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Donley County Jersey Herd Sweeps Top Honors On Major Show Circuit

The Gillham Jersey Cattle Show herd made an unprecedented clean sweep of the four major shows on the spring show circuit winning grand champion bull, at Ft. Worth, Houston, San Antonio, and Austin, and winning all of the five bull classes in which they were entered except at Ft. Worth where four of five blue ribbons were won. The Gillham won premier breeder awards at Ft. Worth, Houston, San Antonio, and Austin, and premier exhibitor awards at all except the Ft. Worth Show.

Tulip's Design Bob, excellent three year old bull, was grand champion of each of the four shows, and his junior yearling son Greenbelt's Royal Tulip was 1st Jr. Yearling at the four shows and Junior champion at Houston and San Antonio. Gillham's Senior yearling, Jester Design Dandy, bred by the famous Meadowridge Farm of Ridgeway, Michigan, was undefeated as a sr. yearling and was junior champion at Austin. Beth Gillham's senior heifer calf was 1st and junior champion at the Ft. Worth Show. First place produce of dam was won at each of the shows in addition to many other ribbons.

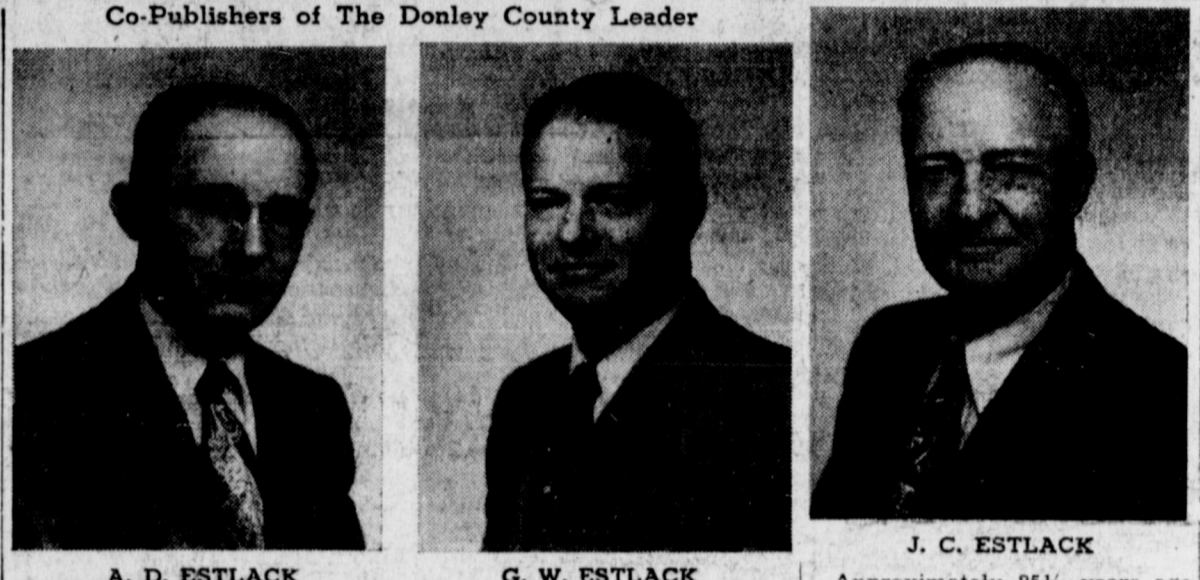
The Gillham group really made a clean sweep of the Austin Show where nineteen blue ribbons were won in the 19 classes entered, and all six champion banners were awarded the Donley County entries. This is the first time in twenty years that one bull has made a clean sweep of the four shows, and that one herd has won as many awards.

Funeral Services At Lingleville For H. R. Roberts

Funeral services for Henry Rice Roberts, retired farmer, were held Tuesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church at Lingleville, Texas with Rev. Jim Bays officiating. Burial was in East End Cemetery there with arrangements under the direction of Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home.

Mr. Roberts, age 87, died Sunday afternoon in the home of his son, C. B. Buck Roberts in the Martin community. He had been making his home here the past year.

Survivors are two sons, C. B. of Clarendon and Bill of Stephenville; six daughters, Mrs. Lola Haggart, Lingleville; Mrs. Hattie Wallace, Abilene; Mrs. Mary Marike, Leakey; Mrs. Thelma McGowan, Austin; Miss Ethel Roberts, Snyder, and Miss Alice Roberts, Sweetwater; a brother, Jim, of Dublin; 12 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.



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AT THE END OF 25 YEARS  
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The Donley County Leader staff sets aside time for inventory of aims and ideals. We do our best to bring you a home town paper that is worthwhile. In our news columns we may criticize or applaud—without suspicion or oppression! You the people, are the only judge, the only jury! Our aim is to give you facts and news about our community and other items that may be of local interest - - - to report it impartially and unbiased - - - to help the local merchant find his market, and the shopper to find his merchandise! This newspaper is pledged to be the voice and the conscience of this community - - - so, to all these purposes, we rededicate ourselves to these tasks.

During the past 25 years there have been many ups and downs - - - Times when it was quite difficult to continue publication - - - and had it not been for our loyal friends and supporters, we would not be here observing our 25th anniversary at this time. We have wonderful people living in the territory we serve and we want everyone to know we have appreciated their assistance in helping us to publish our home town paper. We shall strive to always merit your continued cooperation and confidence. We also, wish to recognize the congratulatory messages of local business firms and individuals in this issue. They have given us more incentive to do a better job in the future - - - along with your help which will always be needed to publish a home town paper.

Senior Class Play To Be Presented At College Auditorium, March 17-18th

The annual Senior Class play, "A Murder Has Meen Arranged," will be presented Wednesday and Thursday, March 17-18 at 8 p. m. in the College Auditorium. This mystery promises to be a highly enjoyable entertainment and the Seniors guarantee that it will keep you in suspense.

The plot is centered around a man who has inherited two million pounds at 11:00 p. m. one night. He arranges for a dinner party on the stage of an empty theatre. Difficulties arise when his only living relative appears and tries to kill him.

See Sir Charles Jasper, the man who has inherited the two million and host at this strange dinner party, played by Perry Jordan. Bertha Reid plays the part of Sir Charles' wife, Beatrice Jasper. Comedy of the drama centers around Mrs. Wragg, the cook, Genella Mooring. Other characters are Cavendish, the band director—Harold Clampitt; Jimmy North, a young newspaper reporter—Truit Koen; Maurice Mullins, Sir Charles' only living relative—Broadus Spivey; Miss Groze, Sir Charles' private secretary—Sylvia Luttrell; Mrs. Arthur, Beatrice's mother who married Beatrice to Sir Charles for his money—Jeanie Pittman; and The Woman, a mysterious character who was struck dumb—Nancy Ivey.

Members of the Senior Class are looking forward to seeing you at one of these performances. Cast members have worked hard these past weeks to make this one of the outstanding programs of the year. There will be no matinee and admission will be 75c and 50c. Yes, "A Murder Has Been Arranged!"

Funeral Services Held Wed. For Former Methodist Pastor

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in the Sweetwater Highland Heights Methodist Church for Rev. Horatio Wyatt Hanks, 68, widely-known Methodist minister in West Texas and former pastor here, who died in Sweetwater hospital Monday morning. Rev. Travis L. Darby, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. E. D. Landreth of Abilene and Rev. Marvin L. Boyd of Plainview.

Rev. Hanks was pastor of the Muleshoe Methodist Church until his resignation in January. He entered the ministry at Sweetwater in 1916.

He is survived by his wife, Lucy; one son, Wyatt, Jr., of Albuquerque; a daughter, Miss Mary Nell Hanks of Berkeley, Calif.; three sisters, three brothers and two grandsons.

Burial was in the Sweetwater Cemetery.

Stray Dogs To Be Picked Up

Mayor Major B. Hudson announced yesterday that city officials had instructed the City Marshall to pick up all stray dogs in Clarendon from today on that are not wearing a collar with correct vaccination and dog tags. He was instructed to concentrate his efforts around the school buildings as that is where stray dogs congregate most. All parents and children are warned not to let their dogs follow them to school, especially if they are not tagged. If a case of rabies should show up, the worst place would be around one of our schools.

The important thing is to be sure every dog in town is vaccinated and licensed. Only 65 have been tagged to date.

Residents of the Giles area were alerted Saturday when it was learned that a Giles farmer, Red Ward, killed a Spitz-type dog after the animal had bitten seven cows. The dog's head was sent to Austin but no report has come back yet. This could be a case of rabies, so everyone in this area should be on the alert.

J-Lee Dept. Store Grand Opening Friday

A double page advertisement appears in this issue of the Leader announcing the grand opening of the J-Lee Department Store here in Clarendon Friday, March 12th.

This new business will be operated here under a partnership of H. L. Whitworth of Wheeler and George Smales. The store has all new fixtures and has been stocked throughout with new merchandise in every department. It is located in the old Rathjen building two doors south of the Donley County State Bank.

Mr. Smales who will manage the business, moved to Clarendon last month. Mr. and Mrs. Smales have one son, Douglas Wayne, 3½ years old. Prior to moving to Clarendon, they made their home at Wheeler where he was associated with the J-Lee Dept. Store there for two years.

In addition to his interest in the store here, Mr. Whitworth has stores at Tulia and Wheeler. He has been in the Dry Goods business for a long number of years. At the present time he plans to divide his time between the three places of business.

The Leader joins other residents of this area in welcoming this new business and these folks to Clarendon. We know they will enjoy making their home here among the best people found anywhere.

Fireman's Ball Next Wednesday Night

Don't forget next Wednesday night is the date for the annual Fireman's Ball. This St. Patrick's Day dance will be held at the American Legion Hall from 9 till 12, March 17th. Admission will be one dollar per person. Music will be furnished by the Mello Airs, said to be one of the best dance bands of this area.

Proceeds from this annual ball will be used for maintenance of your local Volunteer Fire Department. This is their only means of raising money to purchase the things they need to give everyone here better protection against fires.

Only Ten Identify Mystery Farm No. 29

There were only ten who correctly identified the Leader Mystery Farm of the Air last week. We'll have to admit that the picture wasn't quite as sharp as previous pictures published. J. B. Lane was the first on the rural list to make identification and J. R. Brandon was the first on the city list. Both will receive free subscriptions to the Leader. There was a total number of five on both lists, so we had the exact number needed to issue show tickets to the Mulkey Theatre. The winners of the tickets were F. O. Naylor on the city list and W. D. Higgins on the rural list.

Those making correct identification were: City—J. R. Brandon, Junior Davis, Jack Eddings, Mrs. Otis Naylor and F. O. Naylor. Rural—J. B. Lane, Allen Graham, Ben Lovell, John White and W. D. Higgins.

OUTDOOR ENTERTAINMENT ASSN STOCKHOLDERS MEETING MARCH 16th

J. H. McMurtry, president of the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association, has announced that the annual stockholders meeting of the association will be held Tuesday, March 16, at the county court room at 8 p. m. All stockholders are asked to make a special effort to attend.

BAND PARENTS TO MEET

Parents of Band students will meet Monday evening at 8:00 in the Band Hall. This includes parents of all students studying Band. Meetings are usually short taking up little of your time, and will afford you an opportunity to become better acquainted with activities and needs of the group. You are urged to attend.

GIRL SCOUTS TO PATROL TOWN ON 2nd and 4th SATURDAYS

It was announced this week that Girl Scout Troop No. 1 will be patrolling the town on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month in accordance with permission received from Mayor Major B. Hudson. They will patrol town until time to go to camp. The charge will be 10 cents each time a city traffic law is violated. They will appreciate everyone's cooperation very much.

MOTHER OF LOCAL MAN DIES IN OKLAHOMA

W. W. Noblet, local Chevrolet dealer, received word Tuesday morning that his mother, Mrs. J. W. Noblet, had passed away earlier in the morning at Spiro, Oklahoma. As near as we could learn, funeral services will be held today at Spiro.

MOTHERS CLUB TO HOLD BAKE SALE SATURDAY

Mothers Study Club will hold a Bake Sale Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Junior's Food Store. You are invited to shop with them for the week end "sweet treat" your family always enjoys.



MYSTERY FARM NO. 30—This is the Leader Mystery Farm of the Air for this week. Rules governing this guessing contest and prizes are as follows: 1st in town and first living and receiving their mail in country to identify the mystery farm will receive a one year subscription to the Leader. The fifth to identify the farm, both town & rural will receive a free ticket to the Mulkey Theatre. The owner or tenant identifying his farm at the Leader office will receive a mounted picture free. Hours for making identification are 8 to 12 and 1 to 5 starting Thursday morning. Last weeks Mystery Farm is identified on page Three of this issue through the courtesy of the sponsor, Clarendon Furniture Co.

COLORED DRUM & BUGLE CORPS COMPLIMENTED

The colored Drum & Bugle Corps, composed of students of North Ward and directed by J. H. Gain, local band instructor, received many compliments from local residents upon their performance here on main street last Thursday morning. We don't know whether they helped bring on the snow, but with both combined, it made a very pleasing sight. The swirling snow didn't hamper their performance one bit and those youngsters are to be congratulated, along with Mr. Gain, on their accomplishments in such a short period of time.

We had a picture of the group as they marched down main street that we were going to publish this week but it is lost somewhere in this vast Panhandle area. The plate was mailed from Amarillo Saturday morning and we haven't seen any sign of it yet. Maybe it will show up by next week.

FRED MOLESWORTH IMPROVED

Friends of Fred Molesworth will be happy to learn that he began regaining consciousness Tuesday night and was showing decided improvement at this time. He was seriously injured when his car overturned Feb. 28.

Janice Ann and Jimmy Riley of Amarillo visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bromley the past week.

TEXACO FARM MEETING WED., MARCH 17

Ernest Kent, local Texaco consignee, announced this week that a Texaco Farm Meeting would be held at the Lelia Lake school house Wednesday evening, March 17th at 7:30. This is an educational meeting and a free movie will be shown. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. The meeting is being sponsored by Mr. Kent and Willard Knox of Lelia Lake.

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The following poems and sayings are from a book called An Ozark Scrapbook, written by C. H. Luther of Fayetteville, Arkansas. This writer who was known as the Sage of the Ozarks is the uncle of our friend John

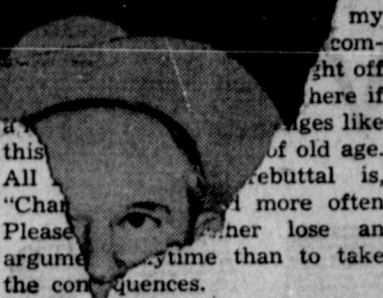
Luther who loaned us the book. One little poem that sort of struck our fancy because it fits so many of us was one called; YOU'D NEVER QUIT FISHING "Had I lived on the Sea of Galilee" I said to my wife one day; "In the time of Christ, When He walked the shores, Would he have come my way, And found me fishing, Perhaps with Peter, Would He have called me too, And made a disciple of me, The Master's work to do?" But here's the part I hate to tell, For dear wife knows me mighty well

"No", she said, with a her head, "For You'd Never Quit Fishing". From this little book of wisdom and verse were many bits of thought such as the following: "It is Love that make Heaven Heaven, and earth a Paradise." "Work is play, when love finds the way." "Love is like a great magnet, drawing human hearts together." "Love is the passport to the human heart." "Blessed sleep and a new sunrise, are taken of a Divine Love."

"Credit is a treasure, far beyond measure, If used in a prudent way. But if you abuse it, you're sure to lose it, And suffer for many a day." Anyway, thanks to neighbor John for sharing this unusual book with us.

Thanks to Bob Izzard of KGNC for giving such a spread to our little poem The Real Stuff. My goodness, even on television. We do appreciate a lot the wonderful spirit in which he used it. You know when we put things down on paper and send them off to the printer and they come back to us glaring from the freshly printed pages we usually wonder if we said too much or too little. Some of our readers felt one way and many of them felt another. Anyway, we do know this that that little coating of Silver Spread that we received later sure made us feel better; even if it was just barely enough to cover the wheat. It was encouraging to say the least. One thing is certain, even though the weather may discourage us at times, we have many wonderful things to be thankful for here in the Panhandle. As the song goes there will always be a brighter tomorrow, and when it comes to the people; our neighbors and our friends when we need them there is no place in the world that will even come close to our own West Texas. When a neighbor has trouble or sorrow there is just no place in the world that comes to each others need like our own West Texas. Yeah, Take the bitter with the sweet And the bad with the good There's just no place that can beat Our own neck of the wood.

Will someone write and tell me one thing. Why do women want to change things around every so often. Last week Mama moved my desk, she moved the table and she moved the bed. Now the light shines over a different shoulder; I can't find my pants in the morn-



GOLDSTON NEWS

Mrs. Roy Roberson  
 Mr. and Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dock Ford and boys of Claude.  
 Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley visited Saturday eve with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield.  
 Those who played 42 last Wednesday week in the Roy Roberson home were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dozier of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godbey and Jerry.  
 Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls took dinner Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.  
 Mrs. Bobby Moss and baby spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moss.  
 Sue Talley spent Wednesday night with Lillie Barker of Hedley.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moss visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Moss

of Lelia Lake Tuesday.  
 Wayland Newman of Clarendon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Weldon Talley.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moss visited Wednesday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Allen.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson, Minnie and Pat visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Philley and family.  
 Irene Moss spent Sunday with Sue Talley.  
 Those who enjoyed candy and played 42 with Mr. and Mrs. Duane Littlefield Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Alexander and family of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Littlefield and Mrs. Ollie Clark and son of Fritch.  
 Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley and Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls visited Wednesday in Lesley with grandma Jackson.  
 Pat Roberson spent Sunday night with Jerry Godbey.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby ate dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield.  
 Mr. Ray Godbey and Jerry visited Sunday eve with Mr. Roy Roberson and Pat.  
 Mrs. Ollie Clark and son visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby.  
 Loyd Edward and Leroy Littlefield of Jericho spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield and Mrs. Loyd Littlefield spent Sunday with the Littlefields.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moss spent

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moss and girls.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson, Pat and Minnie and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moss and girls visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peggram and girls of Pampa spent Friday through Sunday with Mrs. Jim Peggram.  
 Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby visited Friday eve with Mrs. M. W. Hatley.  
 Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby, Mrs. Doyle Littlefield, Jerry Littlefield and Mrs. Roy Roberson visited Wednesday eve with Mrs. V. Littlefield.  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott and grandchildren visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and Minnie.  
 We are sorry for little Gerry Stewart who has got the mumps and wish him a speedy recovery.  
 Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls visited over the week end in Ft. Worth with their brother and son, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jackson.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bryer of Altus, Okla. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale.  
 Christened the "baby editor" of the Texas Press Association at its third convention in 1882 at Houston was E. G. Senter, founder of the old Claburne Telegram and publisher of Senter's Rifle. He was 17 years old.

GABIE BETTS BURTON LIBRARY NOTES

By May L. Prewitt  
 We have added a few books to our reading list the past two weeks. Mrs. Allensworth gave us "The Everlasting Arms" by Garth Hale. This is a recent edition and one you will appreciate. "The Sherrods" by George Barr McCutcheon is a used book, but one that will be quite readable. This and some of Harold Bell Wrights are gifts from some friends at the J. A. Ranch.  
 "Beverly Gray's Scoop" is a Clair Blank edition for girls and was given in memory of Mrs. George Garner.  
 Elizabeth Seifert's new book for 1954 is "Doctor at The Crossroads." There are several Library patrons who thoroughly enjoy her Doctor stories. Nelia Gardner White's this year's edition is "The Spare Room." It is probable that this has been a serial in some one of our popular magazines. It is her first book since "The Pink House."  
 We have some choice magazines for your enjoyment, so select one of the March copies and one of the last month's.  
 I have been ill for quite a few days but shall be working soon perhaps.

Medical Milestones  
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 These new ball joints pivot in specially shaped seats so that wheels will turn more easily and are far less likely to get "out-of-line." This new ball joint system eliminates 12 points of wear.  
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 In addition to this completely new advance in chassis design, Ford brings you the most modern high-compression, low-friction engines in the industry: the new 115-h.p. I-block Six and the new 130-h.p. Y-block V-8. These two new deep-block engines bring you dividends of greater horsepower, smooth, quiet performance and more GO per gallon.  
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MARTIN NEWS

The Martin Church Service was well attended Sunday with 61 in Sunday school and 48 in Training Union.

Five men from Martin attended the Associational Brotherhood meeting at the First Baptist Church of Clarendon, March 2nd where they heard a message on Evangelism.

We regret the passing of Mr. R. C. Roberts, father of Mr. Buck and Bill Roberts and extend heartfelt sympathy to all the family. Mr. C. B. Roberts and family and Bill all went to Lengeville Monday where they attended the funeral. Many

friends and neighbors went to the home of the Buck Robert's to offer their sympathy and help.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds and Steve spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gtuhrie of Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hill visited Mrs. Vera Smith at Clarendon Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francher of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hill Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Keller from Wellington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jackson.

Amarillo Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited Mr. and Mrs. Hott Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morrow and Ralph Carroll of Amarillo visited his parents Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Giggs Land of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brnkley and Eddie visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Stiles at Hedley Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Kidd visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Moffett at Clarendon Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Kidd visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman visited in the Morrow home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and family, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Lee Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Land of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon went to Plainview on business Monday eve.

HUDGINS NEWS

Mrs. Carl Barker

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall of Littlefield spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Pink Marshall last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jackson and their son, Don and wife of Grants Pass, Oregon spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Noble.

Harvey and H. C. Shaw were in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Talley and children of Fritch spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott.

Mrs. Lena Dilli and Nova Barker spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Hinkle and Stella.

Mrs. Jones of Quail spent last week with Mrs. Ira Self.

Mrs. Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Morris and Judy Ann of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barker and family and Linda Eden of Martin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Self visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Marshall, Leota and Dwight Banister and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Marshall and son of Pampa Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood visited friends at Brice Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue visited their children at Lubbock last week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brogdon and children

of Fritch and Mr. and Mrs. Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Marshall are trying out a new television.

Mrs. D. T. Smallwood spent last week end with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Lane of Comanche, Texas and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reid of Goodnight Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Carter and Johnny of Dumas spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. George Self spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shaw visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self Friday night.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Todd and his mother, Mrs. A. P. Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Fayne visited Mr. and Mrs. Molesworth at North-west hospital in Amarillo Sunday.

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on its accomplishments as a community booster

and news medium during the 25 years it has

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We realize the important part our home town paper plays in the life of our community. It gives the facts and news about our community, and is pledged to be the voice of the people in whatever might come up.

Through its advertising columns - - - it creates closer relations between the businessman and the general public. It helps the local merchant find his market, and the shopper to find his merchandise.

We have been closely related to the Donley County Leader the past 25 years as our advertisement has appeared in the majority of issues throughout this period of years.

Clarendon Furniture Company



MYSTERY FARM NO. 29—This farm home was identified by ten persons last week as the H. S. Mahaffey place located approximately 1/4 mile south of Ashtola. Mr. Mahaffey came in Thursday and made proper identification of his home and received the free glossy picture.

This place, formerly known as the Holly farm, was purchased by Mr. Mahaffey in 1944. There are 140 acres of land in this place but Mr. Mahaffey owns a total of 400 acres in this area of which 265 acres are in cultivation. A new home and other improvements were made about a year ago. Mr. Mahaffey is a former County Commissioner and has been a resident of Donley County since 1912. Mr. Mahaffey has seeded a number of acres back to grass using Weeping Love, Sand Love and Indian grass. He grows cotton and feed and raises Hereford cattle.

Mr. Mahaffey married Laura Clayton in 1920. They have two children, Frank Mahaffey at home and Mrs. Edna Perdue, who lives at Ashtola also. They are members of the Methodist Church. Mr. Mahaffey is a Farm Bureau Board member. He has been a subscriber of his hometown paper for 33 years and especially enjoys "Plowin' Out the Corners" by Uncle Zeb, along with hometown news in general.

# Society

Mrs. G. W. Estlack, Society Editor  
Phone 418

## LES BEAUX ARTS CLUB

March 5th, Les Beaux Arts Club met in the home of Mrs. J. W. Evans with Miss Katherine Ross and Mrs. Frank Bourland hostesses.

The President, Mrs. W. C. Thornberry, called the meeting to order with Mrs. J. D. Swift leading the prayer. In memory of Friendship Day, each member answered roll call with famous quotations on Friendship.

Mrs. W. K. Hardin was unanimously elected President for the '54 and '55 term, and Mrs. J. D. Swift elected Treasurer.

Each member was reminded to give a fork or spoon to the Club House. Mrs. J. W. Evans donated 16 salad forks to the Club House. The Art Club is to care for the Northeast corner of the Club House this year. March 30th, this Club will join the other Clubs at 10 o'clock to clean up the Club yard and have a cover-dish luncheon.

We voted to send \$10.00 to the Junior Chamber of Commerce to be applied to the landscaping of the Jr. College School grounds.

The programs for this year have been on Texas Arts. The Literature program was a Book Review given by Mrs. M. R. Allensworth. In her warm and gracious manner, she gave the "Home Place", a Father raising three boys in the Hill Country of Texas with the setting around Mason & Junction. The author, Fred Gipson, a native Texan, gave up his newspaper career in Denver, to move his family back to the home place, on a farm in the Hills of Texas. Mr. Gipson is recognized as an outstanding present day Texas writer. He has written three novels, and does writing for the Southwest Review, Colliers, Holiday, Liberty and Progressive Farmer.

Dessert and coffee were served

in the dining room. The table was decorated in lovely jonquils in a crystal bowl with little crystal birds. Those present were Mesdames M. R. Allensworth, John Blocker, W. K. Hardin, John Head, Carroll Knorpp, Pete Kunz, William Lowe, C. T. McMurtry, Emmett Simmons, J. D. Swift, W. W. Taylor, W. C. Thornberry, Frank White Jr., Frank Phelan Jr., Ruth Kennedy, J. W. Evans, Homer Glascoe and Miss Mary Howren and hostesses, Miss Katherine Ross and Mrs. Frank Bourland. —Reporter.

## F. H. A. NEWS

Future Homemakers met Monday evening in the Homemaking Department with Sue Talley, vice-president presiding. After singing the club song and repeating the creed, roll was called and minutes of the previous meeting read and approved. A financial report was given.

A nominating committee was appointed to work out suggestions for officers the coming year. Program chairmen and hostesses were appointed for the remainder of the year.

Joyce Eddings, program chairman for the meeting, gave a report on the trip to Canyon Saturday. A trio composed of Irene Moss, Della Allen, and Jackie Estlack sang "My Happiness" and "Make Love To Me." They were accompanied at the piano by Joyce Eddings. Concluding the program Kay Schollenbarger led a group discussion on Teen-age Problems.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to approximately 24 girls and their supervisor, Miss Loyd Richerson. Hostesses were Joyce Hall, Glenda Borden, Katherine Dingler, Nedra Hodge, and Joyce Eddings.

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## MOTHERS STUDY CLUB OBSERVES GUEST DAY

Mothers Study Club observed guest day with a review and tea at Patching Club House Tuesday afternoon, March 9th. Hostesses were Mrs. Billy Phillips and Mrs. C. M. Bennett.

While guests assembled, Mrs. James Moore entertained with appropriate piano numbers.

The review of the afternoon was presented by Mrs. C. E. Bairfield. Mrs. Bairfield cleverly told the story of "The Light on the Island" by Helen Glidden and made her audience feel that each one was a part of that family of thirteen living on the island of Patos off the coast of Seattle, Washington.

Following the review, Mrs. Grady Tyler presided at a short business session.

Refreshments of spiced tea, cake, and nuts were served from a table laid with a white linen cloth and centered with a planter and Ivy. Mrs. C. M. Bennett presided at the silver tea service while Mrs. Billy Phillips served cake.

Guests present were Mesdames C. E. Bairfield, A. J. Hicks, W. C. Thornberry, P. C. Messer, Bill Blackman, Van Knox, Wm. S. Greene, Alfred Estlack, Gerald Noble, E. H. Monroe, Tommy Gattis, and T. K. Vandiver of Amarillo. Members attending were Mesdames Grady Tyler, James Moore, H. W. Martin, Dwayne Taylor, Bill Chilton, L. P. Moore, Dink Miller, M. L. Evans and the hostesses Mrs. C. M. Bennett and Mrs. Billy Phillips.

## HUGHINS QUILTING CLUB

The Hughins Quilting Club met Tuesday, March 2nd with Martiel Webb. One quilt was finished.

Refreshments of cake and coffee were served to seven members: Ruth Lindley, Cora Elliott, Pauline Koontz, Floree Webb, Belle Smallwood, Roxie Cosper and hostess Martiel Webb, and one visitor Virginia Smith.

It was decided we would have the next meeting Wednesday, March 17 because of the Workers Conference at Lelia Lake on Tuesday March 16.

The next meeting will be with Belle Smallwood. —Reporter.

## MIDWAY CLUB

The Midway Quilting Club met with Mrs. Hill Wells March 2nd. One quilt was almost finished; another one quilted on.

Several members met at Mrs. Williams Friday, Feb. 26 and finished one quilt for Mrs. Jones. We met again there March 3rd and quilted on another one for Mrs. Jones.

We are happy to have two new members, Mrs. Bobby Dishman and Mrs. Mable Stone.

We had 3 visitors, Mrs. Lamberson of Amarillo and Misses Minnie and Ava Naylor.

The shower for Naomi Mooring was very nice with two guests. Beside Miss Mooring was her sister, Mrs. Jaunita Dickerson and Mrs. Erna Naylor.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Clyde Butler March 16.

There were 13 members absent with these present: Beth Bennett and children, Lillie Mae Carmichael and Eddie, Loyd Hillis, Lucille Luttrell, Ellen Moreland, Allie Quattlebaum, Louise Riley, Sarah Shaller, Eddie Williams, the new members Bobbie Dishman and Mable Stone, the hostess Katie Belle Wells and Belinda Kay. —Mrs. Hill Wells, Sec.

## HANKIN'S JUNIOR GIRLS AUXILIARY

The Hankin's Junior Girls Auxiliary of the Lelia Lake Baptist met in the Junior room at the church Wednesday night with 8 present. We were happy to have Patsy Watts and Mary Ann Callahan to join us. After the program we made posters of our forward steps. We invite all the junior girls to come and join us. —Reporter.

## GOLDSTON QUILTING CLUB

The Club met Thursday, March 4th with Adgar Williams. One quilt was almost finished. Refreshments were served to eleven people, May Pearl McDonald, Nora Jackson, Oddis Moss, Nora Smith, Ola McBrayer, Geraldine Jackson, Blanch Gray, Willie Putman, Sophie Williams and Edwin and Adgar Williams, hostesses.

Next quilting will be with Maisie Eichelberger, Thursday, March 18th. —Reporter.

## DELTA KAPPA GAMMA

Delta Kappa Gamma members met Saturday afternoon at 2:00 p. m. in Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church, Childress, Texas. Attending from Clarendon were the president, Lucile Polk, Ruth Richerson, Velma Weaver, Marguerite Goodner, Miss Mary Howren, Edgar Mae Mongole and Claudine Todd.

The program for the afternoon was presented by Nellie Agnes Kennedy of Childress, who reviewed Father Tennen's "Behind The Bamboo Curtain."

After a sing-song lovely refreshments were served the group, the club song sung and the group adjourned.

Mrs. E. H. Gerner returned home Sunday after a two months visit with her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerner at Redlands, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gerner at San Diego, Calif.

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## WCS MEETS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in regular business session Wednesday, March 3, with Mrs. Bennett presiding. The opening song was "Take Time To Be Holy" after which Mrs. A. L. Thornberry gave a prayer.

Mrs. C. M. Lowry announced the Spanish American study, "Within These Borders," would begin Wednesday, March 10.

Mrs. C. B. Morris was leader of the interesting program and brought the devotional. Mrs. Bill Thornberry gave three goals of our quadrennial year under the topic, "That the Kingdom of God May Be Realized." The goals she discussed were "Spiritual Growth," "A Widening Fellowship" and "A World Church." Mrs. C. M. Lowry gave the other three goals, "Peace," "Discipleship," and "Missions."

The meeting closed with the W.S.C.S. benediction.

—Reporter.

## ASHTOLA NEEDLE CLUB

Ashtola Needle Club met Thursday with Mrs. C. W. Tolleson as hostess.

Mrs. L. M. Porter opened the meeting with prayer. A donation was made to the Red Cross Drive. Mrs. M. R. Word gave a paper on Gardening and roll call was answered with hints of growing flowers.

At next meeting, March 18, Mrs. Bairfield will give a book review and it is guest day.

The hostess served a lovely plate of refreshments in St. Patrick's colors. Lime jello with whipped cream, white angel cake iced in green and green punch were served to twenty members.

—Reporter.

The Newton J. Richardson family is happy to announce the arrival of Benny Ray, born March 4, weighing 6 lbs. 13 oz. The Richardson have two girls and they are very happy to have another man around the house.

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Our association with you has been enjoyable.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Pure LARD</b></p> <p><b>3 lb. Carton ..... 79c</b> ARMOURS</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>VIENNA SAUSAGE</b></p> <p><b>3 for ..... 67c</b> ARMOURS</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PINTO BEANS</b></p> <p><b>2 lbs. for ..... 29c</b> NEW CROP</p>	<p><b>Congratulations Donley County Leader on</b></p> <p><b>Your 25th Anniversary</b></p> <p>We would like to use this space to join our friends and neighbors in expressing our thanks and appreciation for a job well done . . . twenty-five years of work and service to our City and County. We are proud of you. May we say Thanks again and wish you many more years with us.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SUGAR</b></p> <p><b>5 lb. Sack ..... 49c</b> PURE CANE</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>TOMATO JUICE</b></p> <p><b>300 size Cans-3 for 29c</b> HUNTS</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SPINACH</b></p> <p><b>300 size Cans-2 for 25c</b> HUNTS</p>
<p><b>Picnic Hams</b> SWIFTS or LONGHORN BRAND Pound ..... <b>.39</b></p>		<p><b>SPUDS</b> RED 25 lb. Sack ..... <b>.59</b></p>
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>TASTIER</b> Because They're <b>FRESHER</b></p> </div> <p><b>APPLES</b> School Boy Winesap—5 lb. Bag ..... <b>49c</b></p> <p><b>GRAPEFRUIT</b> Marsh Seedless—4 lbs. for ..... <b>29c</b></p> <p><b>ORANGES</b> Florida—5 lb. Sack ..... <b>39c</b></p> <p><b>CABBAGE</b> Firm Green Heads—Pound ..... <b>3c</b></p>	<p><b>TREND</b> Large Box ..... <b>49c</b></p> <p><b>MILK</b> Shurfine, Large Cans—2 for ..... <b>25c</b></p> <p><b>EGGS</b> Fresh Country—Dozen ..... <b>39c</b></p> <p><b>SHAMPOO</b> Modart—2 oz. Jar ..... <b>39c</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">WE GIVE GUNN BROS. THRIFT STAMPS</p> <div style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p><b>CLARENDON FOOD STORE</b> PHONE 43 CLARENDON TEXAS</p> </div> <p style="text-align: center;">ALVIN LANDERS WE DELIVER W. E. RAY</p>	<div style="text-align: center;"> <p><b>THE CHOICE of the CHOOSY</b></p>  <p><b>QUALITY MEATS</b></p> </div> <p><b>CHEESE</b> Swifts Brookfield—2 lb. Box ..... <b>79c</b></p> <p><b>FRYERS</b> Milk Fed Grade A—Pound ..... <b>55c</b></p> <p><b>BACON</b> Swifts or Armour's Sliced—Pound ..... <b>83c</b></p> <p><b>OLEO</b> Meadolake—2 lbs. for ..... <b>59c</b></p>

**MARTIN QUILTING CLUB**

The Martin Club met Thursday with Eunice Land. Two quilts were finished. Lunch was served at noon to members: Gwen Hill, Blanch Higgins, Montie Kidd, Lela Bulman, Margaret Waldrop, Lizzie Morrow, Linnie Cauthen, Flossie Reynolds, Velma Hearn, Veta Tims, Melba Risley, Lois Stevenson, Alice Pittman, Eunice Land; visitors, Lois Hutchins, Lena Mae Graham, Mrs. J. M. Graham, Clyda Fern Blackman, Helen Land, Veda Elliott, Minnie Cannon.

The next quilting will be with Margaret Waldrop March 18th. at her home. Everyone is invited. —Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Morris of Pampa visited her father Bert Ayers and other relatives Sunday.

**Donley Co. Leader Complimented For School Publicity**

We would like to compliment the LEADER for the splendid and extensive publicity given the local educational program.

There can be no aspect of public relations more important than publicity. Many of us forget to realize the importance of our local newspaper. We take the services of our local editors for granted, and sometimes forget to even say, "Thank You" for the wonderful services rendered the community.

The school system is particularly indebted to the publishers for the outstanding free services given each week. It would be difficult indeed, to estimate the value

in dollars rendered the educational program through the newspaper.

The local editors are perhaps, the greatest friends to the educational process and to the youth of the community. Willingly they set aside important issues to comply with the wishes of the school or the young people. They give their time and talent to arrange, write, and set forth the interest of those who call upon them. Perhaps one of the greatest contributions, is the editors never criticize, but always encourage and recognize those who accomplish.

It seems to us, the aim of the newspaper is to be an instrument to make people personally content, socially responsible, and politically effective.

The newspaper and the school work together to form a partnership with a heavy investment in American Futures. Unlimited—the young people of today who will be the American leaders and citizens of tomorrow.

H. W. TRUITT, Supt. Clarendon Public Schools.

**H. M. Breedlove Congratulates Donley County Leader On 25th Anniversary**

County agent H. M. Breedlove states that the Leader has cooperated with his office to the fullest extent ever since he has been agent here and has assisted in getting valuable information to farmers and ranchers on improved farming and ranching methods. The wide circulation of the Leader and the interest the paper has in the farmer and rancher has made it a great help to the county agent's office and to the welfare of the agriculture and ranching industry in Donley County. The great service the Leader has done for Donley County is greatly appreciated and work in forwarding agriculture in the County is of great value to the farmer and ranchers. Congratulations again on your anniversary.

**MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS**

In recognition of existing conditions prevalent in our community relating to the transportation of, sale, and drinking of alcoholic beverages, we hereby adopt the following resolution and present copies of same to the city and county law enforcement bodies:

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the aforesaid law enforcement officers be hereby requested to exercise all diligence in stopping and prohibiting the illegal sale, transportation and use of alcoholic beverages without fear or favor in the exercise of duty.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that we, the members of the Clarendon Ministerial Alliance, pledge to the aforesaid officers our wholehearted support insofar as we are able, and as long as the law enforcement officers pursue their duty.

Members of the Clarendon Ministerial Alliance.

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**

**FRENCH LESSONS** — General conversation taught at my home. 50c per hour. Mrs. Raymond Martin, 2 blocks east and 2 north of depot. (5-p)

Will the party near Lelia Lake that we loaned the HOG rings to install seat covers, please return same. White Auto Store.

**THANKS FOLKS, THANKS A LOT**

We shall ever feel grateful to friends for the sympathy, beautiful flowers, cards and letters and the many who visited the sick room while in the hospital at Wichita Falls, and during the many days of confinement at our home. It is wonderful to live, and much more to live among real people—the best on earth. All of these kind acts helped much to restore the Postmaster to his privilege of going back on the job.

And too, we wish to express to Dr. Ben K. Humphrey our sincere appreciation for his skill, kindly interest and his sick room diplomacy. He brought sunshine and confidence into the room along with his interest in rendering every help for his patient. May God bless him in his noble profession, and each of you who thought of us in our dark hours. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Estlack.

**ATTEND JOHNSON FUNERAL SERVICES HERE**

Among those to attend funeral services Tuesday in memory of David Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Starr of Wellington; F. W. Earlward of Quail; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Barker, Mrs. W. L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, Mrs. E. V. Halbert, all of Ford City, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Don Calaway, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Edwards of Crowell, Texas; Mrs. R. H. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bentley, O. W. Latson, and Mrs. John Nanny, all of Lubbock; also Ben Hooker and son of Tenna, Texas.

**Political Announcements**

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

**State Representative 88th District:** ELBERT REEVES

**District Attorney of the 100th Judicial District:** ALLEN HARP

**County Judge:** JACK E. GRAY  
H. T. BURTON

**County Treasurer:** MRS. A. G. LANE  
MRS. MELVIN W. COOK

**Sheriff, Assessor & Collector:** TRUETT BEHRENS

**County & District Clerk:** HELEN CHURCHMAN  
P. C. MESSER

**County Commissioner:**  
Precinct No. 1: HUBERT RHOADES  
Precinct No. 2: EDD MOORING  
Precinct No. 3: F. M. MURRAY  
Precinct No. 4: GEORGE PRESTON  
JESS FINLEY

**Constable Precinct No. 2:** R. C. (Bob) HILL  
C. HUFFMAN

**Justice of the Peace: Precinct No. 2** G. A. ANDERSON

**Subject to the City Election, Tuesday, April 6, 1954.**  
**City Commissioner:** W. M. PICKERING  
OSCAR H. THOMAS

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**Geo. B. Bagby**  
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**THE WEEK'S Best Food Buys**

**BEETS 10c**  
Kimbells Cut or Diced—No. 303 Can

**PINTO BEANS 50c**  
4 lb. Bag

**Chili with Beans 29c**  
Armours—16 oz. Can

**CORN 20c**  
White Swan Cream Style—No. 303 Can

**BEEF STEW 37c**  
Austex—15 oz. Can

**AJAX CLEANSER 25c**  
2 Cans

**PANCAKE MIX 19c**  
Pillsbury's—1 1/4 lb. Pkg.

**Chocolate Chip Cookie Mix 39c**  
Pillsbury's—Pkg.

**BLUE WHITE 30c**  
4 Pkgs.

**FAB 85c**  
Giant Pkg. (One 15c Pkg. Free)

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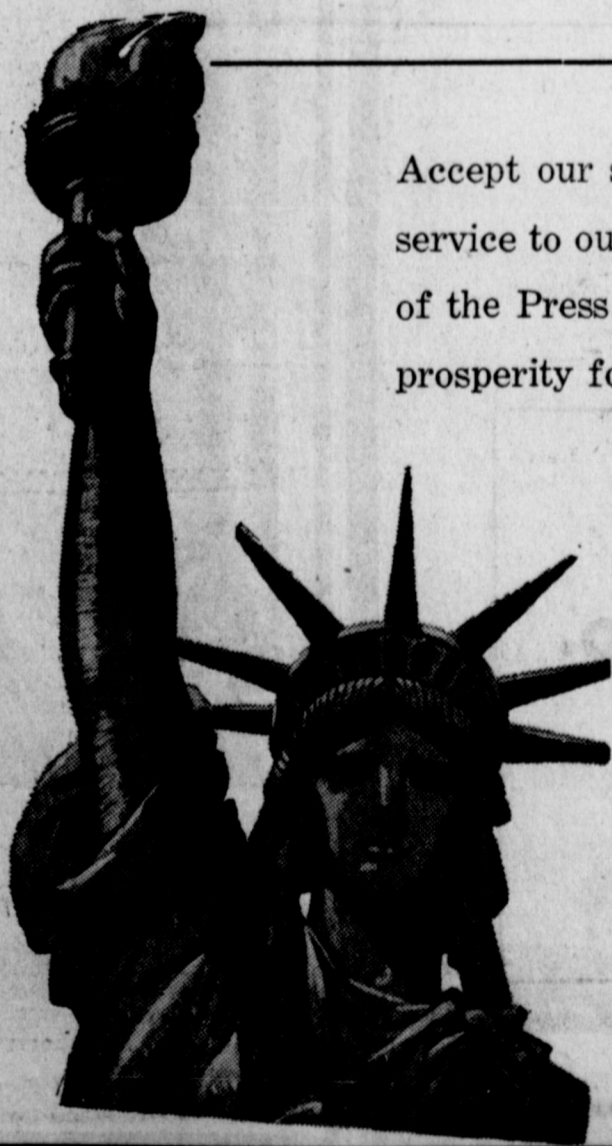
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To The  
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Accept our sincere thanks for your many years of service to our community. It is our hope that Freedom of the Press remains your most valued asset and that prosperity follows you far into the future.



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**LELIA LAKE NEWS**

**Mrs. H. R. King**

Misses Joyce Meredith and Bonnie Hughes, Jim Hodges and Ralph Ayers, all students of WTSC at Canyon, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ayers and children.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Mooring and sons, and Wilcey, Boyd and Winnie White spent the weekend in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Brock had business in Groom Saturday.

Miss Jan Christal of Canyon spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Christal.

Sam King of Houston spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Leathers of Tulia spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolie Simmons returned last Wednesday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mace of Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Pointer and son spent the weekend in Brady with his parents.

Mrs. Bill Neubauer of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Holland and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rasco of Childress and Mrs. Allie Caviness of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Rice Batson and other relatives Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers had business in Amarillo Thurs.

Mrs. Oscar Roberts of Amarillo spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stepp and children returned Sunday evening from Texarkana where they attended the wedding of their daughter and sister, Miss Joan Stepp. They also visited relatives in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hammitt of Amarillo visited Sam King of Houston in the Rice Batson home Sunday.

Bob Phelan of Stinnett spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Phelan.

Mrs. Nelson Seago and Sue and Miss Shirley Aten had business in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolie Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King left Monday morning for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Don Tomlinson of

Clarksville and other relatives and friends in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten, Mr. and Mrs. Rice Batson, and Mrs. Sam Roberts visited Mr. and Mrs. David Hudgins of Lesley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowling are the proud parents of a new son, Gregory Gwendell, born Saturday, March 6 in Odom's Clinic in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnett and boys spent the weekend with relatives in Pampa and Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferral Floyd and Mollie visited in Amarillo Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Boner Howard and daughters.

Mrs. Moore of Amarillo spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Robert Leathers. Beverly and Wayne Leathers visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Phillely of Goldston Saturday.

Mrs. M. B. Rhoades, Mrs. Rosa Birch, and Mrs. Nora Key, all of Vernon spent one day last week with Mrs. Charlie Meyer. Mrs. Rhoades is Mrs. Myer's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Angel and James Wesley of Groom and Mrs. Buchanan of Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Noble Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stavenhagen and children spent the weekend in Plains with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers and

Glenn spent Sunday in Quail with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers.

In 1850—twenty-one years after the first newspaper was printed in Texas—there were 34 publications in the state. Of these, five were tri-weekly and 29 weekly. There were no dailies.

**ASHTOLA NEWS**

**Mrs. Doyce Graham**

Everyone welcome to singing at Ashtola school house Sunday afternoon at 2:30, March 14th.

W. D. Brandon of Plainview spent Tuesday night with the J. R. Brandons.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gray visited in the Vance Gray home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Walter of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Evans Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Rea of Plaska visited in the Kermit Evans home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lane Jr. of Memphis visited in the J. B. Lane home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John White and Mrs. Ada Harris spent Tuesday in the J. F. White home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Vaughan were visiting friends here Sunday. They visited the Lanes, Evans and others.

Jo Ellen Dingler spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hardin.

Mrs. Kermit Evans accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ragan to Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring and sons visited the Doyce Grahams Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reid have been to see Vernon in the Littlefield hospital. He has now been moved home.

Mrs. Myrne Rhoades visited friends in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall have been visiting relatives here.

The C. E. Jacksons and Jack Lambersons were Saturday night guests of the Warren Hardins.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Hardin visited in the Marvin Jones home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Marshall and sons visited the week end in the W. A. Marshall home. Dub was sent to Albuquerque for two weeks. Gertrude went with him and the children stayed with their grandparents. Also visiting them Sunday were Bro. Pope and daughters, Thelma Thompson and a friend Nancy. Sunday afternoon they called on Mrs. Vera Smith who is still very ill.

Mrs. Sykes is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gracie Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reid.

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**SALESMEN WANTED**

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**Texas Heart Fund Campaign Continued Through March 15**

The 1954 Texas Heart Fund campaign to raise funds to help combat the nation's foremost killer—heart disease—will be continued through March 15, it has been announced by Dr. W. R. White, Baylor University president and Heart Fund chairman. "Extension of this year's campaign into March is necessary," Dr. White said, "because so many new local Heart Association chapters were formed in Texas in late January and early February and were unable to complete their organization work in time to participate fully in the Heart Fund during February.

Continuing the 1954 Heart Fund until March 15 will give every Texan an opportunity to participate in the triple program of the Heart Association—research, education and community heart work," the state Heart Fund chairman pointed out.

Dr. White urged that newly-formed local Heart groups" redouble their efforts to raise funds to support medical research teams that are seeking the causes and eventual cures of heart and blood vessel diseases."

He emphasized that medical science still does not know what causes the three most prevalent forms of heart disease: coronary heart disease, high blood pressure and rheumatic heart disease.

"The Heart Association, thru its annual Heart Fund, provides financial support to research scientists who are seeking the causes of these killing diseases," Dr. White declared. "This year, the Texas Heart Fund needs the continued support of every Heart Association district and chapter worker and of all Texans in the effort to provide funds to fight heart disease."

Contributions to the 1954 Heart Fund may be made to local Heart Associations, or mailed to HEART care of the local postmaster, Dr. White reminded.

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<b>SHORTENING</b> IGA Sno Kream—3 lb. Can	<b>79c</b>
<b>SPAM</b> 12 oz. Can	<b>49c</b>
<b>MILK</b> Popular Brands—2 Large Cans	<b>25c</b>
<b>TOMATOES</b> Rainbow, 303 Cans—2 for	<b>25c</b>
<b>ENGLISH PEAS</b> Trailway, 303 Cans—2 for	<b>25c</b>
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<b>BEEF ROAST</b> Pound	<b>37c</b>
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<b>BACON</b> Wicklow—Pound	<b>69c</b>
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<b>ORANGE JUICE</b> IGA—46 oz. Can	<b>34c</b>
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<b>MESH BAG</b>	
<b>YAMS</b> Texas Porto Rico—Pound	<b>10c</b>
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# FARM NEWS

from the County ASC Committee

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER:

Our sincere congratulations to the LEADER for TWENTY-FIVE years of service to our county. This office appreciates the fact that, for a number of those TWENTY-FIVE years, the LEADER has given space to news from this branch of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. We first started writing weekly articles when we were known as the Donley County AAA. We have had our name changed several times; first to the ACA, then to the PMA and now we are known as the Donley County ASC, which stands for Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation.

Through our weekly articles we have been able to bring to the attention of producers all over the county the important developments in all the different programs handled by this office, and we have been grateful for the space always available to us. This is our means of saying both "THANKS" and "CONGRATULATIONS" to our paper, THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER.

### REVISED COTTON ALLOTMENTS:

All revised cotton allotments have been mailed out from this office. The allotments were mailed on March 10th. A revised allotment was mailed to every cot-

ton farmer regardless of whether an increase was received. The previous allotments mailed to you on December 8, 1953 are now void.

If any producer feels an error has been made on his allotment, he may make an appeal to the Secretary of the County Committee within fifteen (15) days from the date the revised allotment was mailed. Also if there is any producer who does not intend to use his allotment, he may write or come by this office and release the allotment.

## School Cafeteria Menu, March 15-19

MONDAY

Irish stew, green salad, peanut butter, crackers, milk, apple pie.

TUESDAY

Barbecue beef, green beans, cream potatoes, cabbage, pineapple salad, hot rolls, milk, syrup and butter.

WEDNESDAY

Hot tamales pie, red beans, spinach, corn bread, milk, fruit.

THURSDAY

Weiners and sauerkraut, black-eye peas, new potatoes, beet pickles, bread, milk, lemon pudding.

FRIDAY

Hamburgers, beans, lettuce, onions, pickles, potato chips, buns, milk, chocolate drop cookies.

Troy Guy is recuperating nicely at this time in Odom-Dryden hospital in Memphis after undergoing surgery last week.

## Clarendon F. H. A. Chapter Attends Area Meet In Canyon

Some 2200 members of F.H.A. and their supervisors representing 117 Chapters of Area 1 gathered on the Campus of WTSC in Canyon Saturday for a day long conference and program. Registration began at 8:30 at Buffalo Field House. Dr. James P. Corneille, president of West Texas State College, delivered the outstanding address.

The house of delegates composed of one representative of each chapter attending the conference met at 11:00 a. m. to elect new officers and choose a convention city for next year. Melba Harper of Anton, Texas was elected President; Kathy White of Lubbock, Vice-president; and Anne Selecman of Amarillo, recording secretary. Among other officers elected was Jackie Estlack, Parliamentarian. Marianne Longan was voting delegate from the Clarendon Chapter. Amarillo was chosen the convention city for 1955.

Highlighting the program was a Talent Show, followed by recognition and conferring of degrees, and the Installation of new officers.

The Clarendon group enjoyed having eleven girls from the Hedley Chapter and their supervisor, Mrs. H. W. Truitt, accompany them. Twenty-six representatives of the Clarendon Chapter, their supervisor, Miss Loyd Richerson, and two club mothers, Mrs. T. H. Gattis and Mrs. J. G. McAnear attended.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my appreciation for the beautiful flowers, many cards and gifts given me while I was in the hospital; also for the food sent in and all the kindnesses shown me since I returned home.

Mrs. Mark C. Raney

Howard Stewart and Daughter Karilyn and Ray Briggs attended the all-day Texas-Oklahoma singing convention at Childress last Sunday. They reported a round 2,500 in attendance and a wonderful day of good singing. The next meeting of the group will be at Pampa on October 9-10.

## FT. WORTH MAN DIES FROM BURNS RECEIVED HERE

Herbert Lewis Kemp, age 27, of Ft. Worth, died in a Memphis hospital Saturday evening as the result of burns suffered in a flash explosion at the Victory Courts here Friday morning. He was a welder and was on his way to a job in Algodones, N. M.

Sheriff Truett Behrens reported that the flash fire was apparently ignited when Kemp attempted to light a stove in the cabin. Gas had accumulated in the room from the stove which Kemp had apparently thought was lit before retiring. The air conditioner opening apparently kept Kemp from being asphyxiated prior to the explosion according to the places in the room where the gas had accumulated, the sheriff added.

Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements which were held in Ft. Worth Tuesday.

## WRIGHT TO ENTER CADET TRAINING

Guy Alden Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wright, has received his call for service, and will leave Monday, March 15, for Denver, Colorado. He will report at the Naval Air Station, Buckley Field.

Wright took Cadet exams last September and passed both the mental and physical tests with high rating. He will go from Buckley Field to Pensacola, Florida where he will begin his training.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlie Bennett and Helen Faye visited Robert Naylor of La Casa, Okla. and enjoyed dinner in the Otis Naylor home Sunday.

## FORMER RESIDENT BURIED HERE TUESDAY

Graveside services were held here Tuesday afternoon for W. H. Miller, age 69 of Denton, Texas who passed away at his home there Sunday morning.

Mr. Miller was a retired farmer and formerly lived here in Clarendon prior to moving away in 1927.

Among survivors are his mother, Mrs. Stella A. Miller of McLean; two daughters, Mrs. Valma Owens, Austin; Mrs. Eula Martin, Houston; one brother, 10 sisters,

and five grandchildren. Burial was in Citizens Cemetery with the Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

## LEGION AUXILIARY TO MEET

Mrs. Clyde Putman, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, has announced that the next meeting of the Auxiliary will be held in her home Tuesday evening, March 16. All members are urged to be present. The meeting will open at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. McAnear and family of Brice visited Sunday afternoon and enjoyed dinner Sunday evening in the J. G. McAnear home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Muse of Canyon visited Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Muse. Other visitors in the Lee Muse home Sunday were Mrs. Sidney Muse's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fowler of Floydada and their grandchildren Beverly and Lee Bain of Plainview.

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<b>EGG PLANT</b> Pound	<b>17c</b>	<b>STRAWBERRIES</b> Stokelys Frozen—Can	<b>27c</b>
<b>ORANGES</b> California—Pound	<b>13c</b>	<b>FROZEN TUNA PIE</b> Each	<b>31c</b>
<b>Orange Juice</b>		STOKELY'S FROZEN 6 oz. Can	<b>.14</b>
<b>FLOUR</b>		PILLSBURY'S 25 lbs.	<b>\$1.69</b>
<b>Shortening</b>		VEGETOLE 3 lbs.	<b>.57</b>
<b>COFFEE</b>		ADMIRATION Pound	<b>.99</b>
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## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO IN THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER

The following headlines and items were taken from the first issue of the Leader, published March 12, 1929.

Hedley Farm Industrial Report by R. E. Mann. For the 1928-29 crop season there was ginned at Hedley, 13,312 bales of cotton, five cars of hogs were shipped, 90 cars of cattle, nine cars of poultry, \$748.00 worth of cream was shipped during February. About 200 cars of feed and corn was shipped this last season. At present Mr. Alexander of Memphis is starting on the compress.

Lelia Lake's Industries Growing: Growing from an obscure farming village to an important shipping center is the record made by Lelia Lake, the best farming section of Donley County. This area produces alfalfa of an exceptional fine quality which finds a ready market each season at a good price. During the past season local gins alone produced 5,600 bales of cotton and during the past year, 125 cars of hay, cotton seed and grain and 16 cars of cattle were shipped out. The butter, eggs and cream marketed during the year amounted to more than ten thousand dollars. This was all in addition to the produce that was trucked out.

The Clarendon College girls basketball team bowed before a select group of Claude all-stars to the tune of 30-34 here in the South Ward gym Thursday night.

Farmers Start Terracing In Donley County: With the advent of the 1929 farm season, many of our best farmers started the program with the idea of saving their land by terracing where needed with an additional touch of manure, cotton burrs, and gin moats.

F. E. Chamberlain and son, George took in the sights at the Ft. Worth stock show the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Palmer are the proud parents of a son, their first born, on the 9th. James Wesley weighed eight and a half pounds and already has his application in at the Palmer-Riddle garage as chief announcer of the arrival of customers.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Skelton are on their bridal tour taking them over much of Texas, New Mexico and Colorado.

Homer Mulkey, owner of Pastime and Queen Theatres of Clarendon, is scouting around looking over the "Movie Talkies" with a view of installing the latest in picture show equipment here. Homer thinks there is nothing too good for the home folks and he is dead right about that.

Mrs. M. Harvey sold two sections of her land recently to Mr. C. P. Hamilton who will do a ranch business. This land is rough land some twenty miles northeast of town and is said to have sold for fourteen dollars per acre. Mrs. Harvey will hold her other land pending oil development which has received a new impetus since the building of the test rig near the river on the Jericho highway.

The road to success is full of wives pushing their husbands along.

Brice Items—Misses Claudine Smallwood and Glynn Shepherd spent the week end with Misses Mattie and Jewell Rhodes of Goldston community. Mr. and Mrs. Cal Holland and family, and the Misses Mamie and Frankie Smallwood, visited friends in the Goldston community Sunday. Everyone is taking advantage of the pretty weather this week and hope for a good rain before planting time.

Martin Items—Mr. and Mrs. Sid Endsley gave the young people of the community an entertainment last week. On Wednesday a number of the young people of Martin enjoyed an evening of "42" playing at the home of Misses Mayme Wood and Lucile Polk. Another good program was given by the "Pep" literary society Friday afternoon. Among the visitors were: Messrs. J. E. Baker, Will Peabody, Dave Patterson, J. B. Turnbow, Della Lafon, W. E. Hodges, Buck Roberts, Sibley, J. L. Hood and Misses Bertie Mae

Poole, Polly Sowell and Pittman.

Lelia Lake Items — Mrs. Guy Taylor is spending the week in Clarendon with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Tatum looking after her new granddaughter, Miss Dorothy Jean. Supt. E. R. Reeves visited his mother in Jericho Wednesday. Lee Muse had business in Amarillo Thursday. Miss Veru Leathers, who is a student in the WTSTC at Canyon, visited her parents over the week end. Quinn Aten was a Memphis visitor Sunday nite.

This Ad would have been appropriate today too: A new Paper but we are an Old Firm. This ad is good for 15c on any three pound pail of coffee if presented before Thursday evening closing time. Shelton & Sanford, Groceries and Feed.

### CHAMBER SPECIALS

By Johnnie Allen

Last Thursday you saw the result of efforts of the various Civic Organizations, our schools, and our Colored people, march in review. We have been waiting several months to see these Young People perform and feel proud to live in a town where active interest has made this possible. We should not forget, however, that if Mr. Gain had not wanted to work with these children it would not have been possible and without hard work and enthusiasm on his and the Colored children's part we would not have had the opportunity to see them perform at this early date. We must remember that these children started with instruments which they could not play and had to learn to read notes before they could attempt to play anything that resembled a tune.

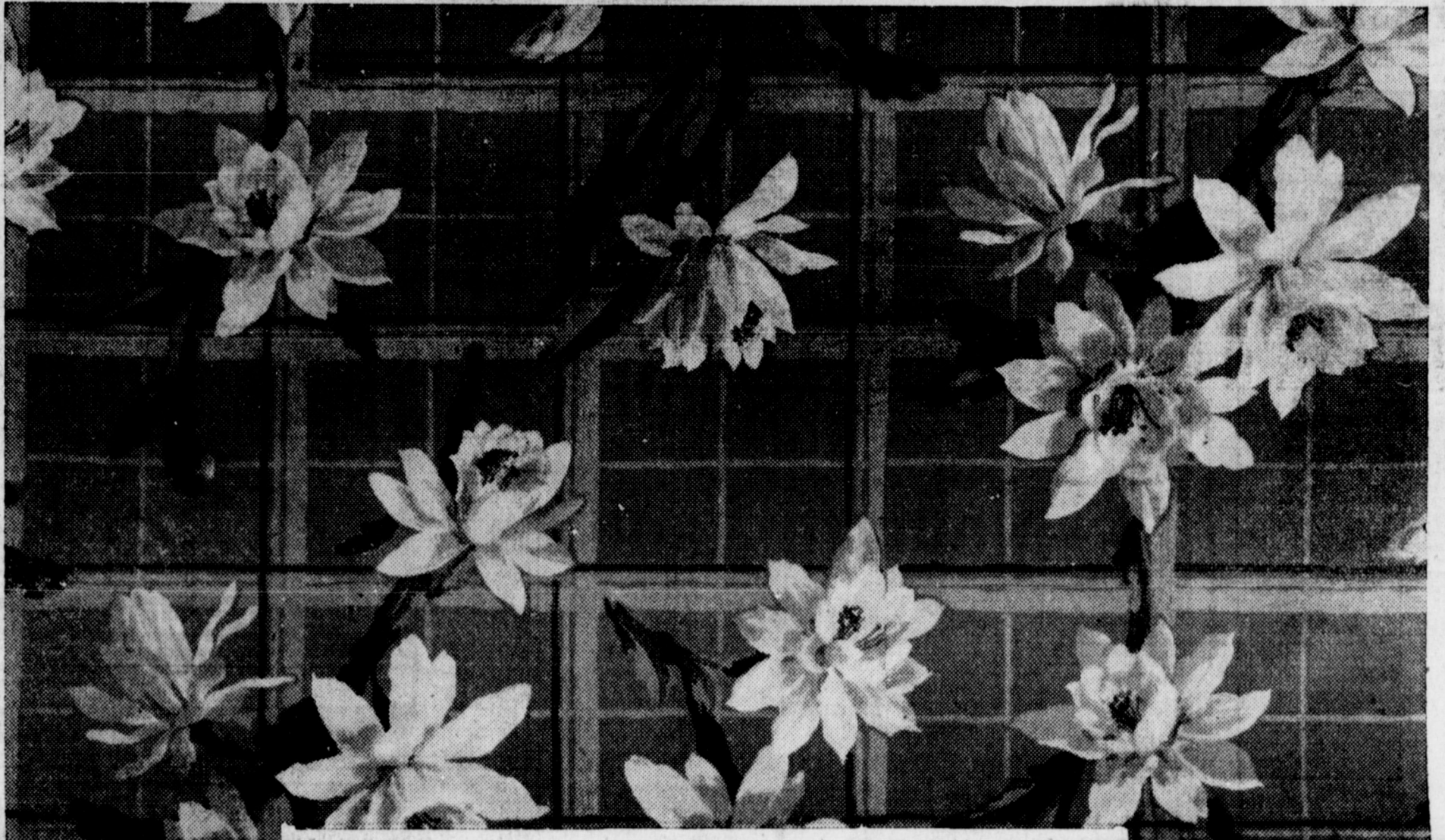
Our Colored Drum and Bugle Corps is something unique and we should be proud of it. Other areas and cities should be given the opportunity to see them perform. They have already attracted more attention than many of us realize in this one performance.

This performance was a part of the activities during National School Week—how many of you took an hour or two of your time to visit your schools—this brings to mind this thought that was expressed by Mr. Truitt; most of the teachers in our school system are over forty years of age, with only five in their twenties, and he wondered where our children, who are now four to six years of age, will be ten years from now if something is not done very soon to encourage our young people into the teaching profession. It is a much more serious problem than you and I realize and it is a problem that if not solved very soon will lead to disastrous results. Do you think I'm kidding? If so, ask your teachers. Believe me a person, who goes into the teaching profession with conditions as they are at present, is not going into it with ambitions to get rich. Our local schools have good teachers, but some of those class rooms are so dull, drab and uncomfortable that I wonder that we manage to get as many through High School as we do.

Write your Congressman and tell him that our teachers in Texas are hanging on from sheer pride in their profession only, that they only stay because they have a strong sense of service to their fellowman. In fact "MAKE IT A HABIT TO WRITE YOUR CONGRESSMEN AND REPRESENTATIVES ONCE EACH WEEK."

Two cups were given newspapers for the first time in Texas Press Association history during TPA's 43rd annual convention held in 1921 at McAllen. Presented by Joe Taylor, the Belo cup for best all around weekly went to The Troup Banner. The Waxahachie Tribune received the Olmsted cup for the best exhibition of job printing.

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By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association
AUSTIN — Plenty of political friction is coming up between now and election time despite the "harmony" convention of young

democrats at Mineral Wells. Any harmony at that meeting resulted from the fact that one faction, the liberals, stayed away.

National and state party leaders called the gathering for the purpose of trying to reorganize the Young Democrats and bring both factions together.

Representatives of both camps were placed on the reorganizing committee. Despite these efforts, however, discussion flared up as a prelude to the Mineral Wells conclave.

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LIQUID OR TABLETS - SAME TASTE - SAME EFFECT

Liberal Young Democrats announced that they would boycott the meeting, charging that it will be dominated by conservative friends of Governor Allan Shivers.

Shunning the "harmony" convention, the liberal Young Democrats insisted that their get-together in San Antonio last year was legal.

A feature of the confab was a panel discussion Friday afternoon, billed as an "open and frank discussion of party politics."

Attorney General John Ben Shepperd was moderator and State Senator Searcy Bracewell of Houston discussion leader.

Others on the program included Governors Shivers, Johnston Murray of Oklahoma and Frank Clement of Tennessee; Supreme Court Justice Will Wilson, National Committeewoman Hilda Weinert of Seguin and State Democratic Chairman Wallace Savage of Dallas.

On the horizon was a special session of the Legislature, called by Governor Shivers for the purpose of providing a raise in pay for the public school teachers.

Other objectives of the session were to raise money for needed state buildings, give pay boosts

to state employees, and set heavy penalties, including death, for Communists.

Shivers had what has been described as a compromise plan to up the income of teachers by \$402 per year, and he said he would specify, when the time comes, the tax measure necessary to raise the necessary funds.

House Speaker Reuben Senterfitt was at odds with the governor on his plan.

In the Speaker's opinion, the so-called "compromise plan" would play havoc with the Gilmer-Aikin school program.

Senterfitt offered his own program for increased teacher pay. He said the amount of salary raise for teachers should be based on what the Legislature can raise by taxation — not by what the teachers would like it to be.

There were some suggestions as to how the money might be raised.

Representative Joe Pool of Dallas thought about higher taxes on beer, and said that he would introduce a bill embodying that

proposal.

While he did not say what rate of taxation he had in mind, Pool did tell reporters that a \$10 per barrel levy would be enough to boost teachers' pay and build some state buildings.

The present state tax on beer is \$1.37 per barrel, or about a half a cent per bottle.

Rep. Gilbert M. Spring of Apple Springs, Trinity County, had another idea. He wants to quit giving tax exemptions on cigarettes sold at army posts in Texas.

The federal government collects its cigarette tax at army camps, Spring reasoned, so why shouldn't the state do likewise?

Comptroller Robert Calvert estimated that if the state should collect taxes on cigarettes sold at army posts in Texas, the revenue would amount to about \$1 million per year.

Other suggestions as to raising money for teachers included a tax on natural gas to replace the

levy recently declared invalid by the U. S. Supreme Court.

But you could depend upon it: any time a tax was suggested, the prospective victim rose up and asserted himself.

For example, M. D. Bryant, president of the Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association promised that his group would fight any increase in the taxes on gas and oil.

Thus you can see that the job of the Legislature is going to be nothing like sitting under the peach tree waiting for the fruit to drop.

Edward Everett of Maine made the principal address at the dedication of the cemetery at Gettysburg, Pa., speaking for two hours. President Lincoln, who was also present for the ceremonies, spoke for two minutes.

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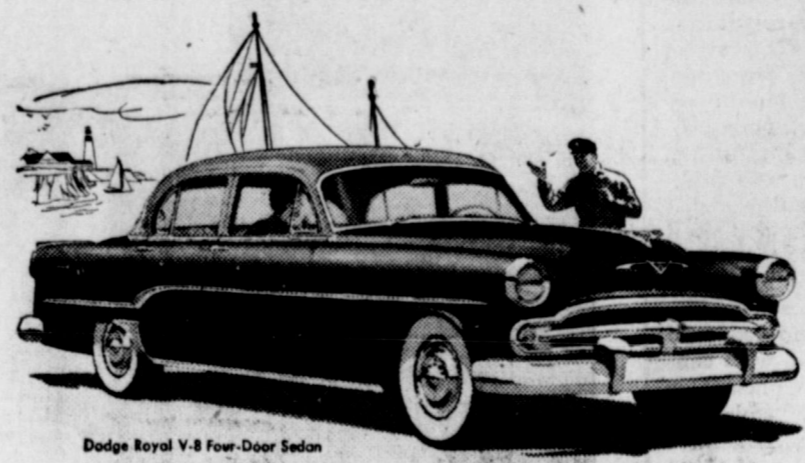
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## 'King of Pantomime' Is Official Title Of Lions Sponsored Artist Due Tuesday

One of the country's foremost  
pantomime artists, Larry Kelley  
of Amarillo, will give area resi-  
dents a two-hour sample of his  
long practiced art, Tuesday night,  
March 16th, at the College audi-

torium at 7:30, in a program spon-  
sored by the Clarendon Lions  
Club.

Kelley, whom many probably  
saw in a program at Levelland

last year as he helped dedicate  
the Cal Boykin Hotel, is a veter-  
an at the art of pantomime, al-  
though only 14 years old, having  
practiced since he was 10 years  
old. In his two-hour show he  
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ser, Negro youth who is likewise  
a talented pantomimist, appear-  
ed twice daily in a floor show  
in Red River, N. M., this past  
summer. They have also appear-  
ed on many TV programs at  
KGNC, Amarillo, and are known  
for keeping their audience in a  
continual laugh.

This Amarillo youngster is  
considered one of the top enter-  
tainers of the Panhandle and we  
are fortunate he can come here.

Kelley's entertainment sched-  
ule doesn't interfere with his  
school work. Since the begin-  
ning of the school term this year,  
he has appeared in 67 shows,  
traveling 7,000 miles and schol-  
astically he remains in the up-  
per quadrant of the class. One  
or both parents accompany him  
on these trips.

A recent newspaper article had  
this to say about Larry Kelley:  
"Larry delights in entertaining  
the school children and can make  
them go 'clown-happy' when he  
goes rubber-faced like the whip-  
cracking, half-groggy cowboy of  
old Mule-train . . . He makes  
lumps like the ostrich eggs in  
one's throat when he emotes over  
'Sonny Boy.'"

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"Larry's present ambition is to  
pantomime a recorded life of  
Betty Hutton and to this end, he  
saw her star in the 'Greatest  
Show On Earth' eight times and  
can now imitate la Hutton bomb-  
shell in squints, nose-wrinkles  
and ohhh . . . baby!"

"His favorite music is Paul  
Robeson doing Old Man River,  
and on this one he closes his  
eyes, rocks back and so feels the  
drama and treachery of the 'old  
Mississippi' he inevitably hurts  
the leader from waist to throat  
. . . 'For,' says Mrs. Kelley, 'Lar-  
ry's putting as much into that  
song he doesn't sing' as Robeson  
does."

Larry started pantomiming  
publicly two years ago when an  
English teacher in Paris, Texas,  
bogged down. "Honestly," she  
told the class . . . "the only pan-  
tomiming I know is how to sig-  
nal when driving a car." In de-  
spiration she took down Web-  
ster's dictionary and began read-

ing "Pantomiming is a mute,  
theatrical show . . ." "Hey . . .  
Teacher . . . wait!" Larry got up  
and went into Larry Parks' rou-  
tine in the Al Jolson story and  
he has been a mammy-singin'  
role ever since.

### SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

On March 15, 1954, nearly  
5,000,000 self-employed individu-  
als and partners in business cov-  
ered by social security will pay  
their third annual social security  
tax contribution, as required by  
law. For the year of 1953 the rate  
is still 2 1/4% on the net self-em-  
ployment income of not less than  
\$400 and up to a maximum tax-  
able of \$3,600, after all deductible  
expenses are taken. This is not a  
voluntary tax! The law requires  
that all such covered self-em-  
ployed individuals and partners  
shall file yearly with their income

tax, not later than March 15,  
Schedule C and Ca (Form 1040),  
U. S. Report of Self-Employment  
Income.

The covered self-employment  
groups cover all persons in a  
trade, business, or a partnership,  
except: medical doctors, dentists,  
lawyers, CPA's or registered pub-  
lic accountants, professional en-  
gineers, veterinarians, chiroprac-  
tors, osteopaths, ministers of the  
gospel, naturopaths, Christian  
Science practitioners, optome-  
trists, architects, funeral direct-  
ors, and farm operators.

In describing the nature of  
your business on Schedule Ca  
(Form 1040) it is most important  
that you be explicit, so your work  
will not be confused with that  
of a group not covered as self-  
employment. And, in order that  
your net income will be correctly  
credited to your wage record, be  
sure to show your correct social  
security account number. If you  
never had a social security card  
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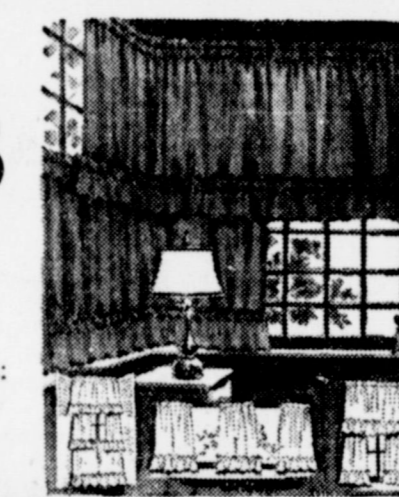
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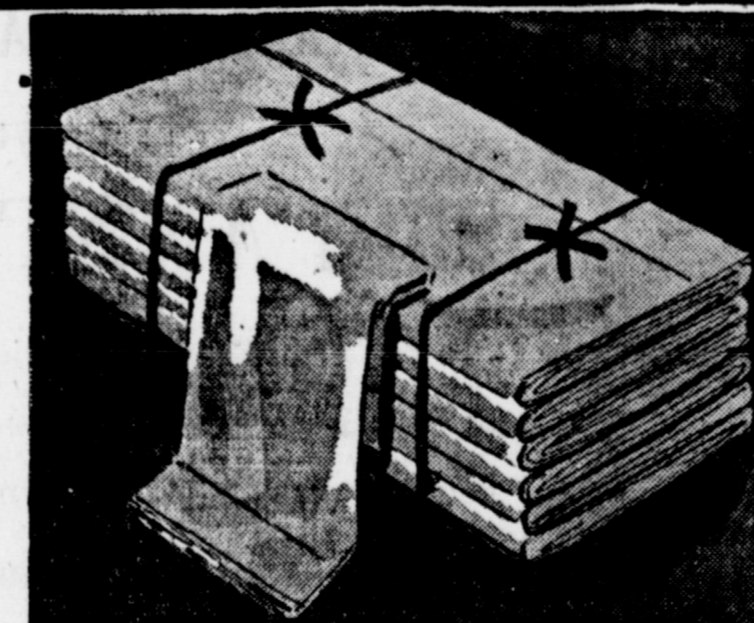
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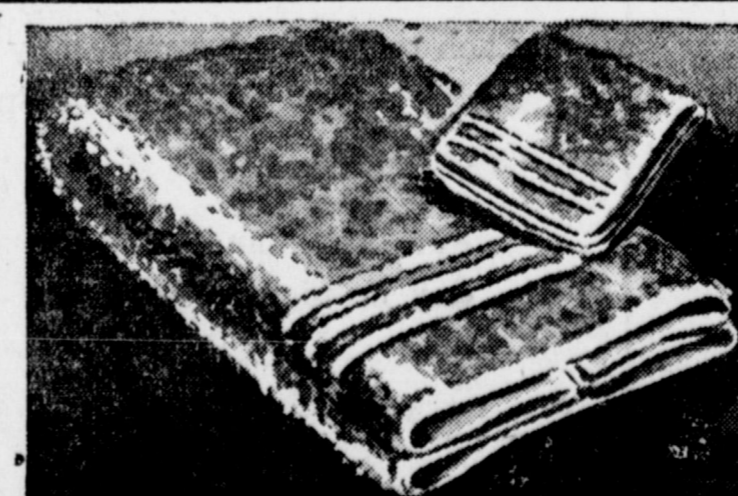
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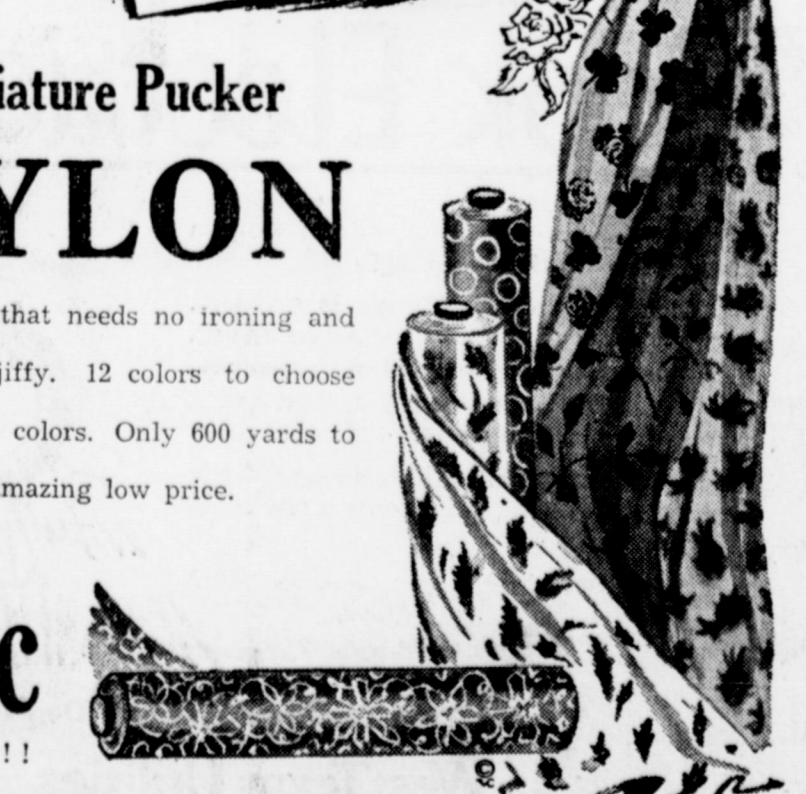
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 H. Lee Shaller  
 2nd Assistant Superintendent,  
 Lee Bell  
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 Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.  
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 The Session meets each Second Sunday night at 6:15 for their monthly meeting.  
 The local Board of Women meets each 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 3:15 P. M.

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 Christian Training Hour—6:00 P. M.  
 Praise and Worship Hour—7:00 P. M.  
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 Nelson Christie, Director  
 Evening Service—8:00 P. M.  
 Wednesday Evening Prayer Service—7:30.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**J. E. Byers, Pastor**  
**SUNDAY**  
 9:45—Bible School  
 Bill Lowe, Supt.  
 10:55—Worship Hour  
 6:15—Training Union  
 N. Richardson, Dir.  
 7:30—Worship Hour  
**TUESDAY**  
 4:15—Y. W. A.  
 7:30—Brotherhood  
 twice monthly  
**WEDNESDAY**  
 3:00—Sunbeams  
 3:00—W. M. U.  
 4:15—Nina Hankins G. A.  
 4:15—Mildred Grabtree G. A.  
 6:30—Jojola R. A.  
 7:00—Sunday School Officers & Teachers Meeting  
 7:30—Mid-week Prayer Service  
**THURSDAY**  
 4:15—Clyde Hankins R. A.  
 7:30—Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal  
**FRIDAY**  
 4:15—Marjorie Stevens G. A.  
**SATURDAY**  
 7:00—Group Prayer Meetings.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Rev. I. E. Biggs**  
**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.  
 Bible Study and Prayer Service—7:00 P. M.  
 Choir Practice—7:30 P. M.

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
**Samuel M. Black, Vicar**  
 11:00 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.  
 11:00 A. M.—First Sunday in month, Holy Communion.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
**C. E. Townsend, Pastor**  
 Sunday School—9:45 A. M.  
 Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.  
 N. Y. P. S.—6:45 P. M.  
 Evening Service—7:30 P. M.  
 Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7:00 P. M.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
**T. E. Gibson, Pastor**  
**SUNDAY**  
 Sunday School—9:45  
 Morning Worship—11:00  
 Young People's Christ Ambassador Service and Booster Band—6:45 P. M.  
 Evangelistic Service—7:30 P. M.  
**WEDNESDAY**  
 Bible Study—7:30  
**SATURDAY NIGHT SERVICE**  
 First Saturday night in each month only—7:30 P. M.

**GOLDSTON BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**C. T. Williams, Pastor**  
 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
 Calvin Ashcraft, Supt.  
 Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.  
 Song and Praise Service—7:30 P. M.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
**Chas. B. Wells, Minister**  
 Services Sunday Morning—Bible Classes—10:00 A. M.  
 Worship Service—10:30 A. M.  
 Young People's Meeting—6:30  
 Preaching—7:30 P. M.  
 Ladies Bible Class Wednesday Morning—9:30.  
 Midweek Services Wednesday evening—7:30.  
 You are invited.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**Ernest Phillips, Pastor**  
 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
 Pat Myers, Supt.  
 Preaching Service—11:00 A. M.  
 Training Union—7:00 P. M.  
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 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.

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**D. E. Fisher, Pastor**  
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 Evening Service—8:00 P. M.

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**Age Finder**  
 In the last few years scientists have found out a lot of things about the past by means of an instrument called the mass spectrometer, which measures the isotope content of various elements. As elements change their isotope content due to radioactive activity in known quantities over a long period, the spectrometer can determine precisely at what period in time a certain material was formed.  
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 Because of this the new spectrometer will be of particular interest to geologists who will be able to spot geologic strata more easily in their search for oil, gas and minerals.  
 Due to a paper shortage, only six or eight newspapers were published in Texas during the War Between the States.

# 25 Years Ago

## WHEN THE FIRST DONLEY COUNTY LEADER WAS PUBLISHED . . . WE WERE NEXT DOOR NEIGHBORS

--- so it is a pleasure at this time to congratulate the Leader on 25 YEARS of service to this community --- and in so doing --- we would like to reminisce a bit and reprint an article (in part) in our behalf when we moved to our present location.


(Published April 12, 1934 in the Donley County Leader)  
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 From where I sit, there's always more than one way to approach a thing and still come out fair and square to all. My wife likes a cup of tea with dinner; I prefer a temperate glass of beer. We get along fine. Gets me pretty mad though, when somebody starts "throwing his weight around" and demands that I see things exactly his way.  
*Joe Marsh*

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### TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 18TH DISTRICT

By Congressman Walter Rogers

February 26, 1954

#### CONGRESSIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Congress as a whole does not have much to brag about in the way of accomplishments during the first two months of this session. By "accomplishments" I mean legislative action carried through to finality. This does not mean that the workload has decreased. The committees and individual Members of Congress have seen no idle hours since this session began. Much of the proposed legislation should be ready for action by the full House membership. Many of the Members are getting restless because of the lack of activity on the House Floor. Much of the debate so far has been on relatively non-controversial matters or on items of minor importance when compared with the legislation that we know will have to be considered at this session. Much of

President Eisenhower's program could have been debated and passed by the House, as a substantial part of it will be non-controversial. That is, it will be non-controversial unless some jokers are slipped into the laws that are not in keeping with the aims expressed by Mr. Eisenhower in his State of the Union message. A sizable part of his proposed program will be controversial. For that reason, the non-controversial matters should be disposed of at the earliest possible date so that plenty of time would be left for full debate on the controversial matters. Sometimes when a large backlog of legislation is created and the time grows short before adjournment, legislation is adopted by a

parliamentary body without proper consideration and debate. This is a very dangerous procedure and should never be employed. A large backlog of legislative matters also creates an opportunity for controversy to be raised over matters that otherwise would be non-controversial. This practice can force long delay of controversial matters that should be thoroughly explored and scrutinized.

Most of the House Members are very anxious to get the show on the road, so to speak, and not be faced with a shortage of time when we have to consider the big appropriations bills. Proper trimming of these bills requires time for study and debate after the bills are prepared by the committee and submitted to the full House membership.

**COMPULSORY FEPC**

In the opinion of many, the remarks of the Secretary of Labor, Mr. Mitchell, before a Senate committee, to the effect that he favored a compulsory FEPC law, were not accidental, extemporaneous, or a spur of the moment remark. Although these views were

in conflict with the views expressed by the President, who has said that he favored a voluntary FEPC procedure, it is felt that the Mitchell remarks are a part of a softening-up process that has as its ultimate goal "compulsory FEPC." Wirth for more comments on the subject in the near future. If compulsory FEPC comes into being, it will affect every business in the nation. Many small merchants think they should not worry about this because they are not engaged in interstate commerce and will not be subject to the law. Many small businesses that were actually not engaged in interstate commerce as we had always known it, were, during recent years, DEFINED into interstate commerce. Those not already taken in by this method may well recognize that they are next in line. The adoption of a compulsory FEPC law would mean the early inclusion of all you business folks in the realm of interstate commerce. I might point out that almost every farmer is included in interstate commerce by definition. The only reason that the maximum hour and minimum wage provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act do not apply to the farmer, is because he is specifically exempt

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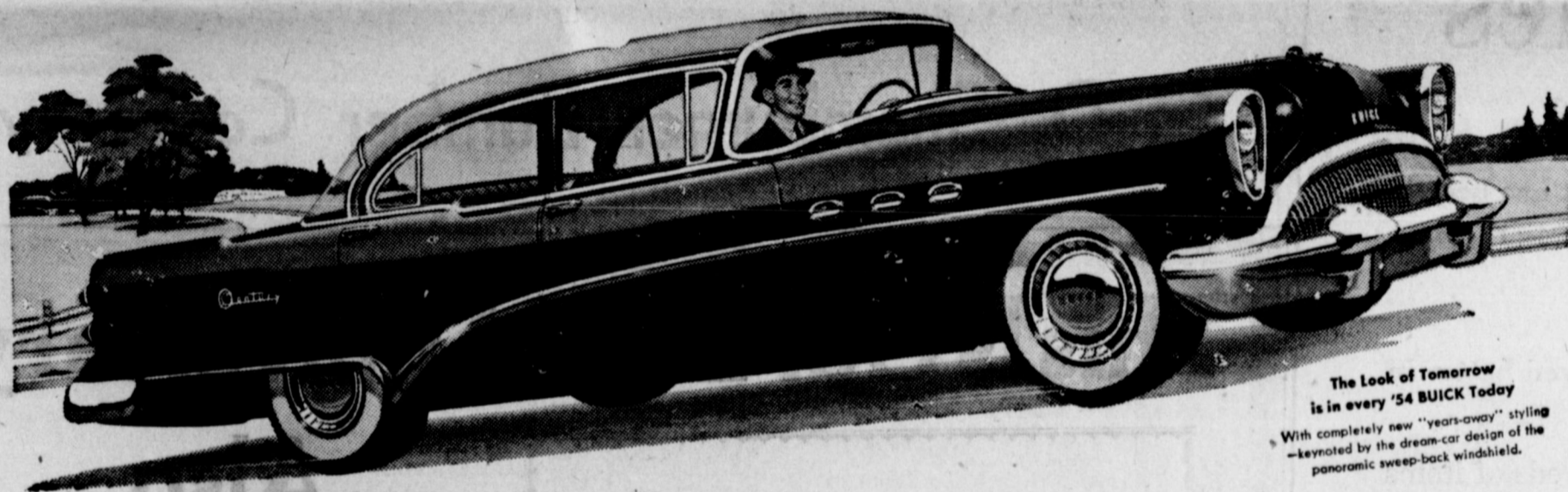
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**Walter R. Hervey Jr. Muscular Dystrophy Representative For State of Texas**

Walter R. Hervey, Jr., has joined Muscular Dystrophy Association of America, Inc., as national representative for the State of Texas. William Mazer, MDAA president, announced here today. Mr. Hervey's purpose in the Lone Star State will be to increase local activity in order to implement the patient-service program whereby local victims may receive aid, and to support the national research program seeking the cause and cure of

muscular dystrophy, a disease affecting more than 200,000 Americans, most of them children. Formerly field representative for Mealpack Corporation, Evanston, Ill., Mr. Hervey is familiar with the Texas territory and has many business contacts in the State. During World War II, he served overseas with the 77th Division as Company Commander, Battalion Adjutant and Brigade Adjutant in the Pacific Area. He has been a captain in the New York National Guard. Mr. Hervey married the former Zerelda Rains in 1940. She was stationed at Sweetwater for training in the Women's Air Force Service Pilots during the war and was later employed by

North American Aviation in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Hervey, with their three children, will reside in the Dallas-Fort Worth area. Muscular dystrophy, an enigma in the medical world, is a disease which wastes the muscles of its victims until they are completely helpless. It is always fatal in children. Muscular Dystrophy Association of America, Inc., founded four years ago by a group of parents determined to find help for their stricken children, now supports 38 research projects both in the U. S. and abroad. Walt Whitman, famous American poet, was a nurse during the Civil War.

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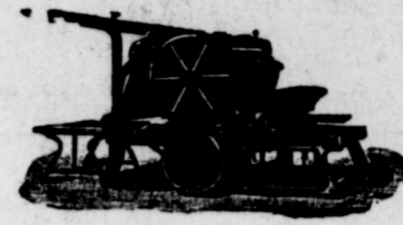
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