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A Common Paper for Common People

## Greenbelt FFA District Contests And Meetings Schedule Completed

J. R. Gillham, public relations chairman for the Greenbelt F.F.A. District, has announced the contest and meeting schedule for the district for the remainder of the 1955-1956 school year. The soils judging contest for the district will be held at Childress on April 5th at 2 P. M. with A. B. Shaw and T. W. Kidwell, Childress Vocational Agriculture Instructors in charge.

The dairy cattle, dairy products, poultry, and crops judging contests will be held at Clarendon on April 10th at 1 P. M. Herschel Potts of Memphis and T. W. Kidwell of Childress will have charge of the dairy cattle contest, and Clifford Farmer of Memphis will place the cattle for this event. J. R. Gillham, of Clarendon, and Doyle Messer of Hedley will have charge of the dairy products contest. Frank Kennedy of Quail, M. L. Burks of Wellington, and Bob Lee of Lelia Lake will direct the poultry judging event. Frank Claborn of Samnorwood will be chairman of the crops judging contest. Colvin of Turkey and Claborn will grade the seed identification division; Lakeview will judge the grain grading division, and Seay of Estelline and Shaw of Childress will have charge of the seed judging division of the event. Evers of Carey will assist Potts and Kidwell with the dairy cattle judging event.

Winners in the public speaking, wildlife conservation, farm mechanics, farm safety, farm electrification, dairy, soil and water management, and talent contests for the Greenbelt F.F.A. District will be determined at Memphis, April 18th, at 4 P. M. Chapter winners in the radio and television, newspaper publicity, and chapter contests will also be determined. Lone star farmer applications for the state F.F.A. degree will be checked, and the area officer for the 1956-1957 school year from the district will be selected.

Banners and ribbons will be awarded the schools and individual students placing in the first three places in each of the district contests, and the winners of each of the events will participate in the Area Contests at Lubbock.

## Contests Announced For Clarendon FFA Members

Members of the Clarendon F.F.A. Chapter will participate in the contests sponsored by the National F.F.A. Foundation for the first time this spring. Winners will be selected from the chapter entrants for the farm mechanics, farm safety, farm electrification, dairy farming, public speaking, and soil and water management contests. Medals will be presented the winners in each of the events by the National F.F.A. Foundation. In addition to the above contests, a number have entered the public speaking contest. Medals will be awarded the winner and he will participate in the district contest.

A wall plaque is to be presented to the school which has places for the outstanding agricultural senior's name to be engraved for each of the next twelve years. A certificate and medal will be presented this outstanding senior who is enrolled in vocational agriculture and who has completed at least three years of vocational agriculture at the graduation exercises.

Contests are being held in each of the three classes to determine the most valuable member in each class and the most valuable member of the chapter. The contest is based upon a score card which places a definite value on various chapter and school activities. A plaque will be presented each of the three class winners and a large state size F.F.A. plaque will be presented the most valuable member of the entire chapter.

## Three School Board Trustees Seeking Re-election

Three school board trustees for the Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District are seeking re-election to the board for another term. All three are at present officers on the board. They are L. L. Wallace, President; Alfred McMurtry, Vice-President; and Walter B. Knorrp, Secy.

Wallace is seeking his second term of office while; it will be the third term for both McMurtry and Knorrp, if elected. As to date, no one else has announced. Deadline for filing for names to be printed on ballots is March 28, 1956.

The election will be held on Saturday, April 7, 1956 at the school business office. Polls will be open from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M. Mr. Curtis Mears will serve as election judge with Mrs. C. C. Powell and Mrs. A. T. Cole serving as clerks.

## Special Easter Music Sunday, March 25th

The Methodist Church choir will present an hour of special Easter music on Palm Sunday, March 25th at 5 p. m. The choir will be under the direction of Mrs. Tom Jinks, with Miss Mantje Graves at the Organ.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this hour of worship.

## ABEL NAMED SECRETARY OF TST DEPT.

Oliver J. Abel, head of the Commercial Department in the local high school and college, was elected secretary of the region nine Business-Education Department of the Texas State Teachers Association at Amarillo last Friday at which time the above named association was in session. This is quite an honor in addition to being elected State Secretary of the Jr. College Business Teachers Department of the Texas Jr. College Teachers Association in Austin two weeks ago.

## Fireman's Ball Saturday Night

The Annual Fireman's Ball, St. Patrick's Day dance will be held Saturday night at the Legion Hall beginning at 9 o'clock. The Caprock Valley Boys will furnish the music for the dance. Admission is \$1 per person. Proceeds will go to the local Volunteer Fire Department.

## BAKE SALE SATURDAY AT JUNIOR'S FOOD MARKET

The Clarendon Roping Club is having a Bake Sale Saturday, March 17th, at Junior's Food Market, with proceeds going to the Roping Club. Cakes, cookies and pies will be featured for your selection. Take advantage of this sale and do your Sunday baking the easy way. The Roping Club will appreciate your patronage.

## AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP

Bill Pittman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pittman, has been awarded a scholarship by the Berens Drug Company of Waco. Pittman is a senior student at the University of Texas and is majoring in Pharmacy. Mrs. Pittman, the former Vivian Newberry, is a teacher in the McCollum Junior High School in Austin.

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## April 17th Will Be Poultry Day In Donley County

Tuesday, April 17th will be poultry day for all farmers and other persons in Donley County interested in cage layer production of eggs. H. M. Breedlove, county agent in charge of the meeting says that two of the best specialists from the Texas A&M College Extension Service at College Station, Texas will be on hand for the meeting. Mr. Kermit Schlamb, poultry marketing specialist will talk on the marketing angle of the eggs and poultry. Mr. B. J. Griffin, poultry husbandman will talk on production of eggs by the cage layer method.

Breedlove says that all angles of cage layer production will be discussed and every one will be given a chance to ask questions. The time and place of this meeting will be announced at a later date. Breedlove urges that every one interested in this program to be thinking about it and make plans to attend this meeting.

## Volley Ball Tournery At Lelia Lake To Be March 21-22-23rd

Supt. J. C. Stepp has announced that the Lelia Lake Juniors, Seniors and Athletic Department is sponsoring a Volley Ball tournament this next week on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, March 21-22 and 23rd. Any team wishing to enter is asked to contact Mr. Stepp by Monday of next week. Entry fees is \$6 per team. We would like to have just as many teams enter as we can get, he stated. Price of admission will be 15 cents for students and 30 cents for adults.

## TRAGEDY STRIKES FORMER RESIDENTS

Tragedy struck the family of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mullanax of El Paso Friday when two of their small daughters took an overdose of Aspirin. Stricken were Venna, two years old, and Vickie, three years.

Venna was dead on arrival at an El Paso hospital. Funeral services were held Saturday with burial in El Paso. Survivors include the parents and two sisters. One of the grandparents, Roy Mayberry, lives in Clarendon. Mrs. Mullanax will be remembered here as June Mayberry.

At last report, Vickie was recovering and was able to be returned home.

## Donley 4-H Club Boys Have Twelve Steers On Feed Already

Donley County 4-H Club members are getting steers on feed fast for 1956 says county agent H. M. Breedlove. There are already twelve steers on feed and Breedlove expects a total of around twenty steers for this year.

Shows where the steers will be shown and marketed will be the Odessa Sand Hills Hereford Show at Odessa, Texas held in January of each year; the Amarillo Fat Stock Show, held in late January in Amarillo; the San Antonio and El Paso shows held in early February and then the last show will be the Houston show held in Houston the latter part of February.

Feeding steers takes a great deal of work and skill on the part of the boys because feeding and showing of the steers is sure a big part in making the steers bring more money in the show ring and sale ring. Breedlove says that he hopes to have almost all steers on feed in the next ten days.

The Donley County Fat Stock Show will be held next year prior to all shows mentioned above.

## Sheriff Issues Air Rifle Warning

Sheriff Truett Behrens issued a warning this week in regard to air rifle shooting within the city limits. He stated that a number of complaints had come in reporting that window lights, car windows and wind shields had been shattered by air rifle bullets. It costs around \$100 to replace some of the windshield glasses and all glass is costly in addition to the inconvenience caused, he added. He is warning parents to caution their youngsters about where they are using their air rifles and the proper way they should be handled. Parents may be held responsible for all violations and a crack-down will be made unless such violations cease, the Sheriff emphasized.

## City Election To Be Extra Quiet

The April 3rd City election in Clarendon appears likely to be a quiet one as only two candidates have filed for the two commissioner places. The deadline for filing for a place on the ballot was last Saturday. The two candidates whose names will appear on the ballot are Oscar Thomas and W. M. Pickering. Both are seeking re-election.

## Sheriff's Department Nabs 4 Young Thugs Here

The local Sheriff's department prevented a possible flurry of burglaries here when they picked up four young men last Thursday night that had created considerable suspicion throughout the day in Clarendon and Hedley. The four were placed in the local jail and held for investigation of nine burglaries and car theft between here and Dallas. Vernon authorities picked them up Friday and returned them to Vernon in connection with burglaries there.

The four were driving a 1949 Ford which was stolen March 7th at Alford, Texas. A considerable amount of loot was found in the car and in the room which they had secured at the Donley Hotel. All four had previous arrests and had been investigated on several occasions, Sheriff Behrens stated. A local girl was jailed also at the time but she was indirectly involved. She had met the four men down state the previous weekend.

All four young men were from Houston. They were Kenneth Glenn Harris, age 20; Huey Allen Bowman, 18; James Eugene Bowman, 17, and Robert Lee Burns, 17.

Sheriff Behrens and Deputy F. A. Fitzgerald took the group into custody and stated that all indications pointed to possible burglaries in this area.

## Former Resident Dies In Rescue Attempt

James Clyde Marshall, age 40, of Downey, Calif. was dead on arrival at the hospital there Monday of last week, after trying to rescue a fellow worker trapped in a cottonseed oil storage tank at Table Products Company, Vernon, Calif.

Clyde, a Downey resident for 6 years, was department foreman there, and a resident of Ashtola several years. He married Johnnie LaFon, daughter of Mrs. W. F. Barker of Clarendon. She survives and three children, Clyda June 17, Brenda Kay 13 and James Rocky 5, also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Marshall, three brothers, four sisters one of which is Mrs. Guy Sibley of Martin. Other survivors here are uncles, P. M. Lewis and Bill Marshall and a cousin Willard Marshall.

The Rev. Milton Gould conducted services at the Downey First Baptist Church. Interment was at Park Lawn Cemetery, Bell, Calif.

## College Comets Going Strong At Last Report—Win First Game 44-27

### Locals Attend Storm Warning Meeting

Sheriff's Deputies F. A. Fitzgerald and Raymond King, Fire Chief Carl Bennett and Disaster chairman Basil Smith attended a 26 county meeting in Amarillo last Friday night. The meeting was called by H. C. Winburn, Head weatherman at the Amarillo station, to set up a storm warning system affecting the 26 counties in this part of the Texas Panhandle.

The operations of their Radar equipment was explained to the group and it was pointed out how important it was to have a system of volunteer informers from each locality in order to make the system work more efficiently for all concerned in this area. There were representatives from each area at the meeting and all indications point to a very successful warning system for this area. If a severe storm cloud is located by the radar equipment, a check is made with the informers of the area affected and the formation is traced until it is out of the area with each informer for his respective locality staying in contact with the Amarillo station.

The severe storm period for this particular area usually begins in April and lasts through June. These periods begin early in the south and east and progress northward as the weather becomes warmer.

### Invitational Track Meet Here Friday

Coach Tom Jinks announced yesterday that the local high school would play host to an invitational track meet in Broncho stadium Friday, March 16th. The meet will begin at 10 a. m. First, second and third place medals will be given along with team and high point man trophies, he added.

Teams invited to participate are Memphis, McLean, Lefors, Groom, White Deer, Panhandle, Stinnett, Canadian, Claude and Wellington. The public is invited to come up and watch the boys pit their skill on the cinder track.

### EASTER PROGRAM TO BE PRESENTED

A program of Easter music will be presented the evening of March 27 by the public school music department and College choir under the direction of Mrs. J. N. Weaver. This will include students from the third through the eighth grades and college students. Several ministers of the various churches of the town will also assist with the program.

The program will be presented in the college gymnasium at 8:00 p. m. There will be no admission charge and the public is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

### SIMS P-T. A. WILL MEET THIS AFTERNOON

The Sims P-T. A. will meet today (Thursday) at 3 p. m. in the Junior High Auditorium. Rev. Clarence Tilley will bring the devotional.

Miss Ruth Lowes of Canyon will be guest speaker for the afternoon.

A large attendance is expected at this meeting since it is the date for election of officers for the coming year.

### FRANCES COOKE FORREST WINNER IN BRIDGE TOURNAY

Mrs. Frances Cooke Forrest of Clarendon and El Paso won the American Contract Bridge League Duplicate tournament for March. Mrs. Forrest was paired with Mrs. W. T. Hoene of El Paso. They defeated a field of eighty players and were presented with a silver loving cup, for having won the event. Mrs. Forrest is one of El Paso's key players. She is the sister of W. H. Cooke Jr. and Miss Mary Cooke.

The Clarendon Jr. College Comets were doing a swell job of holding their own at last report in the National AAU Basketball tournament being held this week in St. Joseph, Mo. They drew a by until Tuesday morning which placed them in the championship bracket. They met their first opponent, the Cincinnati Ohio Rebels at 9:45 Tuesday morning and won the game 44-27. At last report they were scheduled to play the Commercial Extension team of Omaha some time Wednesday, but since we go to press Wednesday afternoon

Latest information Wednesday morning from Mr. Pinkerton, states that the Comets will meet the Commercial Extension team of Omaha at 6:30 Wednesday evening, and if they win they will go into the semi-finals Thursday night and will either play NBC or Midwestern Jr. College of Kansas. The Omaha team is 2nd ceded team in the tournament, and if the Comets get by this team it will be quite a feather in their cap as well as getting to compete in the semi-finals. Mr. Pinkerton stated that the Queen contest had been held and that a girl from the Omaha team had been declared the winner. He also stated that Louise Short, Clarendon Jr. College player and the winner last year, had been well publicized by the St. Joseph newspapers. The whole Clarendon delegation has been given a royal welcome and they are being treated swell, Mr. Pinkerton added.

The Leader is being kept up-to-date on the status of the Comets by our local high school principal, Mr. Kenneth Vaughan who relays the information he receives from Mr. Pinkerton at St. Joseph, Mo.

late, we are wondering and hoping as many other Clarendon fans are doing.

The Comets connected on 19 of 50 for 38 per cent while the Ohio team hit eight of 41 for a shade under 20 per cent.

Jo Ann Crawford had 18 points and Louise Short 15 for the winning Comets.

Also at last report, we had two girls qualify in the free throw contest and a third missed by only one basket. The two qualifying were Dianne Templeton with 43 out of 50 and Louise Short with 41 out of 50. Susie Jones barely missed qualifying with 39 out of 50. 40 had to be made to qualify.

The group of girls, accompanied by Supt. and Mrs. W. W. Pinkerton and Lynn Payne, left here early Saturday morning and arrived in St. Joseph around ten o'clock that night. They are staying at the St. Frances Hotel.

Home folks are rootin' for the girls all the way. Everyone is looking to the Comets going to the final game which will probably be with the Wayland Flying Queens and then giving the Queens their first defeat.

## High School Band In Borger Contests

The Clarendon High School Band was one of twenty-three high school bands of Region XI taking part in preliminary contests held in Borger Thursday. The local group placed fourth in Concert and third in sight-reading which is a decided improvement over their rating of last year.

Allen Pittser, band director, states that the group has shown improvement but that there is yet much work to be done in preparation for the Interscholastic League Contests to be held in Canyon April 26-27.

Students are hoping to improve this rating at the Canyon contest under Mr. Pittser's direction.

Mrs. W. H. Price and daughter, Shirley, of Bellville, Ill. visited the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patman.



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HEDLEY NEWS

Mrs. Clyde Bridges

Public school week was observed in Hedley schools. A program Friday night with guest speaker, Judge Luther Gribble of Wellington, after which open house displaying students work. A large crowd was present.

Walter and James Thomas of Roswell visited R. S. Thomas and

family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Taylor of El Paso spent last week end with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jap Shaw.

J. H. Heater of Dumas is spending two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Watt. Miss Martha Sue Noel of Roswell, N. Mex. is visiting in Hedley over week end.

Mrs. Robert Osheim and Sam Allen of Austin, Minn. and Mrs. L. M. Johnson of Syfford, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Glass

last week.

Mrs. Tommy Johnson and children of Dumas spent week end with her sister Mrs. Tommy Moffitt and children.

Dr. D. H. Cox and family are enjoying a visit from Dr. parents Rev. and Mrs. Cox of Little River, Kansas.

Sorry to report Jap Shaw on sick list. His many friends are wishing him a speedy recovery. Little Steve Patterson is spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jap Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hall have gone to San Diego, Calif. to visit their children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Owen Jr. and family.

The Hedley Garden Club members were hostess to a Guest Day one o'clock luncheon Tuesday, March 6th in Lions Den. Mrs. C. L. Johnson invited the group into a festive dining room decorated in St. Patrick motif and spring flowers.

Mrs. Alewine gave the invocation. A lovely luncheon was served buffet style, after which an interesting program was rendered by club members. Guests present were Mesdames Garrison, Wade, Alewine, Baker, Stone, Taylor, DeBord, Barnett, Biffle, Wiggins, Doherty, Cavender, Moffitt, Kinslow, Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hinds of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall over the week end.

Miss Jewel Everett of Abilene spent week end with her mother, Mrs. Jim Everett.

Mrs. Anna Greer and Weymond Holland were united in marriage Saturday, March 3rd at the Baptist parsonage here. Rev. J. S. Tipton performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Beach attended the couple. After a wedding trip they will make their home in Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson and Mrs. Carl Gerlack visited in the T. R. Easterling home in Vernon Monday. The ladies attended a Book Review by Mrs. Emory of Dallas.

Visiting homefolks over the week end from Amarillo were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dean Tate and David, Mr. and Mrs. George Owens, Chas. Rains.

Red Leeper has arrived home from Korea to be with his father, Mr. R. L. Leeper.

Mrs. E. W. Bromley and Mrs. Clarke of Clarendon visited Mrs. W. I. Rains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthell Gibson and children of Pampa spent the week end in the Walter Johnson home.

Mr. J. W. Noel of Weatherford greeted old friends Saturday. He looks fine and Hedley is always glad to have him come home.

Mesdames Harve Wilson and Clyde Bridges were guests in the Earl Myers home Saturday night to a 42 party.

Mrs. Paul McCarty is recovering from major surgery in Goodall hospital in Memphis.

Mr. Leeper is slowly improving at Odom Hospital in Memphis.

Safety Inspection Deadline Nears

Safety inspections of the nearly 4,000,000 motor vehicles registered in Texas is "falling seriously behind schedule" with the official deadline only six weeks away.

This was reported today by the Highway Safety Council of Texas after a spot check of authorized inspection stations for the week ending March 3.

Executive Director G. C. Morris of the Council said that inspections had "held to a satisfactory pace until January, but inspection stations—particularly in metropolitan areas—report that the required safety checks have been falling seriously behind schedule during the past six weeks."

"In some areas," Morris reported, "motorists seem to have forgotten about inspections altogether and activity has come to a standstill."

Deadline for the inspection of vehicles registered in Texas is April 15.

Alaska's easternmost point is 600 miles west of San Francisco.

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 18TH DISTRICT

By Congressman Walter Rogers

SALE POLIO VACCINE

On the 23rd and 24th of February a group of about 10 Committee members of the Interstate Commerce Committee, including myself, went to Indianapolis, Indiana, for an investigation and conference concerning the manufacture of Salk vaccine. We visited the Eli Lilly Plant and went through the entire process from the bringing in of the live monkeys, the removal of the kidneys, the treatment of these kidneys for the growing of the live virus, the process used in developing the live virus, the inactivation of these virus and the final vaccine product that goes into the human body to guard against this crippling disease. The many, many tests that are followed as safety measures from the very beginning of the production of the vaccine until the time that it is bottled, boxed and sealed for shipment to the various parts of the United States would lead one to believe that there is no possible way that there could be a slip-up. However, there is a constant watch and every possible precaution is checked and double checked. Even with all of these safeguards, it can be expected that the vaccine will not be 100 percent perfect in stopping polio. No vaccine has ever been that perfect. However, the doctors at this plant assured us that, as vaccines go, this vaccine was just about as near perfect as it could be made. They feel that they have definitely proven that it is highly effective and will save many, many people years of untold misery. The difficulty now lies in the fact

that there has been some trouble being able to get enough of this vaccine to the public. We were assured, and I think this will be good news to many mothers, that they hoped to have a sufficient amount by June of this year to meet the demands so that those who want to be vaccinated can be. This news was most encouraging to all of us, because we had feared that it would be, perhaps, another year before the 20 to 30 year age group could participate in this program.

The sad part about this particular mission was to see the hundreds of little monkeys in the cages that are waiting their turn to have their lives taken for the benefit of mankind. The sadness on their faces seemed to say that they knew what their fate was, and I would not be telling the truth if I should say it did not touch my heart. There are only two kinds of monkeys that can be used in this process. One comes from India and the other comes from the Philippines. They are both referred to as straight-tailed monkeys. One of the doctors pointed out that the monkeys with the curly tails cannot be used in this process because of some medical reason which I did not understand.

We were also given a complete briefing on the manufacture and production of antibiotics such as penicillin, streptomycin and the other wonder drugs of our time. Since this trip I have been definitely reassured about polio vaccine and am glad to pass on to you this reassurance, but to also warn that slip-ups in the future, as those experienced in the past, are possible. However, they are not probable, because we have tried to add every possible test that can be devised to insure absolute safety in this vaccine.

THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BAND

The United States Air Force Band will make two appearances in our District this month on their Southwest tour. It will be at Canyon on March 15th, sponsored by the West Texas State College Band, and in Borger on March 18th, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club.

EVANGELISM—Christian Church

Beginning Wednesday evening, seven thirty o'clock, Cottage prayer meetings will be held each evening on days of the week, 14th to 20th. At nine o'clock of each morning on these same days all members are urged to stop all activities for a brief moment of silent prayer. The good of the meeting, for the betterment of all concerned is the aim of these silent and evening prayer periods. Not only our own church people but the people of God whomsoever and wherever you may be are welcome to have voice in these petitions to Almighty God. God willing, the period of meetings begin on Wednesday evening, March 21, and close Sunday evening, April 1st. The singing will be led by two young men from Dallas Christian College - students.

Plan to attend. You're welcome.

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**ASHTOLA NEWS**

Mrs. Doyce Graham

Cpl. Delbert Robertson and Mr. Howard Anthony of El Paso spent the week end with homefolks and helped Patrick Wayne celebrate his 1st birthday, March 10th.

Guests of the Dane Perdues Sunday were Otis Naylor, Mrs. Bill Webb, Mrs. Mary Clayton and the H. S. Mahaffays and Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jonsson and Kay Lynn and Bobby Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Wayburn Wilson and Wayburn Scott all of Amarillo spent the week end in the W. H. Wilson home. Mrs. Wayburn Wilson and son will remain this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue and girls visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue of Hudgins.

Jim Nelson of South Dakota a nephew of Jess Nelson is visiting in the home of the Jess Nelsons.

Mrs. Evert Miller and Bill Lee Ramsay of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lovell and Joe Tom.

Mrs. Johnny Rex McClellan and Mrs. C. B. Harp made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday and also visited in the John Harp home.

Mr. T. A. Nelson and Mrs. Betty Nelson made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. A. T. Tolbert, Norma Tolbert, and Geneva Murphy visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. George Wilkerson and family at Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Evans and Carol shopped in Memphis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scottie Tolbert and children from Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. James Tolbert and family Sunday.

Weldon Aultman of Newlin spent Saturday night and Sunday with Clifton Phillips.

Sue Hill spent Friday night with Karen Marie Hill.

Mrs. O. L. Hill and Mrs. J. T. Hill and daughters shopped in Amarillo Friday and took Neva Jane to the doctor for her check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tolleson and children visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blandford and family in Amarillo Saturday.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow and Leleas visited the H. E. Tollesons.

Guests of the Robert Partains Sunday were Mrs. Audrey Partain, Rama Lee, Pauline and Raymond Walker all of Amarillo.

Mrs. Ben Osbourne and children spent Friday with Mrs. Grady Nelson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morrow



of Clarendon visited the L. M. Porters Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Cole in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandon Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Thomas of Wellington visited the C. W.

**Tollesons Monday.**

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Graham were in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. Brandon attended the teachers meeting in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. J. M. Graham, Mrs. Hubert Rhoades and Mrs. Harold Graham visited a relative, Susan Mother-shed, in Odom Hospital Thursday afternoon. Susan was injured in Estelina when a ladder fell on her while she was playing in the ruins of the fire there.

Many patrons and friends visited the school during education week. Samples of the pupils' work were on display and the work books they had made. Guests were registered from Monday until Thursday and everyone enjoyed the visiting. 20 mothers visited the primary room and 18 visited the intermediates during this period.

Mrs. W. A. Rush and sons and Mrs. Cora Shillings of Elida spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham.

Mrs. Mabel Moore and Mrs. Gertie Rhoades had Sunday supper with the Hubert Rhoades.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Marshall of Phillips visited the Willard Marshalls Monday night.

Mrs. Doyce Graham and Mrs. Harold Graham were hostesses to the 42 party Friday night. 24 were present. Cookies, punch, and coffee were served. High score prizes were won by Mrs. Vance Gray and Hubert Rhoades.

Mrs. Grady Henson and Mrs. Myrne Rhoades made the Red Cross campaign for our community.

**GOLDSTON NEWS**

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Charles Walker of Canyon spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family.

Weldon Talley of Canyon spent from Wednesday through Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family.

Minnie Roberson is spending some time in Dodson visiting with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberson.

Carl Talley visited Friday eve with Pat Roberson.

Mrs. C. F. Moss and Mrs. Tom Scoggins visited Monday eve with Mrs. Edgar Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson, Pat and Minnie visited Sunday in Quitaque.

Mrs. Wilson Gray shopped in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hatley of Amarillo visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield is able to be home from the hospital.

Marvin and Dan Hall of Clarendon visited with Carl and Howard Talley Saturday morning.

Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield and Mrs. Charlie Morgan of Clarendon visited Monday eve with Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Littlefield and son of Friona spent Sunday with Mrs. V. Littlefield and Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gerner and baby of Amarillo visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family.

Leroy Littlefield spent Saturday night with his grandmother, Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peggram and girls of Colorado Springs spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Callahan.

Kenneth Morris visited Friday eve with Howard Talley.

Mrs. Odel McBrayer and Mrs. Tom Scoggins visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ashcraft and Fern.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and Nora visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Philley visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Callahan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hatley of Brice spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mrs. C. T. Williams visited with Mrs. Myrtle Reed at Good-night Thursday.

Mrs. Nora Smith visited Tuesday eve with Mrs. C. T. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McDonald of Lawton, Okla. visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reid and baby of Clarendon and Mr. J. F. Jackson and Nora visited Sunday with Mrs. Jossie Jackson of Memphis.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins Tuesday of last week were Mrs. Luella Chamblee, Mrs. Wilma Dell Love and three daughters, Linda, Debby and Rhonda from Tulsa, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins visited Wednesday of last week with Tom's father and sister at

**Lakeview.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ashcraft and Fern spent Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins. Mrs. O. L. McBrayer visited in the afternoon.

J. F. Jackson and Nora, Deva Mae, Peggy Sue and Pernie Lee Jackson, also Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins visited Friday in Wellington with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bullington, also visited Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Ware and Larry of

**Wellington.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ashcraft and children visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins.

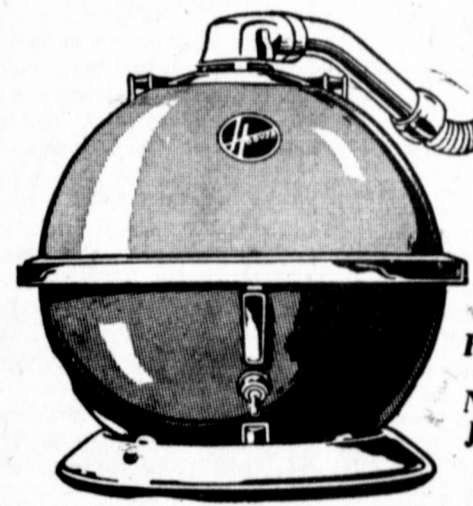
Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Adkins also Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Holland and sons, Anthony and Malcolm visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins and other relatives.

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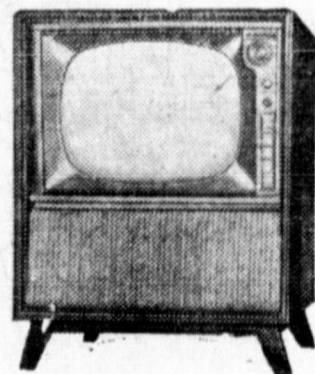
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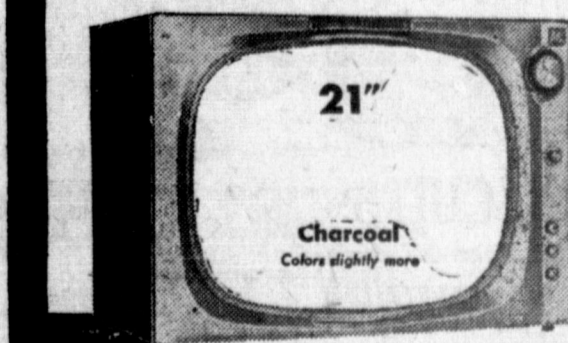
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# Society

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## PATHFINDER CLUB

The Pathfinder Club met at Patching Club House on March 9. Mrs. H. C. Mundy of Shamrock, past-president of 7th District of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, was the guest speaker. She was presented a lovely white gladiola corsage carrying out the Irish colors of green and white.

Members and guests were greeted at the door by the hostesses: Mesdames Dishman, Stark, Kunz, and Stewart. A peaceful atmosphere was created in the meeting room by an arrangement of white apricot blossoms in a lovely crystal vase accented by a quaint Chinese coolie figurine.

Two Irish vocal selections, "A Little Bit of Heaven," by Ernest R. Ball, and "That's An Irish Lullaby," by J. R. Shannon were sung by Mrs. Frank Phelan, Jr. Mrs. Mundy, introduced by the Pathfinder president, talked on how women were helped by being members of a Federated Club. She stated that club work broadened a woman's views toward her family, her community, and her church. The Federated Club woman is freer to see her visions of future dreams come true than are women of other nations. She mentioned our problem of juvenile delinquents, our driver safety bill, and how club work helped toward mental health. At the conclusion of her talk she quoted the age-old quotation, "Never Underestimate the Powers of a Woman."

Green and white, the Irish theme, was portrayed in the elegant table. The white cutwork tablecloth was centered with a milk white pedestal container holding graceful sprays of white stock highlighted by the green leaves of lemon foliage. White shamrock cookies topped with pinches of green sugar, mints and nuts accompanied the tea and for coffee served by Mrs. Frank Phelan, Jr. from a lovely silver service.

The next meeting will be on March 23, when Mrs. Bill Lowe will review the book "Auntie Mame" by Patrick Dennis.

—Reporter.

## FHA SOCIAL

The FHA chapter entertained their mothers, the eighth grade girls and their mothers Monday night in the college auditorium. The program was prepared and given by the twelve FHA members who are working for their Junior degree. The program consisted of an example of a regular FHA meeting, featuring principles of good parliamentary procedure, and the FHA emblem service. Pat Knox accompanied by Joyce Eddings at the piano played two Coronet solos.

Twelve girls were presented with Junior Degree certificates by Glenda Borden, who also acted as mistress of ceremonies. Receiving degrees were: Beth Lambert, Robbie Lou Johnson, Otilie Lee, Rose Leek, Pat Spurgeon, Dianne Moore, Vicki McAnear, Barbara Koontz, Jean Welch, Ona Mae Moffett, Elaine Behrens, and Georgia Bell Harmon.

Refreshments were served in the Homemaking Department following the program.

## H. D. CLUB TO MEET

Mrs. R. C. Bingham will entertain members of the senior H. D. Club in her home at 3:00 p. m. Friday afternoon, March 16.

## SHOWER HONORING JANE MOSLEY

Miss Jane Mosley, bride-elect of Montye Smith, was honored with a kitchen shower Friday, March 9th in the Bill Scales home in Hedley. Hostesses were Mesdames Mabel Bridges and Bill Scales.

Spring flowers were used throughout the house, carrying out the brides chosen colors, yellow and blue.

In the receiving line was the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Winfield Mosley, Mrs. Doris Hayes of Clarendon, sister of the groom, Mrs. M. W. Mosley, grandmother of the bride. Mrs. James Baggett registered the guests after appropriate contest and advice given the bride by each guest.

Mrs. Bridges, in a few well chosen words, presented Jane the Kitchen Maid which centered the table, covered with a red and white checked cloth with a colored maid and butler on each side. Under her skirts of dish cloths were useful gifts for the bride's kitchen.

Delicious refreshments of Angel food cake and punch, in the bride's colors, were served to twenty guests. A number unable to attend sent gifts.

## BUSINESS WOMEN'S CIRCLE

Mrs. J. N. Weaver entertained the Business Women's Circle of the Baptist Church in her home Monday evening, March 12.

The program was on Home Missions and was led by the program chairman, Mrs. Jennie Smith. Taking part on the panel discussion were Mesdames Jane Bownds, Ellen Bryan, George Thompson, and Miss Jessie Cook. Thirteen members were present. The next meeting will be held the evening of March 26 in the home of Mrs. George Thompson.

## GOOD NEIGHBORS CLUB

The Good Neighbors Club met Friday, March 9th in the home of Mrs. Will Jordan.

A delicious covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by eleven members, one visitor. The next meeting will be all day in the home of Carrah Mixon, March 23rd.

## BETA SIGMA PHI MEETING

Beta Williams was hostess to members of Mu Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi on March 8, 1956.

The business meeting was conducted by Jane Bownds, President. It was reported that the Mike McCully's contributed to the Muscular Dystrophy fund in memory of Richard Bownds.

Founders Day and Rush week plans were discussed. Kay Bain was appointed Top Hatter.

Members appearing on the program, "Art" were Freida Gray, Frankie Henson and Bert Garland.

Coffee and cake was served by the hostess to the following members: Lois Schollenbarger, Bert Garland, Ann Hommel, Ann Bennett, Juanita Phelps, Kay Bain, Anne Reeves, Jane Bownds, Freida Gray, Jennie Aten, Ruth Hudson, Frankie Henson, and the hostess, Dee Williams.

The next meeting will be in the home of Ruth Hudson. The meeting will be a Model Meeting with prospective pledges attending. The date is March 29, 1956.

—Reporter.

## JR. H. D. CLUB

The Jr. H. D. Club met at Patching Club House Thursday afternoon, March 8, with the president, Ona Tatum, presiding. During the business session plans were made for the Husband's Party to be held at 7:30 p. m. the evening of March 22.

Roll Call was answered with each member giving a food and its nutritive value. The program entitled "Preparing Left-Overs" was given by Stella Spurgeon and Clara Finley.

Hostesses were Thelma Behrens and Edith Spivey. Present were Gladys Blackburn, Ona Bentley, Stella Spurgeon, Cula Trout, Wilma Spier, Mary Belle DeBord, Clara Finley, Polly Schull, Leona Henson, Noma Lewis, Sadie Head, Lucille Swinney, Helen Land, Edith Spivey, Ruby Fitzgerald and Ona Tatum.

—Reporter.

## GARDEN CLUB TO MEET

The Garden Club will meet Thursday afternoon, March 15, in the home of Mrs. Bill Greene, Sr. with Mrs. Potts co-hostess. Meeting will open at 4:00 p. m.

## NEEDLE CLUB

The Needle Club met March 8th in the home of Mrs. Ethel Mann as hostess. Mrs. Clara Hodge entertained us with a Supperware party. All attending had an enjoyable time.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mrs. Clara May Carter, Mrs. Willie Hott, Mrs. Eunice Mann; Mrs. Doris Harp, Mrs. Florence Harp, Mrs. Vivian Allen, Mrs. Clara Baggett, Mrs. Barbara Baggett, Mrs. Clara Hodge and hostess, Mrs. Ethel Mann.

Next club meeting will meet April 12th in the home of Mrs. Leona Shaw as hostess.

—Reporter.

## HUDGINS QUILTING CLUB

This Club met in the home of Mary Lee Noble on Thursday afternoon, March 8th. One quilt was finished. Martiel Webb received a pollyanna gift and refreshments were served to one guest, Mrs. Bessie Lane and the following members: Belle Smallwood, Pauline Koontz, Judy and Jerry, Martiel Webb, Mae Perdue, Mammie Mills and Roxie Cosper.

Next meeting will be with Belle Smallwood on Tuesday afternoon March 20.

—Reporter.

## MIDWAY QUILTING CLUB

Ten members enjoyed the noon lunch and days quilting March 6 in the home of Mrs. Eula Butler. Plans for the future work of the Club was discussed during the business meeting. The motion was made and carried that we make the usual donation to the Red Cross and Heart fund.

March 20th will be Pollyanna day for the club. The meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Bobbie Dishman.

—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Seaton of Amarillo, Hubert Moffett and family of the S. J. Ranch and J. C. Moffett and family visited Sunday in the home of their Parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moffett.

## ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Roy Crutchfield and Jeanette, also Mrs. LaVerne Bannister and Mickey of Amarillo attended funeral services for their uncle, L. M. Usrey, at Mineola, Texas Friday. Mr. Usrey, a former Donley resident, died Thursday. Services and burial were held at Mineola Friday.

Enroute home they visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Usrey, at Idabel, Okla., returning to Clarendon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harrison Sr. were called to Burbank, Calif. Tuesday morning due to the death of his brother-in-law Robert O. Johnson Sr. Mr. Johnson died Sunday night and services were to be held today. He formerly lived in the Chamberlain community about 25 years ago.

Mrs. Page Harmon, Ralph and Georgia Bell spent last week end with Mrs. Harmon's mother in San Antonio, Texas.

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**Vocational Ag. Teachers Study Market Grading**

Teachers from the Greenbelt F.F.A. District met at the Pinkney Packing Plant at Amarillo at 9 A. M., Saturday, March 10th, and spent the day studying market classes of live beef animals and hogs and the carcasses of beaves and hogs. The meeting was under the direction of Walter Labay, Area Supervisor from Plainview.

The teachers toured the feedlots and practiced grading the animals in the lots under the direction of Paul Lawson, veteran buyer for Pinkney Packing Company. The group were able to study groups of feeders and feed cattle that were nearing top finish. In the cooler room, carcasses of all sizes and degrees of finish were explained to the teachers who will use this information in teaching their students and in training livestock judging teams.

Teachers from Carey, Childress, Paducah, Wellington, Memphis, Lakeview, Quail, Samnorwood, Turkey, Hedley, Clarendon, and Lelia Lake were included in the group making the study.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hefner returned home Saturday after a visit with their daughters and their families in Walnut Creek, Calif. and other relatives in Los Angeles. Enroute to and from California they visited their sons in Amarillo. Their visit extended from December 19 to March 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Gordon and girls went to Amarillo Friday to return the Gordon's infant son, Gary Douglas, home. The young man is doing fine.

**R. Y. KING ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION TO THE OFFICE OF COUNTY ATTORNEY**

At this time I am announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of county attorney. If the people re-elect me, I shall do my best to perform the duties of that office according to law and for the best interest of all concerned. I wish to thank the voters for the wonderful support which I have heretofore received from them, both on election day and in the courthouse thereafter. I hope that I have merited that support and faith, and if I am elected to that office, I shall in return give fair, honest, and courteous service.

Thank you,  
R. Y. KING.

**SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU**

**March 19-23rd**  
**MONDAY**

Steak and gravy, new potatoes, blackeye peas, lettuce and tomato salad, bread, milk and apple pie.

**TUESDAY**  
Hot dogs, red beans, cream corn, jello salad, buns, milk and cake.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Boiled ham, cream peas, spinach, bread, milk and banana pudding.

**THURSDAY**  
Hamburgers, lettuce, onions, pickles, potato chips, buns, milk, fruit and cookies.

**FRIDAY**  
Pork roast and gravy, green beans, cream potatoes, home made rolls, milk, butter and apricots.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie visited in Amarillo Sunday.

**CHURCH SERVICES**

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**

**Ernest Phillips, Pastor**  
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
Duane Hearn, Supt.  
Preaching Service—11:00 A. M.  
Training Union—7:30 P. M.  
Winefred Self, Director  
Preaching Service—8:00 P. M.  
Monday—W. M. U. meets at 3:00 P. M.  
Mrs. W. L. Jordan, Pres.  
Wednesday evening Prayer Service—7:30.

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**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**Paul D. Wright, Minister**  
Sunday School—9:45 A. M.  
Dr. J. Gordon Stewart, Supt.  
Ernest Kerl, Asst. Supt.  
Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.  
Vesper Service—5:30 P. M.  
Children's Story Hour—5:30 P. M.  
Junior Meeting—5:30 P. M.  
Pioneer Fellowship—5:30 P. M.

**WEDNESDAY**

Mid-week Bible Study and Prayer Service—7:30 P. M.  
Choir Practice—8:15.  
The Board of Deacons meet every second Sunday night at 6:15.  
The Session meets every third Sunday night at 6:15.  
The local Board of Women meets each 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 3:15 P. M.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

**W. F. Vanderburg, Pastor**  
**T. W. Goar**  
Edu. & Music Director  
SUNDAY  
Bible School—9:45 A. M.  
Bill Lowe, Supt.  
Worship Service—11:00 A. M.  
Training Union—6:15 P. M.  
Alfred Estlack, Dir.  
Worship Service—7:30 P. M.  
MONDAY  
Clyde Hankins R. A.—4:20 P. M.  
WEDNESDAY  
Sunbeams—3:00 P. M.  
W. M. U.—3:00  
Mildred Crabtree G. A.—6:30  
Nina Hankins G. A.—6:30  
Jojola R. A.—6:30  
Y. W. A.—6:30  
Teachers and Offices Meeting—6:45.  
Mid-week Prayer Service—7:30  
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, 8:30

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**

**Rev. A. W. Harris**  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School—9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.  
Young People's Christ Ambassador Service and Booster Band—6:45 P. M.  
Evangelistic Service—7:30 P. M.  
WEDNESDAY  
Bible Study—7:30 P. M.  
SATURDAY NIGHT SERVICE  
First Saturday night in each month only—7:30 P. M.

**MARTIN BAPTIST CHURCH**

**T. H. Harmonson, Pastor**  
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
Raymond Waldrop, Supt.  
Morning Service—11:00 A. M.  
Training Union—7:00 P. M.  
Clarence Reynolds, Director  
Evening Service—8:00 P. M.  
Wednesday Evening Prayer Service—7:30.

**UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**

**N. J. Pope, Pastor**  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
Evening Service—7:30 P. M.  
THURSDAY  
Evening—7:00 P. M.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**Clarence Tilley, Minister**  
Services Sunday Morning—Bible Classes—10:00 A. M.  
Worship Service—10:50 A. M.  
Young People's Meeting—6:00  
Preaching—7:00  
Ladies Bible Class Wednesday afternoon—3:00.  
Midweek Services Wednesday evening—7:30.  
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**LELIA LAKE METHODIST CHURCH**

**Rev. C. M. Ryan, acting Pastor**  
Sunday School every Sunday at 3:00 P. M.  
Preaching Service—4:00 P. M. every Sunday.  
M. Y. F.—7:30

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11:00 A. M.

**LELIA LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH**

**Roland Jenkins, Pastor**  
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
Leo Smith, Supt.  
Preaching Service—11:00 A. M.  
Training Union—7:30 P. M.  
Virgil Cosper, Director  
Preaching Service—8:30 P. M.  
MONDAY  
W. M. U.—2:00 P. M.  
WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Meeting—7:30 P. M.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**

**Rev. C. M. Ryan**  
SUNDAY  
Church School—9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship—10:50 A. M.  
Junior and Primary Fellowship—6:00 P. M.  
Methodist Youth Fellowship—6:15 P. M.  
Evening Worship—7:00 P. M.  
WEDNESDAY  
Woman's Society of Christian Service—3:30 P. M.  
Homemakers' Circle, Fourth Wednesday—4:00 P. M.  
Choir Practice—7:30 P. M.

**SAINT MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**Rev. Clifton Corcoran**  
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**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

**Rev. Max Huff**  
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.  
Evening Service—7:00 P. M.  
Prayer Meeting—Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

**J. I. Brimberry, Minister**  
Bible School—9:45 A. M.  
Herman Barnes, Supt.  
Morning Worship—10:50 A. M.  
Evening Service—7:30 P. M.  
WEDNESDAY  
Mid-week Service—7:30 P. M.  
Choir—7:30.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Words cannot express our thanks for the prayers, flowers, letters and cards while in the hospital and at home. You will always be remembered. May God bless each and every one.  
Mrs. Grover Heath.

Little Daniel Howard Sams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sams of Brownfield, is visiting his grandparents here, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Estlack while his mother stays with his little sister, Kay, in the Methodist Hospital at Lubbock. Kay has had pneumonia but is improving at last report.

Mrs. Louie Goffinett of Memphis is spending this week in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Gordon and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tyler and boys of Lubbock are spending this week in the G. C. Heath home.

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

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Precinct No. 3  
F. M. MURRAY

**Constable Precinct 2:**  
R. C. (Bob) HILL

**City Election, April 3, 1956**  
For Commissioner:  
W. M. PICKERING  
OSCAR H. THOMAS

J. W. Gordon of Tullia and Leslie Gordon and children of Amarillo visited Sunday in the Harlie Gordon home. Mrs. Leslie Gordon who had visited here last week accompanied them home.

A house guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Foxhall several days last week was Nora Wain, writer and lecturer. Her home is in England. At the present time she is in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Clements and family of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Graham and children Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Henley of McLean were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Graham.

Mrs. Minnie Mayberry of Kermit, Texas is visiting in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Graham and children.

Miss June Christian spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Christian, at Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman and Mrs. B. J. Land and boys returned home Monday after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Tick Barbee at Stephenville.

Mrs. Eva Humphrey who has been on the sick list is reported improved at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pittman returned to Clarendon Sunday after spending the past five weeks at Rockport, Texas.

Miss Janice Benson and Frank White III, students at Texas Tech spent the week end with home-folks.

Melvin Fowlkes of Borger visited Sunday evening in the S. M. Harp home.

Mrs. Annette Gettys and baby of Lubbock visited a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Porter of Silverton visited in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weatherly and children Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Parsons visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Graham at Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weatherly and family visited recently in the Lesley Foxhall home at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pittman, Judy and Sue McCord visited Sunday with Mr. Pittman's brother, Luther Pittman, who is a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Lena Antrobus is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Edith Maher, at Ft. Worth, and Mrs. Tren Star-gel at Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wood and children of Amarillo visited Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wood.

Miss Maryanne Longan, daughter of Mrs. Mary Sue Longan who reside in Greeley, Colorado, is visiting relatives and many friends here this week.

Mrs. Rachel Stephenson and daughters, Retta Ann and Vickey Lynn of Greeley, Colorado are visiting relatives here and near Matador this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Edens and son Bobby Lynn from Midland are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Estlack and other relatives here this week.

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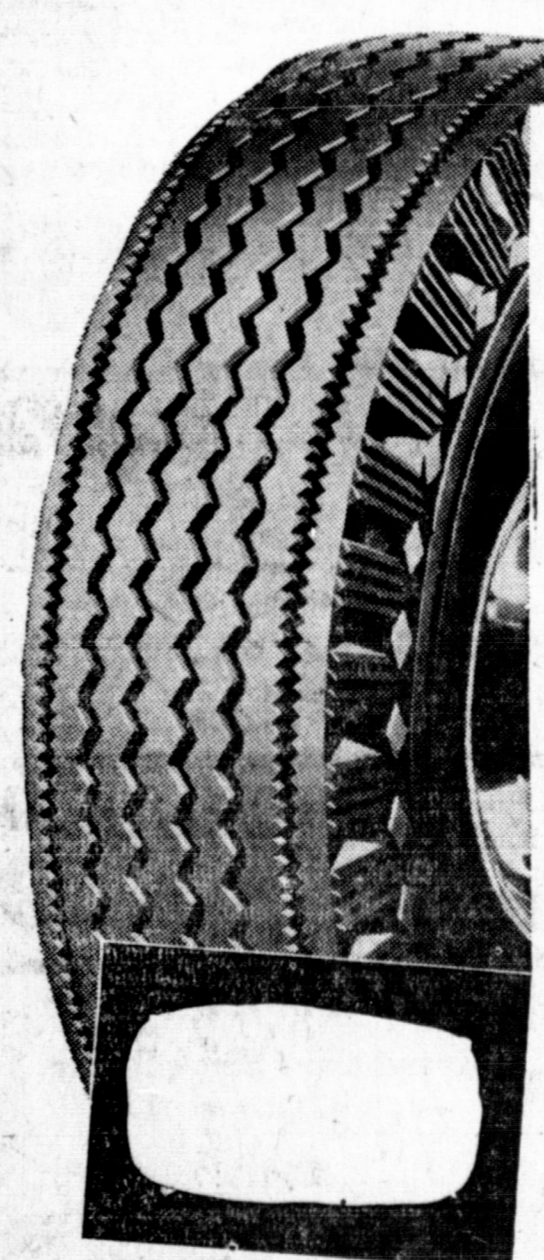
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Diamond Brand in Syrup—No. 2 1/2 Can

**SLICED APPLES 20c**  
Lotus Brand—No. 2 Can

**Snowdrift Shortening 89c**  
3 lb. Pail

**Ginger Bread Mix 49c**  
Pillsbury's—2 Pkgs.

**Angel Food Cake Mix 55c**  
Pillsbury's—Pkg.

**VEL Detergent 29c**  
Large Pkg.

**SALAD DRESSING 39c**  
Morton's—Quart Jar

**DOG FOOD 43c**  
Red Heart—3 Cans

**TOILET TISSUE 25c**  
Como—4 Roll Pkg.

**SIMONIZ NON-SCUFF FLOOR WAX 99c**  
(4 Pkgs. Flower Seed Free)—Quart Can

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**W. E. CLIFFORD**  
Grocery & Market  
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MARTIN NEWS

Mrs. W. H. Morrow

Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Harmonson and family spent Thursday night and Friday with his father and other relatives at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cason from Wellington visited Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land.

Lenord and Carl Buttrell from Hereford and Mexico came by Mr. Geo. Bulman's Friday. They were on their way to attend their grandmother's funeral, Mrs. Liza Leckner. Mrs. Leckner was Mrs. Geo. Bulman's aunt. She was 99 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman and Mrs. B. J. Land, Steve and Montie spent the week end at Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. Tick Barbee.

Mrs. Robert Tolbert visited Mrs. W. H. Morrow Saturday eve.

The community was shocked to hear about the death of Mr. Clyde Marshall of Downing, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley, Joann and Wanda, Mrs. Will Barker left immediately for Calif.

Mrs. Ed Waters from Masterson visited the first of last week with her mother, Mrs. C. J. Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Mann visited Saturday night awhile with Miss Della Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and Beth visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow Monday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson from Palo Duro visited Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop, Beth and Tom visited Tues-

day evening with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Waldrop visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and Beth visited Friday nite with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Sullivan and children.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Spear were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Elliott spent Sunday with their son and wife, Rev. Harold Elliott and son of Samnorwood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hill and girls, Mrs. Red Hill and girls shopped in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Elliott went to Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Easterling, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Otho Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley and girls returned from Calif. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and Beth visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds left Monday morning for Arkansas to visit relatives.

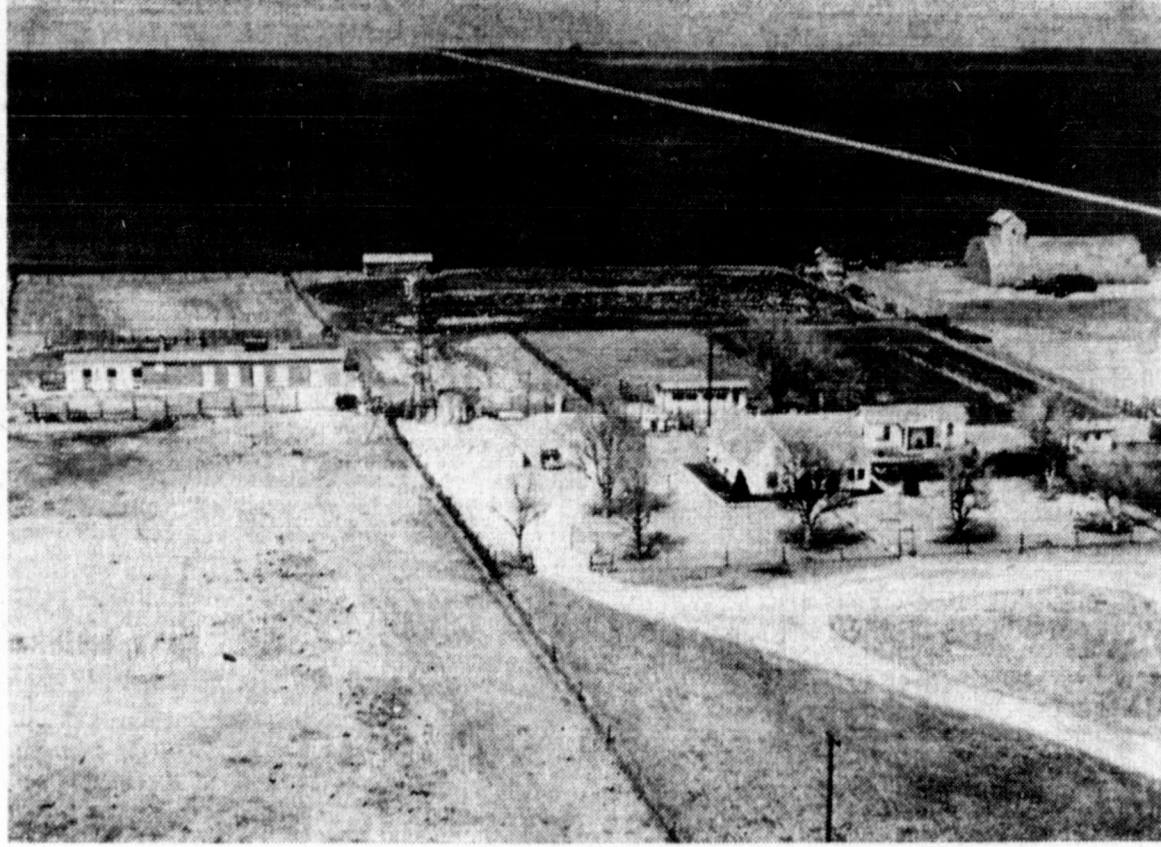
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Kidd's Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman and Daune of Stratford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wheelley of Ashtola Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hott visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Hott Sunday.



MYSTERY FARM NO. 43 — This farm home was identified by nineteen persons last week as the

T. O. Kirby place located west of Jericho on Highway 66. It is across the line in Gray County as

the highway is the dividing line between Donley and Gray Counties.

LELIA LAKE NEWS

Mrs. H. R. King

Mrs. Carolyn White of Leadville, Colorado came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Monk.

Gary Wayne Mooring of Amarillo is spending this week with his cousins, David and Donnie Mooring.

Will Mace is visiting relatives in Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Leathers and children and G. Leathers spent

the weekend in Garland, visiting their sister and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Wardlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eads of Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring and boys Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Smith and children and Mrs. Clark Cook visited relatives and friends in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Goar of Clarendon Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stotts of Clarendon visited her sister, Mrs. Eula Lowe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers and boys of Quail spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers.

Mrs. Gus Rascoe and Jerry of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten Friday.

Mrs. Joanne Word of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Christal.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith were in Amarillo Tuesday for a medical checkup for Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bryan of Amarillo spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Leathers and Robert.

Paul Duncan left for his home in Dallas Sunday morning after visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Nollie Simmons

married recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Cornell of Hedley attended services at the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Poole visited relatives in Hedley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferral Floyd and Mollie spent the weekend with relatives in Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Head spent the weekend with relatives in Dallas. Mrs. Head who had been visiting relatives accompanied them home.

HUDGINS NEWS

Mrs. Carl Barker

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mjlder of Amarillo spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Molder.

Cap Anderson came home last week from a fishing trip in Mexico.

Coleman Shields, J. B. McDaniel were in Brice Saturday.

Mrs. Hott and Mrs. Self visited Mrs. Loyd one afternoon this week. Mrs. Loyd is still on the sick list.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Perdue and family of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue and girls of Ashtola, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tyler.

Mrs. Marshall Stone spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Koontz.

Bueter Shields and Wayne Aten spent Friday and Saturday with Jerry Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bates attended the funeral of a cousin, Don Hunter of Childress Sat.

Mrs. J. B. McDaniel was in Memphis Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox received word Tuesday that they had a new grandchild. A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Margent Hurst of San Marcos. March 6.

Don Miller accompanied his grandparents of Memphis to Springfield, Colorado for the weekend.

J. C. Stepp attended the teachers meeting in Amarillo Thursday night and Friday.

Mrs. J. A. English left Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Barnett of Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Anderson and daughters of Borger visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hill and daughter of Liberal, Kansas spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Castner.

Miss Othelia Bowling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowling, and Mr. Bobby Head were

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott shopped in Amarillo Thursday.

Mrs. Bessie Lane spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. D. T. Smallwood.

Otha Dean Elliott, Norma Self spent Friday night with Ann Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Webb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Lemons of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Shields visited Mr. and Mrs. Newell Shields Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rowe visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tyler Friday night.

Wanda Elliott of Canyon was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aulif of Pampa, Mrs. R. M. Webb, Billy Waddell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Webb.

Cleta Koontz spent Tuesday night with Jeanette Crutchfield of Clarendon.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ayers.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pink Marshall the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Banister, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Marshall of Amarillo.

Barbara and Glenda Koontz went to Wellington Tuesday nite to see the film of Martin Luther.

L. E. Tyler shopped in Amarillo Wednesday.

Billy, Susan Jane Cross spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood.

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Mellorine GOLD BAR 1/2 gallon .49

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Vertical list of advertisements on the right edge: Thursday, I. G. A., WHITE S PEAC, 303 Size C, WHITE S Butter, 300 Size C, I. G. A. Grape, 46 oz. Can, WHITE S TEA, 1/4 lb. Box, TISSU, I. G. A. Da, TOMA, Hunt's-Ta, ORAN, HI-C-46 c, CALIFORNI, ORAN, (1 Kite Fre, KREE ME, Cheese, 2 lb. Box, DELITE, PURE, 3 lb. Cartou, BEEF, Pound, BACON, I. G. A.-Pou, WIENE, Pound, BISCO, Borden's-C, ROAST, Pork Shoul, BEEF, Pound, FREE DELIVER



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**RATES**  
**CLASSIFIED INFORMATION**  
 Minimum Charge ..... 35c  
 Per word first insertion ..... 3c  
 Following insertions ..... 2c  
 All ads CASH with order, unless customer has an established account with The Leader.

## FOR SALE

**PONTIAC**  
 You won't be wasting your time if you come over or call Matt Johnson. Johnson Pontiac, Phone 356-J. Wellington, Texas.

Before you arrange to finance your new or late model car compare my new low cost finance rates. I can save you money. Emmett O. Simmons at The Farmers State Bank. (27tc)

Free Thermos Jug with each purchase of an Ice Chest at A. R. Henson Tire Co. (26tc)

FOR SALE—No. 1 bright Prairie Hay; also Alfalfa Hay. Frank J. Hemmel. (7tc)

ATTENTION—Put new color back in old fabrics with Fab-spray at A. R. Henson Tire Co. (34tc)

Used Sweepers for sale and rent at Goodman Furniture. (5tc)

FOR SALE—For the best in Electric Fence Chargers, see EST-LACK MACHINERY CO., Clarendon, Texas. (32tc)

FOR SALE—All kinds of Posts. Frank J. Hommel. (7tc)

**SAVE MONEY ON BEEF**  
 ½ Beef, cut, wrapped, and frozen 42½ cents per pound.  
 Hind quarter — cut, wrapped and frozen 47½ cents per pound.  
 Forequarter — cut, wrapped and frozen 37½ cents per pound.

Special prices on quantity buys out of our meat case, cut, wrapped, and frozen for your freezer space in your refrigerator. This saves you money and time.  
**DONLEY COUNTY CONSUMER FROZEN FOOD LOCKER**  
 Phone 192

**AVENARIUS CARBOLINEUM**—Use Avenarius Carbolineum guaranteed killer for mites and blue bugs.  
**Stocking's Drug Store**

**FOR SALE**  
 Genuine Wilt-Resistant Empire Cotton Planting Seed **GROWN IN GEORGIA**  
 Fastest fruiting—early maturing—highest average yield—highest average oil content—strong and uniform fiber. EMPIRE picks good—gins good—spins good. Also registered D&PL 15 and state certified seed. Distributed by C. A. PRUDEN, P. O. Box 215, Irving, Texas. (6tc)

**BONE MEAL**—For fertilizing bulbs, tubers, roses and other flowers. Get Bone Meal in small bags at  
**Stocking's Drug Store**

**CREOSOTE DIP**—For pig pens, chicken houses, corrals. Good for fleas, mites, lice and many other insects. Buy it at  
**Stocking's Drug Store**

**WHITE'S EVERYDAY BATTERY BARGAINS**  
 White's Silvernode Battery—guaranteed for 5 years, 12 mo. free replacement \$15.95 ex. It costs 26½ cents per month to operate above battery.

White's Super Battery, guaranteed 30 months only \$11.95 ex. White's Standard Battery, guaranteed 15 months, only \$9.75 ex. White's Special Battery—only \$6.95 ex.  
 Battery Cables ..... 69c  
 Come by and let us check your battery free with factory approved Battery Scope.  
**White Auto Store**  
 Phone 162

**REAL ESTATE FOR SALE**  
 We have a nice selection of Farms, Business and Income Property for sale. We have 2 and 3 bed-room Houses for sale. We have Business and Residential lots for sale. We make Farm and Ranch Loans. We will build you a fine new Home by Munday-Cooper, F.H.A. and G.I. Available.  
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 Real Estate Loans  
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**PEAT MOSS**—Use soil conditioning Peat Moss for mulching and rooting. Absorbs 15 times its dry weight in water. Small bags at  
**Stocking's Drug Store**

**FOR SALE**—5 room house, basement and garage; also furniture. Call 369-W or see Duane Hearn. (50tc)

For window shades and blinds. Goodman Furniture. (5tc)

**POTTERY**—New large shipment of Bauer's Pottery just received at  
**Stocking's Drug Store**

**FOR SALE**—M & M Model R 2-row tractor, in good condition, good rubber, two-row lister and 2-row cultivator, priced to sell at only \$250.00. Phone 162.

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**White Auto Store**  
 Phone 162

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 \$7.95 Exchange  
 A. R. Henson Tire Store  
 (3tc)

**PANGBURN'S CANDIES AT STOCKING'S DRUG STORE**  
**FOR SALE**—See us for lawn seed and fertilizer. Thomas Feed and Produce. Phone 199-J. (4tc)

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 Phone 162

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**COSTUME JEWELRY**—Spring assortment of costume jewelry now on display. See the wide selection.  
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**FOR SALE**—One 2-wheel Trailer. All kinds of Building material. Chas. G. Speed. (36tc)

**FOR SALE**—Two bedroom modern house with garage attached. Only 3 years old. Phone 169. (7-p)

**FOR SALE**—Good used 8 ft. electric refrigerator; two electric washing machines; Bed room suite, Dinette Suite, Gas Range, Dresser, other miscellaneous furniture. All good condition and very reasonable. Inquire at Connie's Radio and TV Service or phone 466-W or 54-J. (52tc)

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**Alcoholics Anonymous** meet every Monday night, 8 p. m. Donley Hotel basement. All interested are invited.

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## WANTED

**TYPING**—Isla Smith, 6 Blks. E. of Clarendon Hotel. (10-p)

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**MAN OR WOMAN**—to take over route of established customers in Clarendon. Weekly profits of \$50.00 or more at start possible. No car or other investment necessary. Will help you get started. Write C. R. Ruble, Dept. M-2, The J. R. Watkins Company, Memphis 2, Tennessee. (6-p)

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**TEST WELLS**  
 For irrigation, air or water used for drilling. Doherty Drilling Co. Tel. 76, Hedley, Texas. (4tc)

**HELP WANTED**  
**GOOD NEWS** for older man. Real opportunity for a profitable Rawleigh Business in Donley and Armstrong Co. See E. M. Crouse 725 Frederick, Pampa, Texas or write Rawleigh's Dept. TXB-190-BLK Memphis, Tenn. (2&3p - 5, 6&7p)

**WANTED**—To do Windmill work. Roy Brown, General Delivery, Hedley, Texas. (8-p)

## FOR RENT

Room & Board or Rooms—Also house for rent. Call 354-W. (4tc)

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartments above M-System. Newly re-decorated, new furniture. Inquire at Butler Jewelry. Phone 384-M or Res. 64-R. (3tc)

**FOR RENT**—2 room furnished apartment with private bath. Across from Quality Station. Mrs. H. G. Tatum, Phone 123-R. (6tc)

**FOR RENT**—Duplex apartment furnished, west of College. West 7th and John Street. Phone 404. (52tc)

**FOR RENT**—Four room house. See Mrs. John Watters. Phone 298-W. (2tc)

**FOR RENT**—Downstairs furnished apartment, 3 rooms and bath. Frigidaire. Private outside entrance. Couple preferred. Mrs. H. B. Hill. Phone 417-W. (6-2c)

**FOR RENT**—2 bedroom apartment, upstairs, adults only. Phone 140-M. Mrs. C. R. Piercy. (50tc)

**FOR RENT**—2 furnished bedrooms, upstairs, outside entrance, hot and cold water. Mrs. R. O. Thomas. Phone 291-M. (36tc)

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment, conveniently located to both schools. Bills paid. Mrs. Melvin W. Cook, 715 West 6th Street. Phone 470-M. (6tc)

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 48 oz. Can

**WHITE SWAN TEA**—3 for ..... \$1.00  
 ¼ lb. Box

**FLEMING COFFEE**  
 Pound 89c

**SUGAR**  
 10 lb. Sack 95c

**I.G.A. MILK**—2 for ..... 25c  
 Tall Cans

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**YUKON'S BEST MEAL**—5 lb. Sack 39c

**YUKON'S BEST FLOUR**—25 lb. Sack \$1.89

**TISSUE** 37c  
 I.G.A. Dawn—4 Rolls

**TOMATO JUICE** 10c  
 Hunt's—Tall Can

**ORANGE ADE** 27c  
 HI-C—48 oz. Can

**CATSUP** 19c  
 I.G.A.—14 oz. Bottle

**TUNA** 25c  
 I.G.A.—Can

**SPINACH** 25c  
 I.G.A. 303 Size Can—2 for

**CALIFORNIA ORANGES** 59c  
 (1 Kite Free)—5 lbs.

**KREE MEE Cheese Spread** 79c  
 2 lb. Box

**DELITE PURE LARD** 49c  
 3 lb. Carton

**LETTUCE** 8c  
 Pound

**CARROTS** 9c  
 Cello Bag

**CABBAGE** 4c  
 Pound

**FRESH ONIONS** 7c  
 Bunch

**SQUASH** 17c  
 Yellow Straight Neck—Pound

**CELERY** 15c  
 Large Stalk

**BEEF ROAST** 39c  
 Pound

**BACON** 39c  
 I.G.A.—Pound

**WIENERS** 29c  
 Pound

**BISCUITS** 10c  
 Borden's—Can

**ROAST** 35c  
 Pork Shoulder—Pound

**BEEF RIBS** 25c  
 Pound

**INSTANT POWDERED MILK**

**STARLAC** 73c  
 3 gallon Box

**SNO KREEM Shortening** 83c  
 3 lb. Can

**GOOD VALUE OLEO** 45c  
 2 lbs.

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# FARM NEWS

from the County ASC Committee

## CERTIFIED PLANTING SEED ARE A SOUND INVESTMENT

Guaranteed purity, higher germination and top crop yields are all on the credit side of certified planting seed. While germination and final yields are dependent upon moisture which is available, Ben Spears, extension agronomist, says farmers can't afford to gamble with planting seed of questionable quality. Certified seed usually are the best seed of a particular variety available. Seed with a "blue tag" comes from fields that were inspected during the growing season, properly handled at harvest time, cleaned and tested for purity and germination. Certified seed may cost slightly more, but the added cost is good insurance.

If you intend to plant seed of any kind and it is in the 1956 ACP Handbook for payment, be sure to think about the above statement.

Local county agents can supply additional information on seed treating and also on adapted varieties.

## AGRICULTURAL FILLERS

The 7 Step Cotton Program sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service is 10 years of age. During its life the average per acre yield of cotton in Texas has increased 40 pounds per acre over the previous 10 year average.

Cotton farmers using 38,161 rotary hoe equipped tractors last year cut an estimated 12.3 million from their hoe bill.

A mesquite tree requires about 2,000 pounds of water to produce a pound of leaves and bark while 800 pounds of the precious liquid will produce a pound of cotton or 600 pounds of grass. Worthless trees are moisture and money robbers.

## COTTON PREMEASUREMENT

Any farmer interested in having their 1956 cotton premeasured before planting time may make application at the County ASC Office any time. The rate is \$12.00 per farm plus \$3.50 for each additional plot over one.

The Donley County Leader, 38-40 a year.

## Public Enjoys School Week Programs

A series of programs were given by the Clarendon Public Schools during Texas Education Week. An assembly was held each day from Monday through Thursday. These were attended by many citizens of the community.

On Monday, March 5, a one act play entitled "Dust of the Road" was presented by the College Speech class. The student director in charge of the direction of the play was Bobby Schneider. Those taking part in the play were Bobby Schneider, David Duncan, Broadus Spivey and Louise Short.

Mrs. Nita Heatherly gave a declamation entitled "Were You There?" Mrs. Mamie McCasland gave a prepared talk, from notes, on "Teachers", stressing our appreciation for teachers and their work. Mrs. Faye Smith gave a humorous reading dealing with school problems entitled "A Telephone Conversation."

On Tuesday, a band concert was given under the direction of Mr. Pittser.

On Wednesday, a high school group gave a one act play entitled "White Lawn". The students taking part in this play were Jeannie McAnear, Carol McAbee, George Thompson and Tommy Lane. Student directors were Jeanie McAnear and Sandra Barnhill. Background music was furnished by Sandra Barnhill. Other numbers on the program included a poem entitled "Patch of Blue" by Beth Lamberth, a humorous reading, a Negro Sermon, by Mrs. Emalea London, a humorous reading entitled "Angelina" by Joan Lane and guitar music played and sung by John Knoll.

On Thursday, the high school speech class, with the cooperation of Mrs. Velma Weaver and her college choir, gave a Texas program. Harold Clappitt furnished background music for the poems presented. Don Pitts served as master of ceremonies.

Special numbers furnished by the choir were a duet "Texas, Our Texas" sung by Sue Hill and Melba Langley. The choir sang "Home on the Range" with solo parts by Howard Hensley and Dick Roehr. An appropriate

guitar number "Old Chisholm Trail" was played by Dick Roehr and sung by Howard Hensley.

Those taking the speaking parts in the Texas Pageant were Beth Lamberth, Pat Spurgeon, Joan Lane, Shirley Blackwell, Sandra Barnhill, Ona Mae Moffett, Robbie Lou Johnson, Evelyn Chamberlain, Catherine Dingler, Vicki McAnear, Margaret Haire, and Mildred Phillips and Elizabeth Smith. Elizabeth gave a declamation, "I Speak for Democracy."

The combined high school and college assembly sang "The Eyes of Texas," "America," and "America, the Beautiful". The programs were sponsored by Miss Naomi Allison, head of the Speech department.

Supt. W. W. Pinkerton closed the Texas Education Week with a short talk.

"Our one-act play "White Lawn" will be presented in White Deer on March 24 in competition with other one-act play entries in this district," stated Miss Allison. All Clarendon patrons are invited to attend the Interscholastic Play contest on that date, she added.

## Nineteen Identify Mystery Farm No. 43

A total of nineteen persons identified the Leader Mystery Farm of the Air last week even though it was located just across the north county line. Mrs. A. P. Brown drew out for the free subscription to the Leader. Mrs. Bud Hermesmeier drew out for the two free movie tickets to the Mulkey Theatre and Elmer Dishman, Mrs. Carl Barker and Nora Jackson each drew out for one free movie ticket each.

Others who correctly identified the Mystery Farm were Mrs. J. H. Helton, Iyon Goodman, Loyd McCord, Mrs. E. P. Hahn, Clarence Bairfield, C. Huffman, Mrs. H. H. Hunt, Mrs. Ernest Tipton, Mrs. Bertha Bradshaw, Patsy Reid, Mrs. J. R. Bulls, Mrs. R. C. Hill, Mrs. Bill Mooring and Mrs. Frank Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Ledbetter and Gary have moved their home from Oklahoma City to Houston. Mrs. Ledbetter is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson, and visits here frequently.



By VERN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN—Gov. Allan Shivers says he prefers his four-point "states rights" program to a fourth term as governor. Therefore he will not be a candidate for public office in 1956.

Thus he will bring to a close, at the end of this year, 20 active years as a public official. With him will go a record of never having been defeated in any election campaign.

But Shivers is not through yet. He has a plan of action "to protect local authority from federal interference." It centers around interposition.

Four steps in his program include (1) a general discussion of interposition; (2) public expression for or against interposition—at precinct, county and state conventions; (3) if approved by party committees, the placing of an interposition proposition on the primary election ballot; and (4) if endorsed by voters, passing of a legislative resolution asking a U. S. Constitutional Amendment to strengthen and clarify local powers.

In announcing his decision not to run again, Shivers defended his administration against those who have attacked it because of veterans land and insurance upheavals.

Faults found in each are being quickly and efficiently corrected, he declared. He predicted that the veterans land program, when completed, will bring the state a \$25,000,000 profit. As to insurance, he said that by May 31 the commission "will have cleaned out every unsound, insolvent or dishonest company that can be closed under the present stringent laws."

Interposition Reaction Varies  
Reaction to Governor Shivers'

proposed interposition resolution ran the gamut of yes, no and maybe.

Possibilities of a referendum on interposition, on the Democratic primary ballot this summer, now are under study by the party's legal committee. It will be taken up by the full executive committee probably about the middle of March.

Approving the plan were Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd, who denounced only on the "lowness"; Gubernatorial Candidate Reuben Senterfitt; and Dallas members of the Democratic Executive Committee.

More time to study the idea was asked by Reps. J. W. Cooper Jr. and L. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi.

It's a "waste of time and energy" said Rep. Barefoot Sanders of Dallas. James P. Hart, a potential candidate for governor, called it "futile and dangerous."

Porter Predicts Victory  
Jack Porter, spokesman for Texas' elated Republicans, predicted in Austin speeches that President Eisenhower will carry Texas again this year.

National Committeeman Porter said the Republicans also are hopeful of sending a man to the U. S. Senate if Price Daniel resigns to become governor.

His party does not expect to name a full slate of candidates. "But we have two prospects in sight as a nominee for governor," he said. "And GOP Congressman Bruce Alger of Dallas will be re-elected."

Republican state executive committee members meet in Austin on March 12 to decide whether the party will hold a primary this year. Site for the state convention May 22 will be named at this meeting.

Indictments Handed Out  
A. B. Shoemaker, head of US

Trust and Guaranty Co. and its affiliates, who tried to kill himself Jan. 7, was indicted by a McLennan Co. grand jury. Indictments charged the sale of certified drafts, without a state license, after the new insurance securities law became effective.

The grand jury report was critical of the insurance commission.

Also indicted and charged with having made unlawful campaign expenditures back in 1954 was Vernon T. Sanford, general manager of the Texas Press Association. He was charged with placing a total of \$76 worth of advertising in Waco newspapers in behalf of Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey.

Texas Election Laws prohibit an individual from spending more than \$25 in behalf of or against any candidate, or contributing more than \$100 to a candidate's campaign fund.

Sanford places ads for candidates and others, in Texas newspapers, as an agent of TPA. He states that he did not spend any of his own money, or any funds of the Texas Press Association in behalf of Ramsey or any other candidate.

TPA Directors, meeting in a special session, adopted a resolution expressing complete confidence in Sanford and commending him "for the manner in which he has and is executing the affairs of our association."

## CALVARY BAPTIST MAKES IMPROVEMENTS

The men of the Calvary Baptist Church worked a couple of days last week on their building, putting a new roof on and painting the outside. This has really helped the appearance of the church house.

The women redecorated some of the Sunday school rooms and they are really beautiful.

We are grateful for this improvement on our building and invite everyone to see it. If you do not have a church home, we invite you to our services. "The church with a friendly welcome." Ernest Phillips, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blocker, who have been in Dallas the past three weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Rex J. Jones, report that Mrs. Jones is improving nicely at this time after undergoing an emergency operation.

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Last week we promised to tell you how we came out with our one period of teaching school last week. Actually, we did live through it, and to tell the truth we sort of enjoyed it. To be real truthful we learned more our own self, than we could have pos-

sibly taught the students. But they were a wonderful group, and as per our request didn't ask us any hard questions. When we went to school we were like the fellow that said his favorite subjects were Recess and Girls. Anyway, we doubt if the boys would listen if we tried to teach them about Girls, so next year, if we are asked to teach we want to especially ask that we be assigned to Recess. Thanks for the experience though and for many, many reasons we shall always be so very very interested in anything to help our Public Schools; even if it means our teaching one day just so the students can know how well off they are with their regular teacher. Anyhow, Thanks

Boys and Girls all over the state for being so nice to us during these special classes.

We heard the following someplace; "One third of the people make things happen, another third of the people watch things happen, and the other third never know what is happening."

A young lady; one who is someone pretty special to me, was discussing the problem of boys with a group of her girl-friends recently. It seemed that the group were all involved in some mis-understanding with their favorite boys just at that time. Anyway, this young lady summed it all up this way;

"Oh well, why worry about it; I don't think boys are here to stay, anyhow." Pretty cute, we think, but we bet the girls would get mighty worried if there was suddenly a real shortage of boys.

A long while ago, and if you can remember this you won't have to worry about the draft anymore; back in the silent picture days there was a picture that was quite a hit. It was entitled; "The Last Man On Earth." We shall never forget this story. There was a serious disease that was supposed to have killed all the male population in the whole world and the women took over and did they have fun for a little while. But pretty soon they were unhappy again. Then, in so far away mountain hideout there was discovered a hermit, a male that had escaped the very terrible plague.

Of course the Queen, or the ruler of the world of women had the first claim, but she had some V-P's that were pretty powerful. As we remember there was an expedition to capture the long-whiskered hermit. This was followed by a clamor by the women to have him for their own. My but it was a thriller of a movie and a great ego builder for the men. Reckon we ought to request Hollywood to rehash the thing and show it again, just as sort of a morale booster for us men; to make us feel real important again. Send your request to Hollywood, not to me, please.

### DONLEY COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

Cooperators of the Donley Soil Conservation District who are interested in reseeding old fields to grass this spring are urged to purchase the grass seed they will need now. In view of the Soil Bank program, it is felt that grass seed will become scarce within a relatively short period of time. In fact, the price of most grass seed has been rising steadily the past two months, and some kinds are already in short supply. The recommended seeding date for some of the grasses is already here, and for most grasses the season will be over before June 1st.

The kind of grass best suited varies not only with the soil conditions, but also with the location and time of year it is to be used. Unless a person has had grass or mixture of grasses to previous experience in selecting a plant, he can probably profit by seeking advice from one of the Soil Conservation Service technicians assisting the District. Grasses being used most for seeding in this District are: Blue grama, Sideoats grama, Blackwell switchgrass, Indian grass, sand lovegrass, weeping lovegrass, and King Ranch bluestem. All of

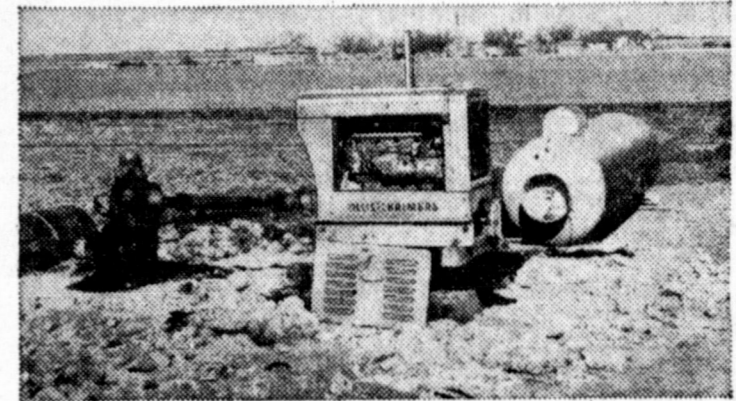
these grasses have given good results when seeded under favorable conditions. With the present moisture in the ground, this spring is more favorable than the past several have been, but the success of the planting will depend more on the moisture that falls after the grass is seeded rather than what is in the ground at the time of seeding.

The Donley Soil Conservation District owns 8 grass drills which are for rent at a fee of twenty-

five cents per acre with a minimum charge of \$2.50. The District employs Jack Gray, the County Judge, to keep track of its equipment, and those interested in using some of the District equipment should contact him.

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CONFIRMATION ELECTION  
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Greenbelt Municipal And Industrial  
Water Authority  
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

The Board of Directors of the above Authority has requested the State Board of Water Engineers to call an election for the confirmation of the organization of this Authority for Tuesday May 8, 1956, so it is now in order to place before the citizens of the various towns such information as can be provided for their consideration in voting upon this project.

This information can best be presented by a series of questions and answers calculated to outline the origin and purpose of the Authority; how your City can become a participating member of the project, as well as how it can withdraw or vote to stay out of the organization. It is time for a definite decision by each City which has participated in the various group meetings heretofore held.

QUESTION:

What was the origin of this program?

ANSWER:

For many years a group of local citizens had the idea that the Salt Fork of Red River and Whitefish Creek had a substantial watershed capable of producing a large amount of water if a dam was constructed to impound such water; those individuals obtained early water rights and succeeded in getting them extended from time to time, anticipating that the water would surely be needed in the future for domestic or irrigation purposes.

QUESTION:

What was the next procedure in the formation of the project?

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ANSWER:

Citizens from the cities of Wellington, Hedley, Clarendon, Memphis, Childress, Paducah and Quanah associated themselves for the purpose of exploring the actual amount of water which might be available from the Salt Fork and Whitefish Creek drainage area. They contributed funds for expense and employed Mr. A. H. Woolverton, a Hydrologist of Austin, Texas, to make a preliminary report upon the amount of water which could be impounded and a possible location for a dam site as well as to assist them in obtaining water rights from the State Board of Water Engineers.

QUESTION:

For what purpose was this Authority created?

ANSWER:

This Authority was organized for the purpose of conserving the water properly belonging to the Greenbelt area now flowing completely away, storing such water and thereby providing a permanent, dependable and adequate supply of good water to the citizens of the cities and towns who vote to accept membership in the Authority.

QUESTION:

What is the next procedure in the creation of this Authority?

ANSWER:

The next procedure necessary to preserve the water rights granted to this Authority and to complete its legal status is to call what is known as a confirmation election in each member city of the Authority to vote upon the question of whether they do or do not wish to become a member of the Authority. Each city thereby gives expression to its acceptance or rejection of such membership.

QUESTION:

What is the quality of water to be obtained?

ANSWER:

Chemical analysis has been made by the Quality of Water Division of the U. S. Geological Survey. Reports on flood flows of the water show good quality; low flows not quite as good as desired but on the whole it is considered that water from this reservoir will be of better quality than required by standards of Health Department. Other tests for full determination of quality of the water will be made to be sure that it is fully desirable. Regular water tests are now being made and no bonds will be issued or

old until the quality of water has been found to be satisfactory.

QUESTION:

What is the estimated cost of the completed construction of the dam and the pipe lines for delivering water to the various cities and other customers under consideration at this time?

ANSWER:

The actual cost of the project cannot be definitely determined until it is known which cities will vote for the confirmation of the Authority, and which cities will vote against confirmation. Neither can cost be calculated until construction contracts for the dam, the filtration plant, pipe lines, etc., have been advertised and let under competitive bidding under the supervision of the Board of Directors and the engineers for the Authority. Under present prevailing prices an estimate of around \$8,000,000 is being considered. This price will be reduced if all cities do not vote for the project.

QUESTION:

How will this project be financed?

ANSWER:

By the issuance of bonds.

QUESTION:

For how long will the bonds be issued?

ANSWER:

Under the statute authorizing the issuance of bonds by the Authority, the bonds cannot run for longer than 40 years.

QUESTION:

How are these bonds to be paid?

ANSWER:

Each city voting to become a member of the Authority will be required to vote a contract to purchase its entire water supply from the Authority for the life of the bond issue, with a plan for

each City to retain its present water supply for stand-by service.

QUESTION:

Will this water require treatment by each city purchasing the same?

ANSWER:

No. The water will be filtered and delivered through pipe lines into each city ready for consumption.

QUESTION:

Will there be enough income from water sales from the beginning of operations to pay the debt service on the bonds to be issued?

ANSWER:

There will not be sufficient income from water sales at the beginning of operations to pay the debt service on the bonds and the reserves necessary to be established.

QUESTION:

Since there will not be enough net income from the sale of water at the beginning of operations to establish reserves and meet debt service requirements, how will this deficit be provided?

ANSWER:

By a supplemental tax levy to be made by the Authority in each member city of the Authority.

QUESTION:

Will this tax be levied by each city?

ANSWER:

No tax will be levied by any city as a city tax, so it will not be charged to the taxing power of any city.

QUESTION:

Does the Authority itself have the power to levy a tax for the discharge of indebtedness and if so, how much can the Authority levy?

ANSWER:

The law gives the Authority the power to levy whatever amount of tax might be needed as

determined by the Board of Directors. This power is established in order to be prepared to meet any possible future disaster requirement either temporary or permanent, to protect the interests of the property-owners within the boundaries of the Authority, and to insure permanent water service to all the cities becoming members of the Authority.

QUESTION:

How long will this tax have to be levied?

ANSWER:

This tax levy will be required until income from water sales has become sufficient to meet average annual debt service requirements and establish a reserve fund in an amount equal to eighteen months' principal and interest requirements on the bonded indebtedness.

QUESTION:

What has been the history of water sales by similar projects which have heretofore been constructed?

ANSWER:

Such projects usually follow the pattern that nearing the completion of the project, or as soon as it is assured that the project is financed, construction contracts are let, there come unexpected demands for water. It seems likely that such will be the case in this instance; especially after this lake of 100,000 acre feet of water is actually visible.

QUESTION:

Can a tax be levied without a vote of the taxpayers in the boundaries of the Authority?

ANSWER:

No tax can be levied without a vote of the majority of the property-owning taxpayers within the boundaries of the Authority.

What are the boundaries of the Authority?

ANSWER:

The boundaries of this Authority comprise all the area and property within the corporate limits of each City which votes to become a member thereof.

QUESTION:

Does this confirmation election have anything to do with the voting of bonds or water purchase agreement?

ANSWER:

It does not, but if a City votes to remain a member of the Authority, it then becomes a permanent part of the Authority and is bound by all acts of the Board of Directors and the voters of the Authority, with the sole exception that a city may apply for withdrawal as a member of the Authority before a bond election is called if the bonds proposed to be issued are payable partly or wholly from ad valorem taxes. The conditions under which such a withdrawal would be permitted are, as follows: (1) that no water facilities had previously been provided for such city by the Authority, or (2) that no such facilities are planned to be provided for the city with the proceeds of such bonds, or (3) that the facilities planned for the city contemplate an unreasonable cost to the city. If the State Board of Water Engineers, after proper hearing, finds that any of the foregoing conditions are true it then may eliminate the city from the Authority.

QUESTION:

(Continued Next Week)

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**THE QUESTION OF STATES RIGHTS**

Excerpts from remarks of Attorney General John Ben Shepperd to a meeting of the Civitan Clubs of Texas, Austin, Feb. 25, 1956.

This nation is at the crossroads in federal-state relations. We have come to the time for deciding whether all power is to emanate from the National Government, or whether we shall continue with our constitutional system under which the states retain all authority not ceded to the Federal domain. If the question were submitted to the states and the people, I have no doubt what the answer would be. But that is what the centralists would

like to avoid.

Two necessities are facing us: getting back the powers and rights lost by the states, and preventing further infringement by federal authority.

Our immediate objective is to regain the powers and rights lost by the states through dozens of U. S. Supreme Court decisions that have had the effect of planting the federal foot inside our doors. This must be done by convincing the federal courts of their error, by corrective legislation in Congress, or through amendments or legislation which clarify the U. S. Constitution.

Two such proposals are now before Congress: the Smith bill, under which national laws could not be construed to preempt any

field unless Congress specifically asserted its intention to do so, and the Vinson bill, which would clarify by Constitutional Amendment that the states have the right to manage their own internal affairs with regard to all matters not expressly forbidden in the Constitution.

There are three ways to combat federal control over the natural resources of the states; override the President's veto, pass a law preventing the federal courts and agencies from depriving states of their supervision of mineral production, or a constitutional amendment nullifying the Phillip's decision of the U. S. Supreme Court.

I had hoped that Congress would take action to keep the Harris Bill on its feet, and I was disappointed to see that the Chairman of the House Commerce Committee said the bill was dead. I am frankly amazed that no attempt has been made to override the President's veto, because federal controls have already depressed new gas production to the point where the supply will fall below existing demand. This leaves no room for new markets or new industrialization. The frequently-heard proposal that Texas can simply in-

dustrialize and keep its gas at home is no solution. Federal agencies would construe such a move as a breach of both the contract and the commerce clauses of the Constitution.

The history of federal encroachment has not been one of half controls. When federal authority gets its foot in the door as it has done in the Phillip's decision, the body inevitably follows. We are kidding ourselves if we think we are going to have any say-so on where or how any of our gas is going to be used—which includes a large part of our oil as well because of joint production. If we adopt the idea of keeping our gas at home, we're just quitting the fight.

Between now and election time the federal government may not move an army of engineers and investigators into Texas to take over these independent wells, but we must remember that the power is there. There is little unexercised power reposing in the bosoms of federal agencies in Washington. What does lie there usually manifests itself right after election time.

I had also hoped that some immediate action might be taken by the Texas Legislature on a resolution for interposition, which

would challenge the authority of the federal government to assume control of the conservation, production, and gathering of oil and gas in various states—a power traditionally performed by the conservation agencies of the states. The Attorney General's office has prepared such a resolution and it will soon be in the hands of legislators for their study. If the legislators of Texas believe this matter should be firmly dealt with, I hope a special session will be called immediately.

Aside from its slowness, I can find no fault with the idea recently put forth that the question of interposition be discussed in the precinct and county conventions, and that a decision be made at the state convention as to whether the matter should be placed on the ballot for the July primary.

We need not concern ourselves with legal technicalities. If the convention orders interposition placed on the ballot, it will be legal. The parties control their primary elections and if they so desired they could select Miss Texas by that method. I hope both the Democratic and Republican parties will use such a procedure. In this way, the people would have two opportunities to express themselves—at the conventions and at the polls. An expression of the people's will might spur legislative action on the state or national level, or both.

There are four battlefronts in the struggle for Constitutional government. The first is the ballot box. We must have courage both in our public officials and in our citizens, bolstered by a clear understanding of Constitutional principles. We've got to have more men and women saying

"come on" instead of "go on." Consistent citizen action is just as important as good law. We can have a law that says the lion is king of the jungle, but if he is not in there roaring it won't stand up.

The second front is the courtroom. We must go on fighting the cases that are reducing state capitols and court houses to the status of quaint old museums full of relics of our past glory.

The third front is Congress, whose members must bear their just part of the responsibility for anchoring down states' rights. Congressmen and Senators are state officials, elected by the people of their states and districts. Congress determines the policy of federal agencies and what matters the Supreme Court can consider, and it is the responsibility of the members of the U. S. Senate to see that men do not ascend to the Federal Bench who will follow their political parties instead of legal precedent.

The other front is within the various states. What will the Legislatures of the states do? The states must demonstrate that they are able and competent to shoulder the responsibilities that accompany the rights and powers they are defending. They can do this only by modernizing outmoded methods and functions which

cause them to look like old houses in need of a paint job. What can we do in Texas?

We can re-organize our administrative branch to eliminate duplication and overlapping among our conglomeration of 102 state boards and agencies. We can revise and modernize our statutes, which have been without a complete revision for 30 years, even though the Constitution contemplates a revision every decade. We can take stronger measures to leave in the hands of private industry all functions that can be privately performed, and let governmental functions be handled by the lowest possible level of government. We can re-vamp our tax structure to eliminate inequality and inefficiency. We not only can, but must extend home rule government to more of our political subdivisions. Texas has only 129 home rule cities and towns out of a total of 3,280; and not one of our 254 counties is a home rule county, because the process for becoming such is so tangled and complex that no county can qualify.

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From where I sit, it doesn't matter if ideas are put out by telephone, through editorials, or in person—as long as we can take them or leave them. I happen to like a glass of beer with my supper. You may prefer coffee, tea or branch water. Well, there's no harm in "listening" to another's opinions... but if he should try to force them on you, it's always an American's privilege to simply "hang up!"

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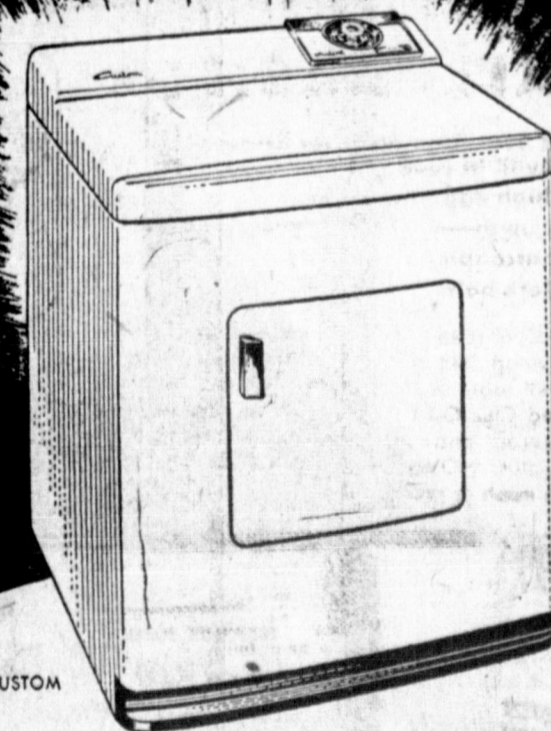
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By May L. Prewitt

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**Soil-Water Loans  
Total \$19,800,000  
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More than \$19,800,000 has been borrowed by farmers for soil and water conservation since this type of credit was made available a little more than a year ago, Walter T. McKay, Farmers Home Administration State Director for Texas said today.

Farmers used the loans to improve their farms and increase the efficiency of their operations. A report recently made by Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson shows that about 79 percent of the funds were used for irrigation, including the purchase of pumps and piping, the drilling of wells and the construction and repair of irrigation ditches and laterals. Irrigation systems were developed or improved for about 282,000 acres.

In Texas, through December 31, 1955, 85 per cent of the \$2,280,000 loans was used for irrigation. Irrigation systems were developed or improved for more than 34,603 acres. The remainder of the funds was used for such soil conservation measures as terracing and pasture improvement, and developing water systems for household use and farm livestock.

"We expect that during the coming months, and particularly in the Great Plains Area, farmers will use a larger portion of the funds they borrow to finance soil conservation measures," McKay said. "We have held a number of meetings in cooperation with Extension Service, Soil Conservation Service and other agricultural agencies to make certain that all farmers know that funds are available for soil and water conservation loans."

"Increased yields from this type loan are already apparent, but not, of course, to the extent they will be after the changed

system of farming is in full operation", McKay said. For example, in Dawson County, an \$11,200 loan for irrigation was made in May of 1955. This was too late for the farmer to pre-irrigate much of his cotton land. He irrigated 62 acres and harvested 63 bales of cotton without using any fertilizer this year. Dryland cotton in this area on similar land made about 1/2 of a bale per acre. He pre-watered approximately 60 acres of land planted to milo and applied water one time after planting. It yielded 2500 lbs., whereas his dry land milo yielded only 500 lbs. per acre. In addition to watering his row crops, he seeded a 2 acre plot to alfalfa which provided a good hog and cow pasture. He seeded an 8 acre plot to vetch and oats and now has a good pasture. At the time the loan was made, the farmer had 10 head of livestock and 2 brood sows. He now has 30 head of livestock and 21 hogs and has sufficient pasture and feed to take care of them. He has a good poultry program. By having the winter pasture and vetch, this farmer is utilizing his irrigation system year-round, and is successful in his farming operations where other farmers in the area, hard hit by drought, are going deeper into debt to continue their operations."

Private lenders provide most of the funds from which these loans are made. The Farmers Home Administration makes and services the loans and insures repayment of the funds advanced. Farmers pay 4 1/2 percent in interest or in interest and insurance charged for the loans. The loans are scheduled for repayment within the shortest period of time consistent with the ability of the borrower to repay. The maxi-

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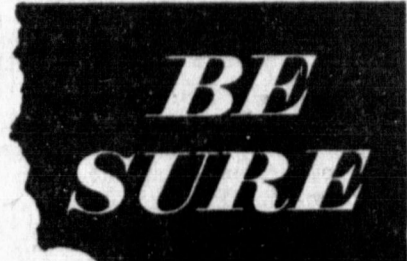
To be eligible for a soil and water conservation loan, a farmer must have reasonable prospects of conducting successful farming

operations. He must also be unable to obtain the necessary credit on reasonable terms from private lending sources.

Applications for soil and water conservation loans may be made

at the county offices of the Farmers Home Administration. The local County Farmers Home Administration committee determines eligibility for these loans.

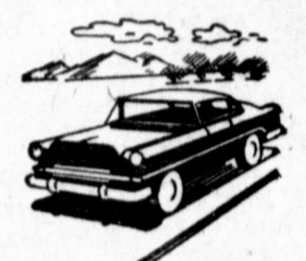
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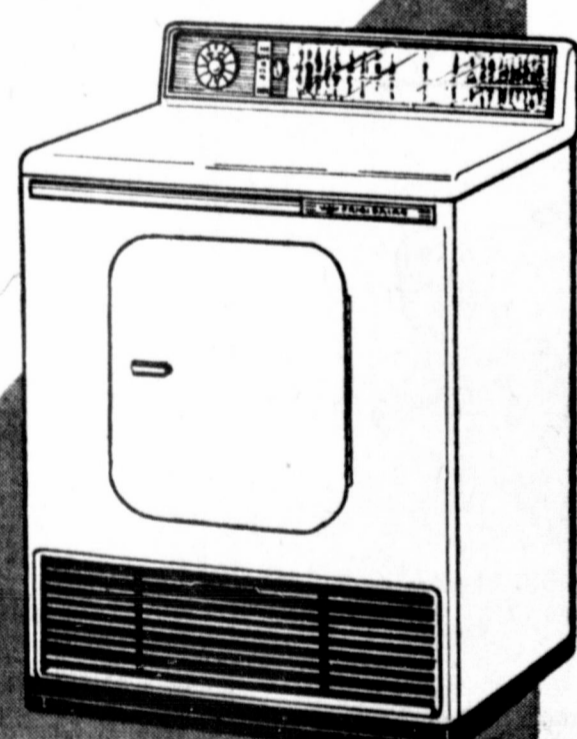
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