged bride, Arlie, 18.

Withdrawing a motion for a new trial, Linden's attorney, Lewis Mowry, told the court, "I am convinced there is something missing in his make-up."

"Three years ago Linden fell in love with a girl in Dalhart. The girl jilted him. He went into a drug store and bought some rat poison which he mixed with a soft drink. The druggist saved his life."

"A year ago in Omaha, he was in one of his mental lapses. He went on a one man crime wave which included kidnapping two taxi drivers and holding up a small creamery. He returned the stolen money."

Brunk's Comedians Coming Here Next Monday

The announcement of the coming of Brunk's comedians is welcome news to the people of Clarendon and vicinity who enjoy a clean vaudeville and stage show. The comedians are advertised in the Leader this week for an engagement here all of next week, beginning Monday night, May 3rd. Their big tent, said to seat 1200, will be placed on the Grammar school lot on South Kearney. Thirty people travel with this well known show.

Brunk's Comedians are no strangers to Donley County. They have been on the road 22 years, and have shown to large crowds here on each visit. There are seven of the Brunk brothers, six of whom are in the show business. One is an attorney, Henry and Glenn Brunk are the two brothers who will be with their show here next week. The Brunk brothers, former residents of Hereford, began their show career as musicians when very young men just out of the Hereford college located there at the time.

June Alice, aged 10, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen D. Brunk, will attend school here during the week. She has a record for school attendance, having attended some 120 schools in Texas, Colorado, New Mexico, Oklahoma and California. She will appear in a juggling extraordinary act during the week here.

MARTIN

Willie Nell Shannon

Sunday school had a very good attendance Sunday. There were several new members and visitors. Everyone is cordially invited to come next Sunday.

There were five committeemen appointed to prepare a Mother's day program. Those appointed were as follows: Mrs. George Bulman, Miss Polk, Miss Gladys Jones, Mrs. C. J. Talley. We know it will be a good program and we invite everyone that will to come and enjoy it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Shannon and daughter, Will'e Nell spent last Tuesday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall and family and Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Marshall visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Christie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Easterling.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. McDonald left last Friday morning for California where they will make their home.

Ralph Shannon spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wheeler spent awhile Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Peabody spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Helton.

Mrs. R. M. Marshall, Mrs. W. F. Barker, Mrs. Dewey Goodman, and Mrs. V. C. Catlett visited Mrs. Bill Waddell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Shannon spent Sunday afternoon.

A group of young people enjoyed a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan Saturday night. Everyone reported a nice time.

Robbie Zoe Moreland spent Saturday night with Billie Ruth Bulman.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon are visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Patterson of San Antonio.

Cora Lee Jordan, Christine Pittman and Clarice Jones spent Sunday with Lillian Green.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Pittman and son Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edgings, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rankin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Pittman.

Clarice and Gladys Jones spent last week with their sister, Mrs. Horace Parker of Goldston.

Raymond Shannon and Winston Wood spent Sunday with Curtis Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Barker visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Goodman Sunday.

Fredia Helton spent a few days over the week end with homefolks.

Cora Lee Jordan spent Saturday night with Lillian Green.

Jack Lackey is nursing a broken arm in an accident while playing.

Mr. and Mrs. Burk Stinson of Amarillo were in Clarendon this week.

Mrs. Simmons Powell and Mrs. B. F. Kirtley were in Amarillo Wednesday.

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FOR SALE OR LET ON SHARES—Turkey eggs, \$1.50 per dozen. Mrs. J. T. L. Warner. Phone 923-G. (9-c)

FOR SALE—Nine room house and half a block of land. Located one block from high school. Priced to sell. Call 158-W. (9-p)

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous pieces of household furniture. There are some rare bargains in this lot, so you had better hurry to get your choice. E. H. Estlack, Ashtola School. (9tfc)

NOW READY—Cabbage and Tomato plants by the thousands. Good healthy plants. Clarendon Plant & Floral Co. Phone 150. Mrs. F. A. Cooper, Prop. (9tfc)

FOR SALE—Six dining room chairs. Dark, solid oak, dark blue leather seats. Comparatively new. Two dollars each. Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton. (9-p)

FOR SALE—200 bushels of Half & Half cotton seed of '936 crop. L. C. Johnston, Phone 915-B. Farm 1/2 mile north of Lella. (8tfc)

FOR SALE—Choice Dahlia Bulbs. Colors of pink, red, yellow, buff, etc. Reasonable prices. Phone 966-J or 64-R. W. O. Hommel. (8tfc)

FOR SALE—20 head weaner pigs. W. L. Landers. Phone 420. (8tfc)

FOR SALE—Good Used John Deere Tractor and equipment at a bargain. See Castleberry Bros. (7-tfc)

FOR SALE—Stallion Service. Iron Gray Percheron Stallion coming three years old, weight 1550, at my home six miles northeast of Lella Lake. Terms \$5.00 cash in advance. Breed through breeding season. See me or call telephone No 911-L. Owner. W. C. Holland. (9-p)

FOR SALE—60 to 75 lb. shoats. W. L. Landers. Phone 420. (1tfc)

FOR SALE—Missouri strain of English White Leghorn hens hatched late last spring. All state blood-tested. About half of them laying now. See them at John Swinney's farm, 3 1/2 miles south of Lella Lake. (50tfc)

WANTED

WANTED—1000 men to bring their wives or sweethearts to see Brunk's Comedians Monday night. 15c and this notice will admit both of you. (9-p)

AT STUD—The Howard Holland Percheron bred black stallion. Four this spring; weight 1600; height 17 hands. See him on Calcoat farm 4 1/2 miles southeast of Ashtola. Price \$8 to guarantee sucking colt. W. J. Holland. (10-p)

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—5-room modern home close in. Garage, poultry house and garden. See A. H. Baker. (1-tfc)

FOR RENT—House to rent. See Mrs. O. L. Fink. (9tfc)

Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Reavis of Briscoe were here for the Conference and visited relatives.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kit-chens a girl named Suddie Yvonne, Sunday, April 25th.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Storey of McLean attended the conference here this week and visited their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Lowry and family.

SUNNYVIEW

Juanita Bingham

Jack Riley spent Saturday night with Bruce Riley.

Misses Louise Hall and Lou Ella White spent Sunday afternoon with Ivon Ellis.

Hazel and Juanita Bingham spent Saturday night and Sunday with Iva Ruth, June and Wilda Fae Gibbs.

Misses Lopez Whitt, Orene Riley and Dollie Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellis and family visited in the J. R. Jones home of Lella Lake Saturday nite.

Frank Cannon, Joe Smith, Robert Cannon, Charles Ann Whitt, and Mike Smith visited Rogers, Cymantha and Mary Jo Hester Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams and daughter, Mary Ella, visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Roberts Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellis and daughter visited in the J. A. Hall home Sunday.

Erie Etta Cannon, Elois, Erma Lee and Imogene Elliott visited Earnestine White Sunday afternoon.

Otis and Doyle Koontz spent Sunday with Henry Hall.

Mrs. H. L. Riley and Dortha visited Mrs. J. N. Riley and Pauline Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hester and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie White visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Tim Hester and Mrs. Fronia Foster visited Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hester and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. McWhorter visited in the Walter Tucker home over the week end.

Robert Henry Naylor visited his aunt, Mrs. Wallace in Clarendon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Davis visited in the Elliott home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Maybery and children visited in the Lee Maybery home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elba Ballew and children went to Lubbock over the week end to visit Mr. Ballew's sister, Mrs. Gillam who is in a hospital there.

Colvern and Wendell Davis visited J. M. Hall Sunday afternoon.

School News

We are proud to announce the winners in our reading contest. The winners in the primary room are Elois Elliott, Robert Henry Naylor and Joe Smith. The winners of Miss Lopez Whitt's room are Ivon Ellis, Frank Cannon and Junior Davis. They will be permitted to start reading on May 20 and their time will expire August 20. We are proud of the above students, and hope they enjoy their reading superscriptions.

We only have 3 weeks and 1 day more of school and are busy. We are getting ready for final examinations, which of course, we all enjoy. We are also preparing programs for the last of school. On Thursday night, May 19, the primary room, under the direction of Miss Orene Riley, will present an interesting program. Then on Friday night May 20, Miss Lopez Whitt's room will present a number of one act plays. The seventh grade will also receive their diplomas. Everybody is invited to

Community Items

Did we have a large crowd present for Sunday school? Well I should say! We had 72 present. We were glad to have so many visitors. We extend a hearty welcome for you to visit us again as you are always welcome to visit Sunnyview anytime.

We had a nice crowd present for singing Sunday night. We appreciate the help given to Sunnyview by our friends, who come and help us make our singings such a grand success.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Roberts have moved into their new home. Believe me they certainly do have a lovely little new house and I know they are proud of it. Who wouldn't be?

Please remember Sunday, May 2, is the big day at Sunnyview. There will be a big all day singing and dinner on the ground. Everybody come and bring your baskets.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCracken are the parents of a girl, born Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Armstrong and daughters, Minnie Lee and Ruby of Amarillo spent the week end here with relatives.

Mrs. G. W. Antrobus has returned from Lubbock where she was called due to the serious illness of a grandson, Charles Hvass.

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Thousands of sufferers, many cases of years standing, after using Udo's report amazing relief. Udo's helps rid you of pain, nausea, and other discomforts. Improvement is steady and rapid. Udo's is highly recommended for Ulcers, Acid Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Indigestion, and Gas Pain, when due to excess acid. FREE: For quick, pleasant relief you owe it to yourself to get a FREE SAMPLE of Udo's at Douglas & Goldston Drug Co.

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We have plenty room to park. Phone 53-J "We Serve to Serve Again"

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LADIES and MISSES SILK and RAYON SLIPS 49c to 89c

Ladies full fashioned Hose 69c to 98c

Organdy Frillings for trimming, only 10c yd.

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Ladies fast colored Wash Dresses, reg. values 98c, only 79c

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Bunch Vegetables ³ for 10c

LETTUCE 5c || PEAS 17 oz. 11c

Ice Cream CUPS 5c and 10c

PICKLES Dill, 26 oz. jar 19c || CHEESE lb. 23c

FLOUR Skylite—48 lbs., extra high patent \$1.79

Cream Cans 18 quart 79c

14 quart 69c

BIG FOUR soap flakes 39c || PUREX 1/2 gal. 27c

COFFEE Bright & Early 4 lb. Bucket 98c

LYE (Red Top) 14 cans 98c || COCOANUT lb. 21c

SUGAR BULK CANE 10 Pounds 59c

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Feed of all kinds—Let us do your grinding.

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The evenly-heated double pointed base enables you to iron garments evenly and smoothly with fewer strokes. Ironing time is reduced one-third or more.

No carrying irons to and from stove. You never stop to change irons. Economical, too... costs only 1/2 an hour to operate.

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MIDWAY

Mrs. John Goldston

Local

A Dr. recently said that the practice of medicine at the beginning of his career and the methods now in use could be compared to the difference between a ricksha pulled by a coolie and a Lindbergh's transatlantic flight.

Mr. Estlack is always saying something about people being neighborly, bringing him things and doing nice things. Well, he is not the only one who has good neighbors. We think Midway neighbors cannot be beaten.

The Editor asked in the Leader column who had lived in Donley County longest? I may not have lived in the County the longest, but I have lived in this community 34 years.

Mr. Estlack, perhaps you and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain can make the trip to witness the Coronation of the King together.

The John Chamberlains are building a dam near their home on the river; with the help of the dam they will be able to hold the water in a natural lake.

Mr. Millsap has been unanimously elected as coach and teacher of manual training in the school of Bethel Con. No. 6.

On account of the financial condition of the Midway school, it will be closed for the coming term and all the children sent by bus to the Clarendon schools.

Coach Jimmie Millsap and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain accompanied Lucille Goldston to Canyon Saturday where she spoke in the Senior girls declamation contest.

In the 7th grade graduation of Midway school at the close of the term, Calvin Holland is Valedictorian; Pearl Derrick, Salutatorian; Lois Arnold, Class Historian; Buford Holland, Class Motto; Itha Koontz, Class Key; Herman Higgins, Class Roll; Rachel Edith Longan, Class Prophecy.

HEDLEY

Mrs. Richmond Bowlin

Local

Mr. Dee Curd and daughters, Misses Ola and Eula were carried to Amarillo last week to be at the sick bed of granddaughter and niece, little Annie Belle Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Whitfield spent Sunday with M. G.'s parents at Amarillo.

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HONOR ROLL

SOUTH WARD SCHOOL

SECOND GRADE

First Honor Roll

Manly Bryan, Margaret Ann Jenkins, Herman Osburn, Patricia Molesworth, Jimmie Douglas, Dorothy Jean Tatum, Melba Ruth Grady, Ada Sue Smith, Max Keys, James Wesley Palmer, Dorothy Nell Barefield, Betty Jean Brown, Joyce Eanes, Cleo Hall, Elise Norwood, Faye Phillips, Guida Myrl Miller, Calvin Merchant.

Second Honor Roll

Marjorie Parker, Frances Peabody, Treva Nell Trussell, Frank DeHart, Hubert Moffett, Leroy Butler, Ford Martin, Billie Oller, Donna Lee Jones, Freddy Rathjen, Georgia Belle McNeal, Jo Nell Bird, Billie Ray Barnard, Dewey Tom Heath, Glen Hall, Billie Marvin Land, Glen Jackson, Jewell Williams.

THIRD GRADE

First Honor Roll

Harry Blair, Bobby Hilliard, J. B. Knight, John Molesworth, Maurice Meredith, Ivan Moore, Sammy Jean Tankersley, Mary Elizabeth Talley, Klyda Fern Wilson, Ruth Patman, Loneta Hickey, Jean Dale Porter, Betty Jo Rhodes, Charsley Ann Whit, Kathleen Grady, Bonnie Ruth Melton.

Second Honor Roll

Lila Mae Allison, Modean McWhorter, Peggy Owens, Aline Poss, Ernest Eudy, J. A. Howard, Harry Kerbow, John Burton King, Jo Alice Lane, Billy Lee Mears, Walton Tucker, Lorrein Spurgeon, Betty Jo Bartlett, Madeline Kelly, Myrtle Moore, Elizabeth Morrison, Dorothea Nell Oller, George Reeves, Robert Summers.

Fourth Grade

First Honor Roll

Jessie Fern Blair, Dorris Bones, Joan Dawkins, Floyd Houdashell, Joe Alton Landreth, Wanda Rhea Jackson, Marilyn Maher, Marian McCann, Johnny Lorene Johnson, Harold Green, Edward Engel, Marilyn Bartlett.

Second Honor Roll

Imogene Baker, Joe Barnes, Viola Hearne, Robbie Nell Whitsell, Martha Jane Wright, Mary Ellen Pipes, Lois McCrary, Gene Harvey, Dorthy Jo Endsley.

Fifth Grade

First Honor Roll

Betty Ann Craft, Claude Hearn, Dorothy Ann Kennedy, Mary Frances Phelps, Helen Porter, George Rieger, Ermagene Spencer, W. G. Adams, June Gibbs, Jerry Kerbow, Billy Lowe, John Earl Ryan, Ernest Thompson.

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Second Honor Roll

Donald Beard, Curtis Thompson, Frankie Ann Robbins, Billy Jack Owens, Betty Sue McDowell, Ruby Lee Morrison, Bobbie Lee Melton, Dorothy Ann Helton, Billy Fay Hardin, Burel Bones, Carl Bennett, Raymond Adams, Bonnie Ruth Poss, Ruby Carroll, Edith Dowd, Lucille Bird, Elmer Fisher, Lee Shelley, Ralph Davis, Bernie Townson.

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Junior High School

SIXTH GRADE

Anna Lynn Barns, Rowena Crutchfield, Clyde Benton Douglas, Zona Pat Grady, Bacil Kirtley, Sara Beth Lowry, Cassandra Morris, Louise Butler, Betty Jo Bain, Lewis Chamberlain, Iva Ruth Gibbs, C. G. Kirkland, Bobbie Jo Lafon, Margaret Wadsworth, Wilma Jean Warren.

Second Honor Roll

Geraldine Clayton, Neta Jane Cornell, June Melton, Flaurine Sherman, Ella Gene Speed, Billy Thornberry, Ralph Turner, Lesley Wardlow, Lavoise Armstrong, Geraldine Ryan, Nelda Sue Burton, Ollie Ruth Fowler, Joan Hillman, Frankie Hommel, Billy May, Naomi Morris, Annie Ree Porter, Marilyn Sawyer, Woodie Spencer, Orvil Johnson, Wilson Rector, Paul Losson, Dwight Blair.

SEVENTH GRADE

First Honor Roll

Ray Bulls, Raymond Johnson, Darrell Meaders, LaVerne Phillips, Maurice Risley, Maxine Robertson, Billie Ralph Andis, Mae Fern Rowden.

Second Honor Roll

Ernest Eudy, J. A. Howard, Harry Kerbow, John Burton King, Jo Alice Lane, Billy Lee Mears, Walton Tucker, Lorrein Spurgeon, Betty Jo Bartlett, Madeline Kelly, Myrtle Moore, Elizabeth Morrison, Dorothea Nell Oller, George Reeves, Robert Summers.

Junior High School

EIGHTH GRADE

First Honor Roll

Mildred Phelps—97, Jack Rodgers—97, Bobby Skelton—96, Hazel Bingham—95, Emogene Mayo—95, Edna Talley—94, Gaynelle Tidwell—93, Mary Dell Heathington—93, Claudine Healey—92, Clarence Pipes Jr.—92, Dorothy Rhodes—92, Lucille McWhorter—91, Dorothy Jean Bogard—90, Katrina Carlile—90, Rowena Smith—90, Berthamae Thomas—90.

Second Honor Roll

Ruby Blackman—89, Ruth Blackman—88, Robert McWhorter—85, Thad Lyle—85, Coleman Huffman Jr.—85.

Third Honor Roll

Mrs. John Clark was called to Mineral Wells Tuesday to be with her brother, Mr. Charley Turner who is seriously ill. Mrs. Clark and daughter Miss Ella Clark went with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Crane and son-in-law, Mr. Burr Shane of Amarillo.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method to thank our many friends for their kindness and sympathy, and for the many helpful deeds during the illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Dora Davis.

Mrs. Alberta Adkins, Mrs. J. H. Bullard, Mrs. Bud Philley, Kennard Davis, Albert Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Adams visited relatives in Pampa Monday.

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"Girl Meets Boy"

A COMEDY DRAMA - - For Laughing Purposes

ALSO - - 7 ACTS VAUDEVILLE - - - Including Munde and June, Jugglers Extraordinary - - Palma Dunn, modern dancing as you like it - - Buddy Brown, crooner - - Klink Lemmons, accordionist - - Arthur and Ripley, "Just Two Nuts" - - Johnnie Coupe, xylophonist - - Herman Mundin, trick bicyclist - - June Brunk, the Personality Girl in singing and tap dancing - - and many others. Program changes each night.

Klink Lemmons director of the Lemmons Broadcasting Orchestra, which will appear here, starting Monday, as one of the many features of the Henry L. Brunk's Comedians.

Our Large Tent Located on Old Grammar School Ground ADULTS 15c CHILDREN 10c

BRING THIS COUPON This coupon and 15c will admit a lady and gent or two ladies Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday night. Doors open 7:15. Curtain 8:15.



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HIGH SCHOOL, COLLEGE GRADUATION CLASS ROLLS RELEASED THIS WEEK

Jean McDonald And Jane Williams Valedictorian And Salutatorian of High School Class of Forty-Eight

Jean McDonald and Jane Williams as valedictorian and salutatorian respectively, will head the senior class when 48 students will be graduated from the local high school here May 19th.

Commencement programs for either the high school or college have not been completed, but the list of those who will receive diplomas from the institutions were released yesterday by R. E. Drennan, dean of the college and principal of the high school.

The high school graduation class has 29 girls and 19 boys, while the college class has 22 girls and 7 boys.

The rolls are as follows:

High School

Shirley M. West, Laura Birchfield, Billie Jo Wilson, Marian McCormick, Madalyn Taylor, Imogene Endsley, Louise Patterson, Pauline O'Neal, Claudyne Pearson, Maxine Oiler, Jane Williams, Margaret Easterling, Bill Peden, Hugh Baker, Lamar Stewart, Ruby Tucker, Reba Nichols, Jack Robinson, James Bartlett, Edna Thomas, Jesse Cornell, Charlie Murphy, William Sullivan, Led Jay, Lillie J.

Barnes, Emmett McClenny, Christine Seaton, Margaret Kelley, Ruth Cornell, Pat Slavin, Edith Venson, Jeanne McDonald, Joan Thompson, Arthur DeHart, Gerald Noble, Gene Butler, Vera Barker, Mary Derrick, John H. Gilbert, Warren Hardin, Donald Harlan, Geraldine Howard, Otis Rollis, Marty Kelley, Lodema Mason, Willa Poovey, Fannie Sachse, Rebecca Welch.

College Graduates

Beatrice Hardin, Julia Earhman, Viola Barker, Ruby Lee Mason, Jimmie Lee Cole, Dora Lucille Piercy, Avis Lee McElvany, Virginia Williams, Anna Moores Swift, Leota Rampey, Wilfred Hott, D. W. Tomlinson, Helen Louise Green, Sarah Virginia McGowen, Woodrow Bulls, Linwood Betts, Eloise Hill, Billy Howard, Elizabeth C. Powell, Ina Riley, Mary Graham, Virginia Orr, Marie McQueen, Vivian Taylor, Dorothy Powell, Lowell LaFon, Lu McClellan Jr., Beatrice Garmon, Cleo Eanes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. McDonald and children left Friday to make their home in Geyserville, Cal.

HERE AND THERE

By Dick Cooke

THERE—Once almost extinct, wild turkeys have become so abundant on a game preserve in Wellington they are becoming a problem. The flock have devoured all rodents within their boundaries and some must be moved to another location.

HERE—Having been successful in raising a feed crop for the past few years, Walter Moss of McKnight community, decided to take advantage of the early warm weather. Despite two snows, since his February planting, Moss now has a stand of maize 6 inches high. That is probably a record for early feed crops in Donley County.

THERE—George Fields, black comedian and Honeyboy of the "Honeyboy-Sassafras" of the radio team dropped dead in New York Sunday. Fields ran away from home when 16 to play in medicine, tent and minstrel shows. He, with Johnny Welch of Dallas, "Sassafras," began their radio show nationally two years ago. Prior to that time they did similar work over stations throughout the Southwest.

HERE—Students of the local schools were guests of the Pastime Theatre here Monday morning to hear a program of Cal Farley's trip to Europe.

THERE—Richard Wischkaemper, 56, prominent in state agriculture, and former professor of Greek at the University of Minnesota, died in his home at Samnorwood community Sunday afternoon. At the time of his death he was a director of the Texas Cotton Cooperative association and was a trustee of the Samnorwood rural school.

HERE—Hopes for a softball league in Clarendon, and nearby communities was expressed today by J. R. Gillham, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. One of the plans would include different communities in a loop and promote good will and pleasure.

THERE—Jack Scott, 17, died in the McAlester penitentiary hospital last week of paralysis. Dr. T. H. McCauley, prison physician, said the stroke was induced by a hunger strike started 16 days ago in a county jail.

HERE—Wild turkeys will again strut in Clarendon. But how wild will a wild turkey be hatched with all the benefits of modern custom hatching. Austin O'Neal, game warden, gave P. B. Gentry about 50 eggs and they are in the process of incubation in the Clarendon hatchery, one of the most modern equipped plants in the west.

THERE—A Chinese woman gave birth to quintuplets, all normal boys and living, newspapers in China reported last week. Because the parents are extremely poor the village elder has promised to help bring the babies up.

HERE—Clarendon F.F.A. boys hope to win at least one banner at the leadership contests to be held here Saturday. Some of the work being stressed in the first year vocational class is building hog feeders, cutting moulding, making frames, cutting glass, and framing approximately twenty pictures.

CLARENDON TO BE HOST TO MEMPHIS DISTRICT F. F. A. CLUB BOYS SATURDAY

100 Boys Representing Eight Schools Will Compete In Contests Throughout the Day; Clarendon Will Enter Chapter Conducting, News Writing, Public Speaking

Over 100 boys of the Memphis District of the F.F.A. are expected here Saturday, May 1st when the annual leadership contests are scheduled to be held.

Each of the eight schools will enter in three of the six events. J. R. Gillham, director of the local club said yesterday.

Clarendon will enter the chapter conducting contest, represented by Warren Hardin, Jack Reeves, Charlie Murphy, Claud McGowen, Ray Palmer, Jack Robinson, Rayburn Smith, Gail Adams, Beaty Hillman, and Durwood McCracken. Homer Speed will enter the news writing contest, and J. D. Swift, Jr. will represent the local F.F.A. Chapter in the public speaking division.

Preceding the contests a district F.F.A. meeting will start at 9:30 with district adviser Walter Labay of Estelline presiding. O. T. Ryan, Area Supervisor of Vocational Agriculture, will have charge of the contests, and will present the large F.F.A. banners to the winners. The contests will be open to the public and those interested are asked to be present at any of the contests.

The one-act play contest will start at the college auditorium at 10 a. m. The news writing, chapter conducting, and debate contests will also be held in the college building. The public speaking and extemporaneous speaking contests will start in the high school auditorium at the same time as the one act plays.

The Memphis district is composed of Memphis, Clarendon, Childress, Kirkland, Samnorwood, Estelline, Lakeview, and Quail.

Price Whitlock Seriously Ill In Colorado

After an illness of several days, the condition of Price Whitlock is said to have grown worse Tuesday. He is said to be suffering from gall stones at his home in Ft. Collins, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock and Mr. and Mrs. George Garrison left here at 7 p. m. Tuesday to be at the bedside of Price.

Miss Helen Martin of Pampa spent Sunday in Clarendon.

MERIT CERTIFICATES FOR YEAR'S WORK APPLIED FOR BY F.F.A. CLUB

Clarendon F.F.A. Club boys are making applications for certificates of merit as a result of outstanding work completed in connection with the vocational agriculture class, J. R. Gillham, club director said today.

Certificates are presented by the State Division of Vocational Education to students who meet certain specific requirements in agricultural projects.

Application for merit in pork production, pig production, farm jobs, beef production, fitting and showing poultry, keeping records of the home flock, cotton production, dairy judging, livestock judging and farm jobs, are being completed and forwarded to the state supervisor.

The certificates are expected before the present school term is completed.

Hugh Brown Celebrates His 81st Birthday Sunday

Mr. Hugh Brown was honored Sunday with a birthday dinner at the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Madison, 1510 Washington St., Amarillo. Mr. J. M. Williams, a brother-in-law of Mr. Brown who is also 81 years old, and Mr. J. B. Masterson of Hedley, who is a nephew and whose birthday comes on the same day, shared in the birthday celebration. Mr. Williams is a former resident of Clarendon, now living in Roswell, N. M.

The house was beautifully decorated with blue bonnets and roses sent by his daughter, Mrs. Carl Reppeto, Ft. Worth who was unable to attend.

Those present for the dinner were Mr. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. M. Williams, Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Masterson and son of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Madison and son, Dick of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bush, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Pattes and son, Paul Brown; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Blackburn Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brown of Clarendon were unable to attend on account of illness. In the afternoon many friends called to wish them "Happy Birthday" — including Mr. Jim Bourland and daughter Mary Kate from Pampa, Mrs. Henry Pork of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Zea Doshier, Miss Bulah Doshier.

Standardization Tests For Rural Schools Began Wed.

County Supt. George W. Kavanaugh began yesterday conducting standardization tests in rural schools and said last night that within a year all county schools would probably meet the state requirements.

Standardization is similar to affiliation of city schools, Kavanaugh said, which enables a student to transfer without an entrance examination.

Only two schools in Donley are standardized to date, he added.

Mr. Charley Turner died at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday at Mineral Wells. He is a brother of Mrs. John Clark of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gammon of Ft. Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane Sr. the first of this week.

Texas Tech Senior Is Practice Teaching Here

Escar Parker, Texas Tech Senior from Roby, is practice teaching in the local vocational agriculture department this week.

Mr. Parker will teach the second year class and observe the first year class.

Several seniors are doing practice teaching in the Memphis F. F. A. district this week. They will end their week of teaching by serving as judges in the district leadership contests to be held in Clarendon, May 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde (Chief) Youngblood and son Louis of Dumas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Burton Sunday.

Miss Laura Black, in the employ of an Amarillo hardware company, visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Black.

Museum to Hold Open House

The Donley County Museum will have an "open house" day Sunday, May 2nd. The public at large is cordially invited to spend at least a portion of the day looking at the exhibits.

The museum collection is located in the basement room of the College. Admission will be free, as at other times.

The collection contains approximately two thousand articles, ancient and modern. Most of them are from 50 to 100 years old and include practically all those things with which the early pioneer had to use in and around the home.

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1:40 p. m.	1:59 a. m.	3:15 a. m.	4:35 p. m.	3.28		5.91	
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