

THE CLARENDON NEWS

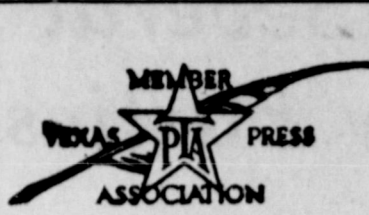
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A PROGRAM OF COUNTY-WIDE PROFIT

It is a most heartening sign when the directors and officers of the local chamber of commerce plan the annual banquet of the organization as an affair where there will be many farmers from all sections of the county as guests of their friends among the business men of Clarendon.

The Clarendon chamber of commerce knows that any program which benefits the farmers of this county is a program which will benefit every interest and every person in the county. It knows that the tried and tested milk cow with her able assistants, the hogs and the chickens, has proven the answer to farm independence in Donley, and it knows that when there is still more general adoption of the plan there will be greater financial independence and more well-being for the people of this county.

Farmers who are invited guests of this annual banquet affair will find a most entertaining program arranged, a speaker of ability and prominence, and a fellowship and welcome that will be worth while, even if it were not for the counseling together for better conditions, better business and better homes for us all.

Truly the program before us is one of county-wide profit.

A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION

Senator John S. Redditt, chairman of the finance committee of the last legislature, says there is no need for additional taxes to be levied by the new legislature. Governor Allred says he thinks some new taxes will be necessary.

This brings up a sharp difference of opinion, and while Texans generally share in the hope that there will be no new taxes levied, there is a suspicion that the governor may be right about it.

There must be a curbing of taxation in Texas if net earnings are to show much improvement.

A BELATED RESOLUTION

(By Clayton Rand)

If I were a business man and were doing some "resoluting" for the New Year, I'd first look one fact square in the face—business will be better in 1937.

Then, believe it or not, I'd figure out some way to present my story to the public intelligently and effectively through my local newspaper, and cash in on this increased prosperity.

The federal government has primed the business pump until we have more inflation than we had before the crash of 1929.

Business won't be good forever, but a man that can't make some money under present conditions might as well fold up his tent and look for a permanent berth on the public dole.

Laughing Around the World

With IRVIN S. COBB

Carrying It To Extremes

By IRVIN S. COBB

TO BE orthodox, in every story in which a policeman figures, the said policeman should be an Irishman. Any departure from this is a violation of the traditions.

Nevertheless, and all the conventions to the contrary, notwithstanding, the hero of this story is a policeman and not an Irishman. He is Scotch.

In my own defense let me state that there are such things in New York as policemen who are Scotch. For instance, I know a lieutenant at an uptown station-house who has an accent which suggests hot oat-



meal gruel running out of a narrow-mouthed jug. But our hero here was not a lieutenant, but a patrolman walking post in a Bronx precinct. However, before we introduce him it is necessary first to present the other principal character of the little tragedy.

That other character was Irish, but he was not on the force. He was an elderly civilian who had stopped on a stroll to watch a job of street repairing.

Three stories up above his head a housekeeper placed a large platter of corned beef and cabbage—a combination affectionately known in New York as "Red Mike"—on a front window ledge of her tenement. The ledge had a slant to it. The platter slid off and descending, struck the Hibernian bystander squarely on the head, bruising his scalp and covering him with the contents of the heavy dish.

He gave a loud cry of pain and astonishment and sank to the sidewalk. He was not badly hurt but he had suffered a severe shock. As sympathetic onlookers lifted him to a sitting posture the Scotch patrolman ranged up alongside and took in the sight.

"Well," he said, "I kened that all Irishmen were fond of corned beef and cabbage, but, laddy, you're the first one I ever kened to decorate himself with it."

(American News Features, Inc.)

JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"Suppose'n Ya Had T'live in that Cage? Den Ya'd Change Ya Tune!"

THE ENVY OF ALL NATIONS

America leads the world in life insurance outstanding—both in total volume, and in per capita holdings—by a tremendous margin.

No other people have done so much to create financial buffers to care for the troubles that may come in the future.

This is one more example of the fact that, in spite of hard times, the American people are the envy of all other nations.

HABITS RULE US

Thrift is a habit. A habit is a thing you do unconsciously or automatically, without thought. We are ruled by our habits. When habits are young they are like lion cubs, soft, fluffy, funny, frolicsome little animals. They grow day by day. Eventually they rule you. Choose this day the habit you would have to rule over you. The habit of thrift is simply the habit which dictates that you shall earn more than you spend. In other words, thrift is the habit that provides that you shall spend less than you earn. Take your choice.—Elbert Hubbard.

CHILD LABOR IN MANUFACTURING

Out of the commendable agitation for the elimination of child labor in the United States has already come one wholesome result. By hauling this question out into the open, the generally expressed belief that the bulk of child labor was employed in the manufacturing industries has been completely disproved.

The public now knows that of the children under 16 at work in 1930, the last available census, less than 10 per cent were employed in manufacturing. Or, stated another way, less than one per cent of the workers in manufacturing industries are under 16 years of age.

Nearly three quarters of all child labor in America is found in the fields of agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining. Communication, transportation and trade account for nine per cent. Seven per cent are in the domestic service and three per cent in professional or clerical jobs.

These figures bear out what enlightened industrialists have long known—that the great bulk of American industry is unalterably opposed to child labor and that American industries have freely and without compulsion steadily reduced the number of minors employed in manufacturing plants.

In spite of the fact that less than 1 per cent of manufacturing workers are children, the job of doing away with child labor is not finished. Industry has taken its stand without equivocation on this point and will not rest until the figure is even further reduced.

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CONDENSED STATEMENT

The First National Bank

Clarendon, Texas

United States Government Depository Close of Business December 31st, 1936.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing items like Loans and Discounts, Bonds and Securities, Capital Stock, and Surplus and Undivided Profits.

The above statement is correct. W. W. TAYLOR, Vice President and Cashier

Specials for Friday and Saturday

- Date and Nut Bread 15c, Cake Flour, Swans Down, Per Pkg. 30c, SHORTENING \$1.10, Mince Meat, Toilet Paper, Salmon, Nile Brand, Tall Can, 2 for 25c, PEACHES .19, Catsup, Soap Chips, Crystal White, Full 5 Lb. Pkg. 38c, Soap, C. W., P. & G., Big Ben, 6 for 25c

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LET US SHOW APPRECIATION

It takes a strong man to stand up gracefully under an overdose of praise and patting on the back. On the other hand there are those so constituted that they never do their best work unless appreciation is shown by others. This group we are satisfied is the larger one. We have known some mighty potentially capable men to shrivel up, become discouraged and say to themselves "What's the use" when their efforts were seemingly not appreciated. A slap on the back, a hearty cheer-up, my brother, will lighten his load in this old world and give you a start for t'other.—Ambassador.



Observe closely the qualities in yourself that you hate in others. Most of us pray for our own whims rather than for Divine guidance.

Business and Professional Directory

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Agent Southwestern Life Insurance Company

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Newspapers

THE CLARENDON NEWS is the most widely read newspaper in the Donley County territory.



Cleaners, Dyers

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Sinclair Products—Wholesale and Retail Everything for Your Automobile Firestone Tires

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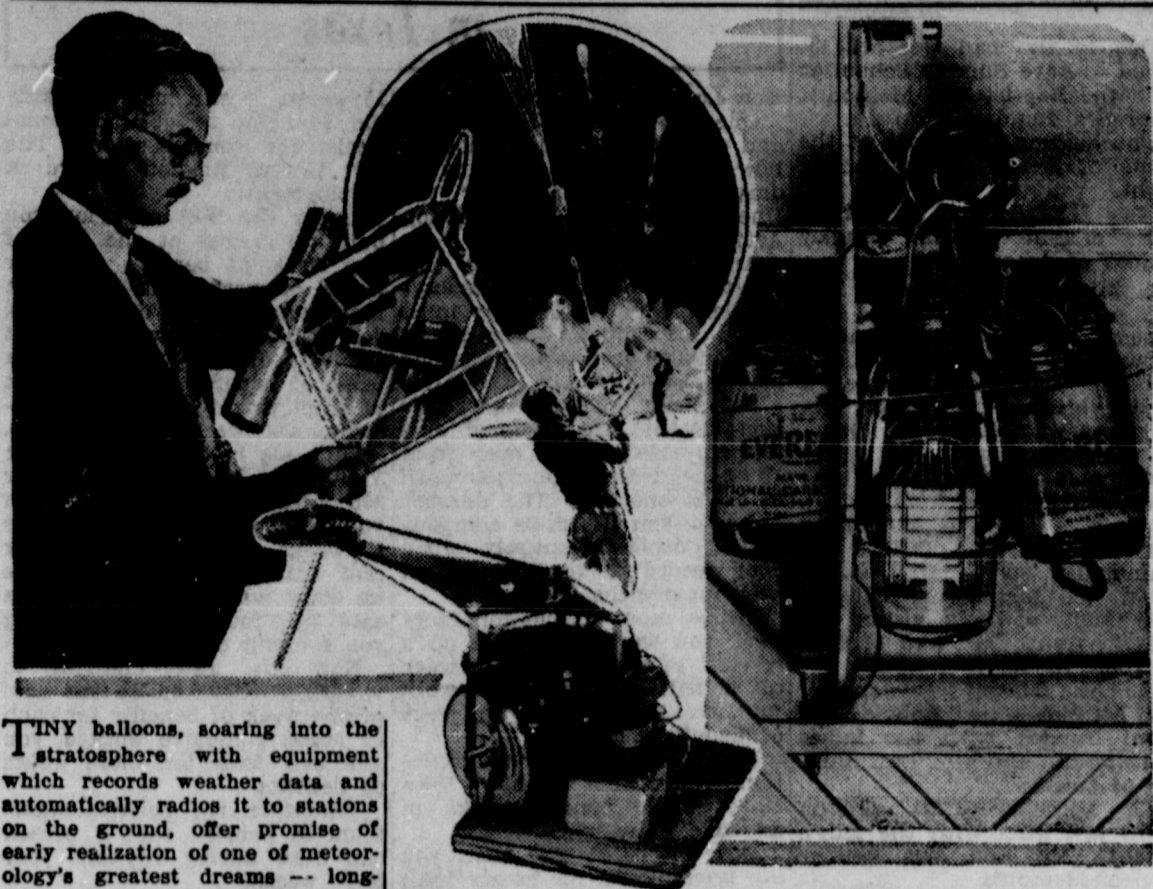
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Midget Radio Balloons May Help Forecast Weather



TINY balloons, soaring into the stratosphere with equipment which records weather data and automatically radios it to stations on the ground, offer promise of early realization of one of meteorology's greatest dreams -- long-range weather forecasting.

Fifteen balloons have just been sent aloft in flights conducted at Omaha, Neb., by the National Bureau of Standards, cooperating with the U. S. Weather Bureau.

If these tests confirm scientists' theories about the effect of stratosphere conditions upon weather, the Weather Bureau may be able to predict weather accurately as much as two weeks in advance, instead of the present 24 to 48 hours. This revolutionary meteorological advance, it was declared, would result in savings of millions of dollars yearly to farmers and to the shipping, fishing and other industries.

Complete studies of the stratosphere were formerly impossible because planes cannot enter that mysterious layer which lies outside the

Left, Dr. L. F. Curtis of Bureau of Standards, and radiometerograph ready to be attached to balloon. Lower center, radio instrument which "broadcasts" automatically. Upper right, tiny 45-volt "B" batteries in position for flight into stratosphere.

earth's normal envelope of air. Even if planes could penetrate the stratosphere, they could not go up in bad weather. Moreover, this method is too expensive to be practicable.

All these handicaps are overcome by the use of "mechanical scientists" in midget balloons. The method was developed through experiments begun and conducted by Dr. L. F. Curtis, of the Bureau of Standards.

So that large and expensive balloons would not be needed, it was necessary to reduce the weight of the equipment to the absolute minimum. Each balloon carries a power plant to radio the automatic record-

ings. To provide electricity, engineers of National Carbon Co. Inc., have developed the world's smallest "B" battery. A 45-volt battery, it is only two inches high and weighs but two ounces.

These balloons, going up in any kind of weather, have relayed records of temperature, humidity and air pressure when 25 miles in the air and when 80 miles distant from the ground station. The equipment is so inexpensive it does not have to be retrieved for future use. When lack of air density causes the bag to burst, the equipment floats to the ground on a parachute, so no one can be injured.

Public Health Check Important

"Check up on your health assets and liabilities during the first month of this new year, and establish a working balance in health that will carry you through the year," is the advice urged upon all citizens of Texas by Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Destruction of human beings by the forces of nature is often unavoidable, but sacrifice of life to preventable diseases results from neglecting the principles of health," he said, "and is due largely to man's supreme indifference to his physical welfare. The purpose of the periodic health examination is not the

diagnosis of a disease but the detection of physical defects or predisposition to disease and faults in living habits, the correction of which would have even a remote beneficial action on the life of the person examined. Disease, physical failure, and ultimate death are due not to time alone, but to definite physical causes. The periodic examination endeavors to determine the causes or defects so that they may be removed or corrected.

"Innumerable surveys and examinations have been made of preschool groups and of children in school to detect conditions that might lead to illness later on or to a physical handicap of some sort, if allowed to run on without correction. The annual physical check-up is the great bulwark against death dealing conditions of middle-life such as certain heart ailments, diabetes, pephritis, and other so-called degenerative diseases. These maladies oftentimes sneak up on one, so to speak, and work unannounced, up to a certain point. It is during this period that they are discoverable by the trained diag-

TUC Receives More Than 20,000 People

Austin — Status reports from more than 20,000 employers have already been received by the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission, R. B. Anderson, chairman, announced recently.

The Commission last week mailed status forms, known as Form TUC 1, to more than 90,000 Texas employers, requesting data on the number of men employed, the type of business engaged in, the basis of pay for employees and other pertinent information.

"In spite of the Christmas holiday season employers in every section of the State have been very prompt in sending in their filled-out reports," Anderson said. "While we have sought to send

nostic ability of the physician. "The unfortunate increase in premature deaths of middle-age and beyond, in a measure at least, can be credited to the public's lack of appreciation of the inestimable life-saving and disease-preventing value of the periodic physical examination."

Philosophy

Joy is the most of life and laughter is the dessert. A genuine artisan cares more for his work than for the lime-light. A woman often catches the Devil when she thinks she is catching a man.

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these forms to all employers in the state who might come under the Act, we realize that our list is incomplete," he declared. "We therefore urge all persons and firms who have not received these forms and who have employed as many as six (6) people at any time during 1935 or 1936 to write to the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission, Austin, Texas, immediately for their forms, specifying the number of employees they now have."

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Lets Talk About Clothes

Denton—Nothing equals the lure of new neck scarfs. Once an addict or collector the urge never dies, you keep buying and wearing the things. We shopped for new arrivals to wear under dark winter coats, and found a most satisfying assortment of brand new ideas.

For instance there are the paper prints—a nice newspaperish stunt in off-white soft silk that is especially effective. The scarf is slippery, slim, and soft to manage, in double loop or single twist around the neckline of suit, blouse or knitted outfit. The matching bags come in two distinctive styles; a round one with a sooty black satin button in the center and a strap; and a pouch affair with corners cut and a long loop for the wrist.

Silk squares in script letters, printed in contrasting colors come in several stunning combines and are a nice scroll idea to wear with

L. W. Skelton, who recently underwent an appendectomy at the Adair Hospital, is able to be back at his place of business this week.

a plain silk.

Another printed scarf has bands with the names of famous movie stars in contrasting color; and still others have an international alliance of tiny figures dressed in national costumes printed in an all over design against a clear one color background. These scarfs are square shape and can be doubled and worn as triangular styles.

Ascots of silk are blazing with such unusual designs as express labels, tiny reproductions of all the railroad stations in Paris, or some of the famous buildings. These are especially favored by girls at Texas State College for Women (CIA). In addition to the printed scarfs, the novelty crepe ideas with embroidered initials are rapidly gaining in popularity.

Bristol Boards at The News.

SIDELIGHTS

by MARVIN JONES Panhandle Congressman



Provision for crop production loans is one of the first tasks of the new Congress. It is of especial importance to our section.

For the last several years, it has been necessary to pass legislation at each session of Congress giving aid to farmers for planting their crops. Each year the need arose as great as that of the year before, and new provision was necessary.

It is essential that any aid given the farmers in producing their crops be given early in the year. Delay was often unavoidable and the need for annual legislation made the situation uncertain.

I have introduced a measure which broadens the base of the feed and seed loans and makes permanent provision for them, in order that the need may be met from year to year without the necessity of setting up legislative machinery each time.

The measure authorizes an appropriation for a revolving fund of fifty million dollars. This will make annual appropriations unnecessary.

The loan is broadened to include assistance not only for feed and for planting, cultivating and harvesting, but also supplies incident and necessary to such production.

The maximum to any one borrower is increased to four hundred dollars.

The purpose of these loans is to make essential funds available to farmers who are not able to qualify for credit under the production credit associations or to obtain sufficient funds elsewhere.

I had a conference with the President on this subject last week. He vetoed the crop loan measure last year, but at the urgent request of several of us, loans were provided for from emergency funds. I hope he will see fit to approve the new measure, taking into consideration the broadened base, the fact that the loans seem to be essential, and that they have been well administered.

The farmer of course wants to keep clear of debt. He is at last beginning to see the light of day.

However, correcting the evils of the past half century is a slow process that requires a careful approach. Provision must



"BE IT RESOLVED: That I will make use of the Electric Servant in 1937." One of the best New Year's Resolutions - a really MODERN Kitchen!

The West Texas Utilities Company long ago resolved that it would bring the West Texas housewife the maximum in service at a minimum cost. This vow has been kept to the letter. As proof, it reminds you that the average housewife today enjoys thrice the comforts of electric service known less than a score of years ago.

Yes, this policy of giving the housewife her money's worth, which has reduced the net average rate per kilowatt hour from as much as 20 cents to 5 cents, today makes electric service the cheapest commodity in the average home.

The modern home is equipped with many appliances that use but relatively few watts of electric energy per hour. Electric refrigerators, electric ranges and electric water heaters operate

on an incentive rate (discount) schedule that amounts to much less than 5 cents a kilowatt hour. There are 1,000 watts in a kilowatt—1,000 watts of energy for one house for 5 cents.

The new electrified home should be the model West Texas American home under these conditions. There is nothing prohibitive about the cost of operating any electric appliance. They have become staple products, recognized as standard for comfortable, modern homes—as much a fixture as the rug on your floor.

Modern housewives will pass a resolution today to modernize their homes in 1937, using the Electric Servant to eliminate drudgery and to stimulate the happiness that electricity served up to you has made possible in this great area.

You can secure your modern Electric Kitchen step by step. As you add each major electric appliance—refrigerator, range and water heater — you automatically receive the benefits of low incentive (discount) rates.



West Texas Utilities Company

Coming to Pastime, January 20-21



Myrna Loy and William Powell in "Libeled Lady"

Letters Describe Ideal Farm Home

Washington, D. C., January 4.—A composite picture of the ideal farm home appears vividly in 6,000 letters from farm women recently analyzed by the National Lumber Manufacturers Association. Written on school tablets, fine writing papers, butcher's paper, the letters throb with the dreams and longings of American farm women, responding to the simple question—"What is your ideal farm home like?"

Texas women prefer the square Colonial house painted cream or white. Five in every eight want

one-story homes and two-story houses are the next choice. More than two-fifths of the women prefer three-bedroom houses and one-fifth want four bedrooms. A large vote includes sun porches and ample cupboard space as prime necessities.

Half of the women ask for storage space, fireplaces, and a room for the hired man separate from the family rooms. Almost one-half ask for bookcases, French doors, built-in furniture, wash rooms, breakfast rooms and coat rooms and one-eighth, sewing rooms, milk rooms, clothes chutes and hardwood floors.

Annual Account of County Clerk

From January 1, 1936, to and including December 31, 1936. Showing Receipts and Disbursements of County Funds from January 1, 1936, to and including December 31, 1936.

JURY FUND—1st Class
Balance on Hand January 1, 1936 \$ 1,755.00
Receipts for year 7,702.92
Total Fund \$ 9,458.01

DISBURSEMENTS
Loaned to General Fund \$ 5,100.00
Loaned to Road and Bridge Fund 1,000.00
Waiting on Court 352.00

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—2nd Class
Balance on hand January 1, 1936 \$ 1,296.59
Receipts for year 1,482.25
By Loan from Jury Fund 1,000.00

DISBURSEMENTS
Road Work \$ 4,549.62
Gas and Oil 2,345.53
Machinery and Repairs 2,386.63

PRECINCT NO. 1:
Material and Supplies \$ 363.33
Road Work 2,203.83
Gas and Oil 1,386.56

PRECINCT NO. 2:
Road Work \$ 4,549.62
Gas and Oil 2,345.53
Machinery and Repairs 2,386.63

PRECINCT NO. 3:
Road Work \$ 2,464.18
Gas and Oil 1,441.93
Machinery and Repairs 1,488.71

PRECINCT NO. 4:
Road Work \$ 1,354.40
Gas and Oil 900.61
Machinery and Supplies 723.60

ARMSTRONG-DONLEY ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1
Balance on hand January 1, 1936 \$ 2,699.41
Receipts for Year 1,500.00
Total Receipts \$ 4,199.41

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935
Balance on hand January 1, 1936 \$ 520.45
Receipts for Year 2,220.86

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935A
Balance on hand December 31, 1935 \$ 650.54
Receipts for Year 2,569.20

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935B
Balance on hand January 1, 1936 \$ 650.54
Receipts for Year 2,569.20

GENERAL FUND—3rd Class
Balance on hand January 1, 1936 \$ 426.29
Receipts for Year 16,075.41

DISBURSEMENTS
County Judge, Salary \$ 375.00
County Attorney, Salary 720.00

County Assessor, Commissions 1,189.41
County Treasurer, Commissions 1,200.00
Sheriff's Salary 1,600.00

Jail Guard, Salary 990.00
District Clerk, Salary 625.00
County Clerk, Salary 500.00

County Agent, Salary 600.00
Court Reporter, Salary 720.00
Health Department 179.75

Pauper Account 1,122.52
Prisoners' Board Bill 1,225.90

Justices of the Peace, Office Rent and Fees 228.05
Inquests 10.00
Western Union 24.01
Laundry 40.2

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND—4th Class
Balance on hand January 1, 1936 \$ 885.13
Receipts for Year 2,566.58

JAIL SINKING FUND—5th Class
Balance on hand January 1, 1936 \$ 7,061.02
Receipts for Year 1,372.81

LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS OUTSTANDING
Road & Bridge Funding Bonds, Series 1935, dated 4-1-1935, maturing 4-1-1937 to 4-1-1953, bearing 5 1/2 per cent interest \$ 24,000.00

SECURITIES owned by Jail Sinking Fund, Warrants Nos. 5 to 10 inclusive, Armstrong-Donley Road District No. 1, dated October 1, 1930, due October 1, 1937, to October 1, 1942, bearing 6 per cent interest \$ 5,000.00

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY. I, W. G. Word, County Clerk in and for Donley County, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing account is true and correct and reflects the true condition of the County Finances as disclosed by the records in my office.

W. G. WORD, County Clerk, Donley County, Texas. Subscribed and sworn to before me, by W. G. Word, County Clerk, this 12th day of January, A. D. 1937.

S. W. LOWE, County Judge, Donley County, Texas.

on one side, rarebit being poured on untoasted side. Cheese No-les—4 tbsp. butter, 4 tbsp. grated cheese, 1 cup of milk, 1 tsp. flour, 1 egg. Make a white sauce of the above ingredients, adding the cheese just before removing from fire. Place cooked noodles and the sauce in layers in a baking dish.

Denton, Texas.—Cheese resembles milk in nutritive value. It is one of the oldest of milk products. Some cheese is made of skim milk, some from whole milk and some from cream. Since some of the water is removed in the manufacturing process, cheese is a highly digestible food. When eaten in addition to an adequate meal, it may seem to accuse digestive disturbances but if served as part of the meal, there should be no digestive troubles.

Cheese Balls—1 cup bread crumbs, 3-4 cups grated cheese, 1-4 cup butter, 1-8 tsp., cayenne, 1-2 tsp. salt, and 2 eggs, beaten. Combining all but eggs in a bowl, mixing well. Add beaten eggs and mix again. Make into balls the size of large walnuts. Fry in deep fat about two minutes.

Cheese Fritters—Add 1-2 or 3-4 cup grated cheese to any fritter recipe, omitting other fat. Serve with a fruit sauce.

Oyster Rarebit—1 cup oysters, 2 tsp butter, 1-4 tsp. salt, 1-2 lb. mild cheese cut in pieces, 2 eggs. Clean, parboil and drain oysters, reserving the liquor. Melt butter, add cheese and egg seasonings. As cheese melts add gradually the liquor and eggs slightly beaten. As soon as mixture is smooth, add soft part of oysters. Serve on bread toasted

Heat for Health! 50% OF ALL SERIOUS ILLNESS STARTS WITH "A COMMON COLD"

Fifty percent of all serious illness, according to Government statistics, starts with a "common cold." These colds are brought on by sudden changes of temperature, drafts, overheating, chills, or lowered resistance through breathing burnt-out or excessively moist air from inefficient heating.

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BRICE (By Frankie Smallwood)

Due to the bad weather we failed to have Sunday School at both the Baptist and Methodist Churches Sunday morning. The Singing Class met at the home of Elmer Cheek Sunday night.

Mrs. N. L. Murff is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Audley Rhides of Amarillo. Miscellaneous Shower Mrs. J. W. D. Chappelle was hostess at a miscellaneous shower Thursday afternoon honoring Mrs. Phillip James, a recent bride, who before her marriage was Miss Helen Davis.

After receiving the gifts, refreshments of sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate were served. Mrs. W. E. Davis is visiting her father, Mr. Dillard of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mitchell and family of Leslie visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Todd, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson and little daughter, Bobbie Jean, spent Sunday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hartzog of Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. "Fat" Gibson spent last week with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Measer of near Memphis. Glynn and Nona Churchman of Clarendon visited their sister, Mrs. Zack Salmon, Sunday.

The ladies of the community met at the school house, Monday and spent the afternoon quilting. They set Thursday, Jan. 21 for the next meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Lemons and family visited in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Lemons, Sunday.

Miss Glyndora Adams of Leslie is spending this week with Mrs. Phillip James. Todd-Dyess Miss Lala Bess Todd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Todd of Brice and Raymond (Dock) Dyess of Lubbock were married Friday night, Jan. 8 at the Presbyterian pastor's home in Clarendon.

The couple was attended by Dexter Todd, Alene Rhodes, Granville McNear, Irene and Mattie Rhodes of Clarendon. Rev. R. S. McKee officiated, using the ring ceremony. The couple will make their home in Lubbock.

Bake in a slow oven about 15 minutes. Cheese Fondou—1-3 cups soft bread crumbs, 4 eggs, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-2 cups grated cheese, 1 cup hot water. Mix the water, bread crumbs, salt and cheese; add the yolks thoroughly beaten until stiff. Pour the mixture into a buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate oven until the mixture is well risen, is delicately browned, and answers the omelet test. Serve at once.

Unemployment Compensation in Texas

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Lovely! Machineless Permanent Waves And Right For The New Styles You Owe Yourself the Luxury of a Flattering Kalor Machineless Permanent \$6 Including Shampoo and Setting of Wave. Our operators' skill insures safety, and their training guarantees a flattering original hair dress. We've called it a "luxury"—and with good reason! You've never been able to enjoy the satisfaction of a "permanent" as expertly administered, and as perfect for every type of hairdress as the new Kalor Machineless Permanent Wave for less than ten dollars. Add to that the fact that you'll find it lasts longer than any you've ever had before—and what is truly a luxury becomes downright economy!

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Eighth District P. - T. A. News By Betty Pearson Hodges Publicity Chairman. Officials of the Eighth District are attending the state board of Managers meeting of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers from January 12 to 14 at Austin. Representing this district are Mrs. C. T. Hunkapiller of Pampa, president, Mrs. J. E. Crigg, secretary, and Mrs. J. M. Crain, state chairman of education, of Amarillo, and Mrs. W. B. Le Master, state chairman of character education, of Perryton.

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pillar for a business session. Board members, principals and superintendents of the Pampa schools and presidents of the Pampa P.T.A. associations will be guests at a luncheon given by Mrs. Hunkapiller and Mrs. C. P. Buckler, district corresponding secretary. Supt. R. E. Fisher, of Pampa schools, legislative chairman of the district is urging that all Parent-Teacher associations pass resolutions and send copies direct to their representative in the State Legislature, Senator Clint C. Small and to the Governor urging their support for the Child Labor Amendment. It is important to do this at once, says Mr. Fisher. Mrs. Le Master urges every unit to make plans for the observation of National Thrift Week, Jan. 17 to 26. A new association is welcomed to the Eight District this week. Arney association near Happy is now organized with Mrs. Lewis Harvey as president. Sam Houston P.T.A. was hostess to the Gray County Council Saturday at a luncheon at the school cafeteria. Mrs. F. A. Rander, second vice-president of the district, and Mrs. J. B. Howe, President of the Carson County Council, both of Panhandle, were special guests. Other presidents of associations in the Council present were Mrs. Nell Edwards of White Deer P.T.A., Mrs. Arwood of Skellytown, Mrs. Ross Cowan of Miami, Mrs. Geo. Appling of McLean, and Mrs. L. L. Morse, of Denworth, president of the Gray County Council, Mrs. P. M. Jenks of Lefors, Mrs. R. L. Marshall, president of Back. We are organized to promote child welfare through the cooperation of parents and teachers", stated Mrs. Carter, President of the Wheeler P.T.A. in summing up the achievements of the past. "We have made substantial progress in activities, have earned 93 per cent increase in paid memberships

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest gratitude and thanks to all those who so thoughtfully helped us in our recent great sorrow. Your kindness, sympathy, and beautiful floral offering will always be held in grateful remembrance. J. R. LAFON AND FAMILY. and have three time as many attending this year as previously", she continued at the January meeting of the unit. Included on the program was an old-fashioned sing-song, talks on efficiency by W. C. Zirkle, agriculture teacher and Mrs. C. B. Witt, Bob Clark, coach and magician, entertained as a feature of the program with sleight-of-hand tricks and stunts. Mrs. H. P. Clemons, seventh vice-president of the district, will be the leader at the Vega Parent - Teacher Association when the theme will be "Parent Education" on January 14. "Commandments for Parents" is the topic to be presented by Mrs. Roy Armitage and Mrs. C. Evenett will give a reading "When Ma Joined the P.T.A." Spring Creek P.T.A., near White Deer has reorganized with new officers. They are: President, Mrs. Hugh Terry; Vice-President, Mrs. L. O. Petty; Program Chairman, M. W. Graves; Publicity Chairman, Roy Killingsworth; Membership Chairman, J. R. Bonds; Finance Chairman, Mrs. Simpson, and Hospitality Chairman, Mrs. R. G. Campbell. A carnival was held which cleared \$28 which was used for a Christmas tree for the children. A box supper was held later which cleared \$77.30 for the same fund. Mrs. J. T. Warren returned Sunday, after spending the week in Amarillo with friends.

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR GOOD MEATS? If you are looking for good meats, then we can serve you, for we have the finest of grain fed Baby Beef obtainable. We feature this special beef, for you are deserving of the best. A new supply of fresh-killed Pork Sausage has just been received. We do custom sausage grinding and seasoning, made just right to suit your taste. On our shelves you will find everything in the grocery line. If we don't have what you want, we will get it for you. Call Us Your Order And Receive Prompt Delivery. CASTLEBERRY MARKET WE DELIVER PHONE 93

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Annual Account of County Clerk

From January 1, 1936, to and including December 31, 1936. Showing Receipts and Disbursements of County Funds from January 1, 1936, to and including December 31, 1936.

JURY FUND—1st Class
Balance on hand January 1, 1936. \$ 1,755.09
Receipts for year. 7,702.92
Total Fund. \$ 9,458.01

DISBURSEMENTS
Loaned to General Fund. \$ 5,100.00
Loaned to Road and Bridge Fund. 1,000.00
Waiting on Court. 352.00

PRECINCT NO. 1:
Material and Supplies. \$ 363.33
Road Work. 2,203.83
Gas and Oil. 1,336.56

PRECINCT NO. 2:
Road Work. \$ 4,549.62
Gas and Oil. 2,345.53
Machinery and Repairs. 2,386.63

PRECINCT NO. 3:
Road Work. \$ 2,464.18
Gas and Oil. 1,441.93
Machinery and Repairs. 1,488.71

PRECINCT NO. 4:
Road Work. \$ 1,354.40
Gas and Oil. 600.61
Machinery and Supplies. 723.60

ARMSTRONG-DONLEY ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1
Balance on hand January 1, 1936. \$ 2,699.41
Receipts for Year. 1,500.00

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935
Balance on hand January 1, 1936. \$ 520.45
Receipts for Year. 2,220.86

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935A
Balance on hand December 31, 1935. \$ 650.54
Receipts for Year. 2,569.20

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935B
Balance on hand January 1, 1936. \$ 650.54
Receipts for Year. 2,569.20

GENERAL FUND—3rd Class
Balance on hand January 1, 1936. \$ 426.29
Receipts for Year. 16,075.41

DISBURSEMENTS
County Judge, Salary. \$ 375.00
County Attorney, Salary. 720.00
Tax Assessor, Commissions. 1,189.41

County Treasurer, Commissions. 1,200.00
Sheriff's Salary. 1,600.00
Jail Guard, Salary. 990.00

District Clerk, Salary. 625.00
County Clerk, Salary. 500.00
County Agent, Salary. 600.00

Court Reporter, Salary. 720.00
Health Department. 179.75
Pauper Account. 1,122.52
Prisoners' Board Bill. 1,225.90

Justices of the Peace, Office Rent and Fees 228.05
Inquests 10.00
Western Union 24.01
Laundry 40.36
Fuel 811.18

Water 311.78
Telephone 524.63
Insurance 556.60
Adair Hospital, Insurance, Paupers, etc. 3,200.39

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND—4th Class
Balance on hand January 1, 1936. \$ 885.13
Receipts for Year. 2,566.58

JAIL SINKING FUND—5th Class
Balance on hand January 1, 1936. \$ 7,061.02
Receipts for Year. 1,372.81

LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS OUTSTANDING
Road & Bridge Funding Bonds, Series 1935, dated 4-1-1935, maturing 4-1-1937 to 4-1-1953, bearing 5 1/2 per cent interest. \$ 24,000.00

SECURITIES owned by Jail Sinking Fund, Warrants Nos. 5 to 10 inclusive, Armstrong-Donley Road District No. 1, dated October 1, 1930, due October 1, 1937, to October 1, 1942, bearing 6 per cent interest. \$ 5,000.00

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PRACTICAL DEPARTMENT HOME ECONOMICS & COOKERY

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Melt butter, add cheese and seasonings. As cheese melts add gradually the liquor and eggs slightly beaten. As soon as mixture is smooth, add soft part of oysters. Serve on bread toasted.



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on one side, rarebit being poured on untoasted side. Cheese Noodles—4 tbsp. butter, 4 tsp. grated cheese, 1 cup of milk, 1 tsp. flour, 1 egg. Make a white sauce of the above ingredients, adding the cheese just before removing from fire.

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BRICE (By Frankie Smallwood)

Due to the bad weather we failed to have Sunday School at both the Baptist and Methodist Churches Sunday morning.

The Singing Class met at the home of Elmer Cheek Sunday night. Mrs. N. L. Murff is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Audley Rhides of Amarillo.

Miscellaneous Shower Mrs. J. W. D. Chappelle was hostess at a miscellaneous shower Thursday afternoon honoring Mrs. Phillip James, a recent bride, who before her marriage was Miss Helen Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mitchell and family of Leslie visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Todd, Sunday.

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CLARENDON HOTEL HAS NEW FLOORING The Clarendon Hotel, recently covered the lobby and reception room with attractive new floor covering. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen, hotel proprietors, added the new floor covering in line with other general improvements. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hagler of LeFors spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Marvin Warren.

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Eighth District P. - T. A. News

By Betty Pearson Hodges Publicity Chairman. Officials of the Eighth District are attending the state board of Managers meeting of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers from January 12 to 14 at Austin. Representing this district are Mrs. C. T. Hunkapiller of Pampa, president, Mrs. J. E. Griggs, secretary, and Mrs. J. M. Crain, state chairman of education, of Amarillo, and Mrs. W. B. Le Master, state chairman of character education, of Perryton.

An executive board meeting of the Eighth District is also planned for January 23, at Pampa, when the board members will meet at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. T. Hunkapiller.

pillar for a business session. Board members, principals and superintendents of the Pampa schools and presidents of the Pampa P.T.A. associations will be guests at a luncheon given by Mrs. Hunkapiller and Mrs. C. P. Buckler, district corresponding secretary. Supt. R. E. Fisher, of Pampa schools, Legislative chairman of the district is urging that all Parent-Teacher associations pass resolutions and send copies direct to their representative in the State Legislature, Senator Clint C. Small and to the Governor urging their support for the Child Labor Amendment. It is important to do this at once, says Mr. Fisher.

Mrs. Le Master urges every unit to make plans for the observation of National Thrift Week, Jan. 17 to 26.

A new association is welcomed to the Eight District this week. Arney association near Happy is now organized with Mrs. Lewis Harvey as president.

Sam Houston P.T.A. was hostesses to the Gray County Council Saturday at a luncheon at the school cafeteria. Mrs. F. A. Rander, second vice-president of the district, and Mrs. J. B. Howe, President of the Carson County Council, both of Panhandle, were special guests. Other presidents of associations in the Council present were Mrs. Nell Edwards of White Deer P.T.A., Mrs. Arwood of Skellytown, Mrs. Ross Cowan of Miami, Mrs. Geo. Appling of McLean, and Mrs. L. L. Morse, of Denworth, president of the Gray County Council. Mrs. P. M. Jenks of LeFors, Mrs. R. L. Marshall, president of Back.

We are organized to promote child welfare through the cooperation of parents and teachers," stated Mrs. Carter, President of the Wheeler P.T.A. in summing up the achievements of the past. "We have made substantial progress in activities, have earned 93 per cent increase in paid memberships

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest gratitude and thanks to all those who so thoughtfully helped us in our recent great sorrow. Your kindness, sympathy, and beautiful floral offering will always be held in grateful remembrance. J. R. LAFON AND FAMILY.

and have three times as many attending this year as previously," she continued at the January meeting of the unit.

Included on the program was an old-fashioned sing-song, talks on efficiency by W. C. Zirkle, agriculture teacher and Mrs. C. B. Witt, Bob Clark, coach and magician, entertained as a feature of the program with sleight-of-hand tricks and stunts.

Mrs. H. P. Clemons, seventh vice-president of the district, will be the leader at the Vega Parent - Teacher Association when the theme will be "Parent Education" on January 14. "Commandments for Parents", is the topic to be presented by Mrs. Roy Armitage and Mrs. C. Evenett will give a reading "When Ma Joined the P.T.A."

Spring Creek P.T.A., near White Deer has reorganized with new officers. They are: President, Mrs. Hugh Terry; Vice-President, Mrs. L. O. Petty; Program Chairman, M. W. Graves; Publicity Chairman, Roy Killingsworth; Membership Chairman, J. R. Bonds; Finance Chairman, Mrs. Simpson, and Hospitality Chairman, Mrs. R. G. Campbell. A carnival was held which cleared \$28 which was used for a Christmas tree for the children. A box supper was held later which cleared \$77.30 for the same fund.

Mrs. J. T. Warren returned Sunday, after spending the week in Amarillo with friends.

Donley County State Bank

AT CLARENDON, STATE OF TEXAS, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1936, published in The Clarendon News, a newspaper printed and published at Clarendon, State of Texas, on the 14th day of January, 1937.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Resources include Loans and discounts, State or political securities, Customers' bonds held for safekeeping, etc. Liabilities include Capital Stock, Income Debentures, Total Capital Structure, etc.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY. We, Wesley Knorpp, as President, and F. E. Chamberlain, as Vice President and Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CLARENDON IN THE STATE OF TEXAS. Assets: Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, United States Government obligations, etc. Liabilities: Demand deposits, Time deposits, etc. Total Assets: \$347,549.91. Total Liabilities: \$347,549.91.

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All legal notices will be figured at two cents per word for the first insertion, and one cent per word for subsequent issues. All classified readers are strictly cash in advance; 10c per line first insertion, 25c per line for four insertions. Twenty-five cent minimum charge.

Water Storage

(Continued from Page One)

acre feet of water—or well over 3,000,000 gallons—were trapped from the sudden rain. Mr. Yarbrough has a section of land, located some two miles south of the Swearingen school house. Two hundred and ninety-five acres are given over to pasture use, and 345 acres are in cultivation. He entered an agreement with the SCS in March, 1936, for terracing, contour furrowing, gully control, strip cropping, construction of one stock-water tank, re-vegetation of five acres of cultivated land back to permanent pasture. These improvements are still being made, although very little terracing has been done. The major improvement is the stock-water tank.

Mr. Yarbrough's tank stores 11.52 acre feet of water, which is equal to 3,763,000 gallons. It has a drainage area of 145 acres and the dam has 2,892 cubic yards of earth fill, with ample provision for the spillway. At the present time Mr. Yarbrough has his tank stocked with fish and has enough water to run him up into the summer. He plans to grow an irrigated garden below the tank, siphoning the irrigation water from the tank.

The Memphis Soil Conservation Service Camp has constructed 27 such earthen dams since last July 1, and has completed about 60 since the camp began work in earnest in September, 1935. The tank on Mr. Yarbrough's farm is of about average size, E. McBride, superintendent of the Memphis SCS stated. The largest tank constructed by the SCS organization is the one on the farm of Judge R. J. Thorne, which is located about two miles north of the Swearingen school house, also in Collingsworth County.

The tank on Judge Thorne's place has a storage capacity of 36 acre feet, equivalent to over 10,000,000 gallons of water. The Memphis SCS Camp operates within a 25-mile radius of Memphis in Donley, Hall, Collingsworth and Childress Counties. At the present time the camp is stressing terracing work, because of the brief span of time that terrace work may be done. A number of dams and other improvements, however, are being built.

LELIA LAKE-CLARENDON CIRCUIT

W. T. Lackey, Pastor

Following is the schedule of appointments for preaching at the several points on the circuit:

- 1st Sunday—Ashtola.
- 2nd Sunday—McKnight.
- Afternoon, 3 o'clock—Naylor.
- 3rd Sunday—Goldston.
- Morning and Afternoon.
- 4th Sunday—Lelia Lake.
- Afternoon 3 o'clock—Naylor.

All are invited to come and worship with us.

NORWOOD PHARMACY IS MAKING IMPROVEMENTS

George Norwood, owner of the Norwood Pharmacy, is making changes this week within his store and after re-arrangement plans to put new floor covering throughout the building.

Mr. Norwood said he would use linoleum as the covering for the floor.

D. B. Pope of Lubbock was in Clarendon over the week-end and was among the many out-of-town friends to attend the last rites Sunday for Mrs. Bernice Watters LaFon.

The Farmers State Bank

of Clarendon, Texas

Condensed Statement of Condition at the close of business December 31st, 1936. MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$104,041.05	Capital Stock.....\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....1,257.16	Capital Debentures.....25,000.00
Banking House, Fur. and Fix.....15,165.00	Surplus and Profits.....4,509.08
Other Real Estate.....5,496.54	Customers Bonds Deposited.....8,400.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank 2,850.00	Deposits.....232,530.73
Other Stocks and Securities.....21,365.40	
Payment to Temporary Fund F.D.I.C.....184.59	
Customers Bonds Deposited.....8,400.00	
Other Resources.....1.00	
Cash and Due from Banks.....899,165.15	
Bills of Exchange.....2,740.00	
Bonds.....55,744.92	
TOTAL.....\$320,739.81	TOTAL.....\$320,739.81

The above statement is correct

VAN KENNEDY, Cashier

FREAK WEATHER THURSDAY NIGHT

ELECTRICAL STORM WITH SNOW, SLEET, AND HAIL; SNOW IS BENEFICIAL.

Following on the heels of a decided drop in mercury Wednesday night when snow started falling and continued through Thursday, Donley County got its first zero weather Thursday night, together with a freak disturbance of the elements and a spring-like thunder and electrical storm. Zero was the lowest temperature recorded by local weather observer, Joe Goldston, during the first real flurry of winter which held the entire vicinity in its grip until Sunday when the blizzard abated and the thermometer reached twenty-two degrees above freezing.

At 10:30 Thursday night, after flurries of snow and wind during the day, the most unusual weather occurrence in the history of the Panhandle Plains was witnessed when lightning flashes, accompanied by roars of thunder, made the snow-covered plains a sight of wonder and beauty. Hail, sleet and snow accompanied the electrical storm.

Old-timers in this county remarked that this was the first time in the history of the county that such a weather disturbance took place. Joe Horn recalled an incident thirty-five years ago when a thunder storm accompanied by rain, fell in winter, and Editor Sam M. Braswell recalls that during the winter of 1918 a slight electrical storm accompanied a drop in temperature with sleet. Moisture to the amount of .35 was recorded from the snow. Ice was heavy and paved highways leading out of the city were hazardous sheets of ice, while rural roads were made almost impassable.

Weather readings for the cold spell were: Thursday, zero; Friday, ten above zero; Saturday, sixteen above zero; Sunday, twenty-two above zero; and Monday, twenty-three above zero.

Miss Fanny Perry is on the sick list this week and unable to be about her duties as manager of the telephone office due to a severe cold.

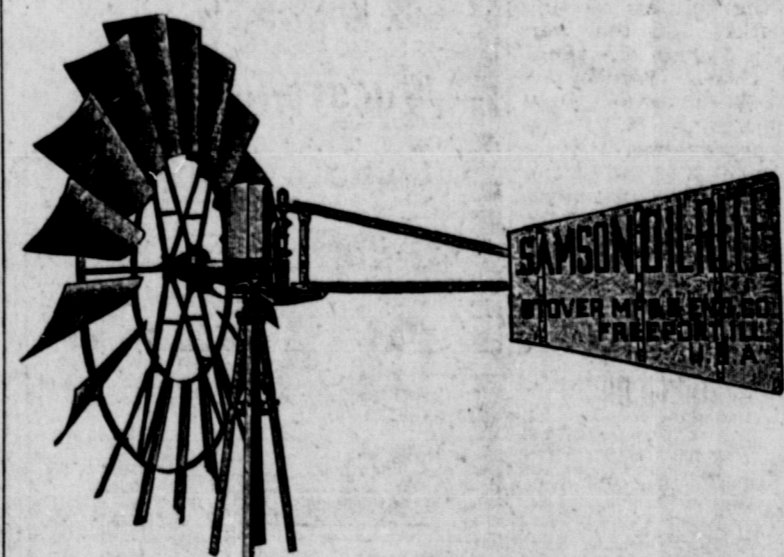
Mrs. Abe Cole and little daughter, Elizabeth Ann, left this week for their home in Tucumanari, New Mexico, after spending the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Noble left this week for Corpus Christi and other points in South Texas where they will make an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Church of Long Beach, California, left today for their home, after spending the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Carroll Knorpp. Miss Thurzia Turner spent Sunday in Memphis visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Turner.

Mrs. H. A. Hitt and little son, George Lynn Hitt of Amarillo are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen.

L. McMurry, Assistant Cashier, M. R. Allensworth, Roy L. Clayton, Carroll Knorpp; Annie L. Bourland, Secretary; and C. T. McMurry, Don N. Grady, W. J. Lewis, directors.



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CAGERS TO MEET HEDLEY FRIDAY

COACH JONES ANNOUNCES SCHEDULE FOR 1937; THE TEAMS ARE STRONG.

Clarendon High Cagers start the basketball season here Friday night when they meet the Hedley Owls on the local court. Coach C. C. Jones is enthusiastic over the prospects for this year, and Miss Maurice Berry, coach of the girls team, believes the Clarendon High girls will furnish excellent competition in all matched games.

Home games start at 7:30 in the gymnasium at the South Ward building.

New uniforms, maroon jerseys with white letters, have been purchased this year as well as have sweat suits, which are maroon in color.

The tentative schedule for the season, as announced yesterday by Coach Jones, includes both boy and girl games and is as follows:

Hedley at Clarendon, Jan. 15; Hedley at Hedley, Jan. 20; Goodnight at Goodnight, Jan. 22; Lelia Lake at Clarendon, Jan. 27; Goodnight at Goodnight, Jan. 29; Lakeview at Lakeview, Feb. 2; Lelia Lake at Lelia Lake, Feb. 5; Lakeview at Clarendon, Feb. 9; McLean at Clarendon, Feb. 11; McLean at McLean, Feb. 16; Memphis at Memphis, Feb. 17. A District Meeting will be held at Pampa Feb. 19 and 20 and the local teams will enter.

Boys on the Clarendon team this year are, Butler, F.; Haltzclaw, F.; Cooke, F.; Hickman, F.; Grady, C.; Kyle, C.; Cole, G.; Noble, G.; Rolls, G.; and McGowan, G.

School Notes

(By George W. Kavanaugh) County Superintendent

Thursday, I visited McKnight, and other schools in the county. Mr. Howard, the principal at McKnight, has adopted the Student Self Control discipline and the plan seems to be working very well. Under the plan, students are held responsible to report any and all misconduct in the school.

A committee meeting to form the program for the teachers and trustees association to meet in Clarendon January 23, was held Saturday in my office. Those on the committee were Dennis Smith, Bill Todd, Harry Hartzog, Eugene Estlack, Roscoe Trostle, and W. C. Howard. R. E. Drennan, Dean of Clarendon College, is chairman of the arrangement. O. L. Jacobs of Hudgins, who is chairman of the Teacher-Trustees association, was also present.

The community of Martin, through voluntary labor, is building a new garage on the school grounds to house the school bus. This structure will be a stucco shed, erected at a small cost. Since storage amounting to nearly the same sum as needed to erect the building is expended monthly, the shed will be a saving to the school.

This week I am doing book work in the office and checking

Important Meeting Of BPA Set Monday

Band Director Ray Robbins urges all members of the Band-Parents Association to meet Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the Junior School to lay plans for a benefit to purchase new uniforms for the members.

At a meeting Monday afternoon, skeleton plans were outlined and announcement was made by Mr. Robbins that the new Sousaphone bass horn, which the band purchased from Cal Farley Circus proceeds, had arrived. The silver horn, lined with gold, is the property of the Clarendon band and will be played by D. W. Tomlinson.

The Lions Club donated \$100 to the new uniform fund and the band will raise the additional \$200 needed for the purchase. Mr. Robbins stressed that he needed the co-operation of every parent in making these arrangements.

Dr. Barcus Attends New Orleans Meet

Dr. Thos. S. Barcus, Presiding Elder of the Clarendon Methodist Church, returned Saturday from New Orleans, where he attended the General Missionary Council Meeting of Southern Methodist Churches. The meeting was held January 5, 6 and 7. Inspiring addresses were given by Dr. E. Stanley Jones of India, and Dr. Daniel A. Poling. All bishops of the eleven active Southern Methodist Churches were present and on program. Mrs. Barcus accompanied Dr. Barcus as far as Fort Worth. She returned here early last week.

the financial condition of the districts.

J. D. Wilson, formerly deputy superintendent of this district, has been assigned to the Houston district, and Mr. Gunstead, with headquarters in Canyon, is the new deputy state superintendent for this district.

Mr. Gunstead and I will be in the field in the near future to inspect the schools and therefore I urge that all transportation reports, teachers' reports and transcripts be up to date.



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SOCIETY

JO ELLA STEWART, Editor

Mrs. Joe Goldston Elected President of Pathfinders

Mesdames J. R. Porter and Paul Shelton were charming hostesses to the Pathfinder Club Friday afternoon, January 8, at the Woman's Club Rooms. About twenty-seven members braved the elements to be present at this meeting, the first of the New Year.

en and Why", featuring the National President, Mrs. Roberta Campbell Lawson of Washington, D. C.; State President, Mrs. Richard J. Turrentine of Denton, Texas; and Seventh District President, Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview, Texas. She also spoke of the efforts of Armstrong County Club Women to build a suitable memorial to the late Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner.

Sunday School Class Entertained Tuesday

Mesdames R. R. Dawkins, Major Hudson, J. H. Harris, Melton, Jackson and Turner Nichols were hostesses to members of the T.E.L. class of the First Baptist Church on Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Harris.

California Visitor Luncheon Honoree

Mrs. Carroll Knorpp entertained Tuesday at her home with a one o'clock luncheon, honoring her mother, Mrs. C. D. Church of Long Beach, California.

Mrs. G. G. Kemp, president, was in charge of the business meeting and Mrs. W. C. Stewart gave the scripture reading, Psalms 23. Mrs. W. B. Sims led in prayer. Each member set an objective for the class during 1937. Minutes of the previous meeting and roll call were read by Mrs. J. H. Harris.

Those present were the honoree, Mrs. Church and Mrs. Wesley Knorpp, A. L. Chase, F. E. Chamberlain, W. H. Martin, C. B. McCanne, J. L. McMurry, C. T. McMurry, W. H. Patrick, Chas. Bugbee, L. S. Bagby, and the hostess, Mrs. Knorpp.

Jo Ann Allen Is Party Honoree

Mrs. Glen Allen honored her little daughter, Jo Ann, Saturday on her fourth birthday with a party given in the reception room of the Clarendon Hotel.

The East Circle of the First Baptist Church met yesterday afternoon at the church with eight members present. Mrs. W. C. Stewart gave the devotional from Matthew 8:5, 14. After a short meeting the Bible study was brought by Mrs. J. T. Warren.

Assisted by Mrs. H. A. Hitt of Amarillo, Mrs. Allen conducted games and contests for the youngsters. The little honoree was the recipient of many birthday gifts.

A round table discussion of the mission book, "A Tale of Two Peoples, Gentiles and Jews" was held.

Mrs. H. F. Harter Is Honored Thursday

Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Payne of Turkey, entertained Thursday afternoon with a miscellaneous bridge party and shower, honoring Mrs. H. F. Harter, recent bride.

The West Circle met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. A. W. Simpson. "Hand Maidens of the King," a mission book, was taught by Mrs. H. C. Brumley.

Farmers State Bank Re-Elects Officers

All officers and directors of the Farmers State Bank were re-elected Tuesday afternoon at the annual meeting of stockholders and directors. The meeting was held at 4 o'clock.

Refreshments were served to seven members.

Mrs. Jenkins Will Again Head P. T. A.

New officers for the year were elected Thursday afternoon when the Sims Parent-Teacher Association met in the auditorium of the Junior High School. Mrs. O. L. Jenkins was re-elected to serve the organization as president.

Rufus White Given Promotion In Bank

Rufus White was promoted to assistant cashier of the First National Bank Tuesday, when the annual meeting of stockholders and directors was held at 3 o'clock.

Baptist Group To Waco Monday

The Reverend and Mrs. J. Perry King and son, John Burton, and Mrs. E. W. Adams left Monday for Waco, where they will represent the local Baptist Church at the State Sunday School Convention.

Renaissance Art Is Junior Study

The Junior Les Beaux Arts Club met yesterday afternoon at the Woman's Club Rooms with Mesdames Durwood Skelton and Glenn Allen as hostesses.

Vondel Hommel Is Honored Yesterday

Vondel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hommel, was honored yesterday afternoon on the occasion of her fifth birthday with a party at her home.

While in Waco Mrs. Adams will visit in the home of her sister.

Missionary Circles

The Rex Ray Circle of the First Baptist Church met yesterday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ben Hill. Mrs. Joe Goldston led the mission study on the life of Dr. Lockett, Baptist missionary.

Friendship Club Meeting Tuesday

The Friendship Club spent a pleasant afternoon Tuesday in the home of Mrs. C. R. Skinner with Mrs. Alleen Skinner as hostess.

Mrs. Swift Heads Beaux Arts Club

Mrs. J. D. Swift was elected president of the Les Beaux Arts Club when they met Saturday in the Woman's Club Rooms for the election of officers.

During the business meeting, it was voted to have the annual turkey dinner January 21 in the home of Mrs. W. T. Hayter. Sewing and conversation was enjoyed until the hostess, assisted by Mrs. C. R. Skinner, served a tasty afternoon luncheon.

Wanda Mayfield Is Elected to Society

Wanda Mayfield of Clarendon was elected to Senior membership in the James A. Garfield chapter of Alpha Chi scholarship society in Abilene Christian College, at the end of the first semester of this session.

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The next regular meeting will be held January 26 in the home of Mrs. G. J. Teel.

Billy Greene Returned to the University of Washington

Billy Greene returned to the University of Washington in Seattle Friday, after spending the New Year's holidays with his parents. He returned by way of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Bernice Watters Laid to Rest Sunday

Last rites were conducted Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the First Methodist Church for Mrs. Bernice LaFon Watters, who died here early Thursday morning.

Last Rites Said For W. D. Martin

William Daniel Martin, 79, died at the family home Saturday at 7 o'clock p. m., following an illness of two months. Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the First Baptist Church.

Palbearers were Heckle Stark

Palbearers were Heckle Stark, Dick Tomlinson, W. K. Davis, J. N. Riley, Odos Caraway and S. H. Lovell. Those in charge of the flowers were Mrs. Dick Tomlinson, Mrs. Ralph Keys, Mrs. Wm. Meaders and Miss Riley.

MARTIN (By Billie Ruth Bulman)

There wasn't any Sunday School last week on account of bad weather.

Survivors are her husband

Survivors are her husband, Grandson Watters of San Diego, California, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. LaFon; her brother, Lowell LaFon; and five sisters, Miss Ruth LaFon, Amarillo; Miss Lynn LaFon, Clarendon; Mrs. Ross Beville, Philadelphia, Penn.; Mrs. Hugh Currie, Amarillo; and Miss Bobby Jo LaFon, Clarendon.

Surviving are his wife

Surviving are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. R. W. Griswell of Shamrock; Mrs. Ethel Moss of Shamrock; Mrs. W. O. Puett of Wheeler; four sons, Chester Martin of Lella Lake, Otis Martin of Flippen, Arkansas, Clint Martin of Dumas, and Clyde Martin of Clarendon; and two brothers, Bud Martin of Canon City, Colorado, and Dave Martin of Wink, Texas.

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PIGGLY WIGGLY

Lettuce, Head . . .	4c	Cranberries, Quart . . .	25c
Turnips, Bunch . . .	5c	Carrots, Bunch . . .	4c
Oranges, Dozen . . .	15c	Beets, Bunch . . .	4c
SUGAR 10 LB. CANE .53			
FLOUR			
Carnation 24 Lbs.	\$1.05	1.98	
48 Lbs.			
Coffee GOLDEN LIGHT 22c	Peas CONCHO No. 2, 2 For . . .	25c	
Tamales, RATLIFF 2 For . . .	27c	Tomatoes CONCHO No. 2, 3 For . . .	25c
Dog Food VIGO 3 For . . .	25c	Tomato Soup Campbell Can . . .	8c
MILK			
PET OR CARNATION, 2 Tall 4 Small17		
SYRUP			
SUNSHINE Gallon48		
Macaroni GOOCHES 1 Pound . . .	15c	Mince Meat, 3 for . . .	25c
Tomato Juice Campbell Can . . .	8c	Oysters 5 Oz. Can . . .	2 for 25c
Gelatin SUNSET GOLD 2 For . . .	9c	Corn, No.2 Sugar, can 1lb	
CRACKERS			
2 Lb. Saxet Or A-117		
SALMON			
Raceland Can11		
Shoe Polish, Jet Oil 12c	Grape Juice White Swan Quart	32c	
Soap, Big Ben, 5 for 19c	Catsup 14 Oz. Bottle . . .	12c	
Ginger Ale Manhattan . . .	9c	Vicks, 35c size . . .	28c
COFFEE			
Schilling's, 1 Lb.	29c	.53	
2 Lbs.			
LARD			
Jewel, 8 Lb.	\$1.12		
Swift's, 4 Lb.62		
Soap Lux or Life Buoy . . .	3 for 20c	Pork & Beans 3 For . . .	19c

Whitlock Barber & Beauty Shop

All officers and directors of the Farmers State Bank were re-elected Tuesday afternoon at the annual meeting of stockholders and directors. The meeting was held at 4 o'clock.



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JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"Hee, Hee, He Wants T'be a Coal Man When He Grows Up. Den He Won't Hafta Wash His Face!"

Prevention Is Cure For Auto Accidents

Austin.—"The only way to avoid the useless waste of life due to traffic accidents is to prevent the accident," reads a warning issued by Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer. "It is not a question of who is right and who is wrong after the accident has occurred," he said, "and automobile accidents never happen merely because of 'bad luck.'—there is a definite cause for every one of them, although it is not possible to determine the precise origin of every mishap. "Leaders of the safety movement agree that the most fundamental approach to the solution of our national accident problem lies in the education and training of the individual. Safety education includes the training of individuals to avoid accidents to themselves and to prevent accidents to others. It involves the acquisition of a certain fund of information, the ability to apply this information to concrete situations, and the building up of habits which will make the application of knowledge to situation automatic. "The dangerous curves and intersections on the highways of this state are distinctly marked, and automobile drivers can assist greatly in the reduction of deaths from automobile accidents by carefully observing these warning signs. "Some motorists rely too much on traffic rules and regulations, thinking that if they are obey-

MIDWAY

(By Mrs. P. H. Longan)

Everyone is glad to see the sunshine and the warmer weather, although we were glad to get the little moisture. We need a lot more. We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams to our community. They moved from Lelia Lake to the A. H. Baker place, where Mr. and Mrs. Odie Saylor have lived for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Saylor are moving to Sunnyside. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain, who have been staying in the John Goldston home while she was convalescing from her illness, are moving to their home. The consequences of an automobile accident are so disastrous, that only when we have done everything in our power to avoid such accidents, can we consider ourselves, or expect others to consider us, blameless in the case of an accident. "When each individual does all that he is able to do toward avoiding an accident of any kind, then, and then only, will our traffic accidents be avoided."

CHILDRESS MAN NOT ONE WHO LOOTED LOCAL SAFES

An unofficial report was spread in Clarendon this week that a man arrested some three weeks ago in Childress was linked with the recent safe blowing jobs at Parson Bros. Dry Cleaners and Clifford & Ray Grocers in Clarendon. The two safes were blown here December 14. Sheriff Guy Pierce, who made accurate finger prints after the robbery here, said finger prints of the suspect arrested in Childress did not correspond with the finger prints taken here. However, the man laid out a small fine in Childress on a cold checking charge.

MELLINGER RETURNS FROM DALLAS TRIP

I. Mellinger returned Monday from a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Mellinger of Merkel and from a business trip to Dallas, where he attended spring market. Mr. Mellinger also visited with friends in Livingston, Texas.

about three percent larger than last year. With normal winter conditions egg production may still be expected to exceed somewhat that of early 1936 because of this slightly increased number of hens. Even with this heavier production it is probably that egg prices in the first half of 1937 may be above those of a year earlier, largely because of the better consumer demand which has materially strengthened the market. Extreme winter weather will, of course, cause violent but temporary price fluctuations the Bureau said.

The market for poultry is in a somewhat more bearish situation than the egg market, largely because of the record stock of frozen poultry now in cold storage. The probability is that this will tend to keep poultry prices comparatively low during the early part of 1937. However, these lower prices, together with relatively high feed costs probably will tend to reduce hatching in the spring. If such reduction occurs, the usual seasonal decline in poultry prices after May or June may not occur or may be much less than average.

EGG PRODUCTION HOLDS UP DESPITE HIGH FEED COSTS

Production of eggs per hen was slightly above average last month despite relatively high feed costs, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reported in its monthly summary of the poultry and egg situation. The mild weather of the fall and early winter has offset the effect of high-priced feed which ordinarily tends to check production. Hens in farm flocks were laying an average of 16 eggs per 100 hens on the first of last month as compared with 16.3 eggs a year earlier and with about 14 eggs per 100 hens, the 10-year (1925-'34) December 1 average. Rate of laying fell off somewhat during the fall but recovered in recent weeks when the weather continued mild. The number of laying hens and pullets in the country is

Doak Smith of Arizona is visiting his mother, Mrs. Frank Smith.

ASHTOLA

(By Jessie J. Tomlinson)

Mr. Harry Evans returned Friday from California, where he assisted Mr. Jim Parker in moving.

Mrs. W. P. Holley returned Monday from Hart.

Rev. Lackey filled his regular appointment here Sunday. There were only twelve at Sunday School due to the bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rhodes spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Parker.

Visla Barker spent Sunday night with Mary Frances Dewey.

Floy Dewey spent Sunday night with Mildred Barker.

We are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Lowery of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Smith and family of Leslie, who came recently to make their home in our community.

Frank Mahaffey is staying with his grandparents at Sunnyside this week.

M. C. Spencer of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hayter Thursday night.

There has been a great deal of sickness here this week. Those reported were Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Evans, Mr. W. A. Poovey and Mrs. V. A. Knox.

Mr. R. L. Mason and son, Marti made a business trip to Claude Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Mirrell returned Thursday from Lubbock.

Dusting The Covers Of Texas History

1834—A meeting of the legislature of Coahuila and Texas was held on January 1 at Monclova, and the Mexican state of Texas was divided into three departments with three representatives.

1836—Stephen F. Austin died on December 27.

1842—On December 30, Captain Thomas Smith removed the archives of the Texas government from Austin to Washington on the Brazos to insure their safety from the Mexican raids.

1845—A joint resolution was passed by the Congress of the United States on December 29th, for acceptance of the Constitution and admission of Texas into the Union.

Govt. Economist Describes Crop

Crop insurance as a planned device for cushioning the shocks of droughts and crop shortages was described today by R. M. Green of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, addressing the Kansas Agricultural Convention, at Topeka, Kansas.

"One of the aims of crop insurance," Green said, "is to make possible a steadier income from the production of farm crops." He illustrated this by showing how wheat premiums collected from farmers during the first three years 1930-'35 would have been redistributed to them during the last three years.

"The paying of losses in excess of premiums during the last three years when crops were short and prices high would have resulted," he explained, "in an increased income to producers in the seven Great Plains wheat-producing States, of approximately \$35,000,000."

Instead of getting most of their incomes from large production in two or three years at low prices, Green pointed out that part of their production paid in as insurance premiums would have been stored and held over until short crop years.

"Should the difference in the way supplies were distributed affect wheat prices, the tendency," he said, "would be to raise the prices a little during the years of large crops when insurance reserves were being built up and to flatten out prices a little in the years of short crops and higher prices."

"A second aim," said Green "is to reduce farmers' dependence on relief, and a third, to improve the basis of farm credit."

"Relief prevention is preferable," he stated, "to letting producers get down to the relief class before offering them a remedy; farm credit would be strengthened by stabilizing farm

Mrs. Leslie Foxhall of Memphis was a visitor in Clarendon Tuesday.

income so that farmers can meet their annual obligations for interest and taxes."

Pastime Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY January 15-16

The thrilling new adventure of Cassidy and his hard-riding, quick-shooting pals as they head for the eastern markets with a herd of cattle, in open defiance of every cattle rustler on the plains!

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"Trail Dust" ALSO POPEYE CARTOON

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Also PARAMOUNT PICTORIAL 10c . . . 25c

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"3 Men on a Horse" With Frank McHUGH and JOAN BLONDELL Also the Latest Issue of "March of Time" 10c . . . 25c

TUESDAY ONLY JANUARY 19

He was a movie star sleuth! She wrote mystery novels! And then they ran smack into a real murder mystery. The result is Thrills and Laughs. EDMUND LOWE and ELISSA LANDI in

"Mad Holiday" Also Paramount Variety 10c . . . 25c

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY JANUARY 20-21

Here's a film treat you'll remember for a long time. It's simply swell! Packed with fun, excitement and romance and these four merry stars never stop for a second in their breathless, hilarious screen adventure. JEAN HARLOW, WILLIAM POWELL, MYRNA LOY SPENCER TRACY in

"Libeled Lady" Also "Yellowstone Park," a traveltalk in color 10c . . . 25c

MATINEE every day at 2:00 EVENING SHOW 7:00

COMING SOON! JOE E. BROWN in "Polo Joe" JOHNNY WEISSMULLER in "Tarzan Escapes"

COZY THEATRE SATURDAY ONLY JANUARY 16

A Fighting Cowboy gets his man in this thundering drama of the lawless west. BOB STEELE in "The Law Rides" Also Chapter 2

"The Roaring West" With BUCK JONES and TERRYTOON CARTOON

MATINEE 1:15 EVENING SHOW 7:00 10c . . . 15c

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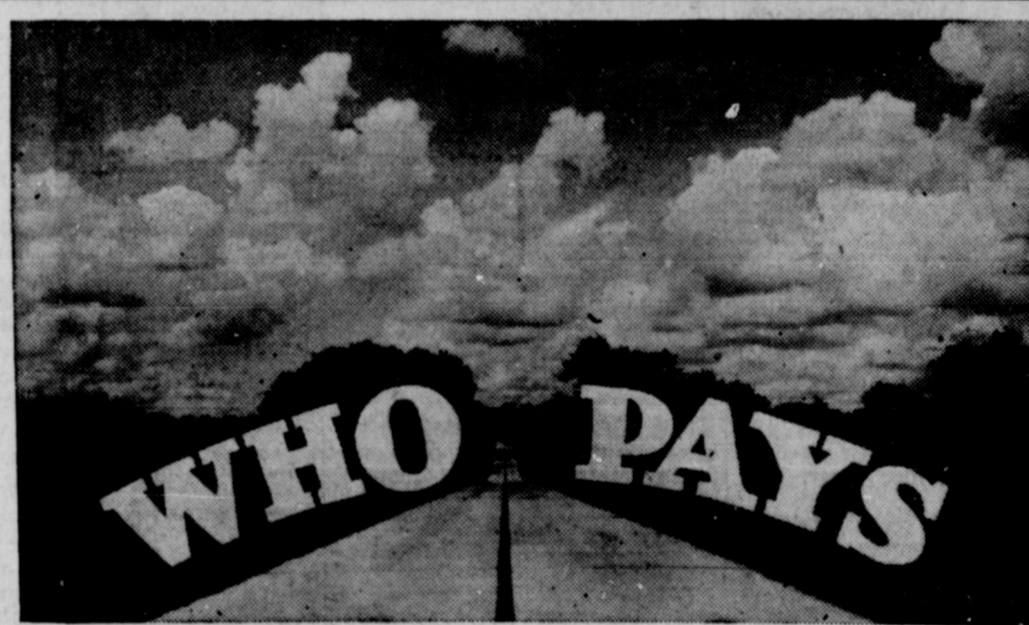
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FOR TEXAS HIGHWAYS?

Texas' highways, to date, have cost Texas taxpayers approximately seven hundred and fifty millions of dollars. License fees from motor vehicles have contributed \$202,000,000. Gasoline taxes have accounted for \$176,000,000.

Federal aid has donated \$91,000,000. YOUR PROPERTY TAXES HAVE CONTRIBUTED \$281,000,000—MORE THAN ONE-THIRD OF THE TOTAL.

Large trucks—those weighing more than 8000 pounds loaded—have paid a total of \$27,000,000 in license fees and gasoline taxes, or 3 3/4 per cent of the total cost.

Yet these trucks have been responsible for an additional cost of construction and maintenance amounting to approximately 50 per cent of the total—an amount far in excess of their contribution. These wider trucks result in 25 per cent increase in pavement costs.

Their bigger loads have required thicker pavements, costing from 35 to 60 per cent more; their size has made wider and heavier bridges necessary; maintenance costs have increased through their use and abuse of the highways.

Such extra expenditures are almost solely for the benefit of the big trucks, and are not necessary for the small trucks and passenger cars. YET THEIR COST IS BORNE BY THE OWNERS OF PASSENGER CARS AND SMALL TRUCKS AND BY THE GENERAL TAXPAYER, WHO MAY NOT EVEN OWN A CAR, WHILE THE BIG TRUCKS THEMSELVES HAVE PAID ONLY 3 3/4 PER CENT.

Any increase in present truck loads, size or speed limits will further increase the highway costs which all of us, the people of Texas, must pay.

Texas railroads provide and maintain their own rights-of-way; afford employment to 60,000 men and women (who are also taxpayers); pay large taxes in support of city, county, state and federal governments; and, in addition, pay annually more than \$900,000 toward state highway costs. The interest of the railroads in highway regulation is precisely parallel to that of the public.

THE TEXAS RAILROADS

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Burlington-Rock Island
Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf
Dallas
Fort Worth & Denver City
Galveston, Houston & Henderson
Gulf Coast Lines
Gulf Colorado & Santa Fe
Kansas City Southern
International & Great Northern
Louisiana, Arkansas & Texas
Lubbock, Memphis & Gulf
Missouri-Kansas-Texas
Missouri Pacific Lines
Northwestern & Santa Fe

LIBRARY NOTES

(By Mrs. C. A. Burton)

(By Mrs. C. A. Burton) Although the Texas Centennial year has come and gone with its celebration which started the world, yet the flood of Texas stories and poems continues, augmented by equally interesting pioneer stories, particularly of the Southwest.

One that sounds very interesting is "True Stories in Texas" by Annie Doom Pickrell, published by Naylor at San Antonio. Mrs. Pickrell has already published a more comprehensive book, "Pioneer Women in Texas." Both books contain accurate narrative collected by Mrs. Pickrell, while she was State historian for the Texas division of the Daughters of the American Revolution. These stories are stirring stories in the eventful lives of these pioneers, handed down to their children, but stories which do not get into histories.

Another book published by Naylor is "Cowboy Life" by Rufe O'Keefe. The author came to Texas from Alabama when just a lad, began working on big ranches, including that of C. C. Slaughter, and finally owning and managing his own ranch. As a consequence he knows every phase of cowboy life. The fact that Harold Bugbee is the illustrator adds to its value and to its authenticity.

And still another book of this type is "The Blazing Frontier" by Herman Edwin Mootz, published by Tardy of Dallas. Mr. Mootz was at one time deputy under United States Marshal E. D. Nix, and was editor of the Oklahoma Daily Optic, which he established on the day of Oklahoma's opening, April 22, 1889. The book is said to live up to its title. In it six-shooters spit their flames of death, prairie fires sweep over the land, and camp fires gleam. Authentic stories of Pawnee Bill, Buffalo Bill and Wild Bill Hickok enliven its pages.

H. L. Mencken has prepared a history of the Sun papers of Baltimore—the Sun, the Evening Sun and the Sunday Sun—which will be published in May at which time the Baltimore Sun will celebrate its one-hundredth anniversary.

A full length play by George Jean Nathan is slated for publication early in February. Mr. Nathan says that since he has criticized the plays of others for twenty-eight years, he feels he should give them a chance to criticize his.

Some new plays which have recently been published are "Prelude to Exile" by William McNally, a production of the Theater Guild; Kaufman and Ferber's comedy, "Stage Door"; and Cole Young Rice's "Love and Lord Byron", a story of the tumultuous love life of the famous poet. A new play by the noted George Bernard Shaw, "Captain Brassbound's Conversion", is being presented this week by the Dallas Little Theater.

Sylvia Thompson, whose "Hounds of Spring", and "Charlot Wheels" were best sellers a few years ago—and which are on our shelves—is preparing her first children's book which will be brought out by the Oxford University Press. The title has not yet been selected, but it is said to be a "bear story and to begin with a wedding."

Ruby M. Ayers, the novelist, is visiting in Cape Town, Africa. She immediately startled the people by inquiring what was the good of all the gold they were producing and stated as her conviction that what the world needed was a league of all the women of the world. Her books of light fiction are very popular. Quite a few of them are on our shelves.

Oberlin College is taking an unusual step in encouraging the beginnings of personal libraries among the students. The college is offering two prizes for the best personal libraries owned by students at their graduation. The collections must have been made while they were un-

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They Rate 'A' on Hurdle



Some folks may doubt that Mary's lamb followed her to school, but here is Miss Winifred Small, sophomore at Texas State College for Women (CIA) and her sorrel hunter, Robin, who did accompany her to Denton. The tall sedate brunette, daughter of State Senator Clint C. Small of Amarillo, is an accomplished equestrienne, and is shown on a course of jumps at the college riding academy.

Nearly All Counties Certify Measurements On Farms Entering Agricultural Conservation Program

College Station.—Virtually all counties in Texas have certified the measurements on farms entering the agricultural conservation program, according to officials in charge of the Texas program.

Inclement weather hindered the measuring program over a large part of the state, but all except a very few counties have completed this step and the state office is receiving applications from the field at the rate of about five counties a day.

The state headquarters' force has made analysis of the figures from 168 counties and has returned the reports to these counties for adjustment.

A total of 58 counties in the state have made the necessary adjustments to place the figures in line with the state analysis and have returned the applications for approval. Of course, 45 counties have been approved by the state committee and recommended for approval.

The 58 counties have submitted 14,475 applications, of which 2,115 have been suspended and 12,360 approved for payment. Of the 11,386 applications certified to the General Accounting Office for payments totaling approximately two million dollars, 302 have been suspended by the branch accounting office and these have been certified to the disbursing office for payments totaling \$1,948,080.07.

dergraduates of the school, and a large part of the books must have been purchased by themselves. They must reflect an intelligent knowledge of the field of the owner's personal or professional interests. The college librarian is to be the judge, and the money awarded—\$30 and \$20—must be used to buy more books.

Sales Pads at The News.



In this column answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the State and its people. Address inquiries to Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas.

For whom was Johnson City, Blanco County, named? F. G. A. For the Johnson family (Jim, Sam and Tom), whose old home was close by, part of which, including the rock barns with port holes, is still standing. It was near here that the famous Deer Creek fight with Indians was waged in August, 1873, the wounded Texans being cared for in the Johnson home.

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Odd But True. By Anderson



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TEACHERS WILL HOLD MEETING

J. W. GUNSTREAM, DEPUTY STATE SUPERINTENDENT, WILL SPEAK HERE.

J. W. Gunstream, new deputy state superintendent for this district, will address the Donley County Teacher-Trustee organization Saturday morning, January 23, at 10:30 o'clock in the Junior High School auditorium. Mr. Gunstream replaces J. D. Wilson as deputy superintendent for this district.

O. L. Jacobs, chairman of the organization, will be present as will County Superintendent George W. Kavanaugh, who is secretary. This will be the first gathering of the teachers and trustees since Mr. Kavanaugh took over the duties of the office.

R. E. Drennan, Dean of Clarendon College, has arranged an interesting program for the meeting. Group singing will be led by Bill Todd and W. A. Poovey will deliver the invocation. J. C. Estlack will give the welcome address and the response will be made by Claude Barker. Mrs. LaVerne Cannon will give a piano solo.

Dean Drennan, who will lead a round-table discussion, will talk on "Rural Preparation for High School."

In the afternoon, Mr. Todd will open the meeting with group singing and Mr. Gunstream will deliver his address. A male quartette, Clarence Jackson, Bill Todd, Jimmie Millisap and Dennis Smith, will appear on program.

During the afternoon session, G. W. Kavanaugh, County Superintendent, will outline school plans for Donley County during 1937. Roscoe Trostle will talk on the purpose of Inter-scholastic League.

After the program, there will be a volleyball game between two teams chosen from teachers of the county.

New Court Reporter On For This District

Herbert B. Sams of Henrietta, moved into office quarters in the Hall County courthouse last week to take up his duties as court reporter for the 100th Judicial District, replacing Tom Easterling of Memphis, who has filled that position for the past many years, serving under Judge A. J. Fires.

Mr. Sams began his work in this district last week when the grand jury convened in Childress for the regular term of court there. Judge A. S. Moss of Memphis, new district judge, is presiding over the Childress court throughout the term of one month. John Deaver of Memphis, District Attorney, is handling the state's prosecution at Childress.

Mr. Sams moved his family to Memphis last week.

New Time Keeper For WPA Project

J. Y. Pollard has been sent here from Collingworth County by the WPA to be time keeper on the road project, 4407 on highway 88. He is in the WPA office at the city hall.

Mrs. Pollard moved to Clarendon with her husband.

Miss Ruth Hartzog, who has been ill for eight weeks, is able to be outside this week. Miss Hartzog will probably be able to assume her duties at Nadine's Shop next week.

T. C. GARDNER TO TALK IN HEDLEY

STATE B.T.U. SECRETARY TO ADDRESS BAPTISTS AT WORKERS' CONFERENCE.

T. C. Gardner, State B.T.U. secretary, will address the large group which will attend the Workers' Conference of the Pan-handle Baptist Association Tuesday, January 19, in Hedley, at the First Baptist Church. "Training for the Lord's Service," will be the theme of the meeting, which opens at 10 o'clock a. m.

Reverend J. Perry King, pastor of the Clarendon Baptist Church, will head a large group who will attend from this city.

The program for the day is as follows: Song and prayer; "Finding One's Life Work" F. N. Allen, Turkey; Chalk Talk, Mrs. A. Adamcik, State Worker; Special music from the Memphis group; address by T. C. Gardner, State B.T.U. secretary.

Following the lunch hour, the W.M.U. and board meeting will be held and at 2 o'clock Mr. Gardner will call a conference on B.T.U. work.

Methodist Men Are Given Chili Feast

A chili supper was given in the basement of the Methodist Church last night for the Brotherhood of the First Methodist Church. Members of the Win-One Sunday School Class served the feast to more than twenty men.

C. B. Morris, class president, was in charge. Richard Chunn, program chairman, chose a unique manner for the evening's entertainment by asking each member to speak extemporaneously on a photo cut from a magazine and using as his topic what suggestion the picture brought to his mind. Many worthwhile and humorous thoughts were presented and each one present participated. The next meeting of the Brotherhood will be held Wednesday night, January 27, in the basement of the church.

G. K. Reading Is Moving to Vega

G. K. Reading, who has been resident engineer of the local State Highway Department since 1933, will leave January 16 for Vega, where he has been stationed as resident engineer. Mr. Reading is assigned to the paving project on highway 66, west of Amarillo in Oldham County.

Kenneth Kerbow, who for some time has been associated with the Highway Department in this city, will remain in the local office in the Golston building as superintendent.

City Dads Plan To Tighten Purse Strings

"Our aim for 1937 is to keep the City of Clarendon in good financial condition," City Commissioners W. B. Halle and T. M. Pyle and Mayor John Sims remarked this week.

The city dads stated no purchases or expenditures would be made by the city unless absolutely necessary and that no salaries would be paid for hired help other than the commissioners found necessary. City finances are in fair condition and they will remain that way, the commissioners said.

SEWING ROOM IS OBTAINED HERE

COMMISSIONERS AND WPA FUNDS PROVIDE FUNDS FOR SEWING ROOM.

A government sewing room, operated on Works Progress Administration funds, will be opened in Clarendon this week and will employ from fifteen to twenty women. The sewing room, located in the old Denver Hotel building, is being secured for Clarendon through the co-operation of the City Commissioners and County Commissions.

The Commissioners Court, in session Monday, voted to put the room into order to meet government specifications for sanitation. City Commissioners, who have charge of the old hotel building, are equipping the room.

Clarendon formerly operated a sewing room under the Texas Relief Commission, but this is the first project of this type for the city.

Approval was given the project by the Amarillo office of WPA. Mrs. J. M. Acord was ap-

Myres McLean Dies At Hereford Home

Myres (Bobo) McLean, 41-year-old former resident of Clarendon died at his home in Hereford Saturday morning. He had been ill for several years and injuries he received during World War service were given as the cause of his death.

Mr. McLean left Clarendon about 20 years ago. He was a successful business man before his enforced retirement because of ill health. However, he kept his farm and ranch properties. Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the First Methodist Church of Hereford. The pastor, Reverend T. C. Willett, conducted the funeral services.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Powell of this city attended the last rites. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Clara Dunlap McLean; his moth-

er, Mrs. A. W. McLean of San Antonio; a brother, John McLean of Hereford; and five sisters, Mrs. C. C. Powell of this city; Mrs. Maude McClung of Amarillo; Mrs. Dwight Smith, Des Moines, Iowa; Mrs. Harold Gunn, Breckenridge; Misses Marnie and Carolyn McLean of San Antonio and Miss Wilma McLean, Dallas.

Loan Association Hears Addresses

The annual meeting of the Clarendon National Farm Loan Association, which was held at the court house Tuesday, January 12, was one of the best meetings in the history of the association, according to C. E. Killough, secretary-treasurer of the association.

A feature of the meeting was an address by Phillip L. Ayers, an executive of the Federal Land Bank, and a radio address by A. C. Williams, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, who spoke to the members of the 365 national farm loan associations in Texas who were attending similar meeting in cities and towns all over Texas at the same hour. This was

made possible through the co-operation of the major radio broadcasting stations which make up the Texas Quality Network. "Farmers generally should familiarize themselves with the types of loans available through these institutions, with the view of developing co-operative credit centers where deserving borrowers may secure both long and short term credit according to their needs," said Mr. Williams.

W. H. Patrick spent Wednesday in Pampa.

Condensed Statement of the Condition of THE DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$195,052.91	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts	49.12	Capital Debentures	25,000.00
Bonds and Securities	14,488.06	Surplus and Undivided Profits	5,000.00
School and State Warrants	17,910.08	DEPOSITS	452,426.59
Banking House, Fur. and Fix.	14,000.00		
Other Real Estate	7,810.97		
Federal Deposit Insurance Fund	156.73		
Commodity Cr. Corp. Cotton	413.37		
Cash and Exchange	\$186,064.53		
U. S. Bonds Owned	64,699.00		
Bills of Exchange			
Cotton	62,471.42		
	282,556.25		
TOTAL	\$532,426.59	TOTAL	\$532,426.59

The above Statement is correct, F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Vice-President and Cashier OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS WESLEY KNORFF, President F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, V. Pres. and Cashier J. L. McMURTRY, Vice-President W. R. ALLENSWORTH, Ass't. Cashier ROY L. CLAYTON, Ass't. Cashier C. T. McMURTRY ANNIE L. BOURLAND, Secretary D. N. GRADY W. J. LEWIS

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FLOUR AMARYLLIS 24 Lbs. \$1.05; 48 Lbs. **\$1.98** | **CHEESE FULL CREAM** Pound **.22**

SLAB SMOKED BACON Pound **25c** | **CHUCK OR SEVEN STEAK** Pound **18 1/2c** | **RIB ROAST** Pound **12 1/2c**

Brown's VANILLA WAFERS 1 Lb. Pkg. **23c** | **WHITE SWAN LUNCHEON PEAS** 2 No. 2 Cans **35c** | **BROWN'S CRACKERS** 1 1/2 Lbs. **22c**

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WHITE SWAN PEACHES No. 2 1/2 Cans **18c** | **WHITE SWAN COFFEE** 1 Pound **29c**, 2 Pound **57c**, 3 Pound **85c** | **WHITE SWAN CORN** 2 No. 2 Cans **27c**

CONCHO BRAND SUGAR CORN No. 2 Cans 3 For **35c** | **CONCHO BRAND ENGLISH PEAS** No. 2 Cans 3 For **35c**

CANDY Fancy Mixed Pound **.10** | **SOAP** LAUNDRY 6 Bars **.19**

REX BRAND LYE 3 Cans For **28c** | **NO. 1, TALL CAN SARDINES** 4 Cans For **35c** | **ROSE BRAND MILK** 4 Cans For **29c**

BINGS Brown's Butter Pkg. **.18** | **MEAT SALT** MORTON'S 25 Lbs. **.39**

FAMILY CREAM MEAL 20 Pounds **65c** | **STOCK BLOCK SALT** White Each **45c** | **JEFFERSON SMOKE SALT** 10 Pounds **59c**

LETTUCE LARGE HEADS 2 For **.07** | **SALMON** BRIMFULL 4 For **.49**

WINESAP APPLES Nice Size Dozen **15c** | **CALIFORNIA ORANGES** Full of Juice Dozen **15c** | **60c SIZE SYRUP PEPSIN** **49c**

BANANAS Nice Ripe Fruit 2 Dozen **35c** | **BARTLETT** FOOD STORE AND MARKET WE SELL FOR CASH ONLY | **GRAPEFRUIT** Large Nice Size Dozen **25c**

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