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MYSTERY FARM NO. 24—Here 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.

Services Held Friday For Pioneer Doctor

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the First Methodist Church for Dr. B. L. Jenkins with Dr. S. L. Joekel, Rev. I. E. Biggs and Rev. Wm. A. Cockerell officiating.

Dr. Jenkins, age 87, died January 13th at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo following a quite lengthy illness. He had been a resident of Clarendon for forty-four years.

Dr. Jenkins was born January 4, 1867 in the home of an uncle, Dr. Smart, who lived in Dallas where the Baker Hotel now stands. His parents moved to Mansfield in 1871 and it was there that Dr. Jenkins received his first years of education. He managed a general mercantile business for an uncle for several years prior to his entrance to Vanderbilt Medical University, Nashville, Tenn. in 1889. He served one year tutorage under the family physician, which had to be done before a student could enter medical school. He graduated with honors in 1891. His first year's practice was in the village of Oville, Ellis County. He moved to Palo Pinto County after this first year and remained there until 1910 when the family then moved to Clarendon where he remained until his death. He married Maggie Buster of Weatherford in 1894. She preceded him in death in April 1943.

During his fifty-one years of active practice of medicine and general surgery, he kept abreast of advancements by attending many post-graduate schools in the north and east. During this time he was a member of the American Medical Association and a member of the State, District and County medical societies. Dr. Jenkins was faithful to his profession throughout his long years of practice. He had been a member of the Presbyterian Church since early life.

Survivors include two sons, Dr. Oscar L. Jenkins of Dallas and B. L. Jenkins Jr. of Amarillo; two grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Pallbearers were Olin Bain, Bill Lowe, John Harp, Clyde Price, Johnnie Blocker, Carroll Knopp, Rayburn Smith and Robert C. Moss.

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

BETA SIGMA PHI TO HOLD BAKE SALE SAT.

Members of the Beta Sigma Phi will hold a bake sale this Saturday at Junior's Food Market. They will feature cakes, pies, etc. Proceeds will go to Girls Town at White Face, Texas.

Bronchos Receive Jackets At Annual Banquet Friday Nite

The Clarendon Broncho Mothers honored the entire Broncho squad and the boys' fathers with their annual football banquet at Lions Club hall last Friday evening.

Co-captain Fred Clifford was master of ceremonies and also introduced the two football queens who were also guests for the occasion. The co-queens are Kay Schollenbarger and Janice Benson. Supt. H. W. Truitt was the main speaker for the occasion; Co-captain Max Johnson gave the son's address and Dale Hill gave the father's response.

The highlight of the banquet was the presentation of awards which included jackets, sweaters and gold footballs.

Those receiving A squad jackets were Hubert Kidd, Fred Clifford, Glenn Wallace, Bobby Wilson, Jimmy Lamberth, Delma Graham, Don Landers, Howard Hensley, Ronnie Martin, Broadus Spivey, Max Johnson, Bobby Johnson, Bill Dale Hill, Bobby Philley, Bobby Cosper, Doyle Hall, Frank Mac Hicks, David Lane, Brank White, Perry Jordan, Billy Bradshaw, and Truitt Koen, manager.

B-squad jackets were awarded to Bernie Benson, Robert Cash, Allen Homer Estlack, Kenneth Evans, Donovan Houdashell, Billy Joe Percival and Dennis Harrison, manager.

Freshmen receiving sweaters were Eddie Joe Baten, Charles Cosper, Claude DeBord, James Graham, Chester Mann, John Payne, Jimmy Philley, Keith Pittman, Steve Reynolds, Winvell Trussell and Corky Wilson.

Those awarded gold footballs were Donald Adams, Gene Alderson, Jimmy Carter, Spud Edens, Jimmy Gattis, Doyce Graham, Kenneth Koen, Benny Lesley, Grady Montgomery, Winfred Self and Kenneth Webb.

Prominent Educator To Speak Tuesday At Hedley

Mr. R. L. (Bob) Proffer, past president Texas State Teachers Association is speaking to the teachers, trustees and all who are interested, Tuesday evening, January 26 at 7 o'clock at Hedley High School.

Mr. Proffer is going to discuss the proposed teacher pay raise and other proposed legislation as concerns the schools of our county and the state. All are invited to come.

This will be a regular meeting of the Texas State Teachers Association, Donley County unit.

Services Held Monday For Mrs. G. A. Garner

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Murphy-Spicer Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Henrietta Garner with Rev. Ernest Phillips officiating.

Mrs. Garner, age 78, died at her home here Saturday afternoon. She had been a resident of Donley county for a long number of years. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, George A. Garner, and a son, Jack Garner, both of Clarendon; two brothers, Charley Mercer of Round Rock and Lee Mercer, Corpus Christi; and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were C. L. Richards, F. H. Lumpkin, R. O. Thomas, Lois Putman, Bob Bingham and Homer Thomas.

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

W. F. Hubbard Rites Held Saturday

Funeral services for W. F. Hubbard were held Saturday morning at the First Methodist Church in Hedley with Rev. W. M. Culwell officiating.

Mr. Hubbard, age 77, died early Thursday morning at his home. He was a retired farmer and had been a resident of Donley County about 14 years. He was a member of the Nazarene Church.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Kittle Hubbard of Hedley, three daughters, Miss Beulah Hubbard and Mrs. Mary H. Johnson of Amarillo, and Mrs. Evonne Davis, Borger; two sons, Bernice of Wheeler, and Marvin Hubbard, Springer, N. M.; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Burial was in the Wheeler Cemetery with the Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

STATE JAYCEE PRESIDENT TO VISIT WITH LOCAL CLUB

It was announced this week that Tommy Cook of Baytown, Texas, President of the Texas Jaycees would visit the local Jaycee club at their meeting this Thursday night (tonight) at the Donley Hotel; meeting time is set for 7:30 p. m. "Tommy is a well known speaker throughout the state and we are fortunate in having him visit Clarendon," stated George Watson of the Clarendon Club. With Tommy will be Gwen Vaughn of Tulia, Vice President of Regions 1 and 2. All Jaycees are urgently requested to be at this meeting.

Only Nine More Days To Pay Your Poll Tax

Time is growing shorter and shorter as the deadline nears for paying your poll tax. Only nine days remain with a possible eight hundred receipts to be issued if the voting strength of this county equals the number issued in 1952. P. C. Messer, deputy tax collector, reported that only 818 receipts had been issued through Wednesday noon.

The person who fails to pay his poll tax and will be unable to vote is the person that helps elect the undesirable politician. Pay your poll tax today so you will be able to vote in every election this year. It will be a big political year and there is a good possibility there will be a number of hotly contested races, many of which will not develop until it is too late for you to "wish you had paid your poll tax."

R. L. PROFFER TO SPEAK TO P.T.A. JAN. 26

Mr. R. L. (Bob) Proffer, better known as Senator Proffer, will be the main speaker for the Clarendon Parent Teachers Association Tuesday, January 26 at 3 p. m. He plans to talk on "Where the Tax Dollar Comes From and How it is Spent." He is an excellent speaker and a very interested person in the education of Texas boys and girls. Everyone is urged to attend.

Miss Edgar Mae Mongole and her class will sponsor "Treat Day" January 26th.

Services Held Saturday For John C. Harris

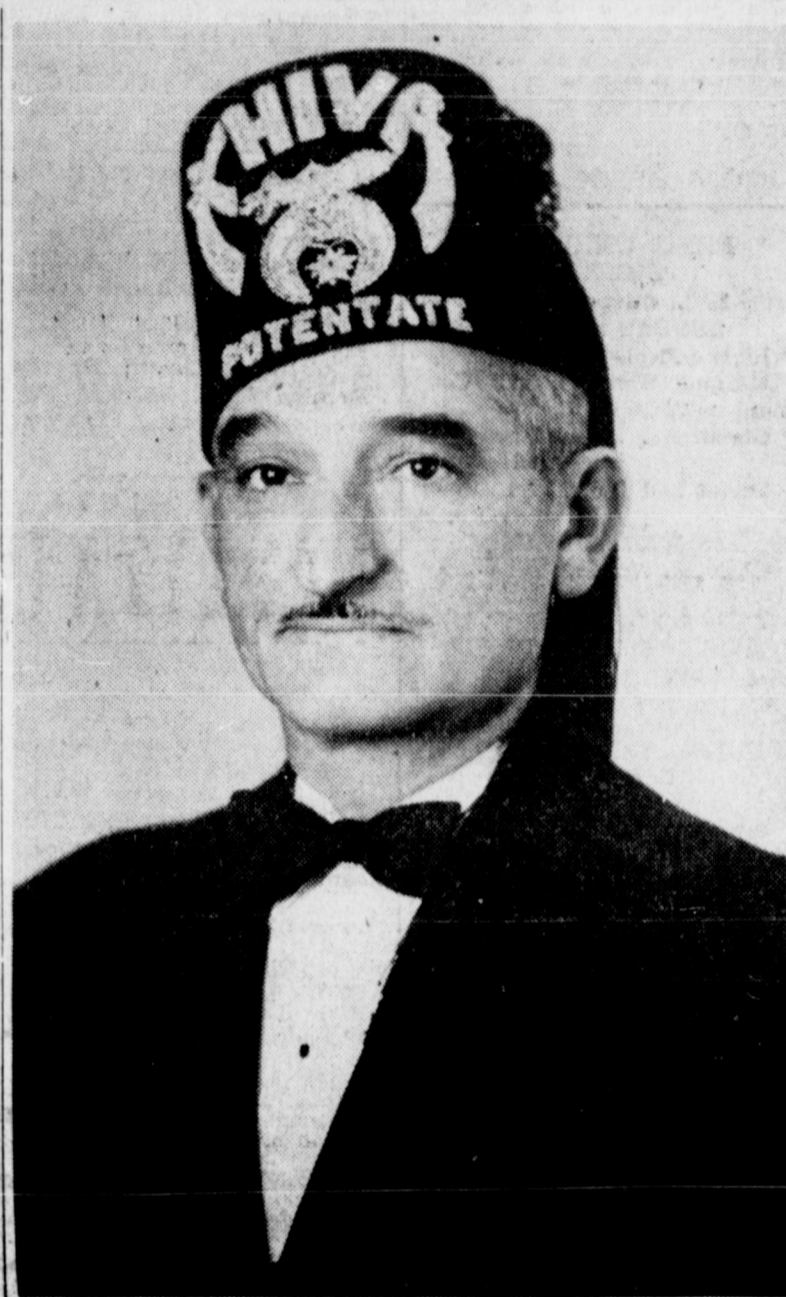
Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the First Methodist Church in Claude for John C. Harris with Rev. W. R. Beard officiating.

Mr. Harris, age 73, died Thursday morning in Trinidad, Colo., where he was visiting a son. He had been a resident of the Panhandle a long number of years and at one time worked for the Rowe Ranch. He had been ranching near Claude since 1938. He was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Iva Patching Harris of Claude; two sons, Vern of Weston, Colo. and Fred of Happy, a brother, Bill Harris, Hedley; a sister, Miss Mary Harris, San Antonio and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Oscar Hill, Cleon Byrd, Dee Wilson, John Butler, John Cheaveaux, Arthur DeHart, Herman Pafford and Harold Beckett.

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



GEORGE M. THOMPSON
Newly installed Illustrious Potentate of Khiva Temple

George M. Thompson Khiva's New Potentate

At the Annual meeting in Amarillo Wednesday, January 13, 1954, Noble George M. Thompson was elected and installed as Illustrious Potentate of Khiva Temple.

Noble Thompson was born April 6, 1908 at Memphis, Texas. He attended the Memphis schools, New Mexico Military Institute and the University of Oklahoma.

For five years he was in the hardware business at Hedley and in 1946 removed to Clarendon where he is associated with his brother, Louie Thompson in the firm of Thompson Brothers Hardware. He is a member of the First Baptist Church, served on the Clarendon School Board for six years and is a member of the Clarendon Country Club, and is Past President of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce. While residing in Memphis he served as Secretary of the Rotary Club.

Noble Thompson's Masonic record is: Past Master, Hedley Lodge No. 991; Past High Priest, Clarendon Chapter No. 216; Past Thrice Illustrious Master, Clarendon Council No. 156; Past Commander, Memphis Commandery No. 50; Past Grand Visitor of the Grand Council; present District Deputy Grand High Priest; a member of the Order of High Priesthood, the Knights of the York Cross of Honour, the Knight Templar Priests and Dallas Consistory No. 2.

He was initiated into Khiva Temple November 22, 1948 and was elected Oriental Guide in January 1950.

Noble H. C. Winburn of Amarillo is the newest member of Khiva's Divan, having been elected Oriental Guide. Noble Robert C. Neely of Amarillo was elected Treasurer, replacing Noble Martin Clifton who has removed to Colorado Springs, Colo., with the Colorado Inter-State Gas Co. Other members of the Divan who were elevated one step include Noble Paul G. Gaither, Chief Rabban; Noble Kenneth Kohler, Assistant Rabban; Noble Charles C. Sherrod, High Priest and Prophet. Noble W. L. "Bill" Brown was re-elected Recorder.

Representatives to the Imperial Council at Atlantic City named were: Nobles George M. Thompson, Paul G. Gaither, Kenneth Kohler and Mark Galloway. Noble Brown was elected Representative to the Shrine Recorders Association.

The reports of the Treasurer, the Recorder and Noble Mark Galloway, the retiring Potentate were presented to the more than 400 Nobles present. Prior to the meeting Noble Charlie Wilton and his Stewards Committee served a splendid oyster supper in the Palm Room.

Past Potentate T. W. "Bill" Gilstrap conducted the election in a very fine manner, and the Officers were installed by Past Potentate L. V. Cradit as Installing Officer and Past Potentate Norris Ewing as Marshall.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN DALLAS JAN. 9th

Word was received here from Clyde Douglas last week that his mother, Mrs. Phillips, passed away in Dallas, Saturday, January 9th. Funeral services were held there Monday. Mrs. Phillips made her home here several years ago. Mr. Douglas formerly operated the Rexall Store here.

Farm Bureau Votes to Ask For Increase of Cotton Acreage Allotment for 1954

The board of directors of the Donley County Farm Bureau met in Clarendon January 18th with President Henry Moore presiding. The meeting was held in the office of the county agent, Lee Shaller, secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting and they were approved. A delegation of farmers met with the board and a discussion on increase of cotton acreage allotment was held. The board voted to ask for an increase of cotton acreage allotment for 1954, using the years of 1951, 1952 and 1953 and being allowed to plant 70% of the average of these years. They also asked that farms allotted a cotton acreage allotment on which no cotton will be planted in 1954, be returned to the county total and then allotted to bonified cotton farmers on a basis of year to year.

Mrs. Mildred Ritter of the PMA discussed how cotton allotments were arrived at for the county and gave the averages of the past three years.

The Farm Bureau directors submitted petitions to the Hon. Walter Rogers, congressman; Hon. Lyndon Johnson, senator; Hon. John C. White, commissioner of agriculture in Texas and also to Mr. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau. The letters of the above were accompanied with a photostatic copy of a petition bearing the names of 500 cotton farmers of Donley County asking for the increase in cotton acreage allotment.

Moose Lodge To Observe Second Anniversary January 27

Members of the Clarendon Moose Lodge No. 1690 will observe the second anniversary of the organization here next Wednesday evening at 7:30.

A Panhandle-wide initiation ceremony will be held in conjunction with the celebration. Lodges from Amarillo, Borger, Pampa and Dumas will have candidates here for initiation along with the local lodge. A program has also been arranged for the ladies.

Following the initiation and anniversary ceremony, the entire group will enjoy a buffet supper and other entertainment. The local lodge membership numbers 113 and all members are reminded to keep the above date in mind.

Bulldogs To Play Amarillo Here Friday Night

The next game for the Clarendon College Bulldogs will be a conference game with the Amarillo College Badgers Friday, January 22nd at 8 o'clock in the Clarendon gym. This game is expected to be a hard fought contest as Amarillo always has a dangerous team. This year they are led by 6'-8" Tom Boyd along with Cecil Holloway, Gordon Todd, Red Myers and B. Oliver. This five will probably start the game.

Don Loyd, Bulldog coach, is expected to start DeGais, Fielding, Dorman, Alexander and Peeples with capable reserves in Neeley, White, Hutcherson, Coney, Dillehay, Blasingame, Walker, Brumley, Thompson, and Garland waiting to see action.

The game with Frank Phillips last Thursday night was a thriller and this game Friday night is expected to be even better. If you enjoy sports or any type of entertainment, you will certainly enjoy watching the Bulldogs in action in a top class basketball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Saye attended the Spring Market showing in Dallas the first of this week.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, January 31, 1954 has been designated as the 100th Anniversary of the establishment of the Texas Public School System; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Association of School Boards has been asked to coordinate the January 31st "Birthday Celebration" and has made plans for a one-half hour radio program describing the history of our public schools on a state-wide level, to be carried by most of the Texas radio stations on the afternoon of that date; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Education of Donley County, Texas wishes to cooperate in helping make this major date of the Centennial Year a most effective one;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Board of Education of Donley County, Texas that the week of January 25-29 be dedicated to the Birthday Observance in the Schools of Donley County.

Signed: W. A. Poovey
President, County Board of Education

Attest: Ruth M. Richerson
Secretary, County Board of Education

Trustees:

W. M. Pickering
George Bulman
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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Wm. A. Cockerell, Minister
 Sunday School—9:45 A. M.
 Sunday School Superintendent
 Dr. J. Gordon Stewart
 1st. Assistant Superintendent,
 H. Lee Shaller
 2nd Assistant Superintendent,
 Lee Bell
 Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.
 Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.
 Junior Choir sings at the evening worship service.
 The Men-of-the-Church meet every third Wednesday night for food, fellowship and fun. Friends are invited.
 The Choir meets on Wednesday night for rehearsal.
 The Deacons meet each First Sunday night at 6:15 for their monthly meeting.
 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.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

L. L. Oliver, Minister
SUNDAY SERVICES
 Bible School—9:45 A. M.
 Morning Worship and Communion—10:50 A. M.
 Christian Training Hour—6:00 P. M.
 Praise and Worship Hour—7:00 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Christian Women's Aid—3:00 P. M.
 Choir Rehearsal—7:00 P. M.
 Bible Study and Prayer Service—7:30 P. M.
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J. E. Byers, Pastor
SUNDAY
 9:45—Bible School
 Billie Lowe, Supt.
 10:55—Worship Hour
 6:15—Training Union
 N. Richardson, Director
 7:30—Worship Hour
TUESDAY
 6:30—Youth Choir Practice
 7:30—Sanctuary Choir Practice
WEDNESDAY
 3:00—Sunbeams
 3:00—W. M. U.
 6:30—Intermediate R. A.'s
 6:30—Junior R. A.'s
 6:30—G. A.
 7:00—Sunday School Officers and Teachers meeting.
 7:30—Mid-week Prayer Service

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.

MARTIN BAPTIST CHURCH

T. H. Harmonson, Pastor
 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
 George Bulman, Supt.
 Morning Service—11:00 A. M.
 Training Union—7:00 P. M.
 Nelson Christie, Director
 Evening Service—8:00 P. M.
 Wednesday Evening Prayer Service—7:30.

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.
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 Bible Study—7:30
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CHURCH OF CHRIST

Chas. B. Wells, Minister
 Services Sunday Morning—Bible Classes—10:00 A. M.
 Worship Service—10:50 A. M.
 Young People's Meeting—6:00 P. M.
 Preaching—7:00 P. M.
 Ladies Bible Class Wednesday afternoon—3:00
 Midweek Services—Wednesday evening—7:00
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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.
 Perry Jordan, Director
 Preaching Service—8:00 P. M.
 Wednesday evening: Prayer Service—7:30.
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Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
 Leo Smith, Supt.
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 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.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

C. E. Townsend, Pastor
 Sunday School—9:45 A. M.
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 Evening Service—8:00 P. M.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

N. J. Pope, Pastor
SUNDAY
 Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
 Evening—7:00 P. M.
THURSDAY
 Evening—7:00 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.
 Preaching—8:00 P. M.



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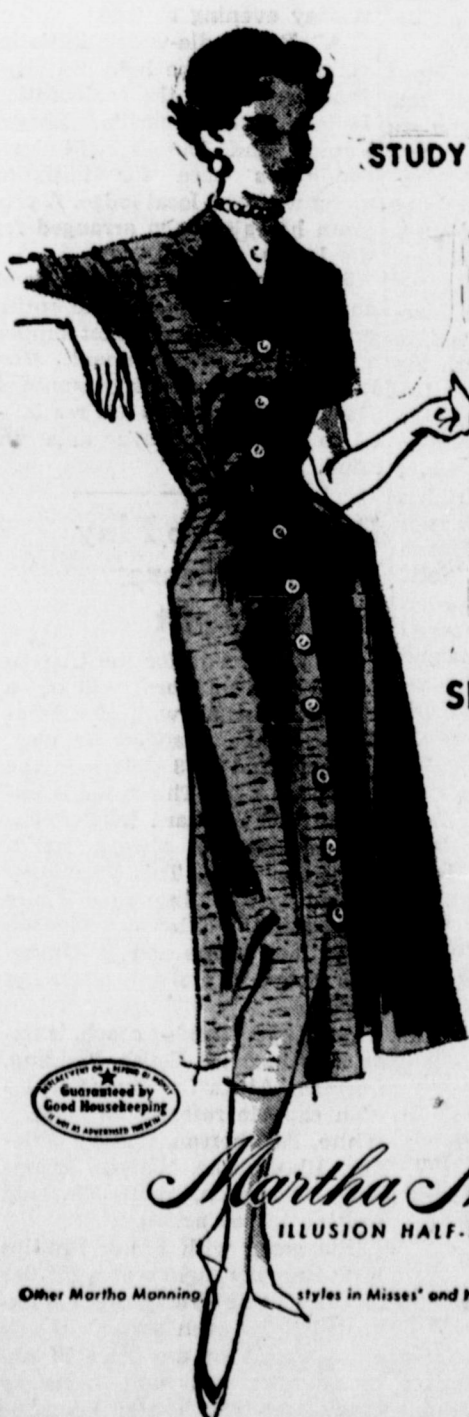
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HUDGINS NEWS
Mrs. Carl Barker

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Marshall during last week were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall of

Compton, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Onegkiet of Pine Bluff, Wyo. Nova Barker spent Tuesday at Groom hospital with her aunt Della who underwent surgery Monday. Her friends will be glad to know she is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott

shopped in Amarillo Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Marshall of Ashtola spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Shields attended the funeral of Ike Hodges at Memphis Wednesday.

Ruby Mann spent Monday nite with Shirley Barker.

Mrs. A. C. Carter was called to DeLeon, Texas Thursday by the death of her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tims and Pamela of Friona spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott.

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

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tyler spent Sunday with Mrs. Vera Smith and Lester.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holland of Hedley Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann visited Mr. and Mrs. Nolie Simmons and enjoyed television Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Darby visited Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins of Martin had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott Wednesday night.

Mrs. Self and Mrs. Hott were at the quilting at Mrs. U. T. Devers in Clarendon Thursday.

Yvonne and Carla Barker of Martin spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann and Frances visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mann Wednesday night.

Kathleen and Geoffrey Gregory of Houston are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott.

Mr. and Mrs. Barker visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tyler Thursday night.

J. B. McDaniel and Coleman Shields visited Claude Hunt of Hedley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham and boys of Ashtola spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDaniel Saturday.

Betty Elliott and Clyde Mor-

gan were married at the Calvary Baptist Church Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue called on Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott are trying out a new television.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cosper moved to Sunnyview community.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Marshall and son, Bufford of Ashtola were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Marshall Thursday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Perdue and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perdue all of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stout and Don of Fritch.

Mr. and Mrs. Bufford Holland are entertaining a new daughter, John Perdue and Delmer Koontz went to the live stock sale at Wellington Monday.

Davis Williams made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

ASHTOLA NEWS

Mrs. Doyce Graham

Mr. H. E. Tolleson and Mrs. C. E. Wheeler are on our sick list.

We wish them a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Bob Crawford was in Hedley Monday to see the Dr. Mrs. H. S. Hardin has just recovered from the flu.

Mrs. Word entertained a few friends Thursday honoring Mrs. Bell from Calif. Those attending Mrs. Mrs. Carroll Knorpp, Mrs. Wesley Knorpp, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. W. H. Patrick and Mrs. Will Word.

Guests of the Crawfords last week were Mrs. Nettie Hilligass from Long Beach and Nina Crawford from Hollywood, Calif. They all spent Sunday with the H. C. Crawfords at Hedley.

Dewey Foster, just out of the Navy, spent Sunday in the Garrett Foster home. Virginia Foster has returned home from a relative's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tolleson and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow visited relatives in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lovell and Lynitta of Dumas spent the week end with the Ben Lovells. Lynitta remained for a longer visit.

Dr. J. P. Cornette and son, Marvin Cornette, Jan Christal, Millard Word all of Canyon and Jim-

my Naylor of Panhandle visited in the M. R. Word home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham visited Mrs. W. F. Barker in Groom hospital Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Robertson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wallace.

Lovell Myers of Amarillo spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Marshall and sons of Amarillo spent the week end in the W. A. Marshall home.

Mrs. Lloyd Reid spent Monday in Phillips with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White and Jack.

Sunday guests in the Word home were Jo Anne and Janice Christal, Millard Word and Jimmy Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holley and Randy of Olton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harp and son and Merle of Amarillo visited the Harps Friday. Lucky went home with them and stayed until Sunday and Johnny Bob spent Sunday with Lucky.

Mrs. Word left Monday to be with her mother, Mrs. Ingham, who is ill in Neblett Hospital in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Evans and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield in Plaska.

Mrs. Herb Davis visited Monday with Mrs. S. G. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Marshall were in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall, back from Calif., visited the W. A. and Willard Marshalls last week. They were undecided whether they would remain in Texas.

Mrs. Betty Wilson and Shirley Wilson from Amarillo spent the week end with home folks.

Kay Lane spent Sunday with Linda Kay Hardin.

Mrs. Dexter Todd and children from Clovis visited her mother, Mrs. Watt Hardin and other relatives this week.

Billy Mack Hicks spent Sunday night with Delma Graham.

Eldon and Wendell Bullington from Wyoming and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bullington from Dumas visited in the H. A. Graham home Sunday.

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MARTIN NEWS

Mrs. W. H. Morrow

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

Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Harmonson and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Morrow of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow Sunday.

Those that were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Sullivan Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Aten and Wayne, Bro. and Mrs. Ernest Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jordan.

Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited Mrs. Devers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brinkley and Eddie visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stiles of Hedley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grisham and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Lee Hill and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin at Memphis Sunday.

Martin community gave Mr. James Tolbert and girls a shower

Friday night. Mrs. Brinkley's brother and wife of Amarillo came by to see them Thursday. They were on their way to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bulman of Clarendon were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Jones and baby went home Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS

To those who expressed their sympathy in so many beautiful and practical ways during our recent bereavement, we extend our heartfelt thanks.

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Well, I thought my plans were ruined for sure until I noticed a gasoline can with a sign: "This is emergency gas. Just help yourself and leave the can with \$1.00. Thanks."

Got started, made the meeting on time, and had enough gas to

get back home again—thanks to a trusting friend.

From where I sit, folks who trust their neighbors make the world a better place to live in. For instance, letting a friend express his personal preferences, is one way of trusting your neighbor. Sometimes I prefer a temperate glass of beer in the evening but I'll always ask what you'd like before I pour yours.

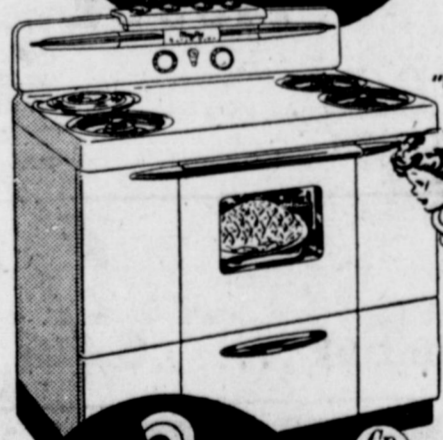
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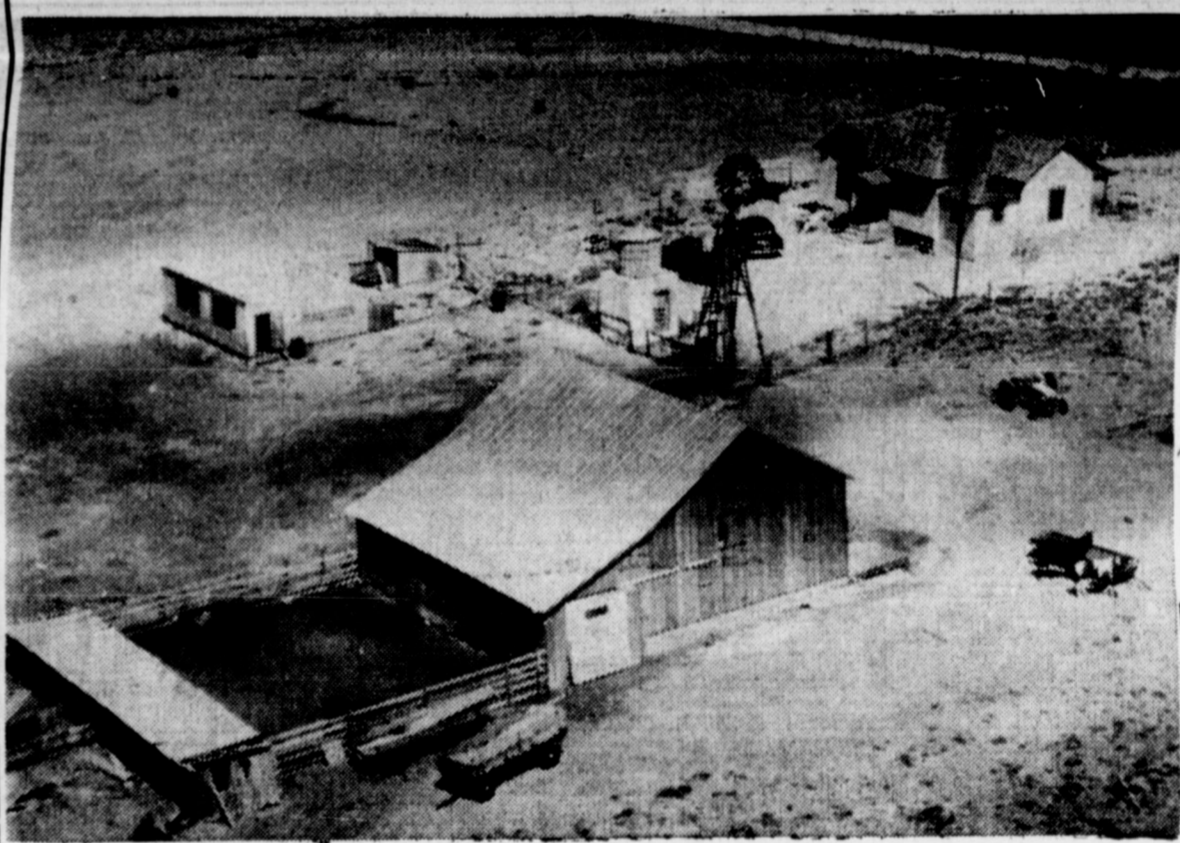
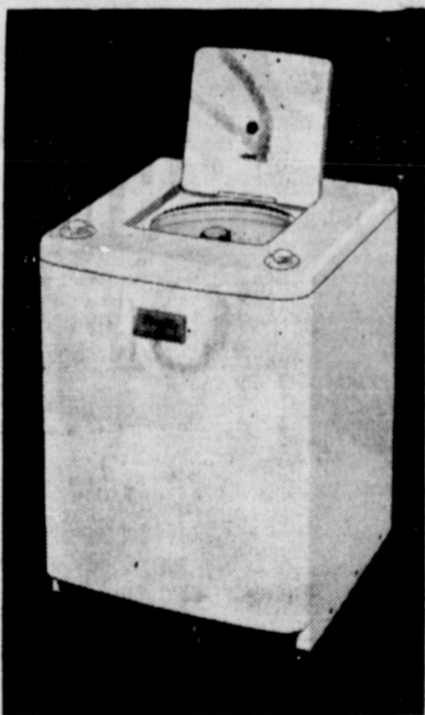
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MYSTERY FARM NO. 23—This farm home was identified by eleven persons this week as the J. Leonard Baggett farm located about two miles northeast of Hedley.

Mr. Baggett is owner of this 160 acre farm and has lived there since 1947. He has one hundred and fifty acres in cultivation and his principal crop is cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Baggett, long time residents, have two sons, James and Doyle. They are members of the Church of Christ.

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Elliott - Morgan

Miss Betty Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott, became the bride of Clyde Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morgan, in a double-ring ceremony read January 14, at 5 p. m. at the Calvary Baptist Church. Bro. Ernest Phillips, pastor, officiated. The bride was lovely in a pastel pink suit complemented by black accessories. She wore a corsage of white carnations.

Miss Wanda Elliott, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a blue faille suit with navy accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds. Gene McBrayer was best man.

Mrs. Elliott, mother of the bride, wore a black suit with black accessories. Mrs. Morgan, the groom's mother, wore a green suit with brown accessories.

Mrs. Clyde Morgan, at the time of her marriage, was a member of the senior class of Clarendon High School. Mr. Morgan was a member of the 1953 High School graduating class. After a short wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Borger where the groom is employed.

HARMONY CLASS

Mesdames Homer Parsons and C. L. Bolding entertained the Harmony Class in the home of Mrs. Parsons on Thursday, January 14.

Mrs. Rayburn Smith, the president, was in charge of the business.

The hostesses served delicious refreshments to Mesdames B. C. Antrobus, C. W. Bennett, Fred Buntin, Ivey Biggs, Homer Bones, Wilson Gray, Lee Holland, Frank Phelan, Sr., Bill Ray, Rayburn Smith, Victor Smith, E. P. Shelton, O. C. Watson and H. T. Warner.

BRIDE - ELECT SHOWER HONOREE

Patching Club House was the scene of a bridal shower, Monday, January 11, honoring Miss Lovelle Hodge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Hodge of Clarendon, and bride-elect of Bobby Parker. A very interesting program of Lovelle's past, present, and future life was presented by Mrs. Clyde Reed of Lakeview assisted by Mrs. P. C. Messer of Clarendon.

Following the program, Lovelle seated at a laden table of lovely gifts, opened and passed them for every one to see after which tasty refreshments of spiced tea, coffee and cake were served by Mrs. Ted Montgomery of Lakeview and Mrs. John Lemons of Clarendon. The table setting was beautiful with a centerpiece of white carnations and silver bells with blue candles, chosen colors of Loyelle.

Hostesses were Mesdames James Smith, Jack Eddings, Alice Bain, Marie Hill, John Lemons, Loyd Hillis, and W. S. Carlile, all of Clarendon; also Mesdames O. L. Favors, Ted Montgomery, J. W. Longshore, Pat Lewis, Aubrey Martin, Clyde Reed, Cartie Dunn, G. D. Hall and H. W. Spear of Lakeview; and Mrs. J. L. Burnett of Memphis.

Approximately eighty attended or sent gifts.

HUDDINS QUILTING CLUB

The Huddins Quilting Club met Tuesday, January 12 with Mrs. George Self. Members present were: Mae Perdue, Ruth Lindley, Ruby Parker, Mary Lee Noble, Cora Elliott, Florence Webb, Pauline Koontz and hostess Pearl Self.

Refreshments of cake, coffee and cocoa were served. The next meeting, Tuesday, January 26, will be with Mrs. Alton Webb.

NEW FASHION SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED; FIRST WINNER PREPARES FOR CAREER



The second national competition to choose two 1954 winners of Forest City Fashion Scholarships is now underway with high school students invited to submit entries before March 1. Meanwhile, Nancy Lucas (right) winner of a two-year fashion design scholarship in 1953, gets practical pointers from designer Robert Mayes of Forest City Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, sponsor of the scholarships. Rules and entry blanks are available from high school principals, or from the Scholarship Awards Committee, 1641 Washington Avenue, St. Louis 3, Mo.

1926 BOOK CLUB

Mrs. Alvin Landers and Mrs. Curtis Mears were hostesses to the Book Club Tuesday afternoon in Patching Club House.

The meeting opened with the reading of the Collect followed by a prayer by Mrs. Clyde Hudson. The secretary, Mrs. Hudson, also read a "Thank You" note from the State Hospital in Wichita Falls for the Christmas packages. Approximately 9000 packages were received by the hospital from clubs throughout this area.

The president, Mrs. Bones, then presented Mrs. John Gillham who reviewed "Only Parent" by Mrs. Louise Dickinson Rich. The story opens at Forest Lodge on Rapid River in Northwest Maine where Rufus and Diana are still quite small. Ralph Rich dies. Louise keeps her family together through earnings received from her published stories and books. Later she moves to Bridge Water, Massachusetts so that her children will have access to better schools. Their life there is some-

times hilarious, sometimes deeply touching, always entertaining and endearingly human. Mrs. Rich is also the author of another popular novel "We Took To The Woods" that has rated among the best sellers.

A salad course, coffee and tea were served the following members: Mesdames Charles Bairfield, C. W. Bennett, Homer Bones, Glenn Hoggatt, Loyd Johnson, W. J. Lewis, W. C. Thornberry, Frank White, Jr., Bill Bromley, John Gillham, C. M. Lowry, Homer Parsons, Frank Phelan, Sr., Rayburn Smith, W. E. Ray, L. T. Shelton, Clyde Hudson, Misses Loyd Richerson and Lucile Polk, and one guest, Mrs. J. H. Spier.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Strawn and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Edens attended funeral services for Mr. Strawn's brother in Wichita Falls last Sunday. Mr. Strawn passed away early Saturday morning at his home there after a lengthy illness. His wife and four children survive him.

EX-STUDENT CLUB OF WTSC

The newly organized Ex-student Club of West Texas State College met January 5, 1954, at 7:30 P. M. for dinner at the Essie Dunlap residence given by Mr. Bill Todd. The meeting was called to order by the President, Bill Todd. The invocation was given by J. N. Weaver. An after-dinner talk was made by Mr. Milton Morris from the campus. He gave a brief sketch of the past history of the ex-student association and reviewed the present activities on the college campus this year. The future activities of the Clarendon Club were outlined and discussed by the entire group. The newly elected officers were recognized and introduced. The meeting was concluded with group singing.

Those who attended the dinner and meeting were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank White Jr., Mrs. Mary Rhode, Mrs. Mary Sue Longan, Mrs. Mildred Hendrix, Mrs. Anne C. Kennedy, Mrs. Nova C. Mears, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Weaver, Mrs. Anna B. Ballew, Mr. Homer Hardin, Mr. George Watson, Miss Ruth Richerson, Miss Betty Maddux, Mrs. Olean B. Leggett, Mrs. Hazel C. Brandon, Miss Mable Mongole, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vaughn, Mr. Joe Spann, Mr. Ray Moore, and the host and hostess. Visitor from the campus was Frank Reeves.

LILLIE HUNDLEY CIRCLE

The Lillie Hundley Circle of the Baptist Church met Wednesday afternoon January 13, in the home of Mrs. Roscoe Land. Mrs. Bill Preacher opened the meeting with prayer. After minutes were read and roll called, each officer discussed the duties of her respective office. The new books of study were given out. The new study will be "In Evangelical Country" by John Caylor. Mrs. A. T. Cole gave the closing prayer.

Present were Mesdames A. T. Cole, Claude Darden, James Moore, C. M. Brewer, Bill Preacher, and the hostess, Mrs. Roscoe Land.

The next meeting will be January 27 with Mrs. James Moore. Mrs. A. T. Cole will begin the new study at 3 o'clock.

BETA SIGMA PHI

The Texas Mu Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met on January 14 at 8 p. m. in the home of Lois Schollenbarger with Anne Reeves hostess.

The meeting was called to order by Anne Reeves, president. Jane Bownds, secretary, called the roll and the following members answered roll call by what is expected of other Beta Sigma Phis: Bert Garland, Juanita Phelps, Frankie Henson, Mae Naylor, Mary Gain, Dee Williams, Lois Schollenbarger, Anne Reeves, Jane Bownds, Jennie Aten, Jo Lynn and Mrs. C. B. Morris, sponsor.

Lois Schollenbarger had charge of the program "Nature's Landscape." Further plans were made for a cake sale, the proceeds to go to Girls Town and Cancer Research. The date is still indefinite for the basketball game. The proceeds will go to help the Clarendon School Band.

Coffee and cake were served by the hostess to the above named members.

The next meeting will be held January 28th in the home of Mary Kay Riley.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

Women of the Presbyterian Church held their Circle meeting Wednesday afternoon, January 13, in the home of Mrs. Ed Dishman with Mrs. Nova McClure co-hostess.

The meeting was called to order and opened with a devotional, "Thought for the Year," by the chairman, Mrs. Lee Shaller. Roll call was answered by 12 members reporting 23 visits. Minutes of the December 9 meeting were read and approved.

The Bible study entitled "Words About Deeds" was given by Mrs. W. G. Word, as the first lesson of the year in our study—The Book of Acts. The Let's Talk About, "General Council and Board of Women's Work," was given by Mrs. Bill Montgomery.

The meeting was closed with the Mizpah Benediction.

Refreshments were served to 12 members and two guests by the hostesses.

H. D. CLUB

The Senior Home Demonstration Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Ella McDowell for an all day meeting and quilting.

A covered dish dinner was served family style at the noon hour from the dining table which was covered with a linen cloth.

Mrs. Clyde Butler, president, presided over the short business meeting. Plans for the club work in the coming year were discussed. Mrs. Lena Antrobus read The Club Collect. One quilt was finished in the afternoon.

Present for the day were Mesdames Lena Antrobus, O. C. Watson, W. L. Jordan, Joe Terry, A. W. Simpson, N. L. Jones, Tom Crabtree, Claude Darden, Clyde Butler, and Bertha Benson. Those attending in the afternoon were Mesdames Virgil Poole, M. C. Rampy, and R. C. Bingham.

The next meeting will be held the third Friday in February with Mrs. G. A. Anderson.

KIL KARE KNEEDLE KLUB

Mrs. R. O. Thomas was hostess to the Kil Kare Klub Thursday afternoon, January 14. The home was artistically decorated with potted plants.

During the business session conducted by the new president, Mrs. J. R. Bartlett, plans were made for the year. Visiting and fancy needle work were enjoyed.

The hostess served a delicious luncheon to members Mesdames Homer Mulkey, Buel Sanford, E. H. Noland, S. W. Lowe, J. R. Bartlett, Frank Whitlock, R. R. Dawkins, C. E. Lindsey, A. O. Hefner, and Misses Ida and Etta Harned.

The next meeting will be January 28, in the home of Mrs. A. O. Hefner.

NEEDLE CLUB

The Needle Club met Jan. 14 in the home of Mrs. Gilbert Mann as hostess. The evening was spent visiting, crocheting, and tating. Mrs. Ross Darby received pollyanna gift.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mrs. Ira Self, Mrs. Harvey Shaw, Mrs. Carl Barker, Mrs. Oren Hott, Mrs. Henry Mann, Mrs. Ross Darby and hostess Mrs. Gilbert Mann.

Next club meeting will be Feb. 11th in the home of Mrs. Ira Self as hostess.

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JR. H. D. CLUB

The Junior Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon with Thelma Behrens and Cleo Crutchfield hostesses.

The business meeting was presided over by the president, Polly Schull. Ruby Fitzgerald was voted a new member of the club.

THE Y. W. A.'s

The Y.W.A.'s met in the home of Lucy Richardson January 19. The meeting was opened with a prayer. Plans for going to Belton were discussed.

TO OBSERVE 50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Open house from 1 til 5 p. m. will be held January 24th in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Lamberson in observance of their Golden Wedding anniversary.

HOSPITAL PATIENT

Mrs. Homer Estlack entered Odum-Dryden Hospital in Memphis Sunday afternoon preparatory for major surgery Monday morning.

In a last report from Mrs. W. A. Land, Mrs. Billy Marvin Land of El Paso is able to be at home and is improving at this time.

Mrs. Roy Roberson and Pat visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family.

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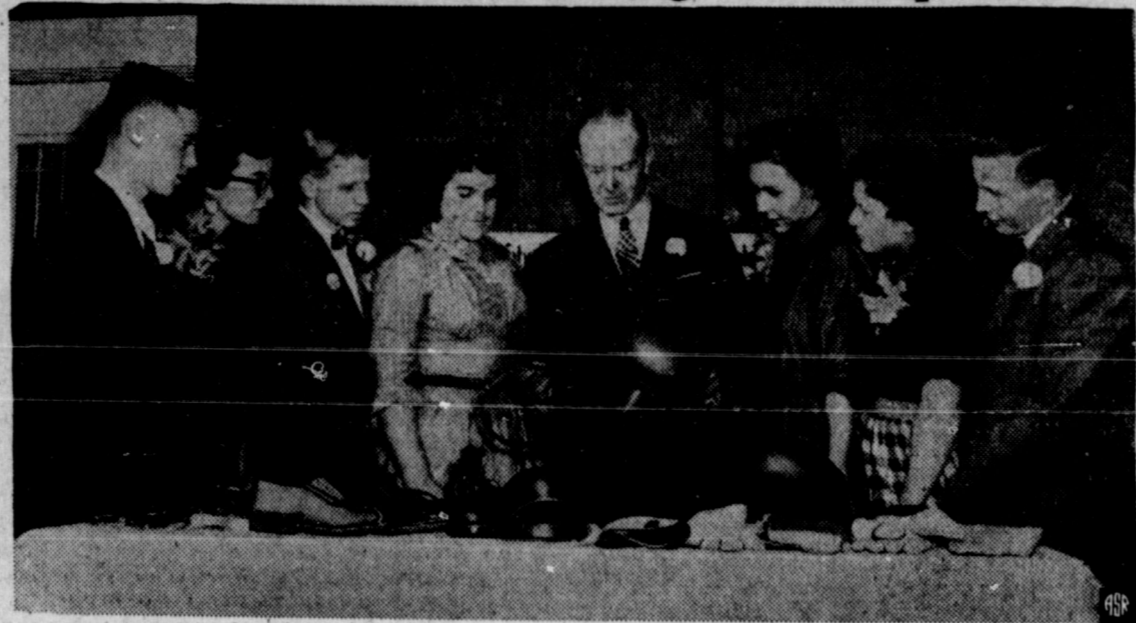
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4-H Youths Win College Scholarships



These safety champs are national winners in the 4-H Farm and Home Safety Program. Their achievements in promoting safety on the farm and in the home won them \$300 college scholarships...

GOLDSTON NEWS

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Littlefield and baby from Happy visited Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Littlefield and baby returned home Tuesday from the service and will be home and enjoy company.

Sue Talley spent Saturday nite with Lillie Barker of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Roy of Clarendon visited Wednesday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and Grandma Perdue.

Mr. J. L. Talley spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godbey visited Thursday night with the Smiths of Lelia Lake and played forty-two.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and Pat visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godbey and Jerry.

Keith Covington spent Saturday night and Sunday with Pat Roberson.

Mrs. Roy Roberson and Pat visited Saturday evening with Mrs. Lenord Dozier.

Mrs. Dick Eichelberger and Gerry Stewart visited with Mrs. V. Littlefield Monday morning.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley and Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls took supper Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Lenda Ledbetter visited Sunday eve with Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls took supper Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield visited Tuesday eve with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart and boys, Mrs. Nath Helton, Nancy and Mike of Groom visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger.

Mrs. Fontayne Elmore of Clarendon visited Friday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger.

Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Williams of Clarendon visited Monday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and Grandma Perdue.

Jack Trussell visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and Pat. Jack has just returned from overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Littlefield and baby and Doyle Ray Littlefield took dinner Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ashcraft announce the arrival of a girl January 19th at Stewart Clinic. She was named Loretta Fern and weighed 8 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett David are the proud parents of a girl born Wednesday morning, Jan. 20th at Stewart Clinic. She weighed 7 pounds and was named Carla Sue.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Holland announce the arrival of a daughter, Patricia Gale, January 16th at Stewart Clinic. She weighed 8 lbs. and 4 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ellis announce the arrival of a boy at Stewart Clinic January 17th. He weighed 8 lbs. and 8 oz.

Billy Lynn Horton underwent a tonsilectomy at Stewart Clinic January 15th.

Mrs. Carroll Brumley and son Rusty left Thursday for their home in Miller, Mo., after visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brumley and other relatives.

Mrs. Lulu Love of Clovis, N. M. is visiting in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brumley.

Frank Thomas returned home Monday night from Temple, Texas where Mrs. Thomas is a patient in the Scott and White Hospital recovering from a bone splice. She is improving satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Curry of Clovis, N. M. visited in the Strawn home last week.

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COCOANUT 53c Shredded—1 lb. Cello Bag

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DOG FOOD 31c Nibs—3 Cans

RICE 33c Water Maid—2 lb. Pkg.

CORN 19c Kunsers Golden Cream Style—303 Can

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FARM NEWS

from the County PMA Committee

1954 ACP PROGRAM:

To date there have been a total of \$39,111.90 of Federal cost-shares requested by producers and approved by the Donley County Committee.

Any request for program cost-sharing received in the county office after the close of the initial

sign-up period, which was December 15, 1953 in Donley County, is considered a "late" request.

"Where it will permit the maximum accomplishment of additional conservation with available funds, farmers may file requests for program aid at any time during the year notwithstanding the initial sign-up period. However, requests filed shall not be acted on individually by the committee on a day-by-day basis. They must be accumulated over a period of time previously announced to all farmers by the county committee.

period on its merits in relation to the other requests and the then available and uncommitted program funds."

When you have received an approval don't forget to notice the EXPIRATION DATE, as that is very important. On the expiration date the approval will be automatically cancelled if the performance has not been reported or an extension of time has not been requested.

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LELIA LAKE NEWS

Mrs. H. R. King

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Howard and daughters of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Knox.

Miss Billie Jean Poole of Canyon spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Poole.

Mrs. J. E. White and Winnie, Mr. and Mrs. Billy White, and Carolyn Monk spent the weekend

in Wichita Falls with J. E. White and other relatives.

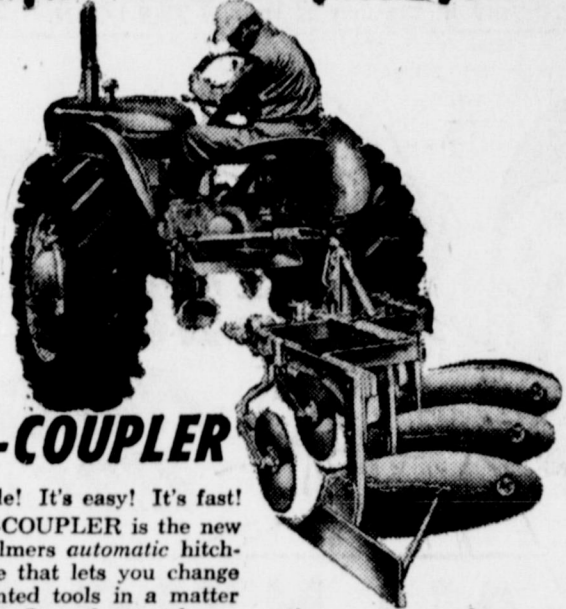
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Meredith and Mrs. Allie Caviness of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten Sunday.

Miss Jane Johnson of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kinch Leathers.

Miss Shirley Aten spent Saturday night and Sunday in Claude with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bagwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Mik Mooney and daughters of Lockney and Miss Daisy Mooney of Oglesby spent the weekend with Mrs. Moody Hamil and other relatives.

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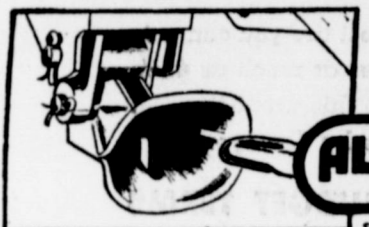
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People, Spots In The News

DROUGHTS GONE — Southwest Kansas, a drought disaster area last summer, has become lush wheat pasture area. Here's part of flock of 10,000 sheep grazing near Liberal, Kan.



OPEN IT!—Dogs' and cats' best friend is can-opener, judging from American Can Company survey which shows 1 1/2 billion cans of pet food consumed in '53—that's 30-plus per year per pet.



GRAMPS — President Eisenhower and granddaughter Susan, 2, mutually delighted at family re-union in Georgia.



DOUBLE BEAUTY — Twin debutantes, Evelyn and Patricia Bates, let mirror double their loveliness at big New York ball.

Mrs. Quinn Aten and Mrs. Sam Roberts visited relatives in Memphis Tuesday.

Mrs. Luther Butler underwent minor surgery in Amarillo Monday morning.

Billy Parker had business in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Nelson Seago and Sue, Mrs. Earl Myers and Mrs. Rice Batson shopped in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Gerner is visiting relatives in Redlands, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Holland are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Patricia Gail, born last

Friday.

Mrs. Leldon McBrayer of Lubbock is visiting in the Buford Holland home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stepp and children visited his parents in Childress Saturday.

Ferral Floyd visited his father, U. T. Floyd of Hedley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Chunn of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowling and children spent the weekend in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Cleburne Gustin and Miss Mattalaine Bowling.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten were hosts to a number of friends with a forty-two party Saturday evening. Those to enjoy the games and refreshments were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Costner, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Seago, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Christal, Mr. and Mrs. Rice Batson, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Aten.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith entertained a few friends with a forty-two party Thursday evening. Those to enjoy the games and refreshments were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godbey, Mr. and Mrs. George Hillis, Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill DePauw had business in Amarillo last Tuesday.

Mrs. Bernice Wood and son of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. King, and her son Russell Wood.

GABIE BETTS BURTON LIBRARY NOTES

By May L. Prewitt

We have ordered two books for boys with a memorial donation for Tom Goodner's shelf. Several give memorials on special days, and these gifts are gratefully received.

A stranger came in to read the other day and asked for a Bible. Ours was quite worn. He suggested it needed rebinding, but he would see that we received a

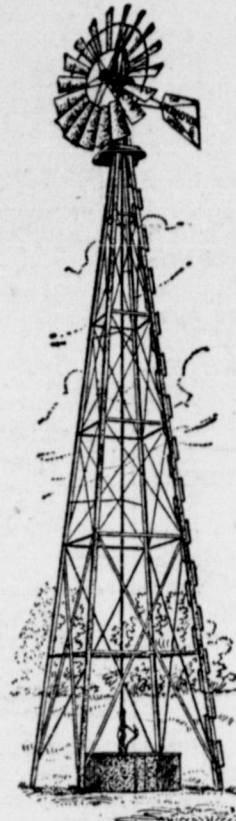
Gideon Bible. Well, someone else sent us one when I related the story. We have a Gideon Bible now.

The Texaco Co. sent us "The Texaco Story the First Fifty Years — 1902-1952" by Marquis James. It is nice binding and print. We receive quite a few editions relating the history of

companies when these companies celebrate an anniversary. We have "Ford At Fifty," "DuPont, The Autobiography of an American Enterprise" and several others.

Our reading membership has increased during the winter weather.

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FOR SALE—4 room rock veneer house with bath, 1 block south of Veterinary hospital, priced to sell. See Leo Wallace. (50tc)

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FOR SALE—New and used Allis-Chalmers Combines. See Estlack Machinery Co., Clarendon, Texas. (32tc)

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

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 Stocking's Drug Store

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

FOR SALE—My place of business; also the old Skinner place in SE Clarendon, 6 rooms and bath, double garage. Phone 48-R. Joe A. Holland. (48tc)

VALENTINES—Large assortment of Valentines just received at
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For less than a penny a day you can protect your important papers and valuables in a safety deposit box at The Farmers State Bank, Clarendon, Texas. (33tc)

Your Local Knapp Shoe Dealer. Lee Leek. Phone 410-M. (38-p)

EGG PRODUCTION—Increase egg production by feeding Dr. LeGear's Plus in poultry feed. A 2 lb. carton medicates 400 lbs. feed.
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FOR SALE—All kinds of Posts.
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FOR SALE—M & M Model Z tractor for sale cheap, 1 1/4 mile NE of Ashtola. W. H. Wilson. (51-p)

FOR SALE or TRADE—Team of mules. F. J. Hommel. (47tc)

FOR SALE—Nice modern stucco house, close in. See Mrs. Maggie Deal in 500 block on East 3rd St. (50-p)

HOUSE FOR SALE—To be moved, 5 rooms. Contact Luther Butler, Lelia Lake. Phone 413-M3. (51-p)

PIANOS—Will have exceptional bargain in used upright and spinet piano in this area in short time. Also used Kimball Studio and Wurlitzer Spinnet Organ. Contact us immediately if interested in seeing these instruments as our Credit Representative will be here a short time only. Convenient terms to responsible parties, trade-ins accepted. Write or phone The McBrayer Piano Co., Childress, Texas. (50-2c)

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Large downstairs apartment, private bath, refrigerator, bills paid, couple preferred. Phone 417-W. Mrs. H. B. Hill. (50tc)

FOR RENT—2 room furnished apartment, adults only. Phone 312-J. Mrs. Roy Beverly. (48tc)

FOR RENT—Upstairs Apartments. 520 E. 3rd St. Phone 154. Mrs. A. T. Cole. (47tc)

FOR RENT—Nice 2 bedroom unfurnished duplex, available about Feb. 1st, east side. K. K. Day. Phone 210-R. (50tc)

See Frank Peden, Goodnight, Texas for Pioneer tailor-made suits for men and women. Spring & Summer Samples have arrived. (50-p)

FOR RENT—Five room house, 8 miles north on highway. Any-one interested see C. M. Brock, Lelia Lake. (50-p)

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished apartments. Clean, modern, each with private bath. Close in, bills paid. Phone 30-MX. (1-p)

WANTED

WANTED—Baby sitting or practical nursing—Day or night. Mrs. D. C. Williams. Phone 497-W. (50-p)

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MALE & FEMALE
MAN OR WOMAN to distribute Watkins Nationally Advertised Products to established customers in Clarendon. Full or part time. Earnings unlimited. No car or other investment necessary. Write Mr. C. R. Ruble, Dept. J-3, The J. R. Watkins Company, Memphis, Tennessee. (50-p)

NOTICE

I now have a typewriter, so can do your typing (and stenography) in my home. Isla Smith. Six blocks east of Clarendon Hotel. (52-p)

WANT TO BUY good long age Weaner Pigs or Feeder Shoats. H. T. Warner. (49tc)

NOTICE

Plumbing repairs of all kinds; 30 years experience; prompt, reliable service. Phone 292-M. L. L. Taylor. (52-p)

MALE HELP WANTED

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY—National Advertising has increased the demand for Watkins Products in Donley County. A dealership is being established and will be offered to the first ambitious man between 25 and 55 who qualifies. No investment needed except light car or truck. Better than average income possible. Write A. Lewis, c/o The J. R. Watkins Company, Memphis 2, Tennessee. (48-3c)

WOMEN WANTED

Housewives - Address advertising postcards. Must have good handwriting. LINDO, Watertown, Mass. (51-p)

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE
 There will be a Government Trapper on the RO Ranch for the next 3 months. Dog owners please take notice and protect your dogs. (50-p)

Avoid inconvenience, delay and other obstacles by letting us make that extra KEY for you today. Gordon's Hardware. (40tc)

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

Attention all Farmers—We now have the equipment to fill your tractor tires with Calcium Chloride and can fix flats and refill with same. A. R. Henson Tire Co. (34tc)

RONSON Lighters repaired at Glenn's Jewelry in Donley County State Bank Bldg. (19tc)

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LOST—Dec. 28, female bird dog, black & white with yellow spot under throat, 9 mos. old. \$10 reward. Phone 910-F11. A. C. Carter. (51-p)

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THE JAYCEES SPEAK

Have you paid your poll tax as of today? There are only a few days left for you to do so. After all it will be the first of February before we know it. Don't be one of those who wakes up that February morning and then remembers about not paying your poll tax, for it will be too late. Remember, if you are an eligible voter and don't pay your poll tax you have no kick coming after election if the candidate of your choice is not in office for the coming term. It matters not to the Jaycees who you vote for, just that you vote. This writer is reminded of a quotation heard on television last week: "Bad politicians are voted into office by good citizens who don't vote."

By the time this article reaches you Clarendon will have had the pleasure of playing host to the Texas Jaycee President and the regional vice-president. Tommy Cook, state president and Kenneth Vaughn, regional vice-president are at present winging their way over the Panhandle paying a visit to all club possible. We are looking forward to their visit with great hopes for a satisfactory showing. You will be informed of proceedings in next week's issue.

REMINDER: PAY YOUR POLL TAX BEFORE JANUARY 31st.

Winter Weather Can Be Deadly To The Unwary

"Don't be the dead of winter!" Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, President of the Texas Safety Association, and Services Adviser for the Gulf Oil Corporation warned motorists today.

"Winter weather can be deadly—to the unwary," Col. Tilley pointed out to Texas drivers.

"In Winter, streets and highways often are wet or covered with snow and ice," he said, "and car control is difficult."

"Also, visibility—or lack of it—can be a dangerous, even fatal problem," he pointed out.

"In nearly one out of five fatal accidents in 1952, according to the National Safety Council, the road condition was wet, muddy, snowy or icy," he said. "And in one out of eight fatal accidents, the driver's vision was obscured."

"About two-fifths of these obstructions to vision were reported as rain, snow or sleet on the windshield," Col. Tilley explained.

"You have to see danger to avoid it," he said, "and you have to have your car under control at all times if you are to stop in time to prevent an accident."

He listed six basic rules for winter driving to help counteract these dangers. The rules are:

1. Accept your responsibility. Always be prepared to meet the hazards of winter driving. You can't expect the weatherman to take the blame for your accidents.

2. Get the "feel" of the road. When you are driving slowly, away from traffic, try brakes occasionally to find out just how slick the road is. And above all, drive slowly, adjusting your speed to road and weather conditions.

3. Keep the windshield clear. Steam, snow, ice and sleet may cloud car windows and windshields. Be sure windshield wipers and defrosters are in top working condition.

4. Use tire chains when there is ice or snow on the roads. Reinforced chains will cut stopping distances about half.

5. Pump your brakes rapidly to slow down or stop. Jamming on the brakes when roads are slippery can throw you into a dangerous skid.

6. Follow at a safe distance. Keep well back of the vehicle ahead so that you will have plenty of room to stop in an emergency. Remember that even with tire chains it takes more than twice the distance to stop on snow and ice as it does to stop on dry concrete without chains.

Col. Tilley called attention to the slogan which is being used in connection with the Winter Traffic Hazards program being sponsored this month in Texas by his organization and the Department of Public Safety. The slogan: "Stay Alert—Stay Alive in Winter Weather."

Daniel Boone was born in Pennsylvania.

Columbus died at Valladolid, Spain in 1506.

IGA DOLLAR DAYS

STRETCH YOUR BUDGET!

<p>3 for \$1</p>	PEACHES IGA No. 2 1/2—3 Cans	\$1.00	SUGAR CANE—10 lbs.	98c
	ORANGE JUICE Donald Duck, 46 oz. Cans—3 for	\$1.00	FLOUR Yukon Best—25 lb. Sack	\$1.95
	PRESERVES Zestee, 24 oz. Jar—3 for	\$1.00	COFFEE Fleming—Pound	89c
<p>4 for \$1</p>	SALMON 3 Tall Cans	\$1.00	MEAL Yukon Best—5 lbs.	39c
	CRUSHED PINEAPPLE Sweet Treat, No. 2 Cans—4 for	\$1.00	TOP QUALITY FRESH FOODS	
	PITTED CHERRIES IGA, 303 Cans—4 for	\$1.00	BEEF ROAST—Pound	39c
<p>5 for \$1</p>	ASPARAGUS IGA, 303 Cans—4 for	\$1.00	STEAK—Pound	49c
	PICKLES Best Maid, Sour or Dill—4 Quart Jars	\$1.00	BOLOGNA—Pound	35c
	WAX PAPER Cut Rite—4 Boxes	\$1.00	HOT BAR-B-Q—Pound	49c
<p>YOU SAVE MORE AT IGA</p>	WHOLE GRAIN CORN IGA, 303 Cans—5 for	\$1.00	KRAFT DINNER—2 Boxes	29c
	GREEN BEANS First Pick, 303 Cans—5 for	\$1.00	Rome APPLES—Pound	12c
	CATSUP IGA, 14 oz. Bottles—5 for	\$1.00	East Texas YAMS—Pound	10c
	TISSUE IGA—4 Rolls	33c	GRAPEFRUIT—3 for	25c
	TOILET SOAP Jergens—4 Bars	19c	Red SPUDS—10 lbs.	37c
	BLACK PEPPER 1 oz. Can	25c	Yellow ONIONS—Pound	5c
	FRESH COUNTRY EGGS Dozen	45c		

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

G. A. ANDERSON ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION JUSTICE OF PEACE PRECINCT NO. 2

G. A. Anderson authorized the Leader this week to announce his candidacy for re-election as Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2. In making his announcement he made the following statement:

"Many thanks for past favors. I trust that my conduct has been such that you will favor me with your continued support in the coming election."

G. A. ANDERSON

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Star Acts At Fort Worth Rodeo



Grace, skill and action will characterize the specialty acts at the world's greatest indoor rodeo in Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum in Fort Worth at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Jan. 29 through Feb. 7. Little Wanda Lou McCush will ride a whole row of ponies at the same time (upper photo); one of the five daring and skillful trick riders is shown at right and (left) Jimmy Schumacher, clown, peers from the barrel as he uses in the bullfighting.

Bulldogs Upset Frank Phillips 62 to 56

The Bulldogs of Clarendon College pulled the upset of the year last Thursday night as they blasted Frank Phillips' hopes of clear sailing in the West Zone conference race. The final score was 62-56. Clarendon led throughout the game except early in the first quarter when Frank Phillips owned a 7-2 margin. Garland Fielding led the attack in the first quarter as he canned 5 of 7 attempts from the corner and brought Frank Phillips into an over-shifted zone. This left the middle of the floor open for Billy Alexander's drives and shots from the opposite corner and the outside by Don Dorman and Jasper Peeples.

Dorman ended the night as high point man for Clarendon with 17 points. Scoring was well-rounded as Alexander had 13, Fielding 12, and Peeples 11. Melade DeGash and Wiley White contributed fine floor games for Clarendon. High point man for the game was former all-stater, Keith Lane of Frank Phillips, who racked up 30 points even though occasionally being guarded by two or three men. Clarendon was hot from the field as the Bulldogs hit 49 percent of their shots while the Plainsmen could only manage 34 percent.

Clarendon made a disastrous road trip on the 16th as they dropped a poorly played game to Lamar, Colorado 66-56. High scorers for Clarendon were Don Dorman and Garland Fielding with 16 and 13 points respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spier, Jr. and family visited the week end at Lubbock.



REV. WALTER PATTERSON

Revival To Begin Jan. 27 At Church Of The Nazarene

Rev. C. E. Townsend, pastor of the local Church of the Nazarene announced this week that a revival would be held at that church January 27th thru the 31st. Services will begin at 7:30 each evening. Rev. Walter Patterson of Waurika, Oklahoma will be the evangelist. The singing will be in charge of Nelson Seago and Mrs. Lacy Noble of Lelia Lake. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mr. Raymond Welch of Reeds Spring, Mo. and his mother, Mrs. Welch of Mt. Vernon, Mo. left Tuesday morning after visiting in the Jpe Goldston home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hay visited her mother, Mrs. Portia Burgess at Erick, Okla. and her sister, Mrs. H. F. Krug at Texola, Sun.

Eleven Identify Mystery Farm No. 23

The Leader Mystery Farm of the Air No. 23 was identified by eleven persons last week, six on the city list and five on the rural list. We like to print a long list of names each week so if you can identify any of the Mystery farms call 386 any time after 8 o'clock Thursday morning. You never can tell when you may win a free subscription or a free movie ticket.

The winners of the free subscription to the Leader this week was G. V. Mann on the city list and Mrs. Burk DeBord on the rural list. The winners of the free movie tickets to the Mulkey Theatre were Mrs. W. H. Ellis and H. H. Mann.

Those to correctly identify the mystery farm were: City—G. V. Mann, W. H. Ellis, Mildred Ritter, Sandra Mooring, Mrs. W. H. Ellis and Wayne Mann. Rural—Mrs. Burk DeBord, Ruby Blackman, Jack Moreman, F. M. Murray and H. H. Mann.

SCHOOL CENSUS NOW IN PROGRESS

Supt. H. W. Truitt announced this week that the school census was progressing nicely with a good report so far on those already of school age, but a smaller report of those who will be starting school for their first time next fall.

He is asking all parents with a child that will be six prior to Sept. 1, 1954 to please call his office so the youngster will be included in the census before the deadline which is the last of this month. Also please report if you know of anyone that will not be 18 before Sept. 1st. that has not been listed as each student count.

School Cafeteria Menu, Jan. 18-22

- MONDAY**
Hot dogs, chili and beans, new potatoes, tossed salad, buns, milk, cherry pie.
- TUESDAY**
Meat loaf, lima beans, mustard greens, beet pickles, bread, milk and fruit.
- WEDNESDAY**
Irish stew, green salad, milk, crackers, peanut butter and cake.
- THURSDAY**
Cheese, red beans, cream potatoes, jello vegetable salad, bread, milk and cocoanut pudding.
- FRIDAY**
Hamburgers, beans, onions, pickles, lettuce, potato chips, buns, milk, peanut butter cookies.

FORMER RESIDENT RECEIVES NATIONAL HONOR

National honors for coverage of home furnishings news in 1953 were awarded recently to Jeanne Barnes, San Antonio Express home editor. Mrs. Barnes grew up in Clarendon and is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jefferies of this city.

Mrs. Barnes, who attended the 30th annual winter furniture market in Chicago, was one of the writers on three newspapers and two national magazines to receive the sixth annual Dorothy Dawe award. The honor, granted by the American Furniture Mart, is named for the late furniture writer of the Milwaukee Journal.

Jeanne Barnes is editor of Sunday Express-News home section and also covers the home furnishings field for San Antonio Express and San Antonio News daily.

Allen Harp Announces For Re-election As Dist. Attorney

Allen Harp this week authorized the Donley County Leader to announce his candidacy for re-election to the office of District Attorney, 100th Judicial District of Texas.

Harp says he is sincerely grateful to the people of Donley County and the district for their confidence in him in the past and solicits their vote and influence in the coming election.

"I shall continue to give my best efforts to serving the people of the District as your District Attorney if you re-elect me to the job," Harp said.

Bronchoettes Defeat White Deer 59-40

The Bronchoettes were victorious in the third conference game here last Friday night over the team from White Deer. They outplayed White Deer throughout the game with the final score being 59-40.

The starting line-up for Clarendon was Harlene Smith, Sue Talley, Rebecca King, C. Lane, J. Hall and L. Richardson. The high scorers for the Bronchoettes were Harlene Smith and Rebecca King with 22 points each; Sue Talley with 13. The high scorers for White Deer were Meadans with 21, Smith with 15 and Freeman with 4.

Both the boys and girls teams were defeated in their games at Hedley Tuesday night.

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Heard a preacher say that "A lot of the old time gospel would work wonders on much of the devilment in the world." Now isn't that about right

The trouble with most of the

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milk of human kindness that is being passed out in the world is that it has already been skimmed.

Another reader who is shut-in sends us the following little poem from the pen of C. F. Alexander. She is Maurine Seale of 2700 Fillmore St. in Amarillo. It says: "All things bright and beautiful All creatures great and small, All things wise and wonderful, The Lord God made them all."

"Some folks won't mind their business, The reason is you'll find; Either they have no business, Ar else, they have no mind."

The following proverbs are from a real old book belonging to Ben Chamberlain of Claude, Tex.

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"A hog bought on credit, grunts until he's paid for."

"An old dog can't change his way of barking."

"A thread bare coat is an armor against a beggar."

"A wager is a fool's argument."

"Better to wear out shoes than sheets."

"He who says what he likes, hears what he doesn't like."

"Little boats should stay near shore, large vessels may venture more."

"Nothing should be done in haste but catching flies."

"Wise men make proverbs and fools repeat them." Maybe they are a couple of hundred years old, but they still hold true. I wonder about that last one.

Prices to the farmer have averaged about 10% down from last year, but the over all production has been up some 5% over last year taking it all across the

country. This gives only a drop of some seven or eight percent in his income nation wide, but the bad thing about this picture is that we're not in it here in West Texas. We not only took the 10% go down in prices but we took an almost 100 go down in our production and then had to buy feed to carry our foundation herd through. We sort of come out the little end of the horn two ways. Anyway, Uncle Sam is due for a shock when he opens his January greetings from his nephews around these parts.

Speaking of prices the old time standby that grandpa used to call the "Mortgage lifter" took the cake this year for staying high; by this we mean the hog. For most of 1953 pork has sold higher than beef, but again the trouble with most of us there wasn't any thing that we had less of than hogs.

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New Oldsmobiles Go On Display One Full Year In Advance

Oldsmobile for 1954 goes on display Wednesday, January 20, one full year ahead of schedule. "The new 1954 Oldsmobile models originally were planned for release in 1955," according to J. F. Wolfram, general manager of Oldsmobile and vice president of General Motors. "But original plans were scrapped early in 1953 when it was found possible to move the 1955 model up to 1954. The result of this skip-a-year program is the most completely new, completely changed, completely advanced Oldsmobile in many years."

The new models, "88", Super "88" and "98", are a full three inches lower than their predecessors without sacrificing ground clearance. They feature such sweeping changes as an all new body by Fisher, a new wide, wrap-around, panoramic windshield, new sweep-cut fender and door design and many other styling innovations. The new "Rocket" engine is bigger—in horsepower from 165 to 185 in the Super "88" and

"98" models, (170 in the "88" models) and up in compression ratio from 8 to 1 to 8.25 to 1. Engine displacement is increased from 303 to 324 cu. in., and the entire car is engineered so that the increased power is useable power—power that the driver can put to use in the medium and low speed ranges—in ordinary, every day driving situations.

Many of the new styling features were inspired by the General Motors experimental dream cars, particularly the Oldsmobile Starfire. All models in the "88" and Super "88" series are not only three inches lower, but are two inches longer, and this, of course, gives the cars the new long, low-level silhouette. The panoramic windshield and sweep-cut door and fender treatment are outstanding styling features, and contribute much to Oldsmobile's new "Sports car" look, even in the conventional two-door and four-door models. Fenders, front and rear, are higher—almost level with the hood in front and with the rear deck in back.

Among the other significant advancements is a new cowl ventilator, which extends the width of the hood and makes possible a compact, more efficient heater and defroster unit. A handsome new Oldsmobile world emblem is

located front and rear. New chrome treatment on the side, new bullet-shaped parking lights and an increase in total glass area are other prominent design and functional features.

Inside, too, the 1954 Oldsmobiles are all new. New fabrics, new colors, new combinations of leather and cloth highlight the most luxurious interiors in Oldsmobile history. Even the instrument panel is redesigned to harmonize with the sweep of the new windshield. The front door has been recessed to accommodate the wrap-around windshield, making for easy entrance or exit. Interior head room, leg room and seat room have not been sacrificed despite the new lower overall design.

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West Texas Utilities Company

Annual Account of County Clerk

DONLEY COUNTY, TEXAS

Receipts and Disbursements of County Funds from January 1st, 1953 to December 31st, 1953, Incl.

JURY FUND—1st Class.

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash Balance January 1, 1953 \$ 7,162.36
 II. Taxes - Current and Delinquent 9,372.58

\$16,534.94

FUND EXPENDITURES:

I. District Court

1. Jury Commissioners \$ 37.00
 2. Grand Jurors 103.00
 3. Petit Jurors 525.60
 4. Bailiffs 20.00

685.00

II. County Court

1. Jury Commissioners 27.00
 2. Petit Jurors 161.00

188.00

III. Loan to General Fund 7,000.00

Total Disbursements \$ 7,873.00

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 8,661.94

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—2nd Class.

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash balance January 1, 1953 \$23,047.40

II. Taxes - Current and Delinquent:

1. Precinct No. 1 3,561.60
 2. Precinct No. 2 6,092.21
 3. Precinct No. 3 6,092.21
 4. Precinct No. 4 2,999.23 18,745.25

III. Other Revenue:

Auto Registration, Etc:
 1. Precinct No. 1 9,288.25
 2. Precinct No. 2 15,887.80
 3. Precinct No. 3 15,887.80
 4. Precinct No. 4 7,821.68 48,885.53

Sale of Services & Goods:

1. Precinct No. 1 5,931.00
 2. Precinct No. 2 711.08
 3. Precinct No. 3 1,788.52
 4. Precinct No. 4 411.06 8,841.66

Total Receipts \$89,519.94

FUND EXPENDITURES:

PRECINCT NO. 1:

*Commissioner's Salary \$ 2,203.20
 Commissioner's Traveling Expense 600.00
 (*Less Tax) Withholding Tax Payments 187.90
 *Labor 4,542.60
 Fuel and Lubricants 1,415.39
 Machinery and Repairs 12,370.00
 Material and Supplies 526.95

\$21,846.04

PRECINCT NO. 2:

*Commissioner's Salary \$ 2,203.20
 Commissioner's Traveling Expense 600.00
 (*Less Tax) Withholding Tax Payments 93.00
 *Labor 6,365.10
 Fuel and Lubricants 3,711.79
 Machinery and Repairs 8,285.55
 Material and Supplies 3,778.56

\$23,834.82

PRECINCT NO. 3:

*Commissioner's Salary \$ 2,203.20
 Commissioner's Traveling Expense 600.00
 (*Less Tax) Withholding Tax Payments 154.40
 *Labor 8,643.74
 Fuel and Lubricants 3,711.79
 Machinery and Repairs 8,654.96
 Material and Supplies 3,815.08
 Debt or Contract Service 2,080.00

\$29,863.28

PRECINCT NO. 4:

*Commissioner's Salary \$ 2,250.00
 Traveling Expense 600.00
 Labor 3,707.50
 Fuel and Lubricants 1,202.17
 Machinery and Repairs 4,919.90
 Material and Supplies 1,413.26

\$14,092.83

IV. By Loan to General Fund 2,600.00

Total Disbursements \$92,236.97

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 7,282.87

GENERAL FUND—3rd Class.

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash Balance January 1, 1953 \$14,733.20

II. Taxes - Current and Delinquent 15,601.33

III. Other Revenue:

1. Court Fees - Justice County & District 2,953.21
 2. Rent - Offices 975.00
 3. Sundries 66.77

IV. Loan from Jury Fund 7,000.00

V. Loan from P. I. Fund 5,000.00

VI. Loan from Road & Bridge Fund 2,600.00

Total Receipts \$51,250.16

FUND EXPENDITURES:

Salaries:

*County Judge 3,108.90
 County Attorney 1,462.50
 *County and District Clerk 2,040.20
 *County Treasurer 2,055.75
 Court Reporter 998.00
 Librarian 480.00
 Special Deputy 21.00
 Janitor 1,953.15
 County Service Officer 1,900.00
 County Agent 2,173.85
 Justice of Peace, Prec. 2 600.00
 Justice of Peace, Prec. 3 240.00
 Auditor 340.00
 District Attorney's Steno 465.80
 (*Less Tax) Withholding Payments 466.80
 Telephone and Telegraph 1,296.34
 Office Supplies and Printing 2,724.70
 Maintenance (Courthouse, Jail, Offices) 825.24

Electric Service 943.28
 Water 609.15
 Laundry 18.35
 Supplies and Repairs 350.29
 Criminal Fees County Judge 270.00
 Mileage and Expense 87.92
 Justice of Peace - Fees and Expense 1,045.00
 Vital Statistics and Inquests 110.50
 Prisoner's Board and Safekeeping 681.30
 Insurance (Courthouse, Jail, Offices) 302.77
 Pauper Care and Welfare Work 1,751.79
 Court Reporter's Expense 100.20
 Assessment 9th Adm. Judicial District 30.00
 Postage 321.12
 Auto Expense Law Enforcement Officers 4,947.80
 Transfer to Officer's Salary Fund 7,600.00
 Tax Assessor's Fee - 1952 none
 Officers' Fees Lunacy Cases 120.25
 Official Bond Premiums 283.32
 Radio Equipment and Upkeep 497.05
 Miscellaneous Expenses 1,182.56

Total Disbursements \$44,272.58

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 6,977.58

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND—4th Class.

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash Balance January 1, 1953 \$ 3,485.00

II. Taxes - Current and Delinquent 15,601.33

Total Receipts \$19,086.33

FUND EXPENDITURES:

I. Loan to General Fund \$ 5,000.00

II. Disbursements for Year 819.85

\$5,819.85

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$13,266.48

JAIL SINKING FUND—5th Class.

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash balance January 1, 1953 \$ 940.56

II. Other Revenue - Interest on Bonds 95.00

Total Receipts \$1,035.56

FUND EXPENDITURES:

Total Disbursements none

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 1,035.56

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash Balance January 1, 1953 \$ 5,008.35

II. Board of County & District Road Indebtedness - State of Texas 717.48

Total Receipts \$ 5,725.73

FUND EXPENDITURES:

Total Disbursements none

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 5,725.73

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935-A

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash Balance January 1, 1953 \$ 3,484.62

Total Receipts \$ 3,484.62

FUND EXPENDITURES:

Total Disbursements none

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 3,484.62

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935-B

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash Balance January 1, 1953 \$ 6,661.57

Total Receipts \$ 6,661.57

FUND EXPENDITURES:

Total Disbursements none

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 6,661.57

LATERAL ROAD FUND

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash Balance January 1, 1953 \$ 2,381.09

II. Other Revenue:

1. Board of County & District Road Indebtedness - State of Texas 10,343.98

Total Receipts \$12,725.07

FUND EXPENDITURES:

I. Material and Supplies \$ 3,220.63

II. Labor 1,201.53

III. Right-of-Way and Damages 3,684.25

Total Disbursements \$ 8,106.41

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 4,618.66

FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD FUND

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash Balance January 1, 1953 \$12,816.59

II. Taxes - Current and Delinquent 14,952.30

Total Receipts \$27,768.89

FUND EXPENDITURES:

I. Right-of-Way Fence \$ 4,876.94

II. Right-of-Way Payments 3,352.38

III. Labor and Material 9,682.56

Total Disbursements \$17,911.88

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 9,857.01

OFFICERS SALARY FUND

FUND RESOURCES:

I. Cash Balance January 1, 1953 \$ 2,340.00

II. Officers Fees Collected 8,665.38

III. Transfer from General Fund 7,600.00

Total Receipts \$18,595.38

FUND EXPENDITURES:

Salaries:

*Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector \$ 4,289.10
 *Deputy Sheriff 2,977.50
 *Office Deputy - Tax Office 2,827.86
 *Office Clerk - Tax Office 2,156.75
 *Deputy Sheriff 2,259.68
 Constable 810.00
 Clerical Help - Tax Office 196.00
 (*Less Tax) Withholding Tax Payments 959.50
 Insurance Premiums Withheld 8.14

Total Disbursements \$16,494.53

Balance on hand December 31, 1953 \$ 2,100.85

OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS.

I. Funding Bonds:

1. Road and Bridge, Series 1935-A,

dated 4-1-35 maturing 4-1-54 to 4-1-54, bearing 5 1/2% interest \$27,500.00
 2. Road and Bridge, Series 1935-B, dated 5-15-35 maturing 4-1-54 to 4-1-54, bearing 5 1/2% interest 33,000.00

\$60,500.00

II. Time Warrants:

1. Road and Bridge Warrant dated 11-14-53 due 11-14-54 payable to Donley County State Bank bearing 3% interest 1,865.00

2. Road and Bridge Warrant dated 11-14-53 due 11-14-55 payable to Donley County State Bank bearing 3% interest 3,730.00

\$ 5,595.00

Total Outstanding December 31, 1953 \$66,095.00

SECURITIES OWNED:

JAIL SINKING FUND - U. S. Government Bonds,

Series G, dated 4-1-43, maturing 1955, bearing 2 1/2% interest payable semi-annually \$ 3,800.00

THE STATE OF TEXAS, } COUNTY OF DONLEY.

I, HELEN W. CHURCHMAN, County Clerk in and for Donley County, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct account of receipts and disbursements of County Funds for the year ending December 31, 1953, and correctly reflects the condition of county funds as disclosed by the records in my office.

HELEN W. CHURCHMAN
 County Clerk, Donley County, Texas.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this January 11th, 1954.

JACK E. GRAY
 County Judge, Donley County, Texas.

(SEAL)

EXAMINED AND APPROVED in open Commissioners' Court this 11th day of January, 1954.

JACK E. GRAY
 County Judge, Donley County, Texas.

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 18TH DISTRICT

By Congressman Walter Rogers

THE SECOND SESSION OF THE 83rd CONGRESS CONVENES

At twelve o'clock noon on January 6, 1954, the House of Representatives of the United States was called to order by the Speaker, the Honorable Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts. The Speaker, Rev. Bernard Braskamp, D. D., offered the prayer, which was concluded by the Lord's Prayer, in which all of the Members joined, in voice as well as in spirit. A roll call reflected the presence of 392 members, which constituted a quorum. The Speaker then laid before the House communications from the Clerk concerning the election of four new Members to the Congress. These Members were sworn in and the House proceeded with its business of the day. As soon as this was concluded a tribute was paid by Members on both sides of the aisle to the Honorable Sam Rayburn, former Speaker of the House. The Occasion was the seventy-second birthday of Mr. Rayburn, Honorable Robert Byrd,

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Senators Knowland, of California, Johnson, of Texas, and Bridges, of New Hampshire, by Representatives Halleck, of Indiana, Arenas of Illinois, and Rayburn, of Texas. He proceeded to deliver his State of the Union Message. The President looked very healthy, appeared in fine spirits, and made a splendid presentation of his message. Needless to say, the galleries were filled to capacity and included Mrs. Eisenhower and her mother, Mrs. Doud. Cameras of every make and description were grinding away in every direction, and the television lights were so bright that you felt you were sitting under the brilliant sunshine of a fine spring day in the Panhandle. The President was preceded into the Chamber by the members of his Cabinet. Shortly before the arrival of the Cabinet, the Ambassadors, Ministers and Charges d' Affaires of foreign governments entered the hall. Incidentally, Russia was represented in this group. It was shortly after the entrance of these diplomats that a somewhat embarrassing situation was created. How embarrassing will not be known for awhile. It seems that seating arrangements had not been properly arranged, and there was not sufficient available seating space for the diplomatic corps. They were crowded into the aisles. Many of the Members of both the House and the Senate who were sitting close to these aisles, realizing the situation, graciously offered the diplomats their chairs. Some of these invitations were accepted. However, the substantial majority of the diplomatic corps continued to stand through the President's message. It appears that this is the first time that such a situation has arisen. Actually, there was no need of it, as plenty of seats could have been made available for them. I sincerely hope that all of the diplomats appreciated a human mistake and that none became offended. Every member of the House would have been more than glad to have yielded the seats to the foreign visitors. However, the situation arose so soon before the arrival of the President and the commencement of the Message that there was not time to rearrange the seating.

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enable most taxpayers to prepare their own returns, often in less than an hour.

Annual Top o' Texas Hereford Breeders Show And Sale January 27th

The annual Top o' Texas Hereford Breeders Show and Sale will be held in Pampa on Wednesday, January 27, 1954, beginning with the judging and placing of the sale order at 9:30 A. M. by Mr. Glen Bratcher, head of the Animal Husbandry Department of Oklahoma A & M College.

Fifty-five head of animals are consigned to this year's show which will be held in a new county barn, which has been constructed at Recreation Park.

According to M. C. Overton, Jr., President of the Top o' Texas Hereford Breeders Association, many serviceable aged bulls are included in the consignments.

Col. Walter Britten, veteran auctioneer for the southwestern area, will be on hand to cry the sale, which is expected to attract buyers from a wide area.

The Breeders annual banquet will be held on Tuesday, January 26, at 7:30 P. M. prior to the show and sale on Wednesday, and everyone interested in attending will be most welcome. Reservations can be made by writing to Box 1942, Pampa, Tex.

CHAMBER SPECIALS

By Johnnie Allen

There has been some discussion in the past few months on school beautification. We all know that it is one thing which is needed greatly, both grade school and college, and the problem is not one of just sowing some grass seed and planting some elm trees up and down the side walks like a row of corn.

As the plan has developed, the first thing that will be needed is the setting out of trees and shrubbery according to plans as drawn up by a Landscaping firm. Some top soil will have to be hauled in and much fertilizer will be needed to furnish near ideal conditions for good growth of trees and shrubbery.

The Jaycees are staging a Minstrel Show in the near future to help defray expenses of previous Campus projects — the College lounge — and George Watson, Jaycee President, states that any money taken in from the show above the present indebtedness will be used in financing the project.

ject, but additional financing will be required. George further stated that the job is a project that could well be and should be termed a "Community Project" with the assistance and Co-sponsorship of every Civic minded Club and Organization in town, not discounting the assistance of any public spirited citizens in Clarendon.

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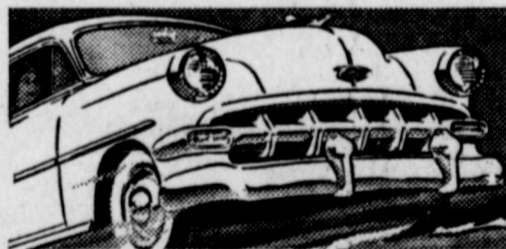
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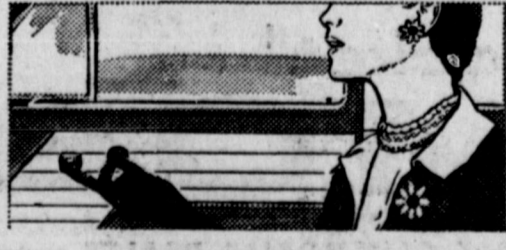
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By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN—Prospects for a special session of the Legislature shaped up this week as a committee appointed by the governor considered a teacher pay raise plan.

Governor Allan Shivers had said that if the committee agreed on the proposal, which would give the teachers a pay hike of \$402 per year, and if the legislators generally favored it, he might call the Legislature into special session in the near future.

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He said that a U. S. Supreme Court decision on the natural gas tax law, involving money for a teacher pay increase, would not necessarily determine his special session move.

Shivers asserted that the question of revenue for the pay boost might be a problem facing the Legislature, if the tax law is declared invalid.

He pointed out the possibility of a court ruling coming about the same time as his decision on a special session.

Attorney General John Ben Shepperd argued the state's case for the natural gas tax before the Supreme Court.

Pipeline companies, opposing the tax, said it violated the interstate commerce clause of the

U. S. Constitution. Shepperd countered by saying that Texas pays more of the tax than any other state, and that state protection against unlimited drilling enables the lines to stay in business.

A victory for the pipeline companies probably would mean that the Legislature would attempt to levy some other tax on gas; but if Texas wins the case, the Legislature is expected to increase the tax rate to provide adequate funds for teacher pay and other purposes.

Along the political front, the governor said that he would announce his plans "in the future".

Other candidates couldn't know his plans, Shivers quipped, because he himself doesn't know them.

But speculation as to the Governor's intentions was given a shot in the arm as he announced the appointment of two administrative assistants.

C. Read Granberry resigned as assistant to the Chancellor of the University of Texas and took leave as a member of the faculty in order to join the governor's staff.

Also brought in was Jimmy Banks, publications director for the Texas State Teachers Association, which was in conflict with Shivers last year on the teacher pay raise issue.

These appointments were interpreted by some observers as preparation for an early legislative session and intensified political activity this year by the governor.

Another political development was the announcement by Representative George T. Hinson of Mineola that he will run for lieutenant governor.

Hinson, 43, is a teacher, locomotive engineman, and farmer. He was a sponsor of higher teacher pay at the last session of the legislature.

Hinson, who said he would file on the Democratic ticket immediately, will be the first announced candidate in the lieutenant governor's race.

Ben Ramsey, the incumbent, has said that he will run for reelection if Shivers seeks another term as governor. Otherwise, Ramsey may be a candidate for the chief executive's job.

Governor Shivers reported favorable reception in Washington to his proposals for changes in the law that will allow a county to redistribute acreage unused by cotton farmers under their allotments.

Such changes, supported by Senator Price Daniel, were before the Senate in a bill which also would increase the 1954 cotton acreage.

A House agriculture committee met this week in Waco to review the cotton situation and other farm problems.

Meanwhile, State Agriculture Commissioner John C. White warned that funds for the drought

emergency feed program were running low. White temporarily closed the program.

In this connection, the governor said he had discussed the situation with U. S. officials and relief needs were being surveyed. Shivers said about \$93,000 of state money remains available for matching federal funds.

New Features For Big Fort Worth Stock Show Rodeo

FORT WORTH — Rodeo fans will find new thrills and added color when they view the world's greatest indoor rodeo in Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum during the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show. President-

Manager W. R. Watt cites:

The wild horse race, an event seen here only once—which was two years ago and it was received with wild enthusiasm;

Trick riders, returning to the Fort Worth show after an absence of several years;

And the famous 24 white horses from Graham, the Possum Kingdom Roundup. This troupe has been spectacular on such occasions as the parade of the Lions International Convention, the Cheyenne Frontier Days and San Antonio's Battle of Flowers. The Roundup took part in the grand entry and posted the colors in several performances of last year's rodeo and will appear in all 19 performances this year.

Prize money for the cowboy contestants has been increased

\$2,375, the Show this year putting up \$33,250, to which will be added the entry fees. Rodeo judges will be Charlie Colbert of Denver and Hank Mills of La Junta, Colorado.

Five daring and graceful performers will take part in the trick riding: Jerry Portwood of Arlington, Dolores Christensen, Worthington, Minn.; Betty Lamb, Dallas; Wanda Lou McCush, Pleasant Hill, Mo., and Don Wilcox, Tulsa.

First performance of the rodeo and horse show will be Friday night, Jan. 29; and two performances daily thereafter at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m. except that starting time of the Saturday afternoon, Jan. 30, rodeo will be 1:30 p. m. which is when the two-hour nationwide telecast will begin.

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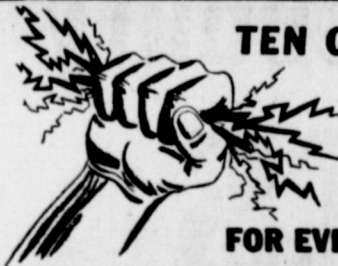
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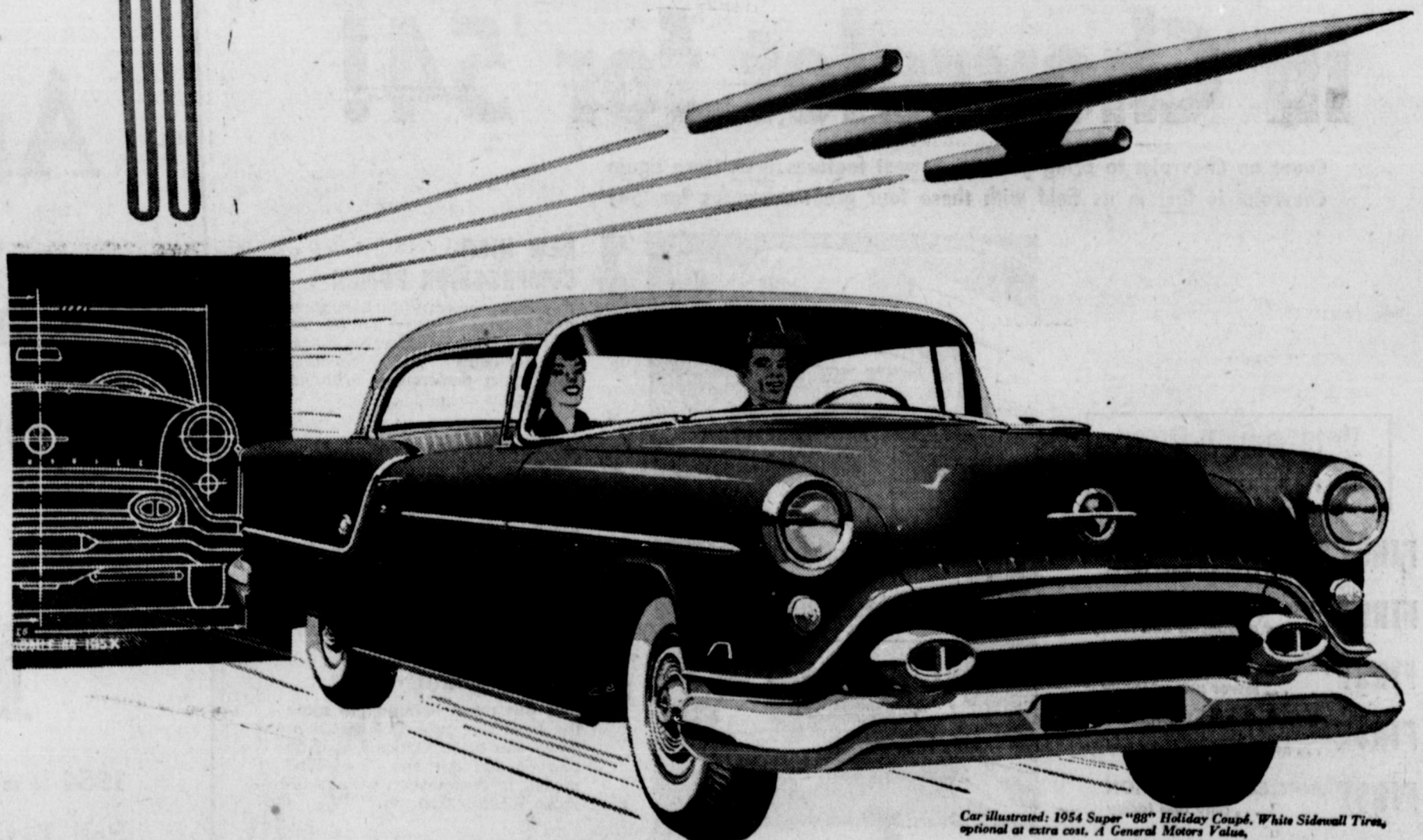
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