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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

Election Party Here Next Saturday Night

Second Primary Returns Will Be Received and Displayed by Election Officials

Conforming to rules governing Texas Democratic primaries, returns of the second primary on Saturday of this week will be assembled from over the county as rapidly as possible after the polls close and counts has been made. These results will be made public through announcement and by display on a big bulletin board at the court house here.

"This event will be the occasion for another election party in Wheeler to which people from all over the county are invited," declared A. B. Crump, Democratic county central committee chairman, yesterday.

"Everyone interested in the outcome of the second primary—and a large per cent of Wheeler county

235 ABSENTEE VOTES

From records in the office of County Clerk F. B. Craig, who handles the matter, it was learned Wednesday that approximately 235 absentee ballots had been cast in the current run-off primary. While this number exceeds by a fair margin the 199 absentee votes of the first primary, it does not necessarily mean a larger vote Saturday. The increase is attributed largely to the season of year, quite a few people being away on vacation at this time.

folks are—will find a cordial welcome Saturday evening and night," Crump continued. The county chairman observed that, from some angles, this week's election appears to hold even more interest to a lot of citizens than did the July primary.

This is attributed in large part to the seven county contests to be settled, the district attorneyship run-off, and a half dozen state posts whose future occupants will be decided at the polls Saturday. Some decidedly close finishes are expected, especially in three or four of the county races, which also stimulate interest.

Every effort, says the chairman, will be made to obtain returns from the various county polling places at the earliest possible moment.

As in the case of the other primary, it will be a big help to the committee in charge of receiving returns if every voter in the county will go to the polls as early in the day as practicable and cast his or her vote. Such action will permit counting to start sooner than if everyone waits until the last minute to vote. Thus, receipt of returns will be greatly expedited for the information of all and the satisfaction of everyone except those who are unsuccessful.

Predicts Heavy Vote

While discussing the probable turnout Saturday, Crump predicted a heavy vote, especially for a run-off election, placing his estimate at about 3,000 ballots. Based on the first primary's total of 3,520, the chairman's figures would be slightly more than 85 per cent of the July election.

Wheeler Young Man Gets Nice Advance

Watson Burgess Promoted to Post of Office Manager at Lefors for Utility Concern

Friends here of Watson Burgess are gratified to know that he has been promoted to the position of manager of the Panhandle Power & Light Company office at Lefors. He assumed his new duties Saturday.

Almost exactly a year ago, Burgess became associated with the utility company and had been meter reader and assistant line worker here until the advancement to this new place which carries added responsibility.

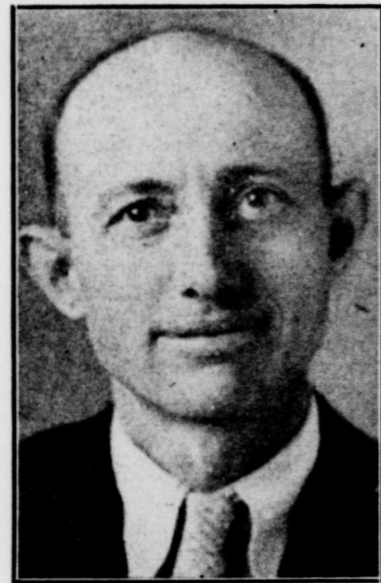
Claude Badgley of Borger has been sent to Wheeler to take over the position formerly occupied by Burgess.

Plans Move Forward for Colt Show Here

Further progress on plans for a mule colt show here Oct. 1 are reported. At a meeting of several interested parties Saturday afternoon, Jake Tarter, previously named chairman, was prevailed upon to also act as secretary. Bob Irons, stockman living west of town, and one of the strong boosters for the show, was elected treasurer.

Another meeting is scheduled for Saturday afternoon of this week, at which time further arrangements will be made, including selection of judges. J. C. Bradstreet and C. W. Mason are the other local men most concerned with the event, which is a new enterprise for the community.

Principal



C. B. WITT

With the opening of the 1938-39 school term, C. B. Witt begins his seventh year as principal of the Wheeler schools. J. L. Gilmore, whose picture is not available at this time, will also enter his seventh year as superintendent of the Wheeler schools.

Many Counties Enter Soil-Water Contest

Closing Date for Entries is Sept. 1—Wheeler County was 56th to Try for Prize

From the publicity headquarters of the organization at Abilene comes word that Sept. 1 has been set by the agricultural board as the deadline for entries in the first annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce Soil and Water Utilization contest. All counties which expect to enter the competition for \$1,000 in cash prizes must file official entry blanks by that date.

Seventy-three West Texas counties with farm and ranch land totaling 55,000,000 acres have entered the contest to date. County with the best record in soil and water conservation and utilization work will receive \$500 as first prize. Second prize will be \$300 and third will be \$200. Winners will be announced at the 1939 convention of the organization. Local committees in the winning counties will administer the prize money in promoting junior agricultural work.

Counties which have entered the contest to date are: Baylor, Borden, Dawson, Dickens, Fisher, Floyd, Howard, Jack, Jones, King, Llano, Lynn, Midland, Palo Pinto, Scurry, Taylor, Throckmorton, Tom Green, Val Verde, Wichita, Wilbarger.

Yoakum, Briscoe, Cottle, Oldham, Reagan, Reeves, Menard, Terrell, El Paso, Martin, San Saba, Coryell, Archer, Eastland, Haskell, Sterling, Mitchell, Glasscock, Irion, Brewster, Jeff Davis, Stephens, Garza, Hood, Runnels, Clay.

Nolan, Hansford, Culberson, Coke, Kent, Winkler, Stonewall, Sutton, Wheeler, Foard, Callahan, Young, Wise, Knox, Hudspeth, Upton, Blanco, Bosque, Hall, Loving, Lubbock, Pomeroy, Pecos, Crosby, Erath and Parker.

Wheeler county was the 56th West Texas county entered in the contest. W. O. Puett of Wheeler is chairman and J. L. Tarter of Wheeler is secretary of the committee organized to promote activity in the contest in the county.

Two Families Make Moves

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McMillin, who have been living in the E. E. Holt property on South Main street which they subleased for the summer from Mrs. John Ficke, have moved to the Wiley apartment recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Jones.

Mrs. Ficke, who has been visiting a daughter, Mrs. Clifford Hall, and family since returning from an extended stay at Braymer, Mo., is again occupying the Holt property.

LOCAL BAKER FINDS EGG WITH TRIPLE YOLKS

Another oddity of nature is reported by C. H. Davidson, proprietor of the City Bakery here, who recently discovered a triple-yolked egg. Eggs containing double yolks are comparatively common, remarked Davidson, but those with three perfect yolks are decidedly rare. They were of uniform size and only slightly smaller than an ordinary yolk, while the egg was somewhat larger than usual. Davidson uses many eggs in preparing his delicious bakery products, and possesses first-hand knowledge of "hen berries" as well as being able to appreciate a "yoke," even an egg with three yellow globules in it.

Wheeler City Schools to Start Term on Monday, September 5

Only Slight Faculty Changes Made—One Vacancy Yet Remains to Be Filled

Opening date for the fall and winter term of the Wheeler schools was announced this week by Supt. J. L. Gilmore as Monday, Sept. 5. This date is a week later than last year's start and also a week later than was first contemplated for this season.

While no formal program for the opening is in prospect, it is likely that brief exercises will precede communications of general instructions governing enrollment. The greater part of the first two days will be devoted to enrollment and assignment of students to their proper places.

Data concerning the number of scholastics is not available at this time, but indications point to a slight decrease in purely local students, yet it is believed that tributary districts will approximate last year's figures and might even gain a little, bringing the total number of scholastics close to that of 1937-38.

In a conversation yesterday, Supt. Gilmore expressed satisfaction with the prospects for a highly successful school year, in both academic and athletic fields.

The Faculty

The prospective faculty roster and assignments are as follows: J. L. Gilmore, superintendent; C. B. Witt, principal of the high school; Stina Cain, coach and principal of the grades; Miss Bernie Addison, English and journalism; Mrs. J. L. Gilmore, English and Spanish; Miss Winona Adams, history; Miss Lois Kirby, science and mathematics; W. T. Roach, manual training and assistant coach; W. J. Murdaugh, commercial work, mathematics and assistant coach; Frederick Forrester, band and history; W. C. Zirkle, vocational agriculture; Mal Wynne, public school music.

A home economics teacher is yet to be employed.

In the grade school department Mrs. G. O. McCrohan will teach English; Mrs. C. J. Meek, 4th grade; Mrs. Hazel Davidson, 4th grade; Mrs. John Hood, 3rd grade; Mrs. C. C. Crowder, 2nd grade; Mrs. Gordon Phillips, 1st, and Miss Pauline Irons, high 1st.

These assignments, however, are only tentative, observed the superintendent, who explained that rearrangements may be found desirable later on.

Busses, operated by the district and covering practically the same schedule and routes as last year, will provide transportation for pupils residing at some distance from the school.

Weatherly Family in Reunion Here Sunday

Joe A. Weatherly of Wheeler was the honored guest Sunday at a family reunion and picnic dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Weatherly, seven miles northeast of town, when all of his children were present. The occasion was Weatherly's 69th birthday anniversary, which falls on Aug. 20.

A huge white cake, decorated with pink, formed the centerpiece for the long table which was set under the shade trees.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Weatherly and children, Miss Dawn and Joe, Lubbock; Jodie Weatherly and Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Weatherly and children, Parnell; Mrs. C. M. Weatherly and sons, Oneal and Phalen, Lakeview; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Mullin, Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weatherly and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Collier and daughter, Patsy, and the honoree and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Weatherly, all of Wheeler.

JOHNSTON'S FINAL PLEA TO PRECINCT 1 VOTERS

Addressing his remarks to the voters of Precinct 1, E. E. Johnston, candidate for commissioner of that precinct, says:

"I wish to again thank you for the nice vote you gave me in the first primary. I wish it had been possible for me to have talked to each one of you again, but on account of illness in my family and the time so short, it has been impossible to see you all. To those I didn't see I want you to know that I earnestly solicit your vote and influence.

"I am still running on the same platform I started with, honesty and equal service to all, and if you see fit to cast your vote for me next Saturday and I am the lucky man, I assure you that I will be fair to all parts of the precinct and will do my best to make you a commissioner that you will be proud of."

Utility Employees in Get-Together Friday

Annual Picnic of Panhandle P. & L. and Cimarron Co. Workers to Be Held Near Borger

From Deward Wofford, appliance salesman with the local office of the Panhandle Power & Light company, has been secured a copy of the announcement of the annual picnic for employees and their families of that concern and the Cimarron Utilities Co., to be held tomorrow at Riverview, near Borger. This will be the 12th annual picnic, according to the announcement, which reads in part:

"As in other years the custom of closing all departments at 12 o'clock noon on that day will be observed, with the exception of the usual maintenance and trouble crews. All employees not on duty, as well as all members of their families are invited and expected to attend.

"The parade to Riverview will leave the warehouse at 3 o'clock and activities will start at Riverview as soon as possible after the majority of folks have assembled. It is the wish of the committee that each family bring a basket lunch and possibly a little more for the 'single boys,' who also like to eat."

Refreshments of ice cream and watermelons will be served during the afternoon. Dinner is scheduled for 6:30.

Entertainment will include trap shooting and sports events all afternoon, followed by the evening entertainment and distribution of prizes.

Huge Crowd Attends Farmers Feast Today

Barred from attending because the affair happened to be on press day, The Times force can only surmise regarding attendance at the farmers' barbecue and picnic, held at Kelley Bros. ranch today. If traffic through Wheeler can be taken as an index to attendance at this annual county-wide round-up for farm men and boys, there should be a "mob" present when the eats committee starts to hand out barbecue around 6 o'clock this evening.

Beginning early in the afternoon, cars of men and boys in groups of twos, threes and upwards have passed through town on their way to the picnic grounds. Going as a guest speaker, Eugene Worley of Shamrock, state representative, stopped over a few minutes at The Times office about mid-afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Beal and daughters, Patsy and Patricia, of Austin came Sunday to visit Mrs. Beal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Miller, and children and friends.

GLANCING CASUALLY INTO THE TIMES WINDOW

Two new entries in The Times window during the past few days have attracted considerable attention and much favorable comment.

One of these is a sample of Tokay grapes, sent in by Mrs. H. M. Wiley, and is a product of the family garden here in town. This fruit is of excellent quality and very fine flavor.

The other entry displays the artistic talent of Mrs. A. B. Crump. Subjects are two post-card size kodak pictures of Wheeler flower garden scenes. Upon these foundations hand tinting in water colors was applied, producing quite attractive and pleasing effects in flowers and foliage.

One picture is of the Will Warren flower plot, featuring zinnias and assorted flowers; the other is the A. C. Wood garden, which contains vines, shrubbery and flowers.

Although the matter is mentioned with extreme reluctance for fear wrong motives might be attributed, The Times window has failed to show any watermelons thus far this year. Possibly late season or hail has affected the crop but friends of the paper need not hesitate on that account. They are sure to have some good melons and even though below par, every effort will be made to give them due credit while in the window and when they just naturally gravitate to the editor's table.

This is not exactly a hint—but pretty close to it.

Head Coach



STINA CAIN

Opening of the current term of Wheeler schools marks the beginning of Stina Cain's second year as coach and third year with the schools. W. T. Roach and W. J. Murdaugh are his assistants.

Wheat Crop Sign-Up to Close August 31

Insurance Policies Covering 1939 Yield Must Be Executed by Next Wednesday

Midnight, Aug. 31, is the deadline. At that hour will close, for this season, the opportunity to obtain the new, all-risk insurance on wheat to be harvested in 1939.

Because seeding (especially in localities which use wheat partly for winter pasture) will be starting soon and the policies of this new insurance become effective as soon as the seed is in the ground, this limit seemed necessary to give the service office at Kansas City time to send out the premium notices, get back the payments and put out the policies before seeding begins. Accordingly, Aug. 31, if necessary, his office at county agent's office in Wheeler. His telephone number is Briscoe 902. Zybach reports that up to Aug. 11, "about 75,000 applications had reached the county supervisors in the winter wheat states. How fast applications have come in since then, I do not know," he says, "but the gain in rate has been quite rapid."

"The first policy was issued July 15. For the two weeks following July 15, the rate at which applications reached the Kansas City branch, which serves this territory, was over two and one-half times as fast as for the week ending July 15. For the third week, it was almost four times as fast, and for the fourth week, ending Aug. 12, it was 7.8 times as fast. At that time Ohio was far in the lead in number of applications, with Nebraska, Michigan and Kansas following, in that order."

For number of acres of the 1939 wheat crop actually insured, the Texas wheat region (which obtained the first FCIC policy issued and farms in a big way) was close to the top.

"While this new, all-risk crop insurance is, in a way, a part of the general program in which the farmers of this county are co-operating, through the services of our ACP committee of farmers. This is not, in any sense, mutual insurance. The full cost of a policy is definitely figured beforehand and there can be no additional charges or assessments."

When an applicant gets his premium...

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AUTO AND STRAY BUFFALO FIGURE IN COLLISION

AUSTIN.—"Shades of Buffalo Bill!" exclaimed Captain J. D. Moffatt, state police statistician, when he read this traffic accident report from Potter county:

"Dave Griest of Kansas City, Mo., was driving his car along the highway two miles east of Amarillo when a full grown buffalo jumped in front of it. The driver did not see the prairie roamer in time to avoid the collision which resulted in slight damage to the modern automobile and subtracted from the diminishing buffalo census."

First Contract City Project Let Tuesday

Oklahoma City Company Successful Bidder on Water Test and Well Construction

In an open meeting of the city council here Tuesday forenoon, bids on the initial phase of Wheeler's proposed new waterworks and sewer system were opened and read. Contract was awarded The Shuler Company of Oklahoma City on their low bid of \$3,640.00.

This contract covers the drilling of test water wells in search of an adequate supply of water that conforms to analysis requirements, to be followed by construction and completion ready for use of a "gravel-wall water well," which will be the future source of supply for the new Wheeler waterworks system.

Work is expected to start on the project at an early date. The successful bidder, it is understood, is ready to start next week. However, slight delay may result pending arrival of an authorized PWA supervisor for the job. Demand is said to be strong at this time for supervisors and the available supply somewhat depleted. Yet it is not likely that serious hindrance will result from that source.

The contractor is allowed three months in which to accomplish the stipulated task, but has expressed the opinion that 30 days will be sufficient time to complete the job.

Further progress will be contingent upon development of the water well tests and construction of a supply well. Until that is done, little other work can be accomplished. When the location of this well is established and its potential output determined, bids will be advertised for on the next phase of the project, which will include laying of mains, erection of tower, installation of fire plugs and other details.

It is also expected that at about the same time operations on the sewer system will get under way. Location of disposal plant and distribution field must yet be determined, no statements concerning this or the probable water supply site having been made public as yet.

One of the important personages here Tuesday was Paul Moore, PWA inspector from New Mexico, who looked the situation over and pronounced it very satisfactory. Moore declared he found "things in proper order."

Developments to date afford much encouragement to local authorities. Mayor R. J. Holt and members of the city council are well pleased with the progress made and believe that successful culmination of the project is dependent only on the necessary lapse of time required to perform a rather pretentious undertaking.

Goodrich for Woodul as Attorney General

Shamrock Man Endorses Opponent in First Primary for Important State Position

While visiting in Wheeler a few hours one day early this week, Lewis M. Goodrich of Shamrock took occasion to vigorously endorse Walter F. Woodul for the state post of attorney general in the run-off primary Saturday. It will be recalled that Goodrich, himself, was a candidate for that office in the first primary.

It was during the campaign that Goodrich became acquainted with the several candidates for the office which he was seeking and through this acquaintance and observation of their conduct and tactics, the Wheeler county man learned of Woodul's record as a private citizen and public official. Combining his qualifications in these two spheres with that of an able lawyer, produces a man eminently fitted for the position of attorney general in the opinion of Goodrich, who now asks support for his former opponent.

Goodrich stated quite clearly that he had no intention of implying any sort of dictation concerning which of the two attorney general candidates his former supporters should vote for, but will hold it a great favor should they give Walter F. Woodul due consideration and if possible vote for him next Saturday.

Goodrich again expressed appreciation for the fine support given him throughout the Panhandle and in Wheeler county especially during the campaign preceding the July primary.

Newlyweds to Missouri

Mr. and Mrs. Kilborn Bowers of Plattsburg, Mo., who had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowers and other relatives the past week, were called home Saturday on account of the serious illness of her grandfather, S. E. Walters, with whom she made her home before her recent marriage.

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TVA LIBERAL SPENDER

Testimony produced by the committee investigating the TVA tells of the authority purchasing 550 acres of phosphate lands in Tennessee for the sum of \$68,000.

The New York World Telegram says: "Assuming that the phosphate lands are worth all TVA paid, still it seems altogether probable that the TVA might have made a better bargain if it had shopped around a little."

Anyhow, there was no reason for making a hurried purchase. President Roosevelt, who has taken quite an interest in conservation of phosphates and is himself something of an authority on the subject, sent a message to the last session of congress saying that the country possesses known deposits of that soil-enriching substance sufficient to last 1,100 years.

This isn't the first example of apparently gross waste of the taxpayers' money by the TVA. And there's nothing surprising in it to the student of the history of government-owned business.

The congressional committee would do well to look further into TVA expenditures and activities. After all, the people have been paying through the nose for this experiment in socialism—and they're entitled to know where their money went.

BUY HOME PRODUCTS

Campaigns for the encouragement of buying products manufactured near at home have been carried on in various communities with varying success for many years.

Any small industry which manufactures a worthy product and sells it at a reasonable price might be enabled to grow large through the loyal support of home people.

These are trite and self-evident facts which have been put forward time and again, yet many otherwise good citizens deliberately contribute to the upbuilding of distant cities at the expense of their own towns and

ROGUE THEATRE
Stan LAUREL in Oliver HARDY
Swiss Miss
Fri.-Sat. Aug. 26-27 Sat. Mat.

Robt. Louis Stevenson's
KIDNAPPED
with Freddie Bartholomew Warner Baxter
Pre.-Sun.-Mon. Aug. 27-28-29

The MAUCH TWINS
Denrod and his Twin Brother
A Booth Tarkington Story
Wed. Aug. 31-Sept. 1 Thurs.

TOO MANY HITCHHIKERS



counties, through failing to patronize home establishments. The policy of buying at home would do more for the average town than can be accomplished by all the commercial organizations and boostery clubs which may be maintained.

ARE YOU A HYPOCRITE?

The average motorist is an unconscious hypocrite. That's a strong characterization—but a little impersonal analysis will substantiate it.

It is a fact that a large proportion of accidents are caused by the reckless 10 per cent, but the other 90 per cent periodically take chances and are responsible for our annual auto deaths.

Who, for example, doesn't sometimes pass a car when the stretch of empty road that can be seen is too short for safety? Who doesn't occasionally succumb to the lure of excessive speed—even though he has little or nothing to do when his destination is reached?

Accident prevention, so far as it concerns the human element, is a personal individual matter—and each individual has to really want to drive safely at all times before he can analyze his driving errors and correct them.

TO A ROASTING EAR

Here's to the King-pin of summer, the good old American "roasting ear." It is one of the reasons we can stand the heat and the sun—the fact that summer-time means "roasting ear" time.

In the old days they used to roast the corn on the cob, but that was when the hunter couldn't be bothered with tending a pot in which to boil the corn, as we do today, but preferred to toss the ear into the ashes and embers of a camp-fire.

This is an ode to corn on the cob, however it is prepared—the golden grain of the gods, which finds its proper place on the tables of both the rich and the poor.

There may be proper ways to hold it, for we have noticed the new-fangled corn-forks that stick in each end of the cob (to keep your fingers clean). It matters not how you bite it, nor how thickly you butter it, whether you spread it from ear to ear or nibble daintily, it still remains the most satisfying vegetable that pops from the ground.

There are no holds barred in corn-eating. The fellow who comes out the same after eating as he was when he began, does not know the joy there is in getting butter on your nose. The sorriest sight is the fellow who can no longer dig down to the cob with his mouth spread wide, but is forced to cut the grains off the cob in order to eat it at all.

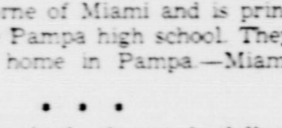
"Sure we do...and it's better business, too"
THIS TAVERN OBSERVES THE LAWS
Illustration of a man pointing to a sign that says 'THIS TAVERN OBSERVES THE LAWS'.

When you drink Beer in a tavern... choose your tavern

WHEN YOU restrict your patronage to legal, respectable retail outlets, you not only encourage those better outlets but you've made a start toward driving out the bad spots in your community.

And that is exactly the aim of the great body of honest retailers of beer who, along with the brewers, recognize that Beer's only problem is to remove the anti-social conditions that sometimes surround its sale.

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Correspondence is invited from groups and individuals everywhere who are interested in the brewing industry and its social responsibilities.

Look for this symbol in members' own advertising.

F. W. Osborne of Miami and is principal of the Pampa high school. They will be at home in Pampa—Miami Chief.

Three hundred thousand dollars were earmarked Friday for Collingsworth county's rural electrification project, following a conference of Judge Luther Gribble, Orval Couch, and Carl C. Cox of Amarillo with eight REA administrators in Oklahoma City.

Panhandle officers broke up what was described as the biggest "cattle stealing ring" in West Texas in years, when Cecil McDaniel, alias J. M. Taylor and his brother-in-law, John E. Jones, were arrested in Snyder last Wednesday.

Mayor C. E. Forbes reports that the City of Perryton has collected \$6,243 in delinquent taxes since July 1. A large part of this collection was made in the few days prior to August 15 when the city issued a statement that delinquent taxes had to be paid or the city would start legal action to collect same.—Ochiltree County Herald.

"There may be nothing in hypnotism or psychology, but don't forget that a booming baritone 'my frie-e-nd's' can make a 40-billion dollar deficit look like an asset," warns a pointed paragraph in Tex's Topics in the Pampa Daily News.

Entertaining a lively guest 100 years old, was a distinction the Clarendon Lions Club had Tuesday at its regular weekly luncheon at the Clarendon Hotel, when T. L. Lovelace of McLean was introduced by Lion Odos Caraway. Lovelace, born March 24, 1838, had recently returned from the reunion at Gettysburg, where veterans of both North and South mingled in the last reunion, and where he found himself one of three more than 100 years old.—Clarendon News.

It would be a popular move for some people if the government could devise some way to pay a fellow for plowing up his wild oat crop.—McLean News.

We have just read in the papers where a certain American cotton firm is importing thousands of bales from Mexico. It makes our blood boil. Just at the time when Texas needs a market for its own crop the mills are stocked with Mexican cotton. Even if it is a business with this firm, we can't think of a lower specimen of non-Americanism. There are lots of things we can't understand, however. For example, why does the gold braid for the uniforms of officers in armed service of the United States have to be imported from France?—Memphis Democrat.

An annex 18 feet wide and extending the full length of the building with a basement is being added to the First Baptist church, the work beginning last week. For several months this church has been too small to accommodate the crowd that attended. With the annex, a seating capacity of around 500 is provided, which will make this one of the largest buildings in town.—Lefors News.

The federal army engineers and surveying crew for the Caprock reservoir in Briscoe county arrived in Memphis the first of the week and established offices Tuesday. Wednesday some of the preliminary work at the site was started and Thursday work on the survey was begun in earnest. E. B. Tunnell, manager for Upper Red River association stated.—Quitaque Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Levitt and two children, Lynn and Evelyn, and Maude Levitt of Allison spent several days last week with Mr. Levitt's sister, Mrs. J. K. Blake and family. On Thursday they all motored to Amarillo. Mrs. Lester Levitt was a Carson county school teacher in 1921, teaching at Tony Ridge school. She was then Miss Edith Gibson.—Panhandle Herald.

Men who work just enough "to get by," and there are many, should use their stolen time to read Horace Professional Column

J. D. MERRIMAN
County Surveyor, Wheeler County
Licensed State Land Surveyor
Wheeler, Texas

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RE-ELECT C. V. TERRELL!

West Texas Chamber of Commerce Fav Domestic Allot

Adoption of Plan for Better Region is Urged by WTCAgricultural Board

Adoption of the Domestic ment plan to "assure the well development of West Texas culture" is being urged by the Texas Chamber of Commerce ing re-approval of the plan WTCCA agricultural board.

The plan was first endorsed organization at its 1935 con in Plainview. All affiliates asked to work for enactment legislation.

WTCCA officials contend th Texas did not receive just 45 per cent less cotton, while states east of the Mississipp allowed to produce more co was pointed out. Foreign are being lost because while acreage is being reduced country, it is being increased countries, it was said.

Under the Domestic Al plan, a farmer can control acres, secure subsidy paym the portion of this crop dom consumed and be free to g he can on the balance of l in the foreign market, WT officials said.

Present government form making wheat loans and poss of this formula for making loans was termed by the "unfair and discriminatory Texas producers."

WTCCA officials say they want the cotton loan formul with freight rates. "Should ton loans be made on basi wheat loan formula, our We producers will suffer a and differential greater than ers in other sections," they Officials pointed out that ton, on basis of equal haul pays 49.34 per cent higher rate than Arkansas, 71.87 higher rate than Missouri and a half time higher than ana.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Giles i dren of Gruver spent the w near Wheeler with their frie and Mrs. Ray McPherson, T returning home from Wich and Hollis, Okla., where the relatives.

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1/2 lb. Watkins Famous Bl Pepper -----
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West Texas Chamber of Commerce Favors Domestic Allotment

Adoption of Plan for Betterment of Region is Urged by WTCC Agricultural Board

Adoption of the Domestic Allotment plan to "assure the welfare and development of West Texas agriculture" is being urged by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce following re-approval of the plan by the WTCC agricultural board.

The plan was first endorsed by the organization at its 1935 convention in Plainview. All affiliates are being asked to work for enactment of the legislation.

WTCC officials contend that West Texas did not receive just allotments as compared with other agricultural states under government farm control programs in recent years. "The policy of scarcity and the administration of acreage and crop control is discriminatory to West Texas wheat and cotton producers and is stagnating our agricultural welfare," they declared.

Under the old Bankhead bill, West Texas farmers were forced to produce 45 per cent less cotton, while certain states east of the Mississippi were allowed to produce more cotton, it was pointed out. Foreign markets are being lost because while cotton acreage is being reduced in this country, it is being increased in other countries, it was said.

Under the Domestic Allotment plan, a farmer can control his own acres, secure subsidy payments on the portion of this crop domestically consumed and be free to get what he can on the balance of his crop in the foreign market, WTCC officials said.

Present government formula for making wheat loans and possible use of this formula for making cotton loans was termed by the board as "unfair and discriminatory to West Texas producers."

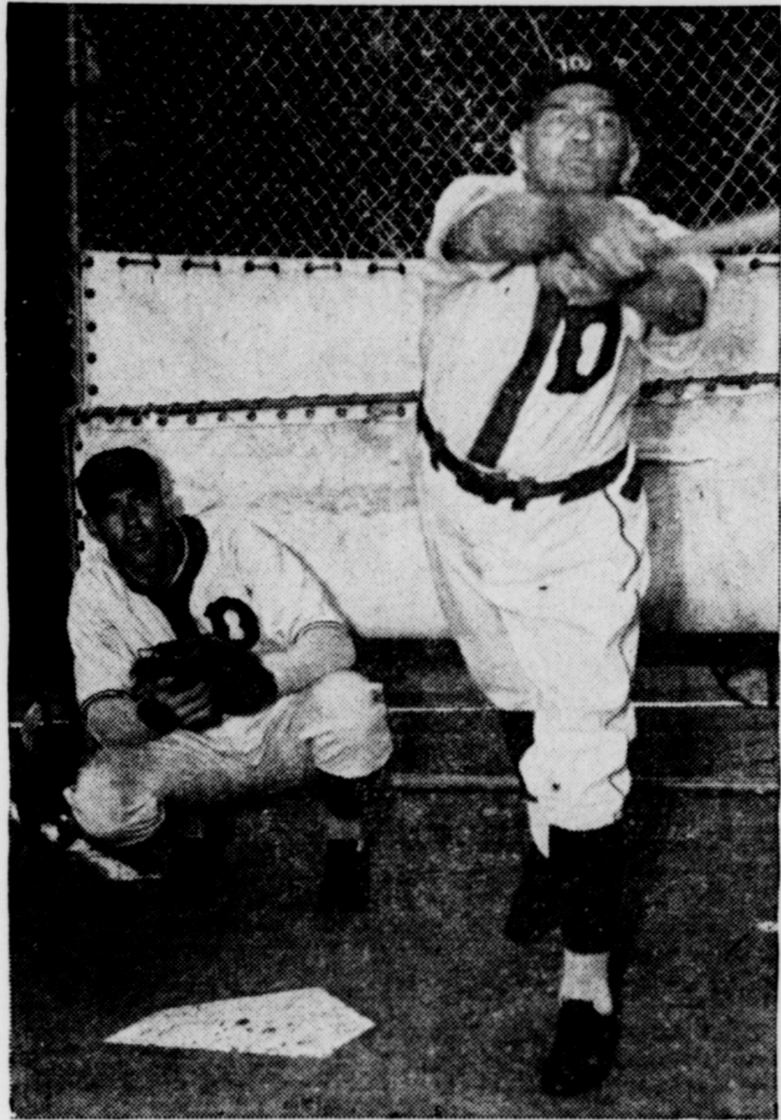
WTCC officials say they do not want the cotton loan formula mixed with freight rates. "Should the cotton loans be made on basis of the wheat loan formula, our West Texas producers will again suffer a penalty and differential greater than producers in other sections," they said.

Officials pointed out that for cotton, on basis of equal hauls, Texas pays 49.34 per cent higher freight rate than Arkansas, 71.87 per cent higher rate than Missouri and two and a half times higher than Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Giles and children of Gruver spent the week end near Wheeler with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McPherson. They were returning home from Wichita Falls and Hollis, Okla., where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Britt and his mother, Mrs. S. P. Britt, Shamrock, spent Thursday in Childress with relatives and friends. They were accompanied home by Patty Sue Sherwood, who visited at the Britt ranch until Monday, when she returned home by bus.

Terrell Hits Home Run!



C. V. Terrell, chairman and candidate for re-election to the State Railroad Commission, is an ardent baseball enthusiast. When he has the chance he works out with the Dallas Steers. He is shown here, in a Dallas uniform, just after hitting one over the left field wall. Squatted behind home plate is Paul "Daffy" Dean, Dallas pitcher and brother of "Dizzy" Dean.

Local News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Puckett are in San Angelo this week on business.

Harold Nicholson came home Tuesday evening from San Antonio, where he spent two weeks at Camp Bullis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Tilley of Shamrock were shopping in Wheeler Wednesday.

Doyle Elliott of Pampa is spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Griffin, and children.

E. H. Cromer of Shamrock was in the county seat Tuesday, attending to business.

George W. Barnes of College Station was in Wheeler last Thursday on business and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tarter.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Porter and daughter, Glenda, returned today from a month's vacation at Cowles, N. Mex.

Miss Ernestyne Skaggs of White Deer returned home Tuesday after spending a week at the E. C. Raney home with Miss Ethel Claire Raney.

Mrs. Bill Hayhurst and son, Doyle, of Menard came Sunday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Beal, of Austin to spend the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Miller, and children.

Miss Marguerite Ficke was honored with a shower and party last Thursday evening on the lawn at the Methodist church by the Kappa Beta club members, as Miss Ficke was leaving soon to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson of Granite, Okla., and his cousin and wife of Gainesville, Ga., visited the former's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Badley, a short time Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Newkirk of Nari Visa, N. Mex., came Friday to bring home his sister and brother, Miss Opal and M. L. Newkirk. Another sister, Mrs. Roma McCoy, of Amarillo accompanied them to Wheeler where they visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Newkirk, until Sunday. Chandos Robertson and Clarence Newkirk, Amarillo, went home with the Newkirks Sunday to visit them for a while.

Ray Byars of Borger was in Wheeler Monday, visiting friends.

Roy Brewer of Memphis spent Tuesday night in Wheeler.

Eugene Worley of Shamrock was in Wheeler this afternoon, visiting with friends.

Miss Mildred Watts of Pampa spent the week end in Wheeler with friends.

Rev. E. T. Smith, pastor of the Baptist church at Shamrock, was in Wheeler Monday, visiting friends.

Ask about the Free Wincharger deal at the Wheeler Auto Supply & Electric Co., Wheeler. 361c

Amos Page and Huffman Walker have gone to Oklahoma City to attend Draughon's Business college. They enrolled last week.

Miss Berga Goad, who has been employed in the county tax collector's office for several years, has resigned and will take a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hyatt and son, Gene, returned Monday from Cowles, N. Mex., where they enjoyed a week's outing.

Miss Lorene Hardy of Tulia came Monday to visit her grandfather, A. Finsterwald, and daughters, Misses Clara and Betty, and other relatives.

Miss Katie Topper and Milton Finsterwald were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Topper at Sweetwater, Okla.

Miss Melba Wiley returned Tuesday from Norman, Okla., where she had been visiting at the E. C. Rippey home.

Jim Biggs of Memphis was in Wheeler Monday, attending to business. While here he visited his sister, Mrs. M. L. Gunter, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Balch of Pampa were Saturday evening guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Balch, and children.

Mrs. Charlie May and daughter, Maurita Ann, Shamrock spent Tuesday with Mrs. Homer Jones and family at Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Underwood and children came home Tuesday from Wildomar, Calif., where they have been for some time.

T. P. Hyatt went to Borger Wednesday to take home his grandson, Gene Manney, who had spent the week and accompanied Mr. Hyatt on a trip to Abilene and other points.

Mrs. Arthur Cox and children of Oklahoma City returned home Wednesday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Callan, and children.

Rev. A. C. Wood spent Wednesday and Thursday at Hammon, Okla., attending the Baptist association, as he is pastor of the Baptist church at Durham, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greenhouse and children and her mother, Mrs. J. B. Barr, returned home Tuesday from a two weeks motor trip to South Texas.

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Salt Pork No. 1, per lb. -----	14 1/2c	BANANAS per dozen -----	10c
Lipton's Tea 1/2-lb. box with 2 glasses -----	40c	SALMON Fancy Pink, per can -----	10c
Lipton's Tea 1/4-lb. box with 1 glass -----	21c	ONIONS, 3 lbs. for -----	10c
Candy Bars 3 for -----	10c	Galv. No. 3 ----- 88c Tubs No. 2 ----- 77c No. 1 ----- 68c	

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Mrs. H. E. Tolliver and children, Gordon, Elmer and Wanda, and Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Crowder and daughter, Jackie, were in Shamrock Tuesday on pleasure and business.

John Ficke returned Tuesday evening from Brownwood and Stephenville, where he and Mrs. Ficke have spent the past two years, to accept a position at the City Drug store. Mrs. Ficke will come later.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee came home Friday night from Capitan, N. Mex., where they visited the former's uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Taylor. They spent the first part of the week at Cowles, fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Puckett, jr., and children motored Sunday to Sayre, Okla., where they were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Puckett, sr., and children, returning home that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland and son, Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Greenhouse of Mobeetie returned home the last of the week from Nashville, Tenn., where they visited relatives for nearly three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clarke of Lefors spent Wednesday in and near Wheeler with relatives. They visited at the Stiles ranch, Jim Trout's and with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wood. They returned home that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walters of Seagraves were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Crossland. Mrs. Walters will be remembered as Annie Crossland. They were married in July.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Gaines and daughter, Billie Ruth, of Seagraves accompanied the body of their daughter and sister, Martha Ann, to Wheeler Sunday for interment. The family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marl Jaco while here.

Miss Marguerite Ficke went to Oklahoma City today to enroll in Draughon's Business college. Miss Ficke has been employed at the City Drug store for the past year and a half. Miss Adell Hampton, who has been employed there this summer, will take Miss Ficke's place.

Miss Juanita Stone of Borger came Friday and visited until Sunday with Miss Clara Finsterwald and other friends. Those taking her home Sunday evening were Misses Marguerite and Bessie Mae Ficke and Clara Finsterwald and Hobby Kirby and Tommy O'Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Templeton and daughters, Misses Willetta and Johnnie Faye, returned Monday evening from Portales and Crossroads, N. Mex. At the latter place they were guests of Mrs. Templeton's brother and sister, W. L. Barnes and Mrs. T. I. Burkhani, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Glen Stamper of Jacksboro stopped in Wheeler last Thursday to visit his uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Craig, sr., and sons, F. B. jr., and Lewis. The Stampers also visited his grandfather, M. M. Craig, sr., and other relatives in Miami. The couple, recently married, were enroute home from their honeymoon trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heisler and children, Dorothy, Clifford and Alice, and Mrs. Heisler's sister, Mrs. Leola Gentry, all of Pawnee, Okla., came Friday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Balch and children until Monday. Mrs. Gentry and Mrs. Heisler are sisters of Mrs. Balch. Another sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sandbergen of Tulsa, Okla., spent Sunday at the Balch home.

D. A. HUNT Makes Final Appeal

Voicing a final appeal for support and votes in his behalf at the polls in Saturday's run-off election, D. A. Hunt, candidate for County Judge, wants to remind the voters of his long residence in Wheeler county, during which time they have had a chance to observe his daily life and conduct, which he feels will stand close examination. In addition to his personal record in private and public life, Mr. Hunt contends that his reputation for ability, honesty, fairness and thoroughness in all his undertakings warrants his seeking the important office of county judge.

D. A. Hunt is fully Democratic in belief and practice, and one of his convictions is that rotation in office is a good Democratic practice.

Confident of his qualifications and ability to conduct the affairs of the office in a manner wholly satisfactory to the people of Wheeler county as well as outside contacts with state and national affairs affecting local conditions, Mr. Hunt asks election to the office of County Judge.

D. A. HUNT

Candidate for County Judge, Wheeler County

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THOMPSON SEEDLESS GRAPES	15c
2 lbs. for -----	
BANANAS	12c
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OKAY BRAN FLAKES	20c
3 boxes for -----	
CRACKERS, FONDA BRAND	15c
2-lb. box -----	
MAJESTIC PEAS	10c
No. 2 can -----	
PINEAPPLE JUICE	29c
Half Gallon Size -----	
PRUNES	29c
gallon can -----	
CORN KIX	25c
2 boxes with cereal bowl FREE -----	
BACON, Melrose	29c
Sliced, lb. -----	
CHUCK ROAST	18c
per lb. -----	
TASTY SUMMER DRINK	25c
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- Watkins Best Quality Vanilla Extract, 11-oz. bottle ----- \$1.00
- 1/2 lb. Watkins Famous Black Pepper ----- 40c
- Large box Menthol Camphor Ointment ----- 50c
- Large bottle Watkins Red Liniment ----- \$1.00
- One spiral bound Cook Book, reg. value ----- \$1.90

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CITIZENS STATE BANK

Local News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Puckett and son, R. J., returned Friday from Cowles, N. Mex., where they spent a week.

Troy Shipman went to Altus, Okla., Monday to make arrangements to attend school.

Mrs. Floyd Pennington and sister, Mrs. R. E. Davenport, of Henrietta spent Sunday afternoon at the Jap Johnston home near Mobeetie.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rhine and baby returned home Sunday from Fort Worth, where he has been working for several months.

Dan Files, daughter and grand-daughter, Mrs. J. C. Zell and Mrs. W. S. Nixon, Mobeetie, were all Wheeler business callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Porter and daughters, Georgia Gaye and Jo Ann, came home Sunday from Hamilton where they visited with her mother, Mrs. R. B. Hampton, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Lile of Dimmitt returned home the last of the week after spending several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Callan and Mr. and Mrs. Lile.

Robert Guy and Herbert Lee Mitchell left Saturday for Frederick, Okla., to spend a week or 10 days with their sister, Mrs. Louise Haven, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scribner, Mrs. Bud Scribner and children and Mrs. Douglas Sims of Mobeetie spent Tuesday in Amarillo visiting Miss Kathryn Sims and attending to business.

Jeff Gunter of Plainview accompanied his nephew, M. L. Gunter, home Monday. M. L. Gunter had gone to Muleshoe to make arrangements to start the school at Progress, Sept. 5.

Mrs. George Caviness of Flomot came Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Irons, and family, while Mr. Caviness accompanied his football boys on their summer camp trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Beck and son, Douglas Grant, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beck living near Mobeetie returned Saturday from a week's enjoyable motor trip. They visited friends and relatives at Clovis, Hazerman, Roswell, Ruidoso, Corona, Belen and Melrose, N. Mex.

Supt. and Mrs. J. L. Gilmore and son, Earl, and the former's nephew, H. B. Gilmore, of Memphis returned Friday from a week's outing and fishing trip to Cowles, N. Mex., where they visited with 23 people all from Wheeler on Wednesday. The Gilmore's spent the first of their outing in the White Mountains near Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Jones moved the last of the week to the A. B. Melton residence on South Main street where Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Maloy have lived for a number of years. The Jones moved their furniture from Mineral Wells, where it has been in storage, while they had been living in the Wiley apartment the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bryant went to Pampa Friday and attended to business. They were accompanied home that night by his mother, Mrs. E. W. Bryant, who makes her home with a daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Ward, at Pampa. Mrs. Bryant will spend two weeks here with her son and friends, and is visiting Mrs. A. B. Griffin this week.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nominees subject to the action of voters in the Democratic Run-Off Primary, August 27, 1938.

STATE OF TEXAS

For District Attorney: CLIFFORD BRALY, C. E. CARY.

COUNTY OF WHEELER

For County Judge: W. O. (Oliver) PUETT, (For re-election), D. A. HUNT.

For Sheriff: JESS SWINK, RAYMOND WATERS, (For re-election).

For Commissioner: Precinct No. 1—E. E. (Ed) JOHNSTON, W. L. BOBO.

For Commissioner: Precinct No. 2—H. H. WALSER, JIM TROUT, (For re-election).

For Justice of the Peace: Precinct No. 1—C. C. MERRITT, A. C. WOOD.

T. A. Treadwell and daughter, Lorene, of Mobeetie were Wednesday business callers in Wheeler.

Dr. V. N. Hall returned Saturday from San Antonio, where he spent several days doing dental work at the surgical hospital of the U. S. army.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt Green and her sister, Miss Zenna Mae Holley, came home Saturday evening from Cowles, N. Mex., where they spent a week fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pennington and her sister and brother, Mrs. R. E. Davenport, and son, Barry, of Henrietta and S. J. Johnston, Fort Worth, left Tuesday on a motor trip to Almagordo, N. Mex., to visit their aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Richards, and children. They expect to return Friday by way of Carlsbad. Mrs. W. O. Puett is helping at the W. E. Pennington & Son general store while they are gone.

Union News

(By Times Correspondent)

D. A. Hunt of Wheeler was a business caller in the community Friday. Rev. T. W. McKneely of Mobeetie was a caller in the community Friday.

Mrs. Buck Cruce and family and Mrs. Albert Scribner spent Saturday with Mrs. Cruce's sister, Mrs. Teakle, and family of Wheeler.

Mrs. Odie Mae Morris of Pampa underwent an appendicitis operation at the Wheeler hospital Friday. She is the former Miss Odie Mae Porter of this community, and daughter of Mrs. C. D. Trusty.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Prather are visiting relatives and friends in Pampa.

Rev. T. W. McKneely, pastor of the First Baptist church of Mobeetie, is starting a revival meeting at the Union school house Aug. 21, to continue for one week. Everyone is invited to attend this meeting.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Ruff left Saturday for their home in Paris after spending two weeks with relatives and friends here and in Mobeetie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Willard and daughter, Miss Elva, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roper and daughter, Ruby Maye, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Roper and daughter, Jonnie Beth, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Parks and son, Garland, of Wheeler, C. C. Dorsey of Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roper and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roper all visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roper Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Prather and daughters, LaWanda and Vivian, spent Friday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Prather, and family of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd McCormack and children were Wheeler visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roper and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roper were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roper.

C. D. Trusty and daughters, Myrtle and Ruby, and Virgil Price and Bob Dodd were Wheeler visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arzie Corcoran spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stracener, and family of Lefors.

Miss Edna Sims and Kelly Ware, both of this community, were married last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruff and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ruff.

Mrs. Odessa Lynch and son, Bobby, left Friday night for California where they will make their home. They were accompanied as far as Pampa by Clip and W. L. Mahan, brothers of Mrs. Lynch.

Gene Prather and sons, Troy and Buddy, and Wayne Roper were transacting business in Briscoe Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dodd of Pampa are the parents of a daughter, born Aug. 12. She has been named Carolyn Sue. Mrs. Dodd is the daughter of C. D. Trusty of this community.

Miss Edna Earl Ruff visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Prather Sunday. C. E. Roper, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roper and Mrs. Herman Roper were Amarillo visitors Monday.

BIGGER CROP BENEFITS

Announcement by the Department of Agriculture that it will next year raise the subsidy for wheat growers to a minimum of 26c brings us again the question as to just whether the AAA program is leading.

Set up originally as an emergency measure, there has developed after five years of operation a situation that, insofar as a market for staple crops is concerned, is no better than it was at the beginning of the program.

Wheat and cotton are now bringing a little better price in dollars and cents than they did at the time the Roosevelt administration went into office but, as measured in either gold values or purchasing power of the dollar, the price is scarcely above that of 1931-33.

Not only is the immediate situation bad, but it is complicated by depressive market influences that must extend into the future. The surplus of these commodities is greater now than at any other time, and the opportunity for export markets is at its lowest ebb.

The secretary of agriculture, while

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announcing a greatly increased subsidy in order to effect a radically decreased acreage is, at the same time, planning a subsidy for export wheat. The two courses are not consistent, and any policy that yokes the two together is born of desperation.

The foregoing are some of the difficulties as the situation is viewed strictly from the standpoint of the farmer. From the standpoint of the nation as a whole, the chief difficulty seems to be finding the money to continue a program that is getting nowhere, unless it be in the direction of a permanent dole for farmers.

The Department of Agriculture estimates that \$712,000,000 may be needed for crop subsidies next year. If other crops are to receive the liberal treatment announced for wheat growers, it will require at least a billion dollars.

If the government is to pay a billion dollars in crop subsidies next year, then any thought of balancing the federal budget may as well be dismissed. At the same time, continuing with an unbalanced budget much longer might as well be dismissed.

It looks as if the administration's policies in this, and some other respects, are headed for a ram.

The Jubilee Follies, a musical extravaganza with a cast of 125 people, will be presented in the auditorium at the Golden Jubilee celebration of the State Fair of Texas for 10 days beginning Oct. 8, it has been announced by Otto Herold, president of the fair.

The Jubilee Follies, starring such radio and stage personalities as Marion Ryger, prima donna; Alexander Santos and Company in "Dances that are different," Valentine Vox, world famous ventriloquist with "Happy," Charlie McCarty's only rival, will be presented at very popular prices for 14 performances.

Included in the line of 32 precision choristers will be the famous Ainsley's American Beauties, one of America's great dancing groups, and 16 show girls who have been selected from the four corners of the country for their beauty.

The Jubilee Follies has been produced by Mike H. Barnes of Chicago, outstanding theatrical producer, and has been acclaimed by critics throughout the nation and Canada as one of the big hits of the year.

The Jubilee Follies will be followed in the auditorium by the Hollywood Revue which will feature many stars from the movie picture colony.

Home-Making Hints

By MISS VERA MARTIN, Home Management Supervisor, Farm Security Administration.

School bells will be ringing again and youngsters will leave behind another vacation time as they tread the path leading to education and greater usefulness.

Just now mothers are busy preparing clothes so that Johnnie and Mary and others will be comfortably and neatly dressed. Shoes which are still wearable are being repaired. Gay print dresses are being made. Shirts, underwear and hose are being sorted, mended and neatly folded as mothers make sure each child has sufficient clothing to meet all needs.

In many homes, however, money is scarce and mothers find it necessary to make over old clothing and do the very best with what they have. It is in such homes as these that the Farm Security Administration is seeking to help, according to Miss Vera Martin, home management supervisor, with office in the court house here. She is willing to assist mothers with their problems of remodeling and repairing old clothes and the construction of new garments. She also offers advice on economical buying of new clothes and materials.

Another important factor in the

lives of school children is that of adequate and balanced meals. It will be necessary for many boys and girls to carry lunches to school. Mothers are especially interested in preparing appetizing and nourishing foods to give the needed energy for healthy, growing children.

Miss Martin has many helpful suggestions for preparing school lunches, such as home-made cheese, uses for home canned foods, tasty breads and attractive sandwiches which will insure a variety as days run into weeks and weeks move into months.

The Farm Security Administration is anxious to assist parents in making it possible for them to give their children every advantage of the country's public school system. Persons desiring detailed information should immediately contact their nearest rural rehabilitation office, a part of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Indications are that this will be a banner year for gardens of families operating under loans from the Farm Security Administration, according to Miss Vera R. Martin, home management supervisor for that agency in Wheeler, Gray and Collingsworth counties. While grasshoppers and other insects have caused some loss of fruits and vegetables in some portions of the country, better moisture in large areas has served to check the inroads of the pests. Everything possible is being done to combat them and build up producing gardens.

"Practically all FSA borrowers have baby chicks, their winter meat supply and most of them are getting some returns from their gardens

Cash living costs are decreasing but due to the fact that some prices are still very low, the farm family is having to stick close by its budget in order to manage on its income," states Miss Martin.

Pointing to the lack of dust storms and increased moisture, many families are showing more interest in improvement of yards and are planting flowers, shrubbery and fruits as well as making repairs to their homes. Many families are setting out a few trees in spots near the home to provide shade and plots to serve as windbreaks to protect fields and check erosion.

During the next month or six weeks canning demonstrations will be held, Miss Martin said, and information on combatting garden pests and insects will be distributed.

Directing attention to the stress FSA borrowers are placing on their home record books, she said that farm families are realizing more and more the dollar and cents value of food produced on the farm and stored or preserved or winter use.

funniest and best feature they have ever made. It comes to the Rogue Theatre Friday and Saturday, Aug. 26-27. So make your plans to be on hand for this fun festival.

Kidnapped

Robert Louis Stevenson's beloved story, Kidnapped, has been made into a movie. The story has been read for years as a classic in all the high schools of the land. It comes to the local theatre for Preview, Sunday and Monday. The leads are played by Freddie Bartholomew and Warner Baxter.

Penrod and His Twin Brother

Some time ago a picture appeared on the screen under the caption of Penrod and Sam, which was taken from the Booth Tarkington story of the same name. The American public took this picture to its heart and immediately began clamoring for another. As a result of popular demand, Warner Brothers have made another, Penrod and His Twin Brother, which comes to the Rogue Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 31-Sept. 1.

Movie Chatter

By a Rogue

Laurel and Hardy

When Laurel and Hardy make a picture that is news to the whole world. But when they go to Switzerland to put in a cheese factory in order to catch more mice that is another story. Their latest picture, Swiss Miss, is declared to be the

H. H. WALSER Candidate for COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PCT. NO. 2 makes this final statement before Saturday's run-off primary, in which he solicits the votes and support of citizens of the precinct.

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Robert Louis Stevenson's beloved daughter, Kidnapped, has been made into a movie. The story has been read for years as a classic in all the high schools of the land. It comes to the local theatre for Preview, Sunday and Monday. The leads are played by Eddie Bartholomew and Warner Baxter.

Penrod and His Twin Brother

Some time ago a picture appeared on the screen under the caption of Penrod and Sam, which was taken on the Booth Tarkington story of the same name. The American public took this picture to its heart and immediately began clamoring for another. As a result of popular demand, Warner Brothers have made another, Penrod and His Twin Brother, which comes to the Rogue Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 31-Sept. 1.

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The project is also the beginning of a long range program to be carried on by the Board of Water Engineers and the U. S. Geological Survey as funds permit. A survey has already been made in nine of the 26 counties in the district, and the publications are ready for distribution.

Recently because of the growing apprehension in various parts of the state over the depletion of ground water reserves, Governor James Allred called a meeting of city and county officials from all parts of the state to discuss the advisability of passing laws to regulate the withdrawal of underground water. In order to give intelligent consideration to the problem, more information is needed and it is intended that this project shall supply a part of that data. It is expected that recommendations will be made to the state legislature at its next session on the subject of underground water control.

The project is operated in the division of Women's & Professional projects with Mrs. Carl B. Walker in charge. Samuel F. Turner, associate hydraulic engineer, is in charge of the state-wide supervision and is assisted by W. O. George, geologist of the Texas Board of Water Engineers. George is now in the district making plans for the operation of these projects.

Traffic Situation Still Bad Despite Casualty Decrease

Texas' traffic casualty picture remains dismal in spite of regular monthly decreases in death tolls, state police said today, as they watched the July records rise to 139 dead.

While there has been a saving of 145 lives in the first seven months of this year compared with 1937 figures, traffic experts of the safety department declared that ruthlessness and recklessness have snuffed out the lives of 909 people on Texas streets and highways since January 1.

Because of holiday and vacation travelers causing crowded conditions and additional traffic hazards during the month of July, there was a predicted increase in deaths and injuries, but the 1938 toll fell short of the July, 1937, death rate by 15. Still, the officials pointed out, 99 per cent of these fatal crashes were unnecessary and could have been avoided had drivers followed simple rules of safety.

Cities are showing improved accident records as only 38 deaths occurred on city streets last month. There were 92 laid to open highway traffic. Intensified enforcement, educational campaigns and publicity programs were given by state officers as the reason for lowered traffic losses in cities. Similar activities are adopted for decreasing open highway crashes. However, higher speed limits bring about more serious collisions, police said.

State traffic recorders said that 60 of the 139 dead lost their lives in accidents involving two or more vehicles. Two were killed riding bicycles. One lost his life in a horse-drawn conveyance and another died after his car struck livestock on a highway. Six were killed in railroad crossing crashes.

Heavy financial losses and suffering were seen by police in the reports showing that 1,454 persons were injured in July accidents, many slated to die from their hurts.

LUMP-SUM PAYMENTS

The Social Security board is now making lump-sum payments to wage earners in covered employments who have reached 65, or to the estates or relatives of such workers who died before that age. The amount in each case represents 3 1/2 per cent of total wages, as defined in the Social Security act, received by such worker after 1936, and before he reaches age 65 or dies. Applications for these lump sums should be directed to the Social Security Board, 1012 Olive-Eagle Building, Amarillo, Texas.

Press Tribute



The State Fair of Texas will honor its founder and pay a tribute to the newspapers of Texas for their success in building the "world's largest and most beautiful fair" during its first 50 years, with a monument to be unveiled on opening day, Saturday, Oct. 8, which is also Press Day.

Every newspaper in Texas has been invited to send in a front page of its paper, upon which has been published a story on its community, which will be placed in a metal chest and placed in a crypt under the tablet "acknowledging a debt of gratitude to the press of Texas."

The monument will stand eight feet tall on a base six feet in height. It will be finished in sand and ground granite. The monument is being executed by Jose Martin and Roual Josset.

Mountain View News

(By Times Correspondent)

Mrs. Eldon Carter of Lefors visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Herd.

Mesdames A. B. Melton, Marvin Roberts, R. J. Tyson, Roscoe Thomas, L. W. Williams and Miss Nanette Tyson visited one day last week with Mrs. Joe Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ford were in Wheeler on business Monday.

Mrs. Arnett and Mrs. LeRoy Williams of Laketon and Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams of Pampa visited Sunday in the L. W. Williams home.

Miss Imogene Herd spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Homer Hathaway.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dysart and son, Cary A., went to Mineral Wells Monday where Mr. Dysart will receive medical treatment.

Mrs. A. B. Lancaster left Monday for Fort Worth to visit with her mother and other relatives.

Mrs. E. V. Herd and daughter, Mrs. Eldon Carter, were shopping in Pampa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Howard and Mrs. Cora Howard and Dollie Howard visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jap Johnston left for Denton Tuesday to attend the graduation exercises of their granddaughter, Miss Evelyn Leake.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seitz had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Totty and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Trimble.

Miss Nanette Tyson visited last week with Mrs. Roscoe Thomas.

Miss Louise Johnston of Fort Worth is visiting relatives here and at Miami.

Mrs. Dora Lockhart from Acme visited Monday with Mrs. A. B. Melton.

Mrs. Eva Briggs of Pampa is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and the ladies attended the quilting club Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Melton visited Sunday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Melton, celebrating the birthdays of Mrs. A. B. Melton and Billie, Jr.

Miss Agnes Roberts, who has just returned from Hawaii, Mrs. Webb Taylor of Quitaque and Miss Sybil Roberts of Coltxo are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts and other relatives.

Gee Baird went to the veteran's hospital at Muskogee, Okla., for treatment.

A baby boy came Monday to live a long time with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Totty; his name is Frank Marion.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

By BOYCE HOUSE

"I train dogs," says the sign on a little pushcart in Austin and the owner proves it, for he has a big German police dog shoving the cart and a white cat, curled up asleep, is the passenger.

Austin has a laughing newsboy. He is a little Mexican and he shouts the most blood-curdling headlines, while he seems to be immensely amused. The more horrific the tidings, the broader his grin.

The Capital City is a place of never-ending entertainment, even while the legislature is not in session.

I really must have my picture painted by the idealist who painted the portraits of candidates for state office.

Something that Gerald Mann will never part with is a letter that the candidate for attorney general received recently. It came from a father whose son died while attending college. "I can see in you all that my own boy would have been if he had lived," the letter said.

Look-alikes: Bob Stuart of Fort Worth, former state senator and, more recently, candidate for railroad commissioner, and Joe Jones of Dallas, assistant United States attorney.

The State Fair of Texas will return to its former practice of having a formal opening. The Golden Jubilee Celebration will see unveiling ceremonies for monuments to be erected to the memory of the founders of

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(Political advertisement paid for by friends in Precinct No. 1 of W. L. Bobo, candidate for County Commissioner in that precinct).

We residents of Commissioners Precinct No. 1 who are responsible for this advertisement in behalf of W. L. Bobo, a fellow-citizen seeking election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, have a message of vital importance to every voter in the precinct. We are interested in the welfare and progress of the precinct and believe a vast majority of its citizens are like-minded, and to these this appeal is addressed. Mr. Bobo has pledged that, if elected as our commissioner, he will devote his best efforts and employ all legitimate and honorable means toward

Highway Improvements

in his precinct. AND WE BELIEVE HE WILL GET THE JOB DONE. In the opinion of many people of the region affected, as well as the sponsors of this message, prompt and substantial improvement of the roads is one of the greatest—if not THE greatest—needs of Precinct No. 1. Benefits from this improvement would be enjoyed by scores of people whose business and daily activities require travel over the roads, many of which are now in need of repairs.

In his declaration concerning work on the roads, Mr. Bobo has not disregarded statements in his original announcement, including the pledge "that if honored with the position he now asks he will give it his strict attention at all times, striving to serve his neighbors and friends in a fair, economical manner which will reflect credit upon himself and Precinct No. 1." He believes that road building will serve his neighbors and friends and that it will afford proof that other needs throughout the precinct will be promptly and properly disposed of as they arise. Mr. Bobo's motto has been and still is "Equal service to all."

Pampa Legionnaires Sponsor Huge Event

Labor Day Picnic Will Be Held at McClellan Lake in Gray County, Sept. 3

All Panhandle roads will lead to McClellan Lake in Gray county on Labor Day, Sept. 3, when the second annual free community picnic will be held. 12,000 people attended the first annual community picnic last year. The site on McClellan Lake was chosen this year as the prettiest picnic site in the east central part of the Panhandle.

The Labor Day holiday was chosen as the best and last day of the vacation season to get together all the friends for miles and miles around for a good old fashioned basket picnic. This will give the school children one final fling at summer before they start back to school. Letters of invitation have been sent to mayors, presidents of civic clubs and old timers in the surrounding towns inviting them to come to the picnic.

This picnic is for everybody everywhere and the sponsors are anxious to get a large attendance from all of the Panhandle towns and communities in order that all the citizens can meet on common grounds and cement the bonds of community neighborliness and restore the good-neighbor policy among these communities which have so much in common.

It will be an all-day affair and plenty of entertainment has been planned. There will be games and contests for young and old—old time horse racing, soft ball games, kid races, adult games and races, rolling-pin throwing, husband calling, horse-shoe pitching, pie and cracker eating, band concerts, carnival rides, old time dances and as a finale a mammoth extravaganza fireworks display. These are all free and for the entertainment of everyone.

Red lemonade, pink ice cream, hot dogs, and hamburgers can be had on that day. A picnic is not complete without plenty of red lemonade, and the Kerley-Crossman Post of the American Legion, sponsors of the event, will have gallons and gallons of this favorite child's drink.

Labor Day is to be a red letter day in the northeast part of the Panhandle, and thousands of persons are expected to attend the picnic. Business in practically all sections surrounding the picnic grounds will be suspended for the day to give everyone an opportunity to attend. "This is your invitation to be there—come early and bring the family for the biggest time of their lives," said Commander Howard Buckingham of the American Legion.

RED CROSS SENDS AID TO TEXAS FLOOD VICTIMS

WASHINGTON.—The American Red Cross rushed relief workers and nurses to inundated points when recent heavy rains pried the Colorado River from its banks and flooded at least 11 Texas counties.

Funds were appropriated from the national organization to meet needs without delay, and a relief fund of \$100,000 is being sought in Texas itself.

A Red Cross rescue fleet and volunteer workers rescued 200 persons marooned at Bend. Besides giving emergency feeding and shelter to refugees, the Red Cross fought to control a typhoid epidemic in affected zones. Red Cross workers are still in the area repairing homes and rehabilitating sufferers unable to replace losses without assistance.

More than 1,200 families are affected and 978 homes have been either damaged or destroyed, according to preliminary reports from Red Cross workers in the field.

Local News Items

Phillip Brashear of Lubbock is a guest this week of Taft Holloway.

Buck Britt and his father, S. P. Britt, of Shamrock went to New Mexico today on business.

Carolton Jones motored today to Austin to transact business. He will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Gaines announce the arrival of a baby girl, Margaret Sue, Tuesday, Aug. 23.

Ask about the Free Wincharger deal at the Wheeler Auto Supply & Electric Co., Wheeler. 361c

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waters and baby of Briscoe were in Wheeler Wednesday, attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Weatherly and children, Miss Dawn and Joe, of Lubbock spent the week end in Wheeler with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mason and son of Duncan, Okla., came Saturday and visited Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Holt until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tolliver of Mangum, Okla., stopped in Wheeler Monday on their way to Denver, Colo., to spend a vacation.

Frank Marion, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Totty, Mobeetie, arrived at the Wheeler hospital Monday, Aug. 22.

Mrs. Floyd Long and daughter, Miss Helen Scott, and Miss Jerry Lewis visited relatives and friends in Shamrock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Zirkle and son, Larry Don, motored Monday to College Station on a business and pleasure trip. They will return the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tolliver had for Sunday luncheon guests Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Porter. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tolliver of Mangum, Okla., were afternoon guests.

Miss Texas Miller came home Saturday from Edmond, Okla., where she has been teaching summer school. She will return to Edmond after a few days visit here.

Mrs. Floyd Adams and baby and Mrs. R. P. Watts of Jowett were Wednesday business callers in Wheeler. They also visited friends and relatives while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Morgan of Alpine, who have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morgan, and daughter, Miss Nora Lee, near McLean were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon T. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. William Riley and sons of Elkhart, Kans., returned home Wednesday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Callan, and children and other relatives.

Mrs. J. D. Merriman, jr., and son, J. D. III, of Silver City left last Thursday for home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Merriman, sr., and daughter, Florence Merriman, who took them to Pampa.

Mrs. Neva Sampson and sister, Mrs. Grayce Couch, of Mobeetie motored Sunday to Oklahoma City to meet their cousin, Miss Lucile Lanier, of Westville, Okla., who will make an extended visit with Mrs. Sampson. They returned Monday afternoon.

Mrs. H. E. Nicholson and son, Harold, and Miss Katie Topper were in Amarillo today, shopping.

Mrs. Ruth Jett of Tulsa, Okla., came Wednesday to spend about a week with her sister, Mrs. C. N. Wofford, and children.

F. B. Craig, sr., was called to Ruidoso, N. Mex., Tuesday to bring home his son, F. B. jr., who had gone with the Boy Scouts on their week's outing and became ill and had to return home. Father and son returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Lee Guthrie and son, Marion Lee, and Mrs. R. G. Russ and daughter, Janet, returned Wednesday from Plainview and Hale Center where they spent a week with relatives. Paul Wimberly of Hale Center came home with his sister, Mrs. Lee Guthrie, for a visit.

T. P. Hyatt and grandson, Gene Manney, of Boyer returned Tuesday from a week's visit with relatives at Abilene and other points in Taylor and Young counties. They were accompanied to Olney by T. T. Wallace and daughter, Miss Wade, who visited relatives in that section.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Newkirk and children, Opal and M. L., Mr. and Mrs. Ford Newkirk, Nari Visa, N. Mex., Mrs. Roma McCoy and Clarence Newkirk, Amarillo, were all Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robertson in the Locust Grove community.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Miller and son, Bill, motored Saturday to Elk City, Okla., and spent the night with the former's mother and sister, Mrs. H. E. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cailloutte. They spent Sunday in Butler, Okla., with Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. M. A. Miller and family, returning home Sunday night.

Arrange More Lodges for W. T. S. Students

CANYON.—It is to be the "Top of Texas Lodge." And the lodge, accommodating 16 or more girls attending West Texas State college, will be filled with students of Gray county and nearby communities.

Another lodge, as yet unnamed, will house boys from the same area. The lodges are being sponsored by ex-students of the college at Pampa and other towns of the eastern Panhandle. The boarding-rooming places, each directed by a matron approved by the dean of women, will be operated co-operatively.

Each student will work one hour each day—some cooking, others "keeping house" in ways that are mutually helpful. The result is the utmost in economical yet satisfactory living. Similar co-operatives, such as Cactus and Mesquite lodges, showed average living costs of \$15 per month or less all last term.

The idea is not new, however, at West Texas State. There are many co-operatives; so many, in fact, that they are no longer novel. Randall hall has for several years operated co-operatively, with each girl paying \$15 a month for room and meals and doing some work each day.

Applications from the Pampa-Gray county area have assured the operation of the "Top of Texas" lodge for girls and one for boys, according to Mrs. Geraldine Green, dean of women. Contracting for the large house was completed this week in conferences with R. G. (Dick) Hughes, president of the alumni group, Mrs. Green and Dr. J. A. Hill. The house leased will be renovated and newly furnished. The second house will be leased shortly.

Success of the original co-operative homes is pointing the way for hundreds of students to attend college economically.

Club Notes

Happenings of Interest by and for Home Demonstration Club Women of the County.

With the opening of many of the schools throughout the county, the Girls 4-H clubs are again holding their club meetings in the schools instead of in the homes with increased membership.

The Lela 4-H club met at the school on Wednesday, Aug. 17. An entirely new staff of officers were elected since all of the former officers have been transferred to Shamrock to do high school work.

The new officers are: Lola Faye Pennington, president; Murta Jo Moore, vice president; Bertha Redd, secretary-treasurer; Maxine Purcell, song leader; Alice Jean Bullard, song leader; and Billie Joe Pennington, council representative. Mrs. George Close was elected sponsor for the Lela club.

"A house is no better than its foundation, and a council is a steel foundation for girls club work," said Miss Rose Erisman when she explained that the Wheeler County Girls 4-H Club Council will be organized next month.

Exhibits for both the Wheeler County and the Tri-State Fairs were discussed and plans made for the exhibits. A check-up on vegetables canned by the club members for ex-

hibits was made and it was found that the club can be well represented.

Members present were: Lessie Bruce, Georgia Dee Williams, Paula Jean Terry, Ola Mae Darrow, Mildred Faye Wood, Adell Mayfield, Dollie Fae Parson, Linda Lee Moore, Bertha Redd, Billie Jo Pennington, Bessie Bruce, Imogean Bruce, Edyth Parson, Pauline Bruce, Lela B. Bumpers, Hazel Overton, Alice Jean Bullard, Ruby Doris Pennington, Pearl Haws, Alice Ann Butis, Velda Haws, Lela Fae Pennington, Maxine Purcell, Geneva Overton, Murta Jo Moore and Jimmie Fae Davis.

"Effective club work can be achieved only through unity in organization," said Miss Rose Erisman at the meeting of the Davis Girls 4-H club at the school on Aug. 23. The advantages and purpose of organizing a Wheeler County Girls 4-H Club Council were discussed, and then a council delegate was elected to represent the Davis club at the council along with the president of the club. Plans for the Wheeler County Fair were made, and each girl will contribute at least one phase of the two demonstrations carried by the club to the fair exhibit.

Several new officers were elected to fill the vacancies left by the girls who graduated last spring, and who will attend other schools this fall. The new officers are: Betty Jean Gipson, president; Jay Powell, vice president; Juanita Cooper, secretary-treasurer. Members present were: Neta Joyce Gipson, Leta Smith, Mamie Lee, Jay Powell, Betty Jean Gipson, Claudine Gipson, and Juanita Cooper.

CARD OF THANKS

To Our Friends in Wheeler: We want to thank from the very depths of our hearts all those who were so thoughtful, kind and helpful in putting away our sweet darling baby, Martha Anne. It seems to us

that it would have been impossible for you to have done more. We can never cease being grateful to you for your kindness and sympathy in this trying time.

We especially want to thank A. B. Crump for his untiring efforts; also Mr. and Mrs. Marl Jaco for the way we were treated in their home. Again thanking you most sincerely for your help and words of condolence, we ask that God's richest blessings may rest upon each and every one of you that were with us.

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Careful inspection of a score or more of weekly newspapers, many of them published in towns considerably larger than Wheeler, shows this paper in the top rank of wantad publications. This comparison is not intended to reflect upon any other paper, but is used to show the standing of The Wheeler Times. In many instances The Times has from two to five times the amount of wantads found in these other papers, some of them published in towns of from 2,000 to 5,000.

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Sunday School Lesson Exposition

By C. C. M. August 28, 1938

ELI: RESPONSIBILITY FOR OTHERS

Lesson Text: I Sam. 3:11-14; 18. Lesson Scope: I Sam. 2:12. Devotional Reading: Galatia 7-10.

An Angle of Approach

Responsibility is a word laden with consequences. Every position has its corresponding responsibilities. Parents have a heavy responsibility toward their children and children bear a corresponding responsibility toward their parents. The heavier the responsibility, the more carefully should one qualify to it.

Guarding my own heart from temptation, keeping my own body and mind tidy, and laboring with my hands to supply my own needs as these are, they do not answer the responsibility I have to others. I cannot disavow it successfully down it. Surely the heaviest of all responsibilities one has toward his own children. If properly I bring great and joyous reward neglected, it yields sorrow and humiliation and disgrace.

THE HEART OF THE LESSON

Introduction: The heart of mankind is essentially the same regardless of time, color or clime. Twelve centuries before Christ or twenty centuries after Christ the need is the same. He and wife become "one flesh"; a wife is called the husband's "one" (Eph. 5:28, 29). How much then are children born and in this union and the first and last of the parent's responsibility. Evidently Eli neglected his responsibility and God held him strictly accountable. The defeat of the armies of Israel, the death of Eli's sons and the great and "accidental" death of Eli "recompense of reward" to the neglected responsibility.

Eli's Sons: Hophni and Phinehas, because they were sons of Eli, were priests in Israel. They became corrupt and their influence, led Israel into sin. Thus the old saying is in them, "Like parents, like children." God made known unto Sam that he would perform all that spoken against Eli's house because of this evil (I Sam. 2:27-36). "For he told him that I will judge his house forever."

Unrestrained Sons: "Because his sons made them vile, and he restrained them, Eli must bear his part of the sequences. Not only were they corrupt (I Sam. 2:22) but they regarded God's laws in the worship (I Sam. 2:29). Because of this scandalous, notorious disregard of God's law go unpunished in reality put his corruption before God, "thou honest before Me." Eli did raise:

A Renewed Pledge

With malice toward none, and with a renewed pledge of continued faithful service to all, I close my campaign by asking the voters to consider my ideals in life as I have lived them among you, and my ability as a public official as shown by the books of record.



W. O. Puett

Candidate for County Judge, Wheeler County

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Sunday School Lesson Exposition

By C. C. M. August 28, 1938

ELI: RESPONSIBILITY FOR OTHERS

Lesson Text: I Sam. 3:11-14; 4:12-18. Lesson Scope: I Sam. 2:12-4:18. Devotional Reading: Galatians 6:7-10.

An Angle of Approach

Responsibility is a word laden with consequences. Every position in life has its corresponding responsibility.

Guarding my own heart from corruption, keeping my own body clean and tidy, and laboring with my own hands to supply my own need.

Surely the heaviest of all is the responsibility one has toward his own children. If properly met, it brings great and joyous rewards.

THE HEART OF THE LESSON

The heart of mankind is essentially the same regardless of time, race, color or clime. Twelve centuries before Christ or twenty centuries after Christ the need is the same.

Evidently Eli neglected this responsibility and God held him to a strict account. The defeat of the armies of Israel, the death in battle of Eli's sons and the great sorrow and "accidental" death of Eli was the "recompense of reward" to this neglected responsibility.

Hophni and Phinehas, because they were sons of Eli, were priests in Israel. They became corrupt in heart and life and, because of their position and influence, led Israel into corruption.

God made known unto Samuel that He would perform all that He had spoken against Eli's house because of this evil (I Sam. 2:27-36). "For I have told him that I will judge his (Eli's) house forever."

Unrestrained Sons "Because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not" Eli must bear his part of the consequences.

Local News Items

J. C. Moore was a Monday business caller in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee had for their Saturday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Puckett and son, R. J., and Mrs. I. B. Lee.

Lawrence Johnston of Trinidad, Texas, came Saturday to join his wife in a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowers.

There are too many fathers just like that in this day characterized by the greatest crime wave in the history of our nation.

"I think it right, as long as I am in this tabernacle, dear friends, to stir you up by putting you in remembrance" (II Pet. 2:13) that the Apostle Paul gave this as a chief characteristic of the last days of this age of grace (II Tim. 3:1-8).

What part are you playing, dear father and mother, in these signs of the time? Will our sons stand and we also not suffer for these things? Folly on us for thinking so! Spare correction ("the rod") and we will reap sorrow and disgrace.

Defeat and Death

So defeat came to the armies of Israel and death came to both Eli and his two sons (I Sam. 4:12-18).

Germany stands as another example of this very lesson. Fifty years ago there arose in her great institutions of learning a class of "clergymen" who began to doubt.

The theory of organic evolution displaced the Bible record of creation. Miracles recorded in the Bible were branded as myths.

And now does the church in Germany wonder and grieve that God has brought defeat and death to their forces?

We too, may tremble, for our nation is letting our sacred things fall into the hands of the heathen, for we are suffering from the hands of our "clergymen" the very same apostasy Germany suffered from theirs.

And the wonder of it all is that this thing is going on unrestrained by our leading denominations. And the people, many of whom are surely God's own, are looking upon these defiled pulpites with a passive attitude "because it is so unbecoming to accuse" these "reverend" somebodies!

But I, my friends, will, by the grace of God, do all I can to restrain them.

Mrs. Ray McPherson, living northwest of Wheeler, was shopping and visiting relatives in town Tuesday.

J. M. Burgess, John Lewis and Robert Bowers left Saturday morning on a few days fishing and outing trip to Lake Kemp, near Vernon.

Mrs. Fred Farmer went to Childress Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meek, and other relatives and to join her daughter, Marcell, who went Wednesday of last week.

Eugene Skaggs, employe of the City Bakery, went to Eakley, Okla., Saturday to visit relatives and to attend the Eakley high school alumni society meeting.

Mrs. Fred E. Cornelius and son of Amarillo returned home last Thursday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Garrison and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Scouting and daughter, Loretta Jean, of Borger left Saturday for Eakley, Okla., to visit relatives after spending two weeks here with Mrs. Scouting's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davidson, and son, Harold Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Johnston and daughter, Elsie Jo, of Fort Worth came Saturday to visit his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pennington, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McBee, long-time Beckham county, Oklahoma, resident, are moving to McAllen, Texas, where Mrs. McBee will teach school this winter.

C. J. Derryberry and daughters, Wilma and Vera Mae of Pioche, Nev., were in Wheeler Monday, visiting friends. They were returning home from Fort Worth where the girls had spent several weeks with relatives.

The Baptist meeting began last Sunday at the arbor in the Smith Grove. Rev. Virgil Lollar is doing the preaching. The public is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davidson left Thursday for a 10 days vacation in Colorado.

Several from this community attended the singing at Twitty Sunday afternoon. Addie Lou Jones, who is working in Wheeler, spent the week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Jones.

Edna Fay Mason visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Mason, and family at Pampa from Wednesday until Saturday.

Mrs. T. J. Kelly and son, Ward, spent Wednesday afternoon in the C. R. Cox home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gaines and daughters, Althea and Darlene, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pond and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Anglin and baby from Amarillo spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anglin.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shumate and son and A. G. West accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ray West and children of Skellytown to Marlow, Okla., to visit relatives Thursday. They returned Saturday.

A. G. West returned to Skellytown with his son, Ray West, and family for a visit.

Noel George of Magic City, LaVerne Cox and Opal Shumate were Sunday guests in the M. W. Jones home.

Troy Mason of Pampa brought his wife and children to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mason, Saturday night while he went to Oklahoma City.

Evelyn Anderson of Kelton was a Saturday night guest of Winona Gaines.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Joiner and daughter from near Mangum, Okla., spent the week end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Joiner and family.

Harroun Faye Moore and Cornell Hicks from Wylie spent a few days here last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Johnson and family.

Misses Wanda Lee and Joe Cleta Rounds returned to their home in Aledo, Okla., Sunday after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holcomb.

Rev. Raney of Wheeler is conducting the Methodist revival here this week. Everyone is invited to come. Large crowds have been attending.

Misses Rena and Naomi Johnson and Dora Faye Miller were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Killingsworth.

A large number from here attended the singing at Twitty Sunday.

Mrs. Rex Lovelady and four home economics girls, Bernice Joiner, Juanita Prescott, Edris Dunaway and Billie Jean Henderson, spent the week end at Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Craig of Muleshoe are spending a few days here this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clay and family.

Lawrence Harris is on the sick list. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Harold Carter of Wheeler is spending the week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Joiner.

Miss Jettie Splawn came home Sunday after a two weeks vacation in Oklahoma.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Farroll and children and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Gar-

ner and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and sons.

J. D. Rutherford, sr., of Shamrock was a visitor here Monday morning.

Mrs. Frank Chilton is spending the week in Amarillo with her daughter, Pauline, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gandy and the football boys returned home Monday. They spent the week at Palo Duro in training. They reported a very nice trip.

Corn Valley News

(By Times Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dalton of Briscoe visited in the Cecil Martin home Tuesday.

Mrs. Jamison of Tulsa, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Bailey, and family this week.

Mrs. E. E. Farmer and daughter, Lois, and the former's brother, John Walker, of Mobeetie left Wednesday for a three-day visit with another brother, Smith Walker, and family of El Reno, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Sides and children shopped in Pampa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Beck returned Saturday from a week's vacation in New Mexico. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Beck of Hay Hollow.

Several from here attended the county singing convention at Twitty, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Crane of Merced, Calif., are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Aug. 14. They formerly lived in Corn Valley. School will open Monday, Aug. 29. Miss Winnie Sluder, primary teacher, and Mrs. Satterwhite, principal, are expected to arrive the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Bonham and children of Mobeetie visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hoggins and children of Archer City came Sunday to visit her sister and brother, Mrs. John Howell, and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor and children.

R. J. Taylor of Palm City, Calif., returned home last Thursday after spending the week with his uncle and aunt, Earl Taylor and family and Mrs. John Howell, and sons in this community.

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AN ANNOUNCEMENT of Importance to Every Person in this Section

The Lanford Drugless Clinic will conduct a Two Week's Clinic STARTING August 29

Dr. Knapp of Minneapolis, Minn., will be associated with Dr. Lanford in conducting the clinic. Dr. Knapp is a trained technician who has successfully conducted similar clinics all over the United States. You are invited to take advantage of this opportunity, August 29 to Sept. 10. Come in and meet Dr. Knapp and talk over your health problems with her and with Dr. Lanford.

The Purpose of the Clinic will be to introduce to the people of this territory, the new GORDON DETOXIFIER which is being installed this week at the Lanford Drugless Clinic. This new equipment will enable me to better care for your health.

- WHAT OUR TREATMENT DOES 1. Washes out the contents of the colon (large bowel) and the poisons it may contain in a natural, painless and harmless manner. 2. It cleans out the many pockets of the bowel not evacuated by ordinary bowel movements. 3. It exercises the colon mechanically, restoring normal "tone" by increasing the natural peristaltic movements. 4. It builds up the efficiency of the colon, restores rhythm and increases the number of evacuations. There should be three normal bowel movements daily without the use of cathartics. 5. It corrects and prevents constipation and its many resulting disorders. 6. It lifts a tremendous burden from the body's resistive forces and releases these for constructive purposes. Fully 95% of the physical ailments are caused by sluggishness in the digestive tract, and nerve interference. You may have one of hundreds of diseases all over the body, but they owe their start to poisons secreted from a defective colon. Our treatment restores the colon to its normal position and condition in the body, correcting the CAUSE, thereby giving permanent relief.

FREE CONSULTATION AND EXAMINATION LANSFORD DRUGLESS CLINIC

WANT ADS

FOR SALE

PRACTICALLY NEW \$85.00 Duo-Draft McKey ice refrigerator priced at \$30.00 for quick sale. Wheeler Gas Company. 33tfc

GRAPES FOR SALE. \$1.00 per bushel. J. C. Moore, Wheeler. 36t2p

FOR SALE—Kafir corn in sacks. \$1.00 per 100. W. E. Burke, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Wheeler. 36t1p

FOR SALE—Seed rye. Willard Godwin, Mobeetie, Texas. 36t5p

NOTICE, SCHOOL CHILDREN—Looseleaf notebook fillers, 40 sheets in pkg., 2 pkgs. for 5c. Russ Dry Goods, Wheeler. 36t1c

BARGAIN—One used Automatic washer, \$20.00; \$4.00 down and \$4.00 per month. Panhandle Power & Light Co., Wheeler, Texas. 36t1c

WANTED

WANTED—Woman for housework. Room, board and salary. Phone 906K. 36t1p

DAY or CONTRACT carpentering, concrete work or tank building, equipment and teams, only. See R. P. Grayson, Allison, Texas. 35t5p

WANT LISTINGS on some farms. Have buyers for two 320-acre farms. Want some creek bottom land. W. T. Hollis Real Estate, Box 1714, Pampa, Texas. 35t3p

STEADY WORK—GOOD PAY. Reliable man wanted to call on farmers in Wheeler county. No experience or capital required. Make up to \$12 a day. Write McNess Co., Dept. S, Freeport, Illinois. 36t1p

FOR RENT

COW PASTURE—In middle of town, \$2.00 per month. Billie Wiley. 29tfc

PASTURE FOR HORSES—Good meadow pasture, running water; for 10 or 12 head; \$1.00 per month. W. O. Miller, 2 miles east, 3 north of Wheeler. 36t2p

MISCELLANEOUS

ASK about Free Winchager deal at the Wheeler Auto Supply & Electric Co., Wheeler, Texas. 36t1c

NOTICE—Positively no fishing at the Whit Lake. 35tfc

PUBLIC enemy No. 1—ALCOHOL 3t50p

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GROCERIES—DRY GOODS

Little Gains Girl Buried Here Sunday

Funeral services for Martha Ann Gaines, 3-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Gaines of Seagraves, were held at the Church of Christ here Sunday afternoon, followed by interment in the Wheeler cemetery. C. C. Merritt, pastor of the Church of Christ, assisted by Taft Holloway, Baptist pastor, conducted the rites. Little Martha Ann, together with her parents and sister, Billie Ruth, formerly lived in Wheeler, the family moving to Seagraves several months ago. Death came as the result of pneumonia, which followed an attack of measles. Surviving members of the immediate family are the parents and one sister.

BAPTIST W. M. S. ELECTS OFFICERS AT MONDAY MEET

At the regular meeting of the Baptist W. M. S. Monday afternoon at the church, Mrs. C. N. Wofford was in charge of the Royal Service program on States, assisted by Mesdames Raymond Waters and M. L. Gunter. Mrs. Bob Rodgers gave the 56th Psalm as the devotional. During the business meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Ernest Dyer, president; Mrs. Lee Guthrie, vice president; Mrs. Roy Esslinger, secretary and treasurer, with Mrs. Raymond Waters as assistant; and Mrs. W. O. Puett, reporter. Present were Mesdames C. N. Wofford, Minnie Farmer, J. W. Williams, W. O. Puett, M. L. Gunter, J. H. Richards, Raymond Waters, Bob Rodgers, W. E. Collins and Roy Esslinger.

COUNTY SUBSIDY PAYMENTS WILL AMOUNT TO \$180,000

Jake Tarter, county agent, is authority for the information that prospective crop subsidy payments for Wheeler county will amount to about \$180,000. This statement was made yesterday in connection with the announcement that applications for subsidy payments are now ready to sign at the agent's office in the court house here.

Tarter urges that farmers eligible to sign these applications should come in and do so as soon as convenient.

Wheat loan applications have also arrived and are ready for executing at any time between now and next Wednesday, Aug. 31. Farmers with wheat in warehouses or in storage may obtain loans at any time up to the closing date of the program.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Walter Kerr, Mobeetie, entered the hospital Friday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Sid Morgan entered the hospital Sunday for treatment.

Bettie Lou Wallace, Spearman, had her tonsils removed Monday.

John Ivy underwent a tonsilectomy Tuesday.

C. E. Dudley, Dumas, entered the hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Earl Helton, Briscoe, underwent a minor operation Wednesday.

Dale Wilson, Briscoe, entered the hospital today for treatment.

C. E. Dudley, Dumas, underwent an appendix operation late today.

LANFORD DRUGLESS CLINIC TO HOLD TWO WEEKS CLINIC

Announcement is made elsewhere in this issue of The Times by the Lanford Drugless Clinic of Shamrock that a two weeks clinic will be conducted, starting August 29. Dr. Knapp of Minneapolis, Minn., will be associated with Dr. Lanford in the clinic.

Principal purpose of the clinic is to introduce to the people of this region the new Gordon detoxifier, which is being put in service this week. Considerable other new equipment is also being installed, announces Dr. Lanford, who was a Wheeler caller on Monday.

Consultation and examination will be free during the two weeks clinic at the Lanford location, on North Main street, Shamrock.

MISSIONARY GROUP GIVES TUESDAY MORN BREAKFAST

Twenty-two members of the Methodist Missionary society attended the breakfast Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. J. M. Porter on South Main street.

A program was taken from the study course, Aldersgate. An interesting review was given by Mesdames J. L. Gilmore, Marshall Adams and W. W. Adams.

The president, Mrs. H. M. Wiley, gave a scripture reading and prayer preceding the breakfast, which was followed by a short business session when the Hannah Cosper circle decided to meet at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the church instead of meeting in private homes. The other circles will meet at the church each Tuesday at 3:30.

Those present were Mesdames John Fieke, S. E. Wren, H. Flanagan, C. W. Shaffer, Ollie Hubbard, E. T. McCleskey, J. P. Green, Robert Bowers, John Lewis, J. A. Bryant, J. M. Lawrence, Joe Hyatt, C. J. Meek, H. M. Wiley, W. W. Adams, Vernie Hardcastle, E. C. Raney, J. L. Gilmore, Luther Parks, C. C. Hall, J. M. Porter and Marshall Adams.

BIBLE CONFERENCE HERE DATED TO START SEPT. 4

Announcement has just been made that the Wheeler Bible conference, to continue for eight days, is scheduled to start Sunday, Sept. 4. Final arrangements are being worked out and full details concerning nature of the work and meeting places should be available for publication in next week's paper.

This course will be open to all citizens, regardless of denomination, to which they may belong, states a sponsor of the movement, who further declares there is nothing which can be of so great benefit to community, church and individual as the study of the Bible.

The program will be conducted free of denominational approach or sectarian purposes. Therefore, all citizens of the town and community are invited to feel perfectly free to make plans to bring their Bibles and attend.

Aged Kelton Man Dies

W. Whitely, 88, father of C. W. Whitely of Kelton, died Monday. Funeral services were held at Texola, Okla., Tuesday, with interment in the Texola cemetery in charge of the Hunt Funeral Home of Wheeler.

NAZARENE REVIVAL SERIES NEAR BRISCOE ANNOUNCED

The Times has been requested to announce that a Nazarene revival series, conducted by Rev. J. W. South, will begin Saturday night of this week, Aug. 27, at the F. H. Boren place, seven miles northwest of Briscoe. Hour for evening services has been given as 8:15.

Everyone is invited to attend the meetings.

Miss Marcelene Aldridge, who is employed in the Southwestern bank at Canadian, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Martha Aldridge. They motored Sunday to Wellington and spent the day with friends and relatives.

C. C. Dorsey of Henderson returned home Monday after spending two weeks with his sister-in-law and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roper, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Roper and daughter, Jonnie Beth, and J. B. Roper accompanied Mr. Dorsey home and will spend two weeks with Ernest Roper and A. C. Roper and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams left the first of the week for Artesia, N. Mex., to visit their son, Glenn Williams, and family. Mrs. Williams and children who had been with her mother, Mrs. John Breedlove, at Wellington for nearly two weeks returned home with the Williams. Mrs. Breedlove has been quite ill but seems to be improving some now.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Montgomery and three children, Delilah, Calvin and Fontilla, residents of precinct 3 of which Mr. Montgomery is commissioner, left Tuesday for Wichita Falls to bring home a son, Marvin, who has been attending business college there. The family will also visit briefly at that place and in southwestern Oklahoma, expecting to return home Friday.

WHEAT CROP SIGN-UP TO CLOSE AUGUST 31

(Continued from First Page)

ium notice, it tells the exact amount of ordinary No. 2 hard winter wheat necessary to pay for his policy. It also gives the equivalent in two other grades and in cash, so that he has four options—can pay in cash, or in his choice of three grades of wheat. He can even pay now, in wheat, his premium for insurance on the 1940 crop.

"This is the only crop insurance," the supervisor explains, "the cost of which is based on actual production and loss information compiled by counties and by farms. Thus, through a period of better seasons, better farming and use of better seed, it is possible for a community to lower its risk rate."

By a nation-wide system of handling the wheat, which represents premiums paid, and constitutes its reserve, from which indemnity payments will be made, the Federal Crop Insurance corporation effects economies in the cost to the grower of this insurance, prevents much local business hardship in communities subject to crop failures and exerts a stabilizing influence on prices.

"A number of large insurance companies, to which the plan of the Federal Crop Insurance corporation was submitted, approved it as sound and an improvement over other services. These companies own many farms and are financially able to carry their own insurance, but several of them are buying Federal Crop Insurance corporation policies on their 1939 wheat and are urging their tenants to do the same."

Both operators and landlords of farms are eligible for crop insurance. In cases where more than one person has an interest in the crop, either or both may insure their interest and separate policies will be made to each individual. If one party wants to insure his share of the crop and the other does not, a policy may be written on his interest in the crop without affecting the other party.

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A Final Reminder to Wheeler County Voters



In a last appeal for your support in my race for re-election as your sheriff, I wish to call attention to and invite your thorough investigation of the law enforcement record of my office.

I regret that I have been unable to see more of you personally and solicit your support but the demands of my office have been such that I was unable to devote any more time in conducting my campaign. It was my opinion when I announced for re-election, that the taxpayers of Wheeler county would prefer me giving my attention to the duties of the office to which I was elected, and that is what I have done.

I have lived among you for 25 years and feel that my reputation as a citizen and my record as a sheriff should be known to most of you. If you feel that I have conducted myself in such a manner as to be worthy of another term, I assure you I shall be deeply grateful for your vote in Saturday's election.

Respectfully yours,

Raymond Waters

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- Drawing Tablets
- Pen Tablets
- Spelling Tablets
- Construction Paper
- Crayolas
- Water Colors; Brushes
- Paste and other items
- Lead Pencils
- Skrip Ink in all colors



● Composition Books

Remember, friends, only 6 more days remain of the



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VOLUME V—NUMBER

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Heavy Vote Pool in Second Precinct

Johnston, Walser and King Favored Commissioner didates Saturday

SOME CLOSE RACES

Surprising Total of 3,259 Votes in Precinct 4

MAJORITIES

County Judge: D. A. Hunt
Sheriff: Raymond Waters
Commissioner, Prec. 1: E. E. Johnston
Commissioner, Prec. 2: H. H. Walser
Commissioner, Prec. 4: Glenn King
Justice Peace, Prec. 1: A. C. Wood
Constable, Prec. 4: Elmo Boyles

Saturday's second Democratic primary brought to a Wheeler county a month's candidates from the July primary two major county offices. Commissioner's positions in contestants waged vigorous terminated campaigns to prevail by a majority of the vote. Though hotly contested, was almost if not wholly bitterness or use of tactics. In a few instar meaning friends of this or didate may have slightly of the bounds of propriety. wonder is that in the political campaign more are not committed; and by in calmer moments, would of doing such a thing.

All in all, it was a political scrimmage which into history, will leave few lasting regrets.

One result of the campaign is an entirely new count, sioners' court next January; exception of one man, T. gomery of Precinct 3, up f on term as commissioner draw an opponent.

Heading the court and fairs will be D. A. Hunt c who gained a decisive vi W. O. Puett, incumbent, r a third term. Hunt, a cl to Puett in the July pri erged from Saturday's bal a 444-vote margin.

Among the fairly close t between Raymond ' re-election as sheriff ag Swink, which resulted in ity for Waters. Swink to in a dozen or more boxes i side of the county but fail tain the pace elsewhere.

In Precinct 1, E. E. J. commissioner won over v by the narrow margin of 1. In Precinct 2, the race b Trout, incumbent, and H resulted in even a closer l; Walser with an edge of In Precinct 4, Glenn Kin place with 45 votes to th

In Justice precinct N Wood o'danieled over C. with a majority of 339. Boyles was victor for Precinct 4 over D. J. Bu votes to cinch it.

Saturday's election, wit voter-interest aspects, l probable second primary a total of 3,259 ballots, cent of the first primary; mates of the expecte ranged as high as 85 pe

District and State' Clifford Braly was el attorney of the 31st ju over C. E. Cary.

Six major state posit by the following: Cok lieutenant governor; G attorney general; Jerry road commissioner; B land commissioner; R supreme court, and Har court of criminal appe

Mr. and Mrs. Lee C tained their guests and with a picnic supper (lawn after the show T of last week. Those Miss Ruby Sites, N Lamar Guthrie and Ru all of Erick Okla.; P; Hale Center; Tommy enathy; Miss Helen Anna Mae and Orvet Holloway, Jeff McCr Lee Guthrie and the ho

Elect the Leader--



The candidate who led the District by **OVER 700 VOTES** in the July Primary.

The lawyer who has actively practiced law more than twice as long as his opponent.

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