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A Common Paper for Common People

City Making Water Improvements

The present city commission is to be commended for some of the fine work they have been doing toward the water proposition here, both in the water supply and the water drainage.

The ditch has been dug and the pipe is to be laid to connect the new city well, located just north of the Smith Gin, with the city reservoir. This new well in addition to the new pump on the main city well and the two other wells should go a long way toward easing the critical water situation that we have here each summer.

Besides getting more water for city use, they have been working on the drainage situation which carries the flood waters from the residential section of the town. Heretofore, the water that has drained the west section of town has had no outlet. With the cooperation of county machinery, a ditch has been opened up through the old dump ground so that this water can drain into the city lake. Before, it could only back up near the highway department buildings clear back to the paving on west third street.

The city officials are asking that everyone help keep this ditch open by being careful where they dump their trash, and it is requested that you drive into the dump ground to dump your trash instead of out by the side of the road. A number of people have been dumping their rubbish on side roads all around town and the city officials ask that you not do this and help all you can to help keep our little city clean as possible.

If you haven't noticed the work that has been going on, just drive out to the dump ground and take a look for yourself. There has been some drainage work done in the southwest part of town also which will help divert some of the water that has been coming down the ditch west of town and drain it into the main city ditch. More work of this type is planned at the present time and should certainly help keep the high water, which has been experienced here many times in the past, under control.

Mrs. Rex Jones of Dallas is visiting this week with Mrs. S. T. Sayre and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blocker.

Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Landreth are visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Murrel Landreth at Ballinger, Texas.

Boxing Tournament To Be Held At Shamrock, April 4, 5 and 6th

Bob Clark, Secretary of the Shamrock Chamber of Commerce, has asked the Leader to announce the Boxing Tournament to be held at Shamrock April 4, 5 and 6th.

He stated that there would be three boxing teams competing there that have won three different tournaments this year. Lefors won the Amarillo tournament; Clarendon won the Clarendon tournament and Wellington the Wellington tournament. Clarendon is the defending champion of the tournament, having won at Shamrock last year.

This tournament will bring together the best boys from each school as only one boy in each weight may enter this tournament. Grade school (eighth grade and under) weights are 75 lbs thru 105 lbs. High School weights are 112 lbs. thru 175 lbs. and heavy weight.

Trophies will be given for first and second place in all weights plus a team trophy for first, second and third. A trophy will be given to the winning coach of the winning team.

FINE WORK BY AMERICAN LEGION APPRECIATED

Among the many improvements that are being made in our fair city, one that stands out, is the decoration job that the World War I and II vets have done in their American Legion Hall.

Credit for this is largely due to the enthusiasm of the younger members. The hall is to remain open all day to members in order that they may have a place for rest and recreation.

For the past year the hall has been open Friday and Saturday evenings to the younger people. With the recent improvements it classes as one of the really nice youth centers of this entire region.

Recently the Post is sponsoring a boy scout troop and plans are being made to extend the organization to include a "Cub" troop. Truly the American Legion in Clarendon is taking seriously its pledged obligation "For God and Country We Associate Our Selves Together." Let's give them a hand.

Services Today For Tom Kennedy

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Blackburn-Shaw-Buntin Funeral Chapel for Thomas A. Kennedy with Rev. Bob Cooksey officiating. Mr. Kennedy passed away March 25th at his home in McNeil, Texas after a quite lengthy illness.

Mr. Kennedy was a long time resident of this county before moving to McNeil some four years ago. He was born in Lincoln County, Tenn., Sept. 13, 1871.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Nora Kennedy of McNeil; Will and George Kennedy, of Leila Lake, Mrs. T. B. Lumpkin of Clarendon, Mrs. Joe Aten of Leila Lake and Mrs. Moody Kennedy Hamil of Leila Lake.

Pallbearers were Quinn Aten, Lamar Aten, Arch Garner, Jimmie Lumpkin, Floyd Lumpkin and Van Kennedy.

Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with funeral arrangements under the direction of Blackburn-Shaw-Buntin Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McMurtry are at Temple this week for medical treatment.

Year's Rain Average Upped by 1.36

The total of rainfall for the year so far was given a good boost Tuesday night and Wednesday morning when 1.36 inches fell here. This brings the total at the present time to 4.49 inches for 1946.

The slow, soaking moisture was welcomed by everyone as the wheat in this section was beginning to need moisture and the already greening pasture land will go right ahead without a set back. It will also put the farming soil in good condition for preparation for the planting season that is not too far off.

COTTON GINNING REPORT

According to W. M. Patman, Special Agent, the Census report shows that 8,368 bales of cotton were ginned in Donley County from the crop of 1945 prior to March 1st as compared with 12,595 bales for the crop of 1944.

Legion Aims

By Legion Reporter

According to a letter received by Commander Andrew Jay, Tuesday from Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office of the State of Texas, an amendment passed by both the House and Senate of the State Legislature and now awaiting ratification by the voters will provide a means of attaining land for veterans of World War II with profiteering cast aside and a low rate of interest. The Constitutional Amendment will come before the voters in November of this year.

The amendment, if ratified, will authorize the purchase of lands from the state and sale of same to Texas veterans of World War II ONLY, of which approximately 10,000 can benefit through competitive bidding. However, none of the land will be sold until six months after the formal cessation of hostilities and none for less than the state purchase price. Maximum purchase is to be limited to one tract not exceeding \$5,000 state valuation to any one veteran.

The land can be sold for cash, or as little as one-tenth down with notes to run for 40 years at 4% interest per annum. Listing of location of lands will not be available until acquired by the proposed Veterans' Land Board.

If the amendment is ratified by the voters, it should make it possible for many local veterans of the recently ended war to purchase land whereby now he must pay borrowed money and pay exorbitant prices for same. More information can be obtained through Commander Jay who has the letter from the General Land Office containing the articles of the movement.

GOVERNMENT STALLION TO BE PLACED ON JOE McMURTRY RANCH

The Remount Service of the U. S. Government is placing a thoroughbred stallion on the Joe McMurry ranch to encourage the breeding of a better type of riding horse.

McMurtry has agreed to bear all the expense involved in the care and breeding of this stallion, including veterinary service.

The Gov. agrees, for the above service, McMurtry is authorized to collect \$10 for each mare bred, or the equivalent in grain, hay, etc. to repay for the cost of maintaining the stallion and his accommodations.

Competition In School Election April 6th

The date for electing two school trustees is Saturday, April 6th. At the present time there will be four names appearing on the ballots this year. They are: Alvin Landers and Clyde Douglas; both of these men are running for re-election and the two new candidates are Willard Skelton and Thomas Roberts.

The election will be held in the School Tax office and every voter is asked to come out and exercise their voting rights by voting for any two of these four men who have announced.

The above names are the only ones that will appear on the ballot unless an individual makes a request for his name to appear on the ballot within three days of the election date. The official 10 day limit for placing names on the ballot was up yesterday.

Donald Beard of Norman, Okla. spent the week with home folks.

Episcopal Church To Have Minister

On April 2nd The Rev. W. Wilmer Fry, a Deacon in The Episcopal Church will arrive in Clarendon from Philadelphia to act temporarily as assistant to the Rev. Edgar W. Henshaw of Pampa who has had charge of all Episcopal Churches between Quanah and Dalhart for the past eighteen months.

The Rev. Mr. Fry was born in Philadelphia, Pa., November 17, 1918. After attending various Preparatory Schools he entered Marietta College, Ohio, in September of 1938, and was graduated in June of 1945 with degree of B.A. In college he majored in Political Science and was a member of the Crew as well as basketball player and team manager. In September of 1942 he entered the Philadelphia Divinity School from which he was graduated in June, 1945 as a Th B. Since June of 1945 he has been assistant at The Church of The Holy Trinity in Philadelphia. He has been active in Boy Scout work.

On May 23rd, in Clarendon, Mr. Fry will be ordained to the Priesthood by the Rt. Rev. Goodrich R. Fenner, Bishop of Kansas and Provisional Bishop of The Missionary District of North Texas. Episcopal Clergy from all churches in the District will be present at the ordination services.

Following his ordination, The Rev. Mr. Fry will return to Philadelphia for his marriage to Miss Thelma Aulin of that city. In June Mr. and Mrs. Fry will return to Clarendon to take up permanent residence. Mr. Fry is also a member of the Masonic Order, and is at present attached to Appollo Lodge 386 of Philadelphia.

Mr. W. C. Slater accompanied his sister, Miss Florence Slater, to her home at Jeromesville, Ohio for an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. A. Burton returned home Tuesday from Amarillo where she attended the Red Cross meeting of the Muscova Red Cross Area.

Evangelist To Hold Meeting At Goodnight

Rev. Vernie Pipes, whose picture appears below, will open a revival meeting at the First Baptist Church at Goodnight Sunday morning, March 31st at 11 o'clock. The meeting will extend through the following Sunday with morning services each day at eleven and evening worship at 7:55 p.m.

Rev. Pipes' home is at Denton. The State Evangelist was originally pastor of the First Baptist Church at Shamrock. He is well known in this section of the country, being an old time resident of White Deer, and is noted for his oratorical abilities and his "million dollar smile."

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Brawley-Flowers Vows To Be Solemnized Tonight At 8:15

NOTICE TO LEADER SUBSCRIBERS

There are still a few subscribers names on our lists that are still behind and we are asking that you check your paper this week and if you are among those that are behind, please come in and let us have your renewal before next Thursday as some names that are the farthest behind will not receive a paper after this week.

You can tell when your subscription expires by the dates to the right side of your name stamped on the paper. The first figure gives the month and the last figure gives the year. Those that have paid for their paper in recent weeks should check their date in case we have made an error as we would like to make any correction before any length of time passes. Those that have paid for their paper since March 21st will carry their old dating as we have not had time to work our mailing list, but will do so within the next week.

If you are behind, please renew this week as we don't want you to miss your issue of the paper if you enjoy it.

City Election Tues., April 2nd

Voters in the City of Clarendon will go to the polls next Tuesday, April 2nd to cast their vote of approval or disapproval for Pete Kunz and Homer Bones, the only candidates who have announced for the offices of city commissioners. It is already past the deadline for any other candidates to have their name placed on the ballot and the only way for any competition would be through the write-in setup.

George Norwood and Bert Smith are the retiring commissioners. There will be no election for the Mayor's office this year as he is elected on alternate years from the commissioners.

You should go to the City Hall next Tuesday and vote regardless of whether you are in favor of the two candidates or not. Your vote of confidence will help them a lot.

MRS. OLIVER ELLIOTT TO PRESENT PIANO PUPILS IN RECITAL

Mrs. Oliver Elliott will present piano pupils in recital Tuesday, April 2nd at 8 o'clock p. m. at the College Auditorium.

Students to appear on the program include: James Bryan, Connie Jean Cain, Louva Hunt, Richard Kennedy, Rebecca King, Ruth King, David Lowell, Diane Moore, Alice McCrary, Bill Porter, Willetta Riney, Lama V. Tatum, Cynthia Thornberry.

More Donations Needed In County Red Cross Drive

Clyde Slavin, chairman of the Red Cross drive, announced this morning that a considerable amount was still needed to put the drive over here in Donley County as only approximately two-thirds of the quota had been raised to date.

The quota for the County is \$2,950 and the drive is to be ended by the first of April. If you have not made your donation yet, you are asked to do so within the next few days.

If someone hasn't called on you, take your donation to any of the banks or to Mr. Slavins office in the Goldston building.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Ribley of Amarillo visited relatives here Sun.

DONATIONS TO CEMETERY FUND GOOD THUS FAR: MORE NEEDED

The Trustees of the Citizens Cemetery Association report their call for donations for the up-keep of the Cemetery for the year is meeting with fine success so far. A great number have sent in splendid donations and up to this time about half the amount that is necessary for the year's up-keep has been received. The Trustees think if every one who is interested in the good work will respond there will be sufficient money to carry on thru the year, and they urge every one, especially Lot Owners, to make their donation as soon as possible and as liberal as possible.

Girl Scouting Organized In Clarendon

Under the guidance of Miss Ida Mae McClure of the Girl Scout National Staff, five troops of Brownie Scouts and Girl Scouts have been organized in Clarendon. Over one hundred girls met with their leaders, troop committee members and Miss McClure on Wednesday afternoon.

On Monday and Tuesday the women met in training sessions on leadership of Girl Scout Troops. Miss McClure will return on April 5th for further training of leaders and to help in organizing a Council.

A steering committee to select a slate of officers has been appointed. Serving on this committee are Mrs. Mike Thornberry, Rolle Brunley, Mrs. W. A. Riney, Mrs. Rolle Brunley and Alvin Landers.

HEAVY WHITLOCK TO OPEN FURNITURE STORE IN AMARILLO

L. T. (Heavy) Whitlock, former furniture store operator of Clarendon before entering the service, is opening a furniture store this Friday in Amarillo. His new business is located out in San Jacinto. He recently received his discharge from the service and decided to locate in San Jacinto after noticing that there was no furniture business in that part of the city.

Mr. W. E. Hardin is confined to his bed this week with pneumonia. He is real sick.

Mrs. Dale Hill and children visited relatives at Childress the week end.

Fire Destroys Farm Home Monday Occupied By John Richey Family

MIXED TEAM OF BOWLERS FROM CLARENDON AND PAMPA TO MEET HERE

On Wednesday evening, April 3rd a mixed team of Bowlers, two men and two women will come from Pampa to bowl a friendly match of three games against a similar team of Clarendon Bowlers.

The Pampa team will be composed of Mr. and Mrs. John McFall, Mrs. Ina Petrie and the Rev. Edgar W. Henshaw.

It is expected that this match will be the first in a number of inter-city matches between Pampa and Clarendon teams.

Mrs. McFall, whose maiden name was Sue McFarling, is a former Clarendon girl.

Rev. E. D. Landreth and Jake Rhode will be the two men to compete against the Pampa team, and as yet, the two local women are undetermined.

Don't take the heading too seriously, folks; it's merely to attract your attention and induce you to come to the "Womanless Wedding" which will be pulled off tonight at the High School auditorium at 7:45. However, the actual wedding ceremony will begin at 8:15, but the band, for which the benefits of the program will go, will begin a short concert at 7:45.

Now it's not every day and night that you get to see a couple of old boys like Doyce Flowers and Van Brawley get married; nor do you see J. R. Porter perform such a ceremony every day. But tonight you're going to have that chance, and you just can't let anything stand in your way. If you should miss this thing, you would never forgive yourself after everyone else comes home and tells you how good it was. So therefore, you'd better be there.

It will only cost you 35c to gain admission and a ringside seat, and if you are just a kid, it won't cost you but 15c. Are these prices too high? Mercy no! After you see your husband, father, or good friend in his wife's clothes, you will probably want to pitch extra nickels in the ring for the cause, which incidentally, is a good one; the proceeds will go into uniforms, instruments, and other equipment for your high school band.

Dairymen View Milk Production Film At College

Approximately 100 people attended the showing of the Purina Mills film on the production of milk at the College, Wednesday night. The film, one of the most modern on this type of subject, showed the entire process of the actual manufacture of milk in the cows body and the effect of management and feed on the same. O. W. Hampton, District Purina Sales Manager, attended the meeting.

Quentin Williams, of the Soil Conservation Service, spoke to the group for some time on the topic of winter pastures and new grasses adapted to this region. The meeting was sponsored by the Clarendon Vocational Agriculture Department and the Donley County Dairymen's Association.

A plentiful supply of ice cream was served all those attending the meeting through the courtesy of Borden Milk Co.

Mr. D. W. Hinkle is very sick with double pneumonia.

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LIBRARY NOTES

By Mrs. C. A. Burton

Mrs. J. G. Stewart gladdened our hearts with the gift of a new best seller, "The King's General." After many weeks it still leads the list. A month ago its sales had reached 825,000—have no later report. At the beginning it sold because the advertisements read "By the author of Rebecca." His books including his famous "Rebecca," followed by "Jamaica Inn" and then "Hungry Hill," and

"Frenchman's Creek." None had come up to "Rebecca" until now—but "The King's General" promises to surpass them all. Second on the best seller list is Erich Maria Remarque's "Arch of Triumph"—but the general opinion is that it does not measure up to some others. It is a war story and is classed as a psychological novel. It was translated from the German. Remarque left Germany when the Nazis came into power. His books including his famous "All Quiet on the Western Front," were publicly burned. He is now a resident of the United States

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and expects his final naturalization papers this year. Just now he is in the haven of all successful commercial writers, Hollywood.

Calvin S. Holland
Now Declared
Officially Dead

The University Press is giving advance publicity on John McCarty's book, "Maverick Town," the story of Old Tascosa, to be published next month.

Marjorie Kennan Rawling's "The Yearling" is being filmed. Others also are "The Robe," "The Black Rose," "The White Tower," "A Lion Is in the Streets," "So Well Remembered," "Captain From Castill," and "Earth and High Heaven."

A new book which is attracting favorable attention is "Nicodemus" by Dorothy Walworth. So many Bible stories have been written of late that one naturally thinks of this as being in that class, but it is a story of New York in 1944.

Richard Llewelyn has been in New York for some time, but has recently gone to Hollywood to work there. He spent six years in the Royal Guards. His "How Green Was My Valley" was not only a best seller, but was made into a wonderful film. His "None But the Lonely Heart" has also been popular. Both are on our shelves.

Captain Jack Hemingway has received his army discharge and will go to a midwest college. He is the son of Ernest Hemingway.

Taylor Caldwell's new novel, "This Side of Innocence," will be a Literary Guild selection for May and will be filmed by the new Story Productions, Inc. Her "Dynasty of Death" made her reputation as a writer.

EDITORS NOTE—Since Oct. 24, 1944, S/Sgt. Calvin S. Holland, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holland of Hedley, Texas, Rt. 1, has been reported as missing. Recently the parents received the following official notice from the War Department which we reprint herewith:
15 March 1946

Mr. & Mrs. Waymond C. Holland Hedley, Texas, Rt. 1

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Holland:

Since your son, Staff Sergeant Calvin S. Holland, 38,346,416, Air



S/Sgt. CALVIN S. HOLLAND

Corps, was reported missing in action 24-October 1944, the War Department has entertained the hope that he survived and that information would be revealed, dispelling the uncertainty surrounding his absence. However, as in many cases, the conditions of warfare deny us such information.

Public Law 490, 77th Congress, as amended, provides for a review and determination of the status of each person who has been missing in action for twelve months. Accordingly, your son's case was reviewed and he was continued in the status of missing in action as of 25 October 1945. The law further provides that a subsequent review shall be made whenever warranted. Upon such subsequent review the making of a finding of death is authorized.

All available records and reports concerning the absence of your son have been carefully investigated and are deemed to warrant a subsequent review of his case. Information in the hands of the War Department indicates that your son was a crew member on an airplane which departed alone from Mcrotai Island on a

shipping search mission along the northern Coast of Borneo. Nothing is definitely known of the cause for its failure to return and an extensive search of the area over which it was scheduled to fly, made from altitudes ranging from fifty feet to one thousand feet, failed to reveal any trace of the missing plane. No further information has been received regarding the whereabouts or fate of any of the crew members.

Since no information has been received which would support a presumption of his continued survival the War Department must now terminate your son's absence by a presumptive finding of death. Accordingly, an official finding of death has been recorded. The finding does not establish an actual or probable date of death; however, as required by law, it includes allowances, settlement of accounts and payment of death gratuities. In the case of your son, this date has been set as 15 March 1946.

I regret the necessity for this message but trust that the ending of a long period of uncertainty may give at least some small measure of consolation. An appraisal of the sacrifice made by your son in the service of his country compels in us feelings of humility and respect. May Providence grant a measure of relief from the anguish and anxiety you have experienced during these many months.

Sincerely yours,
Edward F. Witsell
Major General
The Adjutant General of the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Skelton were in Amarillo Saturday.

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There was a large crowd out for Sunday school and church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberson and family of Pampa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan, and his mother, Mrs. M. H. Roberson of Clarendon. Ray has just received his discharge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Morrow of Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Morrow of Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morrow last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Craig and family visited Mr. R. M. Craig at Memphis Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Davis and Mrs. Pat Patterson visited Mrs. William Todson Wednesday.

Bro. Roberts visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Christie visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie this week. They will make their home at Canyon.

Wanda Sibley and Nelda Patterson spent Sunday with Evelyn Jean Wood.

Nelson Drew Christie, Joe Shadle, Duane Hearn and Lindell Patterson spent Sunday afternoon in the Geo. Bulman home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Marshall spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pink Marshall at Ashtola.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morrow,

Wayne, Pete and families spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crofford and Margie and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eddings of Clarendon went to Wellington Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Terry, Luther and Dorothy Faye visited in Amarillo last week end.

We are happy to report "We have a new school bus this week." We are enjoying it very much.

Miss Glenda Davis of Amarillo and Mrs. Geraldine Jordan of Pampa visited homefolks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill from Lakeview spent Monday in the O. H. Hill home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs at Hudgins.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brent from Sweetwater, Okla. visited Thursday night with her sister, Mrs. R. T. Brown and family also her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cox.

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Due to the increasing preference for our services in Clarendon, we are commencing to enlarge your funeral home *immediately*. Your new home will have an increased space for family and friends to be with their loved one while reposing at the home.

Never did we anticipate such an increase in our Burial Insurance in Donley County. Since we are being accorded such an increase in membership, we deem it necessary to enlarge in Clarendon since the results are being evidenced in the development of finer facilities, a more inclusive service, and the ability to serve people in all walks of life more satisfactorily.

Walker Lane of Clarendon has delivered the plans for your new funeral home. Upon entering the new home, the reception room, and from there the family will be accorded a private room for arrangements. A chapel, with a large private family room, is being constructed across the front of the home that will accommodate any service regardless of size.

Your new funeral home will have five (5) private reposing alcoves where you may visit your loved one or friend before and after final arrangements.

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W. D. KIDD

WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

By Cong. Eugene Worley

A very constructive move was made last week by Secretary of War Patterson when he appointed a six-man board of former servicemen to study the much criticized "military caste system."

Heading the Board will be Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle, of Tokio raid fame and subsequent distinguished service. On the Board will be ex-GIs and officers as well. Former Technical Sgt. Jake Lindsey of Mississippi, the one-

hundredth infantryman to win the Congressional Medal of Honor, will serve, along with Troy H. Middleton, comptroller of Louisiana State University, who as a lieutenant general commanded the 45th Division in North Africa and Sicily. Other members include Robert Neville, New York newspaperman and former lieutenant colonel, Adna H. Underhill of Freeville, N. Y. who was a paratroop captain and Anzio veteran, and Meryll H. Frost of Hanover, N. H. a former Air Force sergeant badly wounded in Italy.

Secretary Patterson said the Army investigation will look into the relations between officers and

men both on and off duty, investigate provisions for their housing, clothing, and recreation facilities, living conditions and the promotion system. Enlisted men and officers in service at the present time will testify at the hearings which will start late this month. A large number of witnesses, including civilians who had close contact with service personnel, such as workers of the Red Cross, will be heard.

It is expected that the Navy will announce the appointment of a similar board soon. Vice Admiral Louis E. Denfeld, Chief of Naval Personnel, disclosed that the make-up of the Navy board has not yet been determined but stated that it would consist of reservists or former naval men.

Patterson, in appointing the Board, said that in planning for a peacetime Army any change in personnel policy should be made to achieve a citizen's Army of the best type possible. "In the last few years, millions have served in the Army who would not have done so had it not been for the war—and while the experience of the war is still fresh in our minds, the time is right to take stock and determine what changes should be made in our practices."

Another announcement made by the War Department was that of 212 Brigadier Generals being reverted to the permanent status of Colonels, which serves to give some idea of how rapid has been our demobilization policy.

Many Regular Army men, attaining the rank of master sergeant, retire from active duty with a monthly income of \$155.25 per month and go into business in trades learned in the service.

◆◆◆◆◆ IN DONLEY COUNTY ◆◆◆◆◆ ◆◆◆◆◆ 26 Years Ago ◆◆◆◆◆

Dean S. H. Condon of the College addressed the Tuesday luncheon club at the Denver hotel Tuesday stressing the need of the city in acquiring title to the Y.M.C.A. building.

Clarendon homes in process of construction at this time are those of W. R. Bourland, N. N. Martin, G. S. Slover, H. Mulkey, M. P. Gentry, T. M. Pyle, O. W. Latson, Mrs. J. R. Leathers, Dr. C. G. Stricklin, W. J. Blackwell. Tom Connally is having his home remodeled. More than two hundred thousand dollars is being invested in brick homes here at this time.

Cleveland Hayter, merchant of Conway, was here Monday.

M. T. Crabtree is not only buying all the cotton that he can get, but is going to grow a hundred acres this season.

Phil Engle, driller on the Lelia well, says the prospects are good.

H. W. Kelly, pioneer planing mill man here, was in town this week for a few days and marveled at the progress of the city.

Harry Sitner and Dr. Bob Younger are attending the Elks convention in Amarillo.

Rev. G. C. Rafter, the rector, announces a special Easter program at the Episcopal church at 8 a. m. next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkett are in Oklahoma City to be with her mother who was severely burned in an accident recently.

Henry Tatum returned from Vernon because he could not get either bed or board. He was to be employed in the H. W. Kelly plan-

ing mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Beville, Miss D'Laurel Beville and Joe M. Warren were in Amarillo Tuesday.

Sil Dubbs has purchased the O. C. Brown home near the Junior High.

Troy and J. T. Lane are down from Kim, Colorado to visit relatives. They stated that they forded a deep snow a part of the way to Raton.

Announcement of the marriage of E. B. Antrobus and Miss Isabel Edwards in Brooklyn is received by local relatives.

Joe Romeo has organized a string band.

Curtis A. Keen is arranging a number of tennis game contests.

Street paving assessments are announced by city secretary W. L. Crane, covering First, Gorst, Carhart, Sully and Jefferson streets.

J. L. Bain had business in Wheeler county Tuesday.

"Should a monument be erected to our dead war heroes, or the purchase of the YMCA building be made," is the prominent question at this time. Mr. T. Jones is sponsoring the "Memory Shaft" side of the question.

Eighteen of the largest business houses of Clarendon have signed up a pledge to close each week day at 5:30 p. m. except Saturday, the schedule to begin April 1st.

Texas Gulf Coast Writing Contest For Young People Announced

The Texas State Historical Association has announced a special prize of \$25 in the Junior Historian Writing Contest for 1946 for the best paper having to do with the Texas Gulf Coast area. The winning paper will also be eligible for the \$100 prize in the statewide Writing Contest. This special contest is intended to make Texans conscious of their great extent of seacoast and its possibilities. The Association feels that Texans should no longer be insular in their thinking.

Contest entries may deal with any aspect of the Texas seacoast. Some suggestions of subjects are: marine life, ships, shipbuilding, canals, storms, fishing, the shrimp fleet, naval aviation, and Texas foreign trade.

"Any boy or girl in Texas under twenty-one years of age may become eligible for competition," stated H. Bailey Carroll, Editor of "The Junior Historian," the magazine of the Association which is written almost exclusively by young Texans.

April 1, 1946, is announced as the closing date of the contest. All interested are invited to write for further information to The Junior Historian, Box 2131, University Station, Austin 12, Texas.

Cadet Carroll Brumley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rolle Brumley of Clarendon, is one of the thirty-six cadets engaging in spring football practice at Wentworth Military Academy at Lexington, Mo.

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You'll see the results soon in the cost of everything that you buy... food, clothing and everything else. And you'll be doing your country a real service.

Yet that is exactly what's happening today. Our government is spending billions more than it takes in. And it continues to borrow to make up the difference.

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If the American people — through Congress — will reduce government spending and take steps to encourage production, inflation will be stopped... and this is the only way it can be stopped.

Write your representatives in Congress today.

Urge them to cut the cost of government, eliminating all waste... all unnecessary services... and postponing all expenditures that can be put off until our war bills have been paid.

Urge them to make the government start living within its means... at a level that you and your neighbors can afford to pay.

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NOTICE

MEETING OF THE DONLEY COUNTY MEMORIAL COMMITTEEMEN

At a meeting in the Legion Hall, Clarendon, Feb. 25, committeemen from Giles, Goldston, Martin, Ashtola, Lelia Lake, Hedley and Clarendon decided to place before the people of Donley County the proposition of honoring ex-service men by placing a walnut panel in the Court House to contain all the names of the veterans of World War II.

The reason for this change of plans is the fact that the increase in prices in materials and in the number of names to be added would necessitate the raising of some three thousand dollars more funds in order to erect the concrete marble outdoor monument as originally planned.

The following motion was introduced, seconded and passed unanimously:

"That after thirty days notice in the two County papers that we go on record as favoring an Honor Roll panel to be purchased and placed in the Donley County Court House; if sufficient funds remain after any persons not satisfied with this proposed change have been given a chance to withdraw their money in this effort to honor veterans of World War II."

SIGNED:

Ruth M. Richerson, Lu McClellan, J. R. Brandon, J. C. Gibbs, John White, G. G. Henson, Roy Jewell, J. W. Noel, E. M. Glass, W. C. Higdon, Rayburn L. Smith, C. B. Morris, Quinn Aten, Leon Reeves, Chas. Raines, C. L. Johnson, W. W. Flatt, Chester O. Hill, H. T. Burton.

Anyone who contributed to this fund and is not satisfied with the above plans may receive a refund of his money if called for on or before April 1, 1946. Those wishing their money refunded may call upon Mr. Clifford Johnson, Hedley, or Mr. Rayburn Smith at Clarendon.

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CAUTION.
Beware of the back-slapper—ten to one he hopes to make you cough up something.

VERSATILITY.
You have probably noticed that

a lot of hotheads suddenly develop cold feet when some one calls their bluff.

SURPRISE!
Then there was the young man who got a black eye by "leading the life of Riley." It was because Riley came home suddenly.

DISGUST.
The wail of men crying that "women are great talkers," is merely the wail of the defeated.

DESCRIPTIVE.
The man who lives in the past is like a train with the headlight on the caboose.

SCENIC MINDS.
There is always someone ready to drive the dewdrop from the rose with hot air.

EXPLANATION.
The scientific explanation for the noise of a drunken brawl is "soap opera!"

CLASSIC.
"Well, I'll just be dad-blamed" is the class yell of the school of experience.

Mrs. J. H. Easterling and Mr. and Mrs. John Dale Gray and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Putman and family Sunday evening.

Mrs. Major Hudson spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart and family attended a family reunion at Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson of Clarendon, celebrating Mr. H. M. Stewart's 81st birthday.

Mrs. Higginbotham spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richie and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale and Lucille. June Brock spent Saturday night with Betty Fern Higdon. Irene Brock of Pampa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell McBrayer and children and Beatrice Smith visited in the H. C. Smith home Sunday.

Mrs. Dick Eichelberger visited Mrs. Virgil Littlefield Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garland visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Putman Monday evening.

Mr. Aurford Jay of Eldorado, Okla. is visiting his uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gray at this time.

Faye Phillips spent Saturday night in the Roy Brock home.

Orrin Brock spent Saturday night with Frank Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McBrayer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Odell McBrayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rowe visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Peggram Sunday.

Betty Higdon spent Wednesday night with June Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richey had the misfortune of losing their home by fire Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis visited their son Kennedy Davis in St. Anthony hospital Monday. They accompanied Arthur Davis who is taking his son Mike to an eye specialist there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pickering returned this past week from a months vacationing and baths at Marlin.

Mrs. Edith Longan is still in Amarillo with her sister, Mrs. Evilsizer who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stephens was called to Matador Sunday. His mother is ill in the hospital there.

The house on No. 2 of the Rowe Ranch burned this past week. Mr. and Mrs. Allen lived there.

Lloyd Hefner of Amarillo spent the week with his parents.

Misses Jaunita and Naoma Mooring visited Bobby Vaughn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain and sons of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Will Chamberlain and children visited Sunday.

ren and Mrs. John Goldston and son Vernon were guests in the home of Mrs. John Chamberlain Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Chamberlain returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain for a two day visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis of Clarendon visited in the W. K. Davis home Sunday.

Mr. Harvey Adams went to Amarillo for a medical checkup this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Harlan and Latrese visited her parents, the Scott's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Inez Grimsley and son Bobby of Amarillo visited in the Scott home.

Bonnie Joe Mooring is home now with a discharge from the Navy.

Harry Edward Blair from A&M visited home folks last week.

GOLDSTON
By Wilma Smith

There were 35 out for Sunday school Sunday. Let's all come back next Sunday and bring some one with you.

Pvt. Boyd Brock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brock.

Mrs. J. D. Ashcraft and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jackson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale and Lucille visited in Memphis Friday.

Mrs. J. D. Easter spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Myra Davis of Durham, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Hott of Chamberlain and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Littlefield Sunday.

Those to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gray Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bones of Vancouver, Washington, Mrs. Higginbotham of Maybank, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bones, Mr. and Mrs. Bones and Mr. and Mrs. Leonidis Yankie and Susie.

Mrs. Dick Eichelberger visited Mrs. Edgar Talley Tuesday eve.

MIDWAY
Mrs. John Goldston

Bobby Vaughn is home now from Amarillo where she attended a beauty school.

Arvell and Misses Eva and Minnie Naylor visited friends at Groom this past Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison visited with the Hefner's Friday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Reynolds were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hefner Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Quattlebaum visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lowering Pickering on Sunday.

Jess White was a dinner guest in the Hefner home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Quattlebaum were afternoon guests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pickering and Mr. and Mrs. Lowering Pickering visited in the Hefner home Sunday afternoon.

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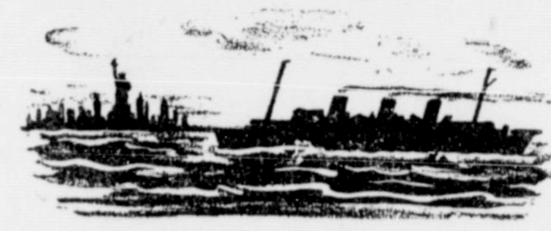
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PATHFINDER CLUB

The Pathfinder Club met Friday afternoon, March 22, in the Clubroom. Mrs. Lee Holland, the president presided and Mrs. Paul Shelton acted as secretary.

Mrs. Nathan Cox gave a memorial to Mrs. Mary Wilma Naylor.

Mrs. Joe Ritter, our delegate to the 7th District Federation meeting held in Amarillo on March 7-8, gave an interesting account of the meeting.

Mrs. Paul Shelton discussed in a most interesting manner the article "Not Peace But Sword" taken from Fortune Magazine.

From the Atlantic Monthly Mrs. Joe Ritter discussed "Russia and Her Neighbors in Europe."

Mrs. U. J. Boston read several of Grace Noll Crowell's poems.

The hostesses, Mrs. E. D. Landreth and Miss Chloe Darden, served lovely refreshments to the following members: Mesdames Porter, Cole, Elliott, Kunz, Boston,

Holland, Shelton, Goodner, H. T. Burton, King, C. A. Burton, Bunting, Morris, Cox, Dishman, Allmond, Ritter, Word, Patman, Lowe, Stewart, and guests, Mesdames Jack Brooks, Ben Prewitt, Sam Darden.

MOTHERS CLUB

Members of the Mothers Club met Tuesday afternoon in the Club room. Hostesses were Mrs. Dale Hill and Mrs. James Bain.

Mrs. R. Y. King presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Nelson Anderson presented the article, "Help Your Child to Entertain Himself." Mrs. J. Spier then discussed the article, "Family Fun."

Miss McClure, who is directing the organization of Girl Scout Troops in Clarendon, conducted a discussion of the Girl Scout Work and answered questions asked.

Refreshments were served to guests Miss McClure and Mrs. H. S. Richerson and members Mesdames Geo. Darden, W. C.

Mooney, Jr. Spier, Lloyd Risley, Homer Bones, Fontayne Elmore, Leondis Yankee, Bill Riney, Bill Weatherly, Dalton Swinney, R. Y. King, Nelson Anderson and the hostess, Mesdames Dale Hill and James Bain.

HI NOTE MUSIC CLUB

This club met Monday afternoon in the home of Lois Marie Hommel.

Arvazene Smith sang three solos, "Memories", "Danny Boy", and "The World Is Waiting For the Sunrise," accompanied at the piano by Mary Ladelle Cox.

After a social meeting refreshments were served to sponsor, Mrs. Victor Smith; members, Arvazene Smith, Betty Jean Naylor, Ladelle Cox, Dorothy Ann Castleberry, Ann Robinson, Doris Jean Wallace, Shirley Brumley, Ira Jean Estlack and hostess, Lois Marie Hommel.

Guests were Mrs. Redell Benson, Mrs. Frank Hommel. Colors: white and black. Motto: Forward with Music.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENJOYS PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Blocker entertained in their home last Thursday night for members of the Mrs. John Bass class of the First Methodist Church.

Spring flowers were used throughout the house and the dining table was centered with a novel arrangement of gladioli.

After games of bingo, refreshments of sandwiches and coffee were served to Mrs. John Bass and daughter, Mrs. Rosalind Sasser, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bass, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Willard Skelton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brooks and son Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Benson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Estlack, Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Cheatham, Mrs. Bob Boston and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Blocker.

H. M. STEWART HONORED ON 81st BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Neely Hudson served dinner at her home Sunday in honor of her father, H. M. Stewart's 81st birthday.

All of Mr. Stewart's children and their families were present with the exception of one son, Stanley Stewart of Modesto, Calif. Invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holton and Mr. and Mrs. U. T. Dever.

DORCUS-ALATHEAN CLASS

The Dorcus-Alathean Class met in the home of Mrs. G. G. Ayers with Mesdames Lloyd Shelton, Lloyd Risley and Rasco Land co-hostesses.

The meeting was opened with songs by the class. A devotional on Selfishness was given by Mrs. R. A. Hay. The minutes were read and approved. A donation of clothing for Chinese Relief was asked for. We were dismissed in prayer by Mrs. L. L. Cornelius.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames K. L. Howe, Ed Smith, A. P. Holligan, A. T. Cole, C. Huffman, L. L. Cornelius, W. D. Kidd, H. T. Burton, R. A. Hay, Bert Smith, Wendell Smith, Walter Clifford, Walter Lowe, June Dolman and the hostesses and Miss Mona Churchman.

—Reporter.

Mrs. U. Z. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Howe and young daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Eulan Higdon, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Estlack, Russell Morris, and the hosts, Rev. and Mrs. Hal Upchurch and young son Hal Ray.

METHODIST WOMENS MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Circles No. 1 and No. 2 of the Womens Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met at the Church Wednesday afternoon in the form of a going-away party for Mrs. Dave Johnson. Mrs. Rayburn Smith played a piano solo and Mrs. Chas. Lowry gave the devotional. Mrs. C. A. Burton gave a talk and presented Mrs. Johnson with a gift from the society.

Refreshments were served to twenty five members. Those assisting with the serving were Mesdames A. L. and Bill Thornberry, R. Y. King, U. J. Boston and Will Johnson.

The next meeting will be at the Church next Wednesday afternoon.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Circle No. 2 met in the home of Mrs. W. W. Noblet for the purpose of organization. The meeting was opened by a hymn led by Mrs. Basil Hurst. Mrs. Bedford Smith gave an inspirational lesson on "Babes and Growth in Christianity."

Mrs. Smith was elected Chairman, and Mrs. W. W. Noblet, Secretary-Treasurer.

This Circle will meet the 3rd Wednesday of each month, and has chosen for its study, "Women of the Bible."

After the business meeting, refreshments were served to 10 members and one visitor. The meeting was adjourned with the closing Scripture.

JUNIOR ADULT B.T.U. ENJOY SOCIAL

The Junior Adults B.T.U. of the Baptist Church enjoyed a social and supper Tuesday night at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hal Upchurch. After the covered dish supper was served, visiting and singing was enjoyed.

A short business session was held to elect officers for the next quarter. Officers elected were: President, Eulan Higdon; Vice-President, Keith Howe; Secretary, Mrs. U. Z. Patterson; Bible Quiz leader, Mrs. Hal Upchurch; Group Captains Mrs. Eulan Higdon and A. D. Estlack. Those present were Mr. and

TO THE CITIZENS OF CLARENDON

We want to thank all the wonderful people of Donley County and the City of Clarendon for all their nice gifts and words of kindness in our recent misfortune in the fire that destroyed our home and took with it all we had. Yes, it is pretty bad to have this happen to you, but when anyone lives in a country, where people are so nice and friends so many, it isn't nearly so bad.

We were on the receiving end this time and have found through our misfortune that all our deeds of kindness have been multiplied a thousand fold. We do hope none of you will ever have this to happen but we know if it does, and you live in a place with the type of people that live in Donley County and the City of Clarendon, that your misfortune will be blessed by those people.

Our most heartfelt thanks to each and everyone of you. To the Womens Club, Red Cross, the American Legion, and any other organization, you were so very, very good to us. May God bless all of you.

John O. Richey and Family.

Clyneil Gilbert of Amarillo spent the weekend visiting homefolks.

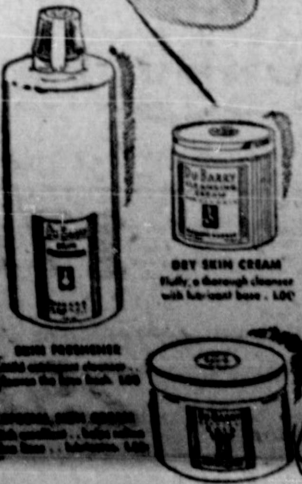
David Johnson of Amarillo spent the weekend visiting his wife here.

Jack Merchant of Pampa visited homefolks awhile Monday.



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Political Announcements

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County Judge:
CLYDE SLAVIN

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L. P. (Pete) WHITE

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J. R. BULLS
CECIL THOMAS

Commissioner, Precinct 3:
WINFRED (Red) DOHERTY
J. T. (Red) HILL
ROLLIE KELLEY

Commissioner Precinct 4:
GEORGE PRESTON
W. L. JACOBS

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Patching visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harris at Claude Sunday.

Mrs. Ola Killgore is visiting and attending to business in Burnett this week.

Nora Gordon of Amarillo visited the weekend with Mrs. A. W. Simpson.

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Church News

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Robert D. Bankes, Minister
EVERY SUNDAY
Bible classes—10 a. m.
(a class for every age under competent teachers)
Worship, 10:45 a. m. Sermon
Young People's class—6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.
Ladies Bible class—3:00 p. m.
on Wednesday.
Mid-week Bible study—7:30 p. m. Wednesday.
Mens Bible class—7:30 p. m. on Thursday.
You are cordially invited to attend our services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Charley B. Robinson, Pastor
Phone 267M
All people are urged to attend church services and worship our Lord in spirit and in truth. Surely after God's deliverance from war, and the sacrifice of many men to gain the victory, for the chance to further liberty, justice, mercy, love and truth in the world; every thinking man or woman should serve our Lord and His church. Find the church of your choice and work for God.
All are invited to worship God with us.

SUNDAY

9:45 — Sunday School for all ages.
11:00—Morning worship.
6:15 p. m. — Young Peoples League.
7:15 p. m. — Evangelistic Services.

WEDNESDAY

3:00 p. m.—2nd and 4th Wednesdays, Ladies Auxiliary.
7:15 p. m. — Bible study and Prayer meeting.

"I was glad when they said unto me—Let us go into the House of the Lord."
"Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bedford W. Smith, Minister
Phone 362
SUNDAY
9:45 a. m.—Bible School, W. L. Clampton, Supt.

10:50 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "What Men Can't Help Doing."
6:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor, Mary Ellen Pipes, Leader.
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship. Sermon: "Conversion of a Good Woman."

WEDNESDAY

2:30 p. m.—Women's Council in Mission study at home of Mrs. W. T. Hayter.

THURSDAY

7:30—Choir practice.
Pre-Easter Services
Services will be conducted each evening beginning Palm Sunday, April 14. Watch this space for sermon topics. The public is invited to all services.

Co-ops Meeting In Amarillo April 18-19th

AMARILLO — S. D. Sanders, commissioner of banks, of the Farm Credit Administration, of Kansas City, will be a speaker on the program of the annual shareholders meeting of the Consumers Cooperatives Associated here on April 18 and 19, according to an announcement made this morning by the program committee of the regional cooperative wholesale.

Commissioner Sanders is the head of the regional organization of the United States that are under the sponsorship of the Credit Administration and is considered one of the nation's outstanding authorities on agricultural financing.

Consumers Cooperatives Associated is the regional organization of some 140 farmer cooperatives in the southwestern region of the United States, made up of four states, including Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado and New Mexico. Through its organization, more than 40,000 farm families are represented.

Plans are being made to accommodate over a thousand farmers and their families in Amarillo for the two-day farm meeting.

GIVE TO THE RED CROSS NOW



Deaf children like two-year old Sue, whose father was killed overseas, are given special instruction in speech development at the Dallas Pilot Institute for the Deaf, Inc. Here Sue feels the cheek of her teacher, Miss Ruth Orenbaum, in order to pick up speech sound vibrations and learn to duplicate them.

Little Children Who Cannot Hear, Learn To Talk

No longer does being deaf imprison a child in a world of silent loneliness. Little children, like Sue, are learning to be normal children at the Pilot Institute for the Deaf, 4830 Ross Avenue, Dallas, Texas. She is among twenty-five children learning to speak and read lips. The Institute is sponsored by the Dallas Pilot Club, a small group of professional and business women, who, three years ago, discovered that there was no school of this kind for pre-school deaf children in the entire Southwest. They set about meeting the challenge of deafness in little children by establishing a permanent school on a non-profit basis under the guidance of Miss Ruth Orenbaum, a patient, kind teacher with many years' experience with deaf children. The institute is growing rapidly, the enrollment now including children from all over the state. Three excellent teachers, Miss Orenbaum, Miss Marybelle Searith and Miss Mary Martin, and a maid, are employed at present. Miss Martin of Memphis, Tennessee, has recently been added to the staff. She is in charge of the newly created speech correction department for pre-school hearing children. A fourth teacher will be added next fall. To meet the expansion program, the North Dallas-Park Cities Kiwanis Club is planning a \$25,000.00 building for the Institute.

A&M College To Conduct Summer Cotton School

College Station—The 37th annual Summer Cotton School will be conducted at Texas A&M College, May 27-July 6. Dr. Luther G. Jones, acting head of the department of agronomy at the college has announced.

Each summer these cotton schools are conducted with a view of preparing men and women to enter the business of cotton; to train cotton growers to market their cotton intelligently and profitably; and to assist cotton buyers to become more familiar with low grade and off-colored cotton, and to judge staple, Dr. Jones said.

The course of instruction to be offered at the 1946 summer cotton school is designed for employees of gins, warehouses and cotton buyers, for seed breeders and one-variety cotton producers, for county agricultural agents and teachers of vocational agriculture.

Last year 37 men registered for the course with a total of 25 of them coming from Mexico. This year it is expected that several more will enroll from that country and possibly some from South America.

Costs for attending the summer cotton school for the six-week period are \$17.50 matriculation fee; \$3.00 medical fee; and room and board can be obtained on the campus for approximately \$38.00 monthly.

Ex-Student Reunion At John Tarleton College, May 4-5th

Over 7,000 from all parts of the country are expected to attend the largest ex-student reunion in the history of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, May 4 and 5 of this year. A dance in the municipal auditorium the night of May 4 will start the festivities. The following day there will be an old time free barbecue on the campus, various class activities, and a memorial service for the 138 Tarleton ex-students and three faculty members who lost their lives in World War II. A well known general, as yet unannounced, will be the principal speaker.

The idea of the reunion started during the war when hundreds of ex-students in the armed forces endorsed the idea in response to a suggestion in a monthly news letter. A number offered to donate steers and other items for the barbecue. Twelve steers, 1,500 pounds of potatoes, 200 pounds of coffee, and other items in proportion will be used in feeding the large crowd.

Men between the ages of 17 through 34 years are acceptable for enlistment in the Regular Army.

A travel allowance of five cents per mile is paid in advance to those men entitled to a reenlistment allowance upon reenlisting in the Regular Army.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST or STRAYED—Three month old female bird dog (pointer), colored white and black. Anyone knowing whereabouts of this dog please notify Rev. Hal Upchurch, phone 104. Reward. (6-p)

FOR SALE—487 acre farm 3 miles south of Ashtola. 275 acres in cultivation. For immediate sale at \$25 per acre. See J. Fred Smith Jr. (6-p)

WANTED—To do ironing. Call Mrs. A. L. Whitsell, 193-M. (6-p)

FOR SALE—New Perfection kerosene kitchen stove. Five burners. Like new. Mrs. W. C. Scott, Naylor Rt. (7-p)

WANTED—Farm hand who can drive tractor. Steady work. See John Rhea, or call 936F11. (6-p)

FOR SALE—1941 model Frigid-air; six foot capacity. Excellent condition. Inquire at Lender office. (6-p)

FOR SALE—Five room house; bath; unfinished. In South part of town. See J. B. Hamilton at Clarendon Hatchery. (6-p)

Young men interested in world-wide travel may pick their overseas theater and branch of service by joining the Regular Army for three years.

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DATES PITTED 1 LB. PKG. 49c	SALT Carey's Shaker, round pkg.—3 for 25c
Prune Juice WHITE SWAN QUART BOTTLE 32c	COFFEE Gold Bar, reg. grind—1 lb. glass Jar 22c
PICKLES SOUR or DILL GALLON CAN \$1.39	PEAS Our Leader, No. 2 Cans—2 for 19c
PRUNES IN WATER GALLON CAN 65c	BEANS Brown Beauty—15 1/2 oz. Can 10c
KRAUT NO. 2 1/2 CAN 19c	HOMINY Faultless—No. 2 1/2 Can OTCE, No. 2 Cans—3 for 35c
	CHORE GIRL It scours—it polishes—Each 10c
	SPINACH Staff-O-Life—No. 2 1/2 Can 15c
	TOMATO JUICE Del Alta, No. 2 Cans—2 for 25c
	SAUCE Leota Bell, 14 oz. Bottles—2 for 25c
	Baking Chocolate Rockwoods—8 oz. Bar 17c
	PEACHES Mission, No. 2 1/2 Can in syrup Finesse—Gallon Can in syrup 99c
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BABO 2 CANS 22c	COFFEE Del Monte—3 lbs. \$1.00
KRAUT No. 2 1/2 Can—2 for 35c	PICKLES Sour—Quart 25c
MILK 6 Small Cans 25c	MATCHES 6 BOXES 25c
CUT GREEN BEANS No. 2 Can—2 for 25c	SPINACH NO. 2 CAN 17c
MACARONI Skinners—3 Boxes 25c	CARROTS BUNCH 5c
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ASHTOLA
 Mrs. Doyce Graham
 Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Tompson and Mr. and Mrs. Bill O'Neal and son of Pampa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey.
 Raymond Slater of Lubbock spent Sunday with Mrs. Ida Wallace. He took Leslie home with him.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kate of Skel-lytown, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Pink Marshall visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Marshall.
 The Joe Bownds' spent the week end in Amarillo with the Ralph Andis'.
 Houston McDonald and family of Goldston spent Sunday with

the J. B. Lanes'.
 Miss Mary Howren of Clarendon spent Sunday with Mrs. Millard Word.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rush are the proud parents of a son, Billy Powell, born March 22nd in a Clovis hospital. Mrs. Rush will be remembered as Mary Graham.
 Mrs. Clayton of Amarillo spent Sunday with her daughter, Laura Mahaffey.
 Mr. and Mrs. Red Morrison of Claude spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Henderson.
 Fire of an unknown origin destroyed the feed stack of Mr. W. A. Guy Monday night.
 James Ivy returned home Tuesday. He and Elaine have moved to Memphis. Mr. A. W. Jewett and Arthur Dean have been visiting with them this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henderson spent Monday in Hall County.
 F 1/c Billy Ray Graham returned to his post Friday to resume his naval duties.
 Mrs. Keith Swinburn and Mrs. Clyde Hudson were hostesses at the 42 party Friday. The spring motif was used in lovely bouquets of fruit blossoms, assorted pastel shades of nut cups and tally cards. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandon won the traveling prize. The hostesses served refreshments to about 35 guests.



AIR NEWS

By J. Fred Smith, Jr.

Dr. Keith S. Lowell has two BT-13s licensed now. The last one was licensed last week at Fort Worth. There are five planes available now.
 Dr. Welch formerly of Kansas City, Mo., solos last week in 07:40 (seven hrs. and 40 minutes).
 Dr. Cox of Hedley solos a PT-19 Sunday after 50 minutes dual.
 Willard Knox of Lelia Lake and L. L. Wallace of Clarendon made their first cross country flights Sunday. The XC included stops at Pampa and Amarillo. They reported the air a bit rough, but didn't get lost.
 Sunday, March 31, the local flyers will fly to Childress for breakfast, and attend a meeting of district flyers and return home.
 Buster Jones, local mechanic, is recovering a PT-19 from Claude. Buster has licensed four planes in the last three months, including two BT-13s for Dr. K. S. Lowell,

a UC78 for the Claude Flying Club, and a Stearman for Bob Boston.

A local pilots Ass'n will be organized. The first meeting is called for Friday night, March 29, 1946. Anyone interested in aviation in any way, is urged to attend. The meeting will be held in the basement of the Antro Hotel in the Lions Club room and will begin at 8 p. m.

The CAA has announced another one of those things to make flying safer. You are now permitted to file a flight plan on contact flights with CAA station at point of departure. The method would operate as follows: The pilots memorandum to the CAA would name the station at which his arrival report would be filed and would give his time of departure and estimated time of arrival.

This flight plan would not be transmitted by the CAA, but would be held at the originating flight plan station.

If the station holding the flight plan does not receive the arrival report on the pilot from the CAA station at his destination within one hour after his estimated time of arrival, the originating station will ask for an information advice.

If there is no information on the flight, within two hours after the estimated time of arrival, then an alert notice will be transmitted to the center controlling the flight advisory area through which the flight ordinarily might pass.

One hour after this alert notice is sent, if no word of the plane still has been received, the flight control center then issues a call for "search and rescue."

State Police, Forestry Service, Commercial Air Carriers operating in the area, the Civil Air Patrol, Military Organization, Coast Guard, or any other organization or individual who might be of assistance in locating the overdue aircraft will be enlisted in the search.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis and Wayne had business in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Roberts of Memphis spent Sunday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Grooms, who have spent some time in California, arrived Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts Friday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lovelady

of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Howard of Anton spent the weekend here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rasco and Jerry of Memphis visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith of Seagraves left Sunday after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Seago.

Miss Wilma Neathery of Dallas came Friday to visit with her sister, Mrs. Carl Jackson and family.

Will McIlroy who has been ill for some time is some better.

Mrs. Bill Pool, Billie Jean Pool and Mrs. Anderson shopped in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith and Marilee visited in Clarendon Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mooring of Amarillo visited in Borger Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Cook.

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THE RED CROSS NEEDS YOUR HELP

Let's Face the Facts ABOUT HOME BUILDING

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In the confusion created about the shortage of homes in America, one point stands out clearly:

YOU CAN'T BUILD HOMES WITHOUT MATERIALS!

Lumber and building material dealers and contractors obviously have a vital interest in obtaining materials for home building.

They report, nevertheless, that such materials are not flowing through the yards; that they have not been able to get them. Therefore, the Government's HH priorities offered to enable veterans and others to obtain homes, are simply home hunting licenses—for materials in quantity are not available.

As long as OPA continues its wartime control policy rather than a policy of adjustment to aid reconversion, it will neither be able to prevent an inflation or a deflation; it will only be able to prevent reconversion by discouraging production of needed home building items.

Here, for example, is an instance of OPA action that has resulted in increased production. After 6 months' delay, OPA granted a 4% to 10% price adjustment that allowed 125 of 400 closed brick and tile plants to reopen. This price adjustment allowed these plants and 400 others that had been operating, to hire needed labor. As a result, in the next quarter production rose 35%.

But in hardwood flooring, siding, plywood, millwork, and construction lumber, OPA clings to its wartime formulas. Instead, OPA follows the unrealistic policy of allowing premium prices to mills for producing lumber for such things as export to foreign countries, and for items that were needed in wartime industry.

Today's question is not essentially one of price control—if there were plenty of homes, no price controls would be necessary. The important question is one of production and manpower.

So far, OPA and Government officialdom in general have contented themselves with controls, allocations and priority systems which at best can do nothing but juggle an insufficient supply of building materials—and at worst, delay and retard production and the employment of manpower.

Homes will not be built in the United States unless the Building Industry builds them. Whether they are labeled "Public Housing" or "Private Homes," the same materials, the same building industry will build them.

Production can be un-blocked by the removal or adjustment of OPA's wartime policies. But such a realistic approach cannot be attained as long as Government action is based on a philosophy of lack rather than a philosophy of abundant supply for peacetime prosperity.

The lumber dealers, builders and contractors stand ready to build or rebuild America. But it is up to the people to demand that the way be cleared for the production of materials for homes.

Any government program that does not FIRST remove the obstacles blocking production of materials will simply add additional difficulties to the problem facing the building industry.

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Many Trench Silos Planned This Fall

Trench silos this fall will be one of the main jobs for County Agent H. M. Breedlove. It is vitally important that we conserve all of the feed possible if we make a good feed crop says the county agent. Silage is one of the best feeds that we can get for dairy cattle, and with the number of dairies that we have in the county it is important that we give the trench silo a great deal of attention.

Demonstrations will be held on several of the dairies in the county this fall and from the number of inquiries about the trench silo at this time it is estimated that practically all of the dairymen in the county will put in a trench silo.

Wes Sullivan, dairyman in the Midway community says that he will sure put all of his surplus feed in a trench silo and this is from experience because several years ago, Mr. Sullivan had a trench silo and is willing for a demonstration to be held on his

farm. Dairymen should give this careful consideration and any information can be obtained by calling at the county agent's office.

CANDIDATES FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES

The Leader has been asked to announce that the names of Thomas M. Roberts and Willard Skelton will appear on the ballot as candidates for election as School Trustees in the election to be held April 6th.

Both of these young men are well known for their spirit of cooperation in anything pertaining to community betterment. They are vitally interested in schools because they have young children entering the schools. They should make good trustees if the people see fit to elect them to this office.

Homer Estlack and Elbert Horton attended an Oldsmobile Service School at Amarillo Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Lewis of Dallas is visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis Jr. this week.

Local Club Calves Go On Feed

County agent H. M. Breedlove stated this morning that club calves were being put on feed at this time and all calves will be on feed in the next sixty days. Breedlove said that approximately twenty calves would be fed out by club boys for the Amarillo Show.

Two calves will go to the Pan-American show in Dallas this fall and these calves will be fed by Carrolane Lewis and Billy Thornberry. These two calves will be shown in the open class and in competition with the entire show.

The Donley County Fat Stock show next spring should be one of the largest and best in recent years and every effort will be made to make it one of the best local shows in the state. Mr. Carrol Lewis, chairman of the Donley County Fat Stock Show board, has called a meeting of the board for Saturday, April 6th to make plans for the Dairy show to be held in May and to discuss further plans for the fall fair and horse show.

PRICE CONTROL NEWS

By Peppy Blocker

With 60 per cent of the returning veterans expecting to set up their own homes—according to a recent Armed Forces survey—ex-GI's are reminded that there is a ceiling on practically everything that goes into building a house.

"In all instances, the prices are in terms which every prospective home owner and every present home owner who wishes to improve his property can understand," Chairman J. B. Masterson of the Price Control Board stated here today.

Such ceilings are posted in building material stores, lumber yards, and other such establishments just as the dollar-and-cent prices of food products are posted in grocery stores, he pointed out.

Further explaining the set-up, he stated that these new ceiling price lists cover lumber, insulation, brick, soil pipe, plumbing fixtures, and millwork items—such as windows, doors, and cabinets.

Taking into consideration local wage rates, contractors' services are also covered. These take in painting and papering, renewing roofs, installing plumbing, digging cellars, etc.

Masterson emphasized, however, that these ceilings are of no value if the public does not take advantage of them.

"Contact your local Price Control Board located in the Goldston building for any information you need relative to building materials and costs," he urged.

MISS JESSIE COOK ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR COUNTY TREASURER

In announcing my candidacy for the office of County Treasurer, I wish to state that I have been a citizen of Donley County since 1905 and feel that I am fully qualified to perform the duties of the office.

Your votes and support will be greatly appreciated, and if elected I will endeavor to serve you courteously and efficiently.

Miss Jessie Cook

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Adkins of Crowell, Texas visited in the home of their niece, Mrs. Carl Pittman and family on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morrison went to Pampa the past weekend on business.

Mrs. C. R. Skinner suffered a slight stroke last week. She is in a Denver Hospital and is doing very well. Mrs. Skinner is a former Clarendon resident.

Mrs. Leslie Dawson of Jacksboro is visiting her sister, Mrs. Claude Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sauer and daughter Jan of Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sauer.

Mrs. Mary Baker who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baker, returned to her

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HOMINY No. 2	2 for 25c
MAPLE SYRUP OLD MOUNTAIN—Quart	59c
Baking Powder	29c
COFFEE No. 2 1/2 can	19c
PEACHES	39c
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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allison from Los Angeles, Calif. and Capt. W. M. Rickie from Santa Fe, N. M. who visited in the R. C. Allison home, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown and family of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rhoades and son of Lefors and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades and daughter of Ashtola visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rhoades Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton is able to be at home again and is improving fast. Mrs. Frank Brown is staying with her.

1st. Lt. Homer Speed and wife were in Amarillo Thursday.

Carl Blackman and his mother, Mrs. Blackman of Amarillo were Clarendon visitors Sunday.

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