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A Common Paper for Common People

## Memorial for Alamo's Heroes .



San Antonio's annual Pilgrimage to the Alamo, which opens the city's Fiesta San Jacinto, will be held Monday, April 19, when a scene similar to this will be enacted at the "Shrine of Texas Liberty". Cities, organizations and individuals are invited to send flowers which are carried to the Alamo as a memorial to the men who died in its defense.

### DONATIONS NEEDED FOR CITIZENS CEMETERY

The Trustees of the Citizens Cemetery Association are mailing out letters to lot owners and others interested in the up-keep of the Cemetery asking for donations. They now have two men working regularly and have everything in good shape. They are also installing an electric pump over the west well and if sufficient money comes in they will install one on the east well. This is a decided improvement over the old worn out windmills.

The Association has made arrangements with Mr. John Sneed to do special work in caring for lots where extra attention is needed, such as watering shrubs and flowers. He is at the Cemetery most every day and those desiring this special attention may contact him there.

The donations the Trustees are asking for is to be used for the general up-keep of the Cemetery, a considerable amount being needed as it is now so big it requires two men the entire growing season of the year. No other request will be made, so everyone is urged to make their donations as liberal as possible and help keep our cemetery beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bounds and family of Lakeview visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hill Sunday afternoon.

### FATHER OF LOCAL MAN BURIED AT TEXARKANA

A. J. McCrary, age 79, father of Forrest McCrary, passed away in a Dallas hospital Sunday morning. Funeral services were held at Texarkana Tuesday morning. Mr. McCrary had been a resident of that city for the past 2 1/2 years and was a former resident of Hall County. Mr. and Mrs. Forrest McCrary attended the services, returning home Tuesday night.

### ATTENDS SECURITY LOAN MEETING IN AMARILLO

J. R. Porter of Clarendon participated in a regional meeting of county chairmen for the Treasury Department's Security Loan in Amarillo Monday. Mr. Porter is Donley County chairman for the Security Loan, which will be conducted here and throughout the nation from April 15 through June 30.

County and community leaders from the Panhandle and Plains sections of the state attended the meeting, at which final plans for the drive were made.

State leaders for the Security Loan urged an all-out effort during the drive, and described how the people of the U. S. can curb inflation, guard against possible depression, and provide economic security for themselves and the nation by investing in U. S. Savings Bonds.

## \$1250.89 Raised In Annual Red Cross Drive

According to Emmett O. Simmons, Chapter Chairman, and Rev. W. W. Fry, Campaign Fund Chairman, the annual Red Cross drive was a great success with \$250 being raised over the quota of \$990, giving a grand total for the drive this year at \$1250.89.

Listed below is a full report showing what was donated in each community in the county, and a list of the workers who gave their valuable time in behalf of this well known organization.

Jericho, Mrs. Annie Reeves, \$9; Hedley, Mrs. M. W. Latimer, Mrs. W. L. Cherry and Mr. Alva Simmons, \$86.47; Bray, W. H. Clay, \$10.50; Giles, Mrs. M. S. Stotts, \$7; Midway, Mrs. J. Goldston, \$9.50; Chamberlain, Mrs. H. A. Harrison, \$32.50; Ashtola, Mrs. Leo Wallace, Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey, \$43.20; Alanreed, Mrs. M. B. Trout, Mrs. C. P. Hamilton, \$30; Lelia Lake, Mrs. W. R. Christal, Mrs. J. L. Butler, \$24.50; Windy Valley, Mrs. D. B. Koen, \$27.50; Goldston, Mrs. J. H. Ford, \$16.03; Watkins School District, Mrs. L. Kalka, \$5. Total rural was \$310.10.

The City of Clarendon's total was \$949.79 and the workers and leaders were as follows: Chapter Chairman, Emmett O. Simmons; Campaign Chairman, Rev. W. W. Fry; Special Gifts Chairman, Mrs. H. D. Bugbee; School Chairman, Miss Ruth Richerson, R. E. Drennan and O. D. Lowry; Rural, County Agents Office, Mrs. Joe Ritter; Court House, Guy Wright.

Collecting agencies and depositories were the Farmers State Bank, First National Bank, Donley County State Bank of Clarendon and the Security State Bank of Hedley.

### CLARENDON POST OFFICE RECEIPTS SHOW GAIN

Announcement is made by postmaster J. C. Estlack that the postal receipts in the local office for the month of March amounted to \$1527.73. Receipts for the same month last year were \$1381.44. The gain of \$146.29 denotes more people have moved to Clarendon. The population is steadily growing.

The use of air mail stamps is increasing. Five cents pays for a stamp that will deliver a letter at a distance from two to three days quicker, as compared with the ancient 3-cent stamp.

A letter mailed in San Francisco at 5 p. m. Monday bearing an air mail stamp, arrived here at noon Tuesday. This is said to be the best record to date on fast mail from the Pacific coast. Other mail routes are just as efficient.

## Clarendon Boxers Defeat McLean Here, 9 to 7

The Clarendon boxing team stepped back into the winning channel Tuesday night when they battled their way to a 9 to 7 victory over the boxers from McLean. The fights were interesting from start to finish with the tempo rising as the program advanced into the heavier weight bracket. The last three fights alone were worth the price of admission with Dwane Littlefield winning with a tko in the second round; Jack Trussell stepped in with his usual style and won by a tko also in the second and Fred Molesworth gave the fans the treat they have learned to expect by battling his opponent all over the ring, winning his bout all the way through. Bill Smith who gave the fans something to talk about in the Wellington meet, met a very capable opponent who slipped in a hard punch to his midsection and ended the fight with a KO in the second round.

The results of the entire card are as follows with the Clarendon boxer named first: 68 lb.—Mike Davis dec. by Earl Moore; Bernie Benson dec. by Billingsley; Bill Hill dec. Crockett; Gordon Moore dec. Hupp; 75 lb.—Bill Hicks dec. Copeland; 82 lb.—Bill Noblet tko'ed by Darnell; Bob Davis dec. by Wayne Moore; 85 lb.—Monte Smith dec. by Brewster; Carl Morgan dec. by Morris; 100 lb.—Bill Adams dec. Blackshure; 122 lb.—Ray Brown dec. Callahan; Ray Morris dec. Carter; 135 lb.—Bill Smith ko'ed by Vineyard; Dwane Littlefield tko'ed Sheldon; 147 lb.—Jack Trussell tko'ed Henderson and Fred Molesworth dec. Trimble.

### TIME TO SPRAY ORCHARDS SAYS COUNTY AGENT

"Now is the time to spray that orchard to control worms in the fruit," said H. M. Breedlove, county agent. "It takes about three sprayings to control fruit worms," he continued. "5 percent DDT makes a good spray for apples, peaches and plum trees. We should spray now as soon as the blooms shed off the trees. The second spraying should be made when the fruit appears and the third spraying about the time the fruit is as large as a marble."

Breedlove says that there are different kinds of sprays for different fruit trees and anyone needing information may call by his office.

"Spraying fruit makes sure of good fruit and trees must be sprayed after each rain," the county agent emphasized.

### CHAMBERLAIN FARMERS UNION LOCAL TO MEET

The Chamberlain Farmers Union Local will meet at the Chamberlain schoolhouse Wednesday night, April 14th. Everyone invited. There will be refreshments and entertainment for everyone. Some of the latest problems affecting farm families will be discussed.

### SCHOOL TRUSTEES RE-ELECTED IN SATURDAY POLL

Voting in the school trustee election last Saturday was comparatively slow with less than 200 votes being cast. Walter Clifford and Clyde I. Price were re-elected to fill the two spots on the board. Clifford received 128 votes and Price received 138 votes. The third candidate in the race, Charles Murphy, received 78 votes.

Mrs. Earl Terry and daughter Dana from Watato, Washington and Robert Mitcham of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blair and family Saturday.

Mrs. Mary McConnell who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. D. Stocking returned to her home at Perryton Tuesday.

## District Boxing Meet To Be Held Here At College Gym Three Nights Next Week

### SPRING FINDS DONLEY GOING INTO ACTION

Saving the soil of old Donley County is uppermost in the minds of the public right now. Every plan and precaution is being taken. The county agent's force and the Soil Conservation crew are both busy with land owners helping in every way possible to not only save the soil, but also to build it back to fertility.

Farming is in full swing. Very few are waiting for a rain. It really isn't needed on sandy soil, competent advice indicates.

Beginning with the home plan of gardening with a view of storing up food, right now gardens are showing up English peas, beans, beets, radishes and other varieties are already up and looking their best despite the recent high winds.

Then there is the fruit crop coming along nicely at this time. The blossoms are not setting so thickly this season, many state. That means better fruit. Peaches, apples, apricots, cherries and other varieties are now coming out after one of the coldest winters in many years.

Fruit growers announce that the cold winter means less insects and a better product that is bound to find a ready market at a good price.

The good citizens of old Donley whipped the panic with canned products prepared at home. They propose to whip high prices this season in the same manner.

### CLARENDON MASONIC LODGE INSTALLS NEW FURNITURE

In keeping with their program of progress, the Clarendon Masonic Lodge has made another addition to the furnishings of their hall here which is located above the Farmers State Bank. New Theatre seats of the newest type were installed this week. During the past year the local lodge has air-conditioned the hall and added new furniture with marble tops, making it one of the best furnished lodge halls in this area. All master Masons are urged to be present Friday, April 9th to inspect the new furniture and seats.

Mrs. John Watters and her sister, Mrs. B. H. Eudy and her granddaughter Linda Eudy visited their mother, Mrs. M. C. Masengill at Brownfield last week.

### TEST WELL ON BALLEW FARM REPORTED IN SHOW AREA

A reliable informant stated this week that the Rodgers Drilling Co. test well on the Donald Ballew farm south of town was down to a depth of approximately 1,300 feet. According to the Honolulu well, this would place the drilling in the show area found in the former well and it is possible that some type of test will be run on the well some time this week.

### Sheriff's Force Has Busy Week

Sheriff Guy Wright reported a break in the jail that has been enjoyed around Clarendon for quite some time. In fact, it seemed like everything began to happen all at once, he added.

He reported that Leslie Malena, age 20, confessed last Sunday to the breaking in and taking a check from the Shamburger Lumber Company on March 28th. He is being held under \$1,500 bond for theft.

Some rowdy threw a brick through the Piggly Wiggly front door last Saturday night and tore open the cash register and took about 75 cents. Jr. Spier, manager of the store reported that nothing else noticeable was taken. Sheriff Wright stated that it was first believed that the job was done by someone locally, but a report came in that there were three break-ins at Groom and other places, so it is believed now that an outsider probably did the job.

Yesterday the Sheriff returned J. H. Williams to the local jail on a hot check charge. Williams, along with Willie Richerson who is now in the Claude jail, were reported to have passed several hot checks here on March 22nd. Williams was picked up by Borger officials and Richerson was apprehended at Hot Springs, N. M.

There seems to be more and more thefts and hot check passing as time goes along and everyone should take every precaution before cashing checks and be sure your money is in a safe place when you leave your business at night, the Sheriff stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Morris and daughter Mae visited Mr. and Mrs. John Morris at Claude Sun.

## PROCLAIMS CANCER CONTROL MONTH



Governor Beauford Jester is shown here as he signed a proclamation in behalf of The American Cancer Society, Texas Division, setting aside the month of April as Cancer Control Month. He called upon Texans to "support fully The American Cancer Society's program of research, education, and service." Shown with Governor Jester, left to right, are Frank C. Smith, Houston, president of the Texas Division; Will Mann Richardson, III, Austin, Travis County chairman for the April campaign; Col. Ike Ashburn, Austin, District Seven chairman of the Society, and Dr. John D. Weaver, Austin, member of the Society's executive committee.

The big climax to this year's boxing will come to a grand finale here next week when boxers from five neighboring towns will converge on the city to see which team will carry off the top honors in the district. There will be three big nights with the best boxers from each of the schools being entered. The first gong will be sounded at 8 p. m. next Thursday night, April 15th and will keep clanging away through Friday and Saturday nights with the finals being fought on the last night.

The five towns which comprise this district are Canadian, McLean, Shamrock, Wellington and Clarendon. There will be a course of elimination during the first two nights which will determine the fighters who will enter the finals. Each town can enter 21 boys; one boxer for each weight bracket and there will be a host of good fighters in practically every weight class.

Each fight won will count one point for the team represented. There will be a 1 pound weight advantage allowed and Stina Cain, one of the officials, will do all the weighing in on Thursday. The other officials who will be in and out of the ring on all three nights are Milligan and J. C. Oakley.

This district tournament will give the fans, all over the district, an opportunity to see the best fighters come together for an outstanding program. Some of the pairings that are expected to highlight the meet will be the meeting of Brower and Combs in the 155 pound bracket, Kenneth Davis and Landrum in the 118 lb. class and three good boys in the 126 lb. class—Stewart, York and Karns. There will be lots of other good fights but these are just a few of the ones that fans over the district have picked out that they are quite sure will be good bouts.

There will be 10 weight brackets in the grade school division with the weight class starting at 65 pounds and advancing every 5 pounds up through 112 lbs. The High school division includes the following weights: 100-105-112-118-126-136-147-155 - 165 - 175 and Heavy weight.

This will be the biggest event of the year and reserved ticket sales are expected to reach the sell-out stage soon after they are put on sale which will be Tuesday, April 13th at the Norwood Pharmacy. It has been understood that more seats will be reserved for the event, but a number of them will be sent to other towns and if you want to be sure of good seats, it would be best to go down early and pick out the ones you want.

### NEW COMMISSIONERS ELECTED TO RUN CITY

Clarendon voters went to the polls Tuesday of this week and elected two new men for City Commissioners. Voting was steady throughout the day with an average vote being cast for the three candidates who had announced for the office.

The two newly elected commissioners are Bob Head and Chas. G. Speed. Pete Kunz who was up for re-election, was defeated in the race. Head lead the ticket with 276 votes; Speed received 179 votes and Kunz received 157 votes.

The new commissioners were elected for a two year term with the Mayor's office being voted upon in alternate years.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams returned home Saturday from Amarillo where they visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Connally.

## Basketball Teams Sponsoring National Jamboree Here Wednesday Night

Practically everyone, at one time or another, has tuned in on the National Jamboree which originates at Nashville, Tennessee. Well, you will have an opportunity to see and hear a number of those famous musicians and other nationally famous characters at the College gym next Wednesday night when they stop over here for a one night engagement under the sponsorship of the Clarendon High School Basketball teams.

It will be a one and one-half hour program of folk music and comedy. Part of the cast participated in Carnegie Hall last year. These famous Radio and recording stars are featuring Uncle Henry's Kentucky Mountaineers

starring Mamie Perl, Curley and his Fiddle, C. Acuff, Jimmie Dale, Spike Williams and many others. The price of admission will be 30 cents for those under 12 years and 60 cents for adults, tax included. The program will start at 8 p. m. and don't forget the place—at the College gym next Wednesday night, April 14th.

The basketball teams are sponsoring this program in an effort to raise money toward their sweaters. You probably have had a hankering to see those characters that make up the National Jamboree, so now you have the chance and also an opportunity to help the basketball teams out.

### MULKEY THEATRE TAKES ON NEW APPEARANCE

The Mulkey Theatre took on a new appearance the past week when the new Marquee which has been on order for many months, finally arrived and was placed in position above the front awning of the Theatre.

This last piece of work put the final touch on the Mulkey which is now declared as one of the best in the entire Panhandle area, both inside and out. You now can drive down main street and see what is playing at the Theatre from quite a distance and the neon system that lights up the Marquee gives an added appearance to main street.



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HUDGINS

Mrs. S. M. Harp

Bro. Issack is to preach this next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tims of Levelland spent the weekend visiting in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Self and children returned home Saturday night from the South Plains for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kay Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harp called in the L. O. Christie home at Martin Friday afternoon.

Dan Barker spent one night last week with his brother Earl Barker and family of Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Meador of near Hedley spent Sunday in the Leon Foster home.

Wanda and Betty Elliott spent Sunday with Druceilia Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker and Mary visited the Geo. Self home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie and

Drew of Martin took Sunday dinner in the Harp home. Mr. Harp, Mr. Christie and Drew called in the Geo. Self home in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bufford Holland and son and at Hedley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stout of Levelland were among those to visit in the John Perdue home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harp called in the Jones home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster and Druceilia called in the Harp home Monday night until bed time.

ASHTOLA

Betty Wilson

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Naylor of Lelia Lake were honored with a dinner, celebrating their 29th wedding anniversary in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey Sunday. Those attending were Mrs. Mary E. Clayton, Mrs. W. A. Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Norman and sons Sammy and James and Robert Naylor all of Amarillo;

Roy Cornelius and daughter Georgia of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue and Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue of Hudgins called in after Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Posey of Claude visited in the Slaton Mahaffey home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. John Wynn and Mrs. Painter of Hedley spent Sunday in the John Allen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell Thompson enjoyed a 42 party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Allen home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Goble Barker spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting their daughter and her husband. They returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Marshall, Leota and Patsy Wallace spent the weekend at Littlefield with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cook of Borger spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wallace and took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey took their son-in-law, John Dial home Saturday and spent the weekend with them and their son Tate Poovey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Springer and Don of Hedley and Mrs. Ida Wallace and Tom Gillespie of Clarendon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wallace Sunday.

Lorena Davis came in Sunday. She is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Murl Holland spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Eleanor Holland.

How Many Farms In The Ocean?

Many years ago a wise Midwest farmer recognized what was happening to good farming land in America when he said, "The best of my farm is down below New Orleans."

And this week Howard T. Kingsbery, Chairman of the Texas PMA Committee, wonders if anyone has thought to count the number of farms which go under the bridge during a single flood season. He bases his figures on the fact that the deep accumulations of silt in the deltas of the great rivers of this country is primarily the top soil of farms carried by unchecked water.

Tests show, says the chairman, that around 400 million tons of top soil rolls down the Mississippi river each year. An inch of topsoil from an acre of land weighs between 140 and 150 tons. At 150 tons of topsoil per acre, this loss would mean the equivalent of an inch of topsoil from the surface of nearly 17,000 farms of 160 acres each.

And even more serious, says the chairman, the topsoil comes from the best land on the farm—the land that is to row crops or which is being worked most to produce the nations crops.

Says the chairman, "Like the sand in an hour-glass, the soil at the top is going down. But unlike the hour-glass the process cannot be reversed. The topsoil does not run back."

"From the limited amount of topsoil, which is getting less each year, must come the 435 million meals a day for the 145 million people in this country. In addition tons and tons of food are needed to keep Europe from going under."

"And every farm that goes under the bridge means just that much less land from which to grow the food we need—that much more of a burden on the land that is left."

Mr. Kingsbery said that the primary objective of the Agricultural Conservation Program is to reduce this loss. "Through this program," he points out, "the Na-

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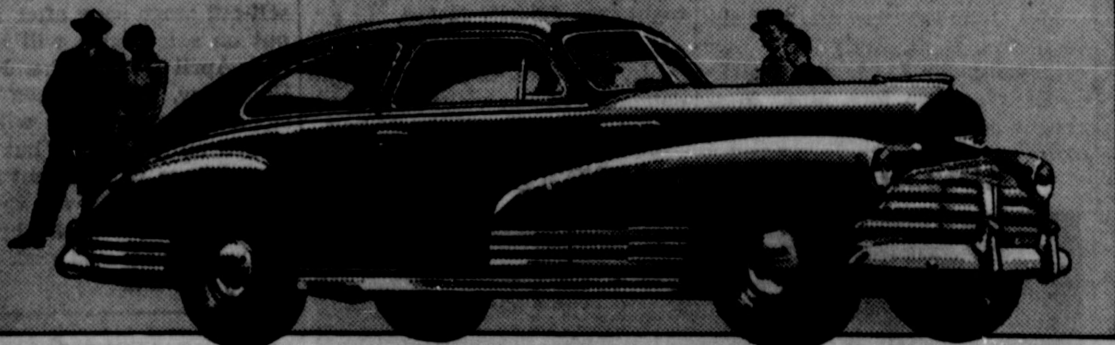
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In accordance with Chapter 3, Title 4 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended by the 41st Legislature, the Governor of the State of Texas has appointed a Pink Bollworm Commission which will meet at the County Courtroom at Childress, Texas on Wednesday, April 21, 1948 at 10:00 A. M. for the purpose of receiving information from all interested parties which will enable them to make appropriate recommendations to the Governor of the State of Texas for the

adoption of necessary measures to combat this dangerous cotton insect pest.

The following counties are involved in this meeting:

Gray, Wheeler, Donley Collingsworth, Hall, Childress, Hardeman, Foard, Wilbarger, Wichita.

J. E. McDonald
Ex-Officio Secretary
Pink Bollworm Commission (8-c)

L. L. Wallace left Sunday for Quero, Texas on a business trip to be gone several days.

Lloyd and Claude Hefner of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hefner.

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**SKYLINE TIDINGS**

By DODO  
(the flightless bird)

We've been having a little bit of competition this week out at the old stamping ground—the wind! But in between gusts, some of the planes and their pilots defied the weather and when it was pretty—those planes were kept busy.

Dr. Welch and Mr. Joe Jones made an emergency trip to Oklahoma to return with some blood to be tested last Friday night. Mr. Stevens came over Tuesday

from Shamrock to get his Aerionica and spent the day getting acquainted with Clarendon while he waited for the wind to calm down. Around dark it became calmer but was still a bit breezy when Steve left.

Mr. Jones and Mr. Taylor flew to Erick, Okla. Wednesday to get a Cessana and bring it here for repairs. And although the wind wasn't blowing too hard, they dodged rain all the way back.

The lazy-8 boy's air knocker is "plumb" tucked out and panting for breath. She really has been on the go since she got her new prop.

Thursday morning Matt Taylor and Carrol Deahl made a quick trip to Amy-town to visit Mr. Deahl's father who was in the

hospital.

The spot landing contest Friday was won by Mr. A. High Wind—but the pilots and air enthusiasts present made up for it all by stuffing themselves with hot dogs and marshmallows and coffee. And there was a dandy ball game going on for awhile. Still stiff in the joints? Everyone says they should get together more often and we agree!

Dr. Keith S. Lowell returned Saturday night from visiting his ranch in Montana and Sunday afternoon was off again with Dr. Welch to Amarillo.

Clarendon is on the map again! The first sunrise breakfast of the year is to be here APRIL 18, 1948. Let's everybody be there—Serving starts at 7:00.

Willard Knox! - honest, they didn't put safety belts in airplanes for ornamentation. They are to use! Mr. Knox flew with Mr. Jones to Erick, Okla. Sunday and came back by way of Shamrock to pick up an Ecoupe. Willard was so excited to get to fly the Funk that he got a sleepy-eyed Joe Jones out of bed at 5:00 o'clock—FIVE O'CLOCK—mind you, and then tried to take off with his safety belt hanging outside and flopping in the wind.

After 4 years of faithful flying without a scratch Old Betsy has to have a new prop because a green pilot got too cocky.

That old wrecked airplane outside Joe's hangar wasn't hurt by pilot trouble. The wind just got too high last week at Groom and all of a sudden the ropes and stakes refused to hold and over she (the airplane) went. Now she is on the Clarendon Airport for people to look at and ask, "Did anyone get hurt?"

**WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER**

By Cong. Eugene Worley

Here's some good news for people of the Panhandle and especially for veterans. The Veterans Administration at Washington has finally agreed to recommend enlargement of the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo from its present 186 beds to 500 beds. It has been an uphill struggle to secure this favorable action but it is well worth the time and effort spent. This is YOUR Hospital and the addition will greatly relieve the crowded conditions. In many cases, veterans from the Panhandle have been unable to secure badly needed medical attention at the Amarillo Hospital and have been compelled to make long trips to other Veterans Hospitals.

I would like to thank the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and other groups over the Panhandle and neighboring states, together with a number of fine substantial individuals who have lent invaluable aid in our efforts to secure enlargement of this Hospital. The resolutions and letters have been most helpful to me in preparing data to support our contentions that the Hospital should be enlarged.

Last week I introduced legislation providing for 350 additional beds and other necessary buildings and equipment and authorizing an appropriation of \$3,000,000 for such construction. With an economy-minded Congress, the actual appropriation of the money for the construction of these additions will probably be difficult, but I expect to take this legislation directly to the Veterans Administration, Bureau of the Budget, and the President himself and make every effort to have it included in this year's appropriation. To anyone not familiar with legislative procedure, this is somewhat unusual but will be faster than the regular procedure. I feel the merits of our cause justify every effort and with the continued help and loyal cooperation of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and all

other interested parties, I hope the addition will soon become a reality.

**CARD OF THANKS**

No one but God can know how much we appreciate the beautiful floral offering, nice food, words, and deeds our friends said and did for us, during the illness and death of our loving husband, father, and grandfather. May God's richest blessing be with you always is our prayer.

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Charley Ann Whitt  
Mrs. L. F. Hauck  
Ann, Don, and  
David Lee Hauck.

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Whereas, by agreement made on or about November 1, 1946, Harry B. Lamkin and Herman B. Parson did enter into a co-partnership known as the H-B Electric which business was electrical appliances and contracting and whereas stock of goods and merchandise and business belonging to the partnership at a value set and agreed upon by said parties.

That the said Herman B. Parson has the power to collect the debts now due to the partnership and receive any or all part of the same in the name of the same by suit at law or otherwise and that the said Herman B. Parson will

assume all indebtedness of said partnership and relieve the other partner of any further or future indebtedness or liability thereon and the said business is to be conducted at the same place and in the same name in Clarendon, Texas, by the said Herman B. Parson.

Witness our hand this 5th. day of April, 1948.

Signed  
Harry B. Lamkin  
H. B. Parson (8-4c)

Mrs. Monica Harvey who has been at Amarillo the past month for medical treatment returned home Saturday. Her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harvey brought her home and visited awhile.

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War Assets Administration's fast moving disposal program of government surplus buildings moves West to the "Panhandle of Texas"—This time to Childress Army Airfield, Childress, Texas. Over 75 buildings, including mess-halls, supply, repair shops, recreation, lavatories, administration, barracks, post office—and various other types of structures will be sold to the highest acceptable bidders.

The sale is open to the General Public. Sales procedure is simple. All you have to do is be present the day of the sale—Bid on the various buildings or building you desire and if you are the successful bidder, title will be conveyed "then and there."

Buildings are sold for off-site use only and include all the fixtures they now contain. Buildings may be inspected from 8:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M., any day, with the exception of Saturdays and Sundays, between April 8 thru 20, 1948.

All sales will be final on an "as is, where is" basis, subject to War Assets Administration Rules and Regulations and Terms and Conditions of Sale.

A list of buildings and copy of Sales Agreement may be obtained on the Site, or by addressing the office shown below.

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- Get listings of buildings and Conditions of Sale.
- Inspect buildings April 8 thru 20, 1948.
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# Society

Mrs. J. C. Estlack, Society Editor  
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## FARMERS UNION YOUTH PARTY

Donley County Farmers Union Youth held an April Fool's eve party at the Martin school house last Wednesday night. Thirty young people and adults attended this social function.

This is the first meeting of this kind to be held with Martin, Goldston and Chamberlain Farmers Union young people.

The next meeting of Donley County Youth will be held at Martin school house May 3rd.

Mrs. W. L. Jordan sponsored this meeting, assisted by Mrs. Ethel Overturf, State Educational Director.

Mrs. Jordan presented the first of a series of lessons based on "The Second Hundred Years", written by Gladys Talbot Edwards, National Educational Director, for Farmers Union. This book is a portrayal of farm family life and its past and present problems.

Stunts and musical games followed the lesson and popular and old songs were sung.

The young people used a formal friendship circle and sang "Taps" to close the meeting.

Refreshments were served by Mesdames Guy Sibley, W. L. Jordan, Floyd Crofford and Ben Kyser of Martin Local.

## LES BEAUX ARTS CLUB

Les Beaux Arts Club met on April 2nd in the home of Mrs. C. T. McMurtry.

During the business meeting it was decided to send the incoming president, Mrs. William Lewis Jr., to the District Federated Clubs convention at Pampa. Plans for City beautification were also discussed.

Mrs. C. C. Powell gave the art current event and Mrs. James Ross gave a very interesting program on "Art In Commerce" stressing, particularly the art of packaging and the necessity of artistic beauty in even such things as automobiles.

Delicious refreshments were served to seventeen members and one guest.

## GARDEN CLUB

The Garden Club will meet at Mrs. H. T. Warner's home at 3:30 p. m., April 13th.

## ASHTOLA NEEDLE CLUB

The Ashtola Needle Club met in the Club room at the school house, April 1st, with Laura Mahaffey and Mary Belle DeBord, hostesses.

Roll call was answered by each member telling of their most outstanding April 1, and their most embarrassing moments, which caused much merriment.

During the business session, fixing the school yard fence was discussed. Mrs. Myrtis Williams joined the club. Refreshments of ice cream, cookies and an April Fool surprise was served by the hostesses to the following members: Mesdames Delena Beverly, Myrtis Williams, Mary Henderson, Ima Wallace, Jo Harp, Naomi Green, Marcella Lovell, Dona Dewey, Nona Hinders, Vena Hudson, Mary Belle DeBord, Laura Mahaffey and Johnnie Poovey.

Polyanna gifts were distributed to a number of the members. Club adjourned to meet again on April 15, with Marcella Lovell and Nona Hinders as hostesses. —Reporter.

## GOLDSTON QUILTING CLUB

The Quilting Club met last Wednesday evening with Mrs. John Lemons. Members present were: Mesdames Mazie Eichelberger, Ida Stewart, Melba Moore, Francis Ford, Ruth Littlefield, Etta Reynolds, Charlene Reynolds, Ola McBrayer, Flossie Reynolds, Vena Brock, Martha Davis, Sallie Hatley, Lela Hinton, Nora Smith, Misses Nora and Geraldine Jackson, a new member, Thelma Swindle and the hostess Margaret Lemons. Two quilts were quilted.

The club will meet April 14 with Charlene Reynolds. —Reporter.

## DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Pat Slavin entertained this club at the home of Mrs. C. T. McMurtry Thursday afternoon. Games of bridge were played at two tables. Mrs. Slavin won high score. Those served a plate refreshment by hostess were Mesdames Sam Dyer, B. F. Kirtley, C. L. Benson Jr. C. T. McMurtry, W. K. Hardin, Warrin Fry, Ruth Kennedy and Mrs. Slavin.

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## CUE AND CURTAIN CLUB

The Cue and Curtain Club met with Sandra Shelton at her home Monday evening, April 5th.

Mary Ladelle Cox was first on the program and gave a very interesting talk on "Radio Speaking."

A debate on "The Racial Problem in Our State" was given by Loyd Hunt and Sammy Patterson. Lloyd was the winner of the debate and received a prize of one dollar.

Refreshments of individual apple pies, drinks, candy and nuts were served to 21 members.

## CHUCK WAGON DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Nash Blasingame and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard honored the following guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blasingame with a chuck wagon dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. W. Allard and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Allard of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Van Meter Jr., Patricia and Jimmie of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Scott Dunham and Freddie, Faye Dunn and C. L., Perry Whittmare, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt, Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Thompson, Tom and Harry, all of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Slim Lee of Claude; Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Noel of Quitaque; Mrs. Roy Lyse of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baird of Clarendon; Dorothy and June Selmon, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Selmon of Brice, Slim Sisk of Brice, Mrs. W. E. Schott Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Vaughtner Self and Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allard, John, David and Bill Schott of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson and Lloyd of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Vaughn and Norma Jean of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Buster Campbell and Gar yof Brice; Mr. and Mrs. Shafe Weaver and Sharon of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blasingame, Tommy and Nan of Clarendon.

## 1920 CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Clyde Slavin entertained with three tables of contract bridge at her home Friday afternoon. Mrs. Pat Slavin won high score; Miss Charlotte Molesworth, low. At the close of the games a delicious refreshment of pie and coffee were served to invited guest, Mrs. Evelyn Moore, and to club members, Mesdames Sam Dyer, B. F. Kirtley, Ray Palmer, Gertrude Knorpp, Pat Slavin, Lawrence Neece, Jack Molesworth, Warrin Fry, Geo. Norwood, and Miss Charlotte Molesworth and hostess, Mrs. Slavin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mooney and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Mooney's father, Mr. Owen Davidson at Gatesville, April 1st. They returned home Sunday.

## \*\*\* Fashions \*\*\*



You'll look your best while traveling in the crisp pique-trimmed cotton suit shown above as pictured in the April issue of Good Housekeeping magazine. Note the over-size pockets. Also in brown or green.

Mrs. N. S. Percival spent the Easter Holidays in Amarillo with her children. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Semrad from Amarillo were visiting relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

## MARTIN QUILTING CLUB

The Martin Quilting Club met in the home of Mrs. Gracie Crofford Thursday April 1st with an all day quilting. There were 24 present. A delicious covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour. Two quilts were quilted.

Those to enjoy the day were guests Mrs. Lois Underdown, Selma Kennedy, Lavis McGough, all of Clarendon; members Billie Barbee, Ruthie Gray, Ruby Jordan, Lois Stevenson, Anna Waldrop, Helen Land, Nola Hill, Blanche Higgins, Ola Bradshaw, Lavern Horton, Margaret Waldrop, Eunice Land, Wynne Barker, Sallie Christie, Lizzie Morrow, Willie Marshall, Ruby Fitzgerald, Lela Bulman, Lois Sibley, Bessie Helton and the hostess, Gracie Crofford. Nola Hill and Ruby Fitzgerald each received a lovely Polyanna gift.

Next quilting will be with Lois Sibley on April 15th. Let's not forget our Polyannas on their birthdays and anniversaries. —Club Reporter

## A SURPRISE PARTY

There was a very nice surprise birthday party given for James Monty Smith at his home on April 5, 1948. It was a real surprise to him too. There was a very lovely two layer birthday cake, with punch and sandwiches served to the following: Martha Nichols, Bill Noblet, Venita McClellan, Glen Wallace, Harlene Smith, Don Landers, Frankie White III, Kay Schollenbarger, Donald Smith, Biffie Blair, Eva

Lee Farr, Geneva Smith, including the hostesses which were Mrs. J. Fred Smith, Mrs. Mavis Parker, Miss Doris Louise Smith and two other guests were Leonard Parker and Annette Parker. The party ended at 9 p. m.

## WIN ONE CLASS

The Win One Class of the Methodist Church met in its monthly social meeting Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. C. Powell and Mrs. Payne as hostesses in the home of Mrs. Powell.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Cook; business was in charge of the president, Mrs. Bartlett. A lovely lunch plate was served to Mesdames Bartlett, Benson, Bourland, Taylor, Rhoades, Goldston, Connally, Boston, McMurtry, Charley McMurtry and the hostesses.

Mrs. N. C. Hudson, Mrs. Forrest Helton and three boys, Mrs. J. B. Sexton and Judy, Mrs. Van Cope and Jimmy, all of Happy and Bob Hudson of the Navy visited Thursday with their mother and grandmother here, Mrs. M. M. McCracken.

Mrs. Jessie Quarles of Newton, Kansas spent Sunday night and Monday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Joe Hays of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hays and children of Dallas spent the weekend with home-folks.



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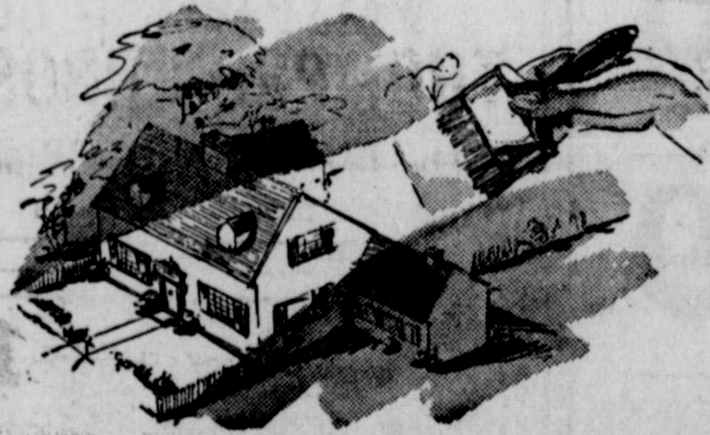
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**SENIOR CLASS STAGES LAST ASSEMBLY PROGRAM**

By John Gordon  
Last Friday the Senior Class of Clarendon High School put on their last Assembly program. This was the last chance for them to parade before the student body. They took their last chance and did a very fine job. Jerry LaGrone acted as the master of ceremonies. Talent galore was displayed. Everything from Boogie-woogie to Beethoven tickled the keys of the, not too well tuned, school piano. There were solos, duets, trios for variety. This program was really an enjoyable one and Mrs. Goodner and Miss Howren, with the talents in the Sophomore class, will have to go a long way to beat the Seniors. The Sophomores will hold the next Assembly program.  
The only marring effect was the little group of isolationists which always sit on the south side of the auditorium in the rear.

**Use ACP In Producing Goals, Says County Chairman**

"Produce your goals, but don't overlook ACP practices as a way to offset the drains on your land," is the advice of Roy Jewell, Chairman of the Donley County Agricultural Conservation Committee. Farmers in the county have a choice of about 14 different practices in order to qualify for assistance under this years program.  
Farmers know that their land is being pushed too hard and want to start returning to better rotations and more soil-conservation practices. Mr. Jewell explained. At the same time, the continuing large demands for food, both in this country and abroad, make it necessary to keep farm output of most crops at wartime highs. So farmers generally go along with the goals, and take whatever steps they can to rebuild and keep it from washing away.  
National totals on the 1948 goal acreages are expected to be some-



**PARTY HARMONY** — Texas Democratic leaders are shown with Gov. Beauford Jester as they made plans for party unity at a conference in Austin. Front row, left to right: Mrs. R. A. Thompson of Goliad, vice president of the Texas Association of County Chairmen; Jester, and Arthur Stevenson of Dallas, president of the county chairmen. Back row, left to right: Robert W. Calvert of Hillsboro, chairman of the Texas Democratic Executive Committee, and Jimmy Brinkley of Houston, state president of the Young Democrats.

where around 354 million acres. The exact figure is not known just now because the goals for peanuts, some types of tobacco, sweet potatoes, and truck crops for processing are still under consideration by States. Assuming the 1948 goals for these few crops at department-recommended levels, however, the 1948 goal of around 354 million acres would exceed the 1947 actual acreages by 7.5 million acres.

**Political Announcements**

Political announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. All announcement fees must be paid in advance.

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- Sheriff, Assessor & Collector:  
GUY WRIGHT
- County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:  
J. S. (Sam) DALE  
RICHARD (Dick) CANNON
- Precinct No. 2:  
J. R. BULLS  
W. D. SHELTON  
CECIL THOMAS  
R. O. (Dick) THOMAS
- Precinct No. 3:  
F. M. MURRAY  
HENRY MOORE  
JOHN W. SWINNEY
- Precinct No. 4:  
GEORGE PRESTON
- Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2:  
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**Health Notes**

AUSTIN — Pellagra, although not a communicable disease, is one of great concern to public health officials in Texas and other southern states. The disease is caused by the lack of certain essential foods, and as it comes on slowly, it may not be recognized until the victim begins to have the more serious symptoms, such as sore mouth, stomach trouble, and reddening and scaling of the skin.  
"When these symptoms appear, the disease has been present for some time," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "The longer an individual has pellagra the harder it is to cure. It is advisable, therefore, to watch for the early symptoms such as nervousness, indigestion, and burning of the hands and feet, and if these symptoms appear, treatment should be instituted at once.  
In its advanced stages pellagra may become so severe as to not only cause physical suffering but seriously affect the mind."  
Pellagra is not contagious and it can be prevented entirely by including the right kinds of foods in the daily diet. These essential foods are milk, fresh meat, whole wheat products, brewer's yeast, and salmon, as well as tomatoes and other fresh fruits and vegetables. Including these foods in the daily diet will prevent pellagra, and as in the case of any disease, it is much better to prevent it than to cure it.  
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Goodman and Janet visited in McLean Sunday.  
The many friends of Mr. J. W. Beard will be glad to learn that he is much improved at this time. Mr. Beard recently had a severe heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tatum had for supper guests Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lister of Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Taylor Jones and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Semrad of Amarillo.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Semrad, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Taylor Jones and baby of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Lister of Phillips were dinner guests of Mrs. Laura Taylor Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Griswell of Shamrock visited her mother, Mrs. W. D. Martin Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Coleman of Shamrock visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Martin Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown and children of Alanreed, Hubert Rhoades of Ashtola, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green and L. B. Mauldin of Borger visited Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rhoades and Helen over the weekend.

After spending the winter at Mexico City and Tampico, Mr. N. R. Heath is at home with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith for an extended visit.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hutson of Ft. Worth are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Spurgeon. They will visit in Borger for a few days and will return here for a longer visit.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hughes of Pampa spent the weekend in the L. L. Wood home.  
Sam Darden who has been at the Underwood Clinic at Amarillo the past 6 weeks was able to be brought home and thinks he is much improved.  
Mrs. N. S. Percival has received a message that her twin sister, Mrs. Hepler at Winston-Salem, N. C. is seriously ill.

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Mr. and Mrs. Blair and daughter Patsy and John Miller Morris visited in Wellington Sunday.  
I. B. Todd of Amarillo visited his mother, Mrs. A. P. Todd Wednesday night.  
Mrs. Victor Smith is visiting her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gill at Hico.

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  - Any resident of a county in which these railways operate is eligible, except employees of these railways, their advertising agency, and their families.
  - Contest closes May 10, 1948. All entries must reach a Fort Worth and Denver City or Wichita Valley Railway ticket office not later than 5:00 p. m., that date, or be mailed to "ESSAY CONTEST" at the address shown for your district, postmarked not later than May 10th. No entries returned. All essays become the property of Fort Worth and Denver City Railway.
  - Entries will be judged on accuracy of material, evidence of historical research, style and neatness by a committee of three qualified judges in each contest district. Names of judges will be published by May 10th. Decisions of judges shall be final.
  - One winner will be chosen from each of the five contest districts shown below. Winner in each district will be notified by registered mail. Winners will be announced in the press and presented on a special DIAMOND JUBILEE broadcast on Radio Station WBAP-820, Fort Worth, 10:30-11:00 p. m., May 26, 1948.
- CONTEST DISTRICTS AND HEADQUARTERS**
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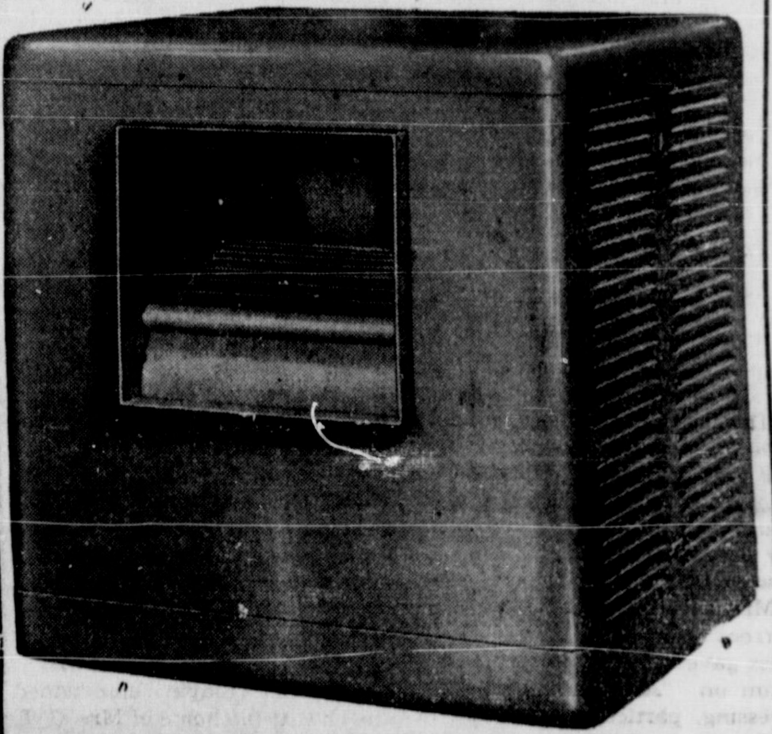
**Burlington Route FORT WORTH and DENVER CITY RY. THE WICHITA VALLEY RY.**

Horace Potect of Springfield, Colo. spent Saturday night with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hill.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Piercy received word this week that their daughter Mrs. Jean Tholl underwent an appendectomy Thursday. She is doing fine at this time. Friends may write her at Merimac Ave., Hampton, Va.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Killough left Wednesday for Fort Worth to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bownds and family. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Killough's mother, Mrs. H. Bellah from Childress.

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**TOMATO JUICE** Marco—46 oz. Can **26c**

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**BEANS** Marco, French style, No. 2 Cans—3 for **50c**

**LEMONS** Sunkist—Dozen **30c**

**PAPER TOWELS** Round Rolls—Each **19c**

**Gelatine Dessert** Pickwick, Strawberry—1 1/2 lb. Can **69c**

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**FOR SALE**—4 wheel baby buggy \$10, also baby bed mattress \$3, both as good as new. Phone 369-R. (8-p)

**WATERMELON SEED**—Yellow Meat Tender-Sweet, Black Diamond and Blue Rind Watermelon seed in bulk at **Stocking's Drug Store**

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**MILK FEVER**—If your milk cow is exhausted and down after calving try Calcium Gluconate with Dextrose for immediate relief. Get it fresh from **Stocking's Drug Store**

**TRACTOR MAGNETOES** Factory Authorized Sales & Service **HOMER BONES** (52fc)

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**FOR SALE**—800 lbs. used barbed wire 5c lb. 90 posts 30c each. See D. B. Perdue. (10-p)

## WANTED

**WANTED** — Sewing to do. For pick-up and delivery on two or more garments call 353-W. Mrs. John Lemons. (10-p)

**WANTED**—Would like to do yard work. Call 940-F11 or contact Arthur Dowd, Box 602. (8-p)

**WANTED**—Custom Sewing, Mrs.

M. E. King, second house west of Mooney Building. (8-p)

**WANTED** — Will pay 90c per hundred for Scrap Iron. Deliver to Smith Gin. Jerome Price. (12-p)

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**FOR RENT**—Bed room in private home. Mrs. Joe Ray. Phone 120-W. (7-2c)

**FOR RENT** — 5 room furnished apartment, private entrance and bath. Call 383-M. (8fc)

**FOR RENT** — Large front bedroom with kitchen privileges, near business district. Middle aged woman preferred, will consider couple. Mrs. D. W. Clampitt. (8fc)

**FOR RENT** — Furnished apartment. Mrs. E. M. Ozier. (8fc)

## LOST & FOUND

**STRAYED**—White Face yearling heifer. Reward. Glenn Williams Phone 932-F11. (8-p)

**LOST**—600-16 Tire mounted on red wheel for model A Ford. Reward. Return to Manuel Walker (Colored). (8-p)

## MISCELLANEOUS

**NOTICE**—Due to circumstances beyond our control we will be closed during the month of April. **Darden Upholstery Shop** (8fc)

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## CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank my many friends who supported me in the City election Tuesday for one of your City Commissioners, and I found the other two men who were in the race to have been perfect gentlemen in the race. I also want to thank you voters who did not support me for going to the polls and casting your votes. As long as we go to the polls and vote on all issues there will be no danger of our democratic form of life. And now let's all help make Clarendon a better place to live. **Your Hired Hand Chas. G. Speed**

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### Qualified Teachers For Texas Schools Hard To Get

AUSTIN, April 6—Texas will continue to have difficulty obtaining the qualified teachers it needs despite salary increases granted by the last legislature, it was predicted here recently.

"The high cost of living has more than offset the raises in pay," Miss Emma Mae Brotze of

Marshall, president of the Texas State Teachers Association, declared.

"We are grateful because the legislature provided a minimum salary scale of \$2,000 annually for teachers with degrees. That has made the average salary of our teachers \$2,500.

"The fact remains, however, that Texas is still under the average pay for teachers in the United States and that increasing cost of living is forcing many people to

look to other lines of endeavor for their livelihood.

"Obtaining a degree which qualifies a person to teach in Texas schools is a costly process. It is quite likely that the fact that teachers receive 12 per cent less than the average pay for all employed persons in the United States, including laborers, is little inducement for persons to train for and enter the teaching profession."

Miss Brotze pointed out that conservative figures of the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics reveal that the cost of living has increased 63.8 per cent since before the war.

"The average salary of Texas teachers, \$2,500, is equal to a pay check of \$1,526 in the 1935-39 period," the state teachers president said.

"In purchasing power, that means the dollar will now buy only what 61 cents would before the war.

"Take home pay of teachers has also decreased due to the fact that federal income tax is now levied on their salaries. That was not done prior to 1936.

"With income tax reductions, the average salary of Texas teachers is equivalent to \$1,306 before the war.

"So long as high prices continue; so long as the federal government pays larger salaries for persons requiring college degrees, and teachers get less pay than semi-skilled workmen, I do not believe the profession will appeal to the type of person we want to teach our children." Miss Brotze pointed out that teachers' pay has never been comparable to others and that increases have not kept pace.

"Labor Bureau statistics reveal that teachers throughout the United States received pay increases totaling 65.5 per cent from 1939 through 1947," she said.

"That may, at first glance, appear large.

"Consider, however, the increased cost of living and the pay increases granted in other lines of work to meet the rising prices. Industrial workers, during the

same period, had increases totaling 101.7 per cent, wage earners in manufacturing 111.3 per cent and persons engaged in agriculture 304.3 per cent.

"Figures for present day income are not available, but the attraction other professions hold is shown by the 1939 average income of several groups. Lawyers averaged \$4,391, physicians, \$4,229, veterinarians \$2,240 and teachers \$1,400."

The federal government's lowest grade of pay in the professional field is \$2,691, Miss Brotze declared.

"Compare that with the \$2,000 minimum in Texas and one can readily see why the federal government attracts more people than does the school room.

"Federal salaries in the professional class are as high as \$10,000 a year. I know of no position in the Texas public schools which pays anything comparable to that."

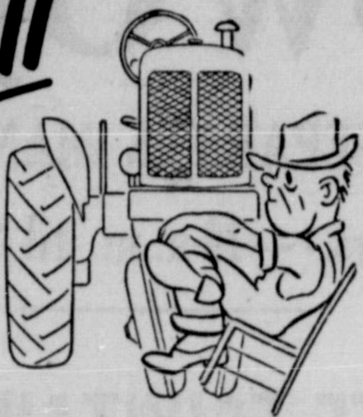
"The expenditure for education throughout the United States is only two per cent of the national income, as compared with as much as six per cent in some other countries.

"I am firmly convinced that if we are to staff our classrooms with persons properly trained to teach our children that it will be necessary to provide better salaries for our teachers."

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### Church News

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

L. A. Sartain, Pastor

10 a. m.—Bible School.  
Alfred Estlack, Supt.  
11 a. m.—Morning Worship Service.  
6:30 p. m.—Training Union.  
U. Z. Patterson, Director  
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship Service.  
4:15 p. m.—Monday G.A.  
6:30 p. m.—Monday R.A.  
3:00 p. m.—Wednesday, W.M.U.  
7:30 p. m.—Wednesday Mid-week Prayer Service followed by Choir Practice.

#### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Stanley W. Hayne, D. D., Pastor

SUNDAY, APRIL 9th  
9:45 a. m.—Church School.  
Morning Worship—10:50.  
Topic: "The Inescapable Christ"  
6:15 p. m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship.  
Evening Service—8:00 p. m.  
Topic: "Prescription For Happiness."  
Wednesday — 7:30 p. m., Mid-week Fellowship hour.

#### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Paul D. Wright, Pastor

Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship Service — 11:00 a. m.  
Youth Fellowship—6:30 p. m.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

W. T. Hines, Minister

Bible School—10:00 a. m.  
Preaching—11 a. m. & 7:00 p. m.  
Communion at 11:45 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
Ladies Bible study Wednesday at 3:30 p. m.  
Mid-week Bible study, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.  
You are welcome to every service.  
Evening Worship—7:00.

Frank White Jr., Paul Montgomery and Carroll Lewis left Wednesday morning for Pierre, S. D. on business.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Evans will leave Saturday for Ft. Worth where they will spend the next week attending the Texas State Dental Society meeting.

B. M. Wood and son Charles of Pampa visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hefner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins Jr. of Amarillo visited with his father, Dr. B. L. Jenkins Sunday afternoon.

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### WHAT IS YOUR T. L. Q. ?

(Ninth of a Series)

At the baseball game, you can't tell the players without a scorecard, and behind the wheel, you can't drive safely without knowing traffic laws and obeying them, according to W. J. Elliott, Chief of the Texas Highway Patrol.

"It's as simple as that," he said. "You can't be a safe driver unless you are a smart driver—and you are not smart unless you know and obey traffic rules."

Captain Polk Ivy of the Amarillo District said that accident reports indicated left turns at intersections as one of the common situations which cause trouble because drivers do not know the rules. As part of the nationwide "Know and Obey Traffic Laws" program in which the Texas Highway Patrol is participating, he listed the following things a driver should remember about right-of-way on left turns.

1. When you are turning left, you must give the right-of-way to a car in the intersection or approaching closely.

2. When you are approaching the intersection and a car which has been waiting in the intersec-

tion to turn left (then starts to make the turn) you must allow it to make the turn in front of you.

3. When you turn left, be sure you are in the correct lane and that you give a signal.

4. Don't insist on your right-of-way at the risk of an accident.

Mrs. Basil Kirtley Jr. left last week to join her husband Basil Kirtley Jr. at Austin after a three months visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kirtley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis of Porterfield, Calif. spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw.

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Mrs. W. T. Lowe is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Broadway at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Sam Darden underwent a major operation at the Clark hospital at Memphis.

Mrs. Clyde Butler spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rhoades.

H. T. Warner left Monday for Wichita Falls on business.

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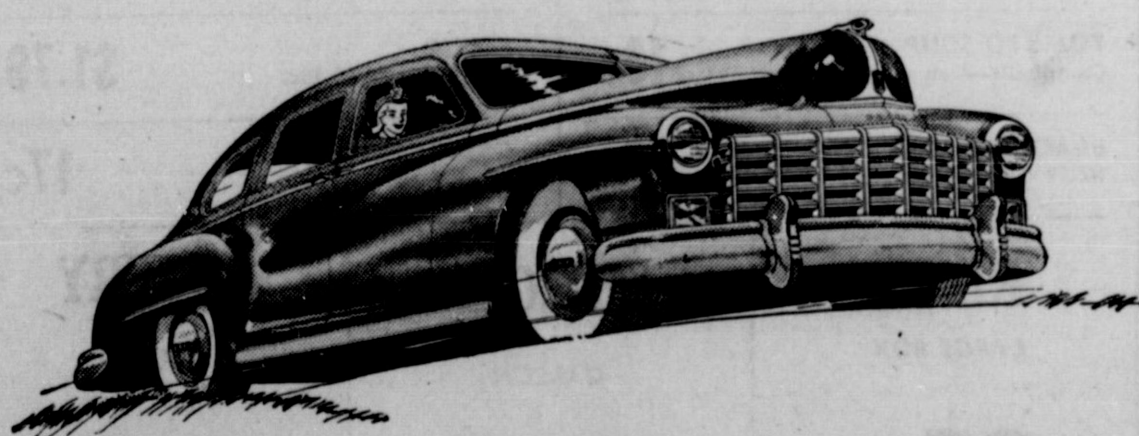
  

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<b>SUGAR</b> POWDER—2 lbs.	<b>25c</b>	<b>COCONUT</b> White—Can	<b>23c</b>
<b>WHITE SWAN</b> Grapefr't Juice 46 oz. Can	<b>18c</b>	<b>SOUR or DILL PICKLES</b> Quart Jar	<b>29c</b>
<b>Cigarettes</b> Carton	<b>\$1 65</b>	<b>Shortening</b> 3 lbs.	<b>98c</b>

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The other day Mama had me at work in the yard; making walks and fixing the lawn. The weather

was hot and I was worrying about making myself sick. It is bad enough to be sick, but to make yourself that way by worrying too hard is terrible. Anyway, my friends started coming by for a visit; William Avery came by to see the house; Mr. Reed came by to talk over the farm situation; Mr. Laycock came by to return his wheelbarrow that I had borrowed, and some salesmen. Thanks to all of you for giving me the little rests, and when Mama came home she complimented me on the amount of

work I had accomplished. (She knows little about how much a man could do, and don't ever tell her how much of the time I spent visiting.)

Thanks to Mr. Gerner of Donley County, and Mr. Dye of Claude, for writing to us in care of the Farmer-Stockman. It means a lot to us for someone to take the time from their busy day to drop us a line. Thanks a lot.

Thanks also, to the column called Testing, for the little pats on the back last week. It seems that every time that we have a lot of trouble finding something to write about he comes thru with some compliments to cheer me up, and that does help a lot. Thanks Editor Cecil, and the fact that this paragraph came just above the next one, has nothing to do with the fine things you had to say about us.

If we let ourselves listen to honey-coated sweet-talk, we are liable to get stung.

Although he has never written us a letter yet, he always tells us that he enjoys the little column, and that makes me happy. I am speaking of our good friend and neighbor, south of town, Quincy Bingham. And I hope I never let any of my good Quincy's down.

Received one of the best letters that I have received in a long time this week. It was from C. L. Nickel of Cleburne, Texas. Mr. Nickel had been reading my column for some time in the Farmer-Stockman, but did not know the author's real name. He was just about my favorite teacher in high school over at Shamrock, and taught me the most of what I knew, which was mostly about

math and nothing about writing a column. I forgot most of the math, but remembered some of the good advice that he gave me about how to live in this world. Anyway, thanks Mr. Nickel for doing the best you could by me.

### 1947 Conservation Payments

You the farmers of Donley County have done a good job the past year in improving your land and conserving the soil.

According to AAA reports there was a total of \$73,435.10 earned in ACP payments by the farmers in this county in 1947. The number of farmers who carried out ACP Payment practices in 1947 totals 472.

85 of these 472 farmers constructed nearly 1 1/2 million feet or about 285 miles of large ridge terraces to avoid having their land washed away and to keep the needed water on the soil.

56 farmers constructed 119,382 cubic yards of diversion terraces to keep millions of gallons of water off their cultivated soil.

The one practice carried out by the greatest number of farmers was that of leaving stalk and stubble on the land. 249 farmers carried out this practice on 19,590.5 acres as insurance against wind erosion.

There were 3,969 acres of pasture land seeded with adapted grasses. Some of these acres were old pasture being improved, some were new pasture land. The range land in Donley County has also been improved to a large extent by 120,521 cubic yards of earthen dams for stock water purposes.

Some of you farmers earned large payments, some very small depending on the size of your farm and the practices carried out. The largest payment to any one person in 1947 was to Mr. E. L. Sitter of McLean for \$3,122.24. T. L. Roach and Son of Amarillo received \$2,247.89 for the second largest payment earned. There were several payments of \$1,000.00 or over which went to W. J. Lewis, C. T. McMurtry, J. L. McMurtry, and Bill Cooke.

1947 can be considered a successful year by you farmers in more ways than one, but especially in soil building and protection. The County Committee and the AAA office staff are grateful for your splendid cooperation and for a job well done.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vallance and children visited his mother, Mrs. C. J. McBride at Weatherford the weekend, returning home Monday.

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The other day Mama had me at work in the yard; making walks and fixing the lawn. The weather

was hot and I was worrying about making myself sick. It is bad enough to be sick, but to make yourself that way by worrying too hard is terrible. Anyway, my friends started coming by for a visit; William Avery came by to see the house; Mr. Reed came by to talk over the farm situation; Mr. Laycock came by to return his wheelbarrow that I had borrowed, and some salesmen. Thanks to all of you for giving me the little rests, and when Mama came home she complimented me on the amount of

work I had accomplished. (She knows little about how much a man could do, and don't ever tell her how much of the time I spent visiting.)

Thanks to Mr. Gerner of Donley County, and Mr. Dye of Claude, for writing to us in care of the Farmer-Stockman. It means a lot to us for someone to take the time from their busy day to drop us a line. Thanks a lot.

Thanks also, to the column called Testing, for the little pats on the back last week. It seems that every time that we have a lot of trouble finding something to write about he comes thru with some compliments to cheer me up, and that does help a lot. Thanks Editor Cecil, and the fact that this paragraph came just above the next one, has nothing to do with the fine things you had to say about us.

If we let ourselves listen to honey-coated sweet-talk, we are liable to get stung.

Although he has never written us a letter yet, he always tells us that he enjoys the little column, and that makes me happy. I am speaking of our good friend and neighbor, south of town, Quincy Bingham. And I hope I never let any of my good Quincy's down.

Received one of the best letters that I have received in a long time this week. It was from C. L. Nickel of Cleburne, Texas. Mr. Nickel had been reading my column for some time in the Farmer-Stockman, but did not know the author's real name. He was just about my favorite teacher in high school over at Shamrock, and taught me the most of what I knew, which was mostly about

math and nothing about writing a column. I forgot most of the math, but remembered some of the good advice that he gave me about how to live in this world. Anyway, thanks Mr. Nickel for doing the best you could by me.

### 1947 Conservation Payments

You the farmers of Donley County have done a good job the past year in improving your land and conserving the soil.

According to AAA reports there was a total of \$73,435.10 earned in ACP payments by the farmers in this county in 1947. The number of farmers who carried out ACP Payment practices in 1947 totals 472.

85 of these 472 farmers constructed nearly 1 1/2 million feet or about 285 miles of large ridge terraces to avoid having their land washed away and to keep the needed water on the soil.

56 farmers constructed 119,382 cubic yards of diversion terraces to keep millions of gallons of water off their cultivated soil.

The one practice carried out by the greatest number of farmers was that of leaving stalk and stubble on the land. 249 farmers carried out this practice on 19,590.5 acres as insurance against wind erosion.

There were 3,969 acres of pasture land seeded with adapted grasses. Some of these acres were old pasture being improved, some were new pasture land. The range land in Donley County has also been improved to a large extent by 120,521 cubic yards of earthen dams for stock water purposes.

Some of you farmers earned large payments, some very small depending on the size of your farm and the practices carried out. The largest payment to any one person in 1947 was to Mr. E. L. Sitter of McLean for \$2,122.24. T. L. Roach and Son of Amarillo received \$2,247.80 for the second largest payment earned. There were several payments of \$1,000.00 or over which went to W. J. Lewis, C. T. McMurtry, J. L. McMurtry, and Bill Cooke.

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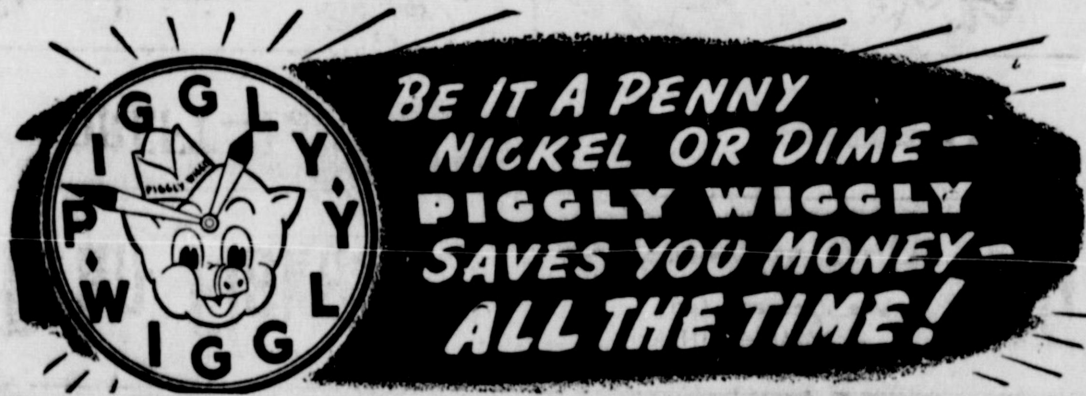
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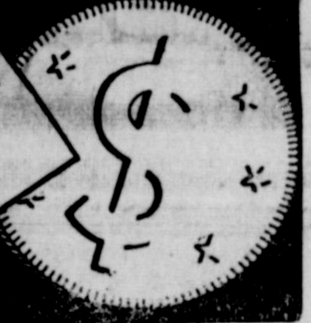
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