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Cannon, Thomason and Gillham Share Top Honors In Dairy Show

Frank Cannon exhibited the grand champion Jersey bull of the 1947 Annual Donley County Dairy Show. The senior yearling bull Observer Brampton Signal was selected as top Jersey male from the best class of Jersey bulls in the history of the Donley County Show. Thomason's Junior yearling holstein bull was named junior and grand champion in the Holstein male division. J. R. Gillham exhibited both the grand champion Jersey female and Holstein female. Gillham's senior calf was named junior and grand champion Jersey female, and his three year old Holstein cow was named senior and grand champion Holstein female.

Wayne Morrow exhibited the senior champion Jersey female and J. R. Gillham exhibited the senior champion Jersey male. Gillham also exhibited the junior champion Holstein female.

J. W. Ridgway, nationally known and recognized dairy judge, highly complimented the quality of the animals in the show and stated that the cattle were of much higher quality than two years ago when he last judged the local event.

The top twenty animals of the show will be trucked to Plainview and will participate in the Panhandle Plains Dairy Show which starts there April 12.

Delegations from Claude, Memphis, Childress, and Lakeview attended the show, and a fair sized crowd of local people braved the adverse weather conditions to watch the show.

A free lunch was served to those attending the dairy show by the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce, Clarendon Lions Club, and Borden Co. Rayburn Smith was chairman of the group in charge of preparing and serving the meal.

Detailed results of the dairy show are listed below:

Holstein Females
Sub Junior Calf—1st and 2nd, J. R. Hall.

Junior Calf—1st, J. R. Gillham. Senior Calf—1st, J. R. Gillham. Jr. Yearling—1st, Dick Cannon. Sr. Yearling—1st, J. R. Gillham. 2nd, F. C. Crofford. Junior Champion—J. R. Gillham on Junior Calf. Three year old cow—1st, J. R. Gillham. Aged cow—1st, J. R. Gillham. Senior and Grand Champion on three year old cow.

Holstein Bulls
Junior Calf—1st, F. C. Crofford, 2nd and 3rd, J. R. Gillham. Jr. Yearling—1st, A. P. Thomason, 2nd, J. R. Gillham. Junior and grand champion, A. P. Thomason on junior yearling.

Jersey Females
Sub junior Calves—1st, J. R. Gillham, 2nd and 4th, F. C. Crofford, 3rd, W. W. Morrow. Junior Calves—1st, J. R. Gillham, 2nd and 3rd, Frank Cannon. Senior Calves—1st, J. R. Gillham, 2nd, Frank Cannon. Sr. Yearlings—1st, F. C. Crofford, 2nd, J. R. Gillham, 3rd, Loyd Mays, 4th, W. W. Morrow. 3 year old—1st, W. W. Morrow, 2nd, Ray Morris. Aged Cow—1st, J. R. Gillham, 2nd, Frank Cannon, 3rd, F. C. Crofford, 4th, Ed Mahaffey, 5th, Odell LaGrone. Senior Champion—W. W. Morrow.

Junior and Grand Champion—J. R. Gillham on senior calf.

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Mrs. D. H. Eudy of Memphis visited her sister, Mrs. John Waters Sunday night.

Stormy Weather Brings .37 Inch Moisture

While this locality was receiving .37 inch moisture last night from a very blustery cloud, other localities in the Panhandle were digging out of the ruins left by tornadoes which struck late yesterday afternoon.

The first report of the tornadoes came from White Deer where considerable damage was caused but no loss of life. The storm is said to have struck there around 5:30 and made a jump and struck again at Glazier and Higgins and then at Woodward, Okla. where the largest damage was reported. According to radio reports this morning between 75 and 100 persons were killed and 1,000 injured at Woodward and the town of 5,500 population was practically demolished; at Higgins, a town of 750 population, 25 to 30 were reported killed and 150 injured and only three buildings were left standing. At Glazier there was only one building left standing in the town of 200 population and it was believed around 20 had died. The Red Cross and other organizations have spent the night mobilizing aid for the stricken areas.

P.T.A. Major Bowes Program Tomorrow Night April 11th

DR. W. J. WALKER OPENS OFFICE HERE

Dr. W. J. Walker, physician & surgeon, is announcing in the Leader this week the opening of offices here in the Goldston building.

Dr. Walker, a Clarendon boy who has returned to his home town, recently finished his Internship at the M & S Hospital at San Antonio. He received his degree from the medical branch of the University of Texas in March 1946. Prior to that, Dr. Walker practiced pharmacy, having received his B.A. degree in Pharmacy at the University of Texas.

Dr. Walker is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walker, now of Dumas. He was raised in Clarendon and attended the public schools here, going to the University in 1935.

Dr. Walker is married and has two children. At the present time his wife is serving her Internship at John Sealy hospital at Galveston and plans to join her husband here when she finishes.

LOCAL V.F.W. SPONSORING OLD TIME BOX SUPPER

The local V.F.W. Post is formulating plans at the present time to sponsor an old time Box Supper at the College Auditorium the night of May 5th and at the same time give away a new seven foot Frigidaire.

Members of this new organization are busy taking donations which afford the donor an opportunity at this new ice box. Each donation of 50 cents allows the contributor an extra opportunity to receive this nice gift which will be given to the lucky person on the night of the box supper.

They plan to have some good string music and other entertainment along with the box supper so everyone is urged to make their plans now to attend, and if you like, bring along a box.

The V.F.W. is making an extended drive to raise money any way they can so they can get fully organized here.

By Special Reporter

If you have not purchased your ticket to the Major Bowes program from a school child and do not have another opportunity to do so you may secure one at the door as you enter the College Auditorium. This unique program offers a full evening of a real variety of entertainment and we are expecting a big crowd.

The identity of Mr. Hush will be revealed and 3 cakes given away to the three persons that guessed who he is. The winners must be there to receive the cakes in person. If they are not present and if there are anymore correct identifications they will be awarded the cakes.

The P.T.A. wishes to sincerely thank the Donley County Leader for the cooperation they have extended us in making the program a real success. Their generosity is greatly appreciated.

Cash prizes will be awarded the 3 contestants that are judged the best. 1st prize \$10, 2nd prize \$5, 3rd prize \$3.

The admission to the program is 50 and 25 cents and it begins at 8 o'clock at the College Auditorium and we are confident you'll enjoy the singing, dancing, readings, and musical talent of Clarendon and the surrounding community.

Don't forget folks that the price you pay for an evening of enjoyment will help buy some much needed equipment for our school cafeteria.

SINGING TO BE HELD AT LELIA LAKE APRIL 13

It has been announced that there will be an old fashioned singing at the Lelia Lake First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, April 13th. Everyone who enjoys hearing good singing or enjoys to sing are cordially invited.

A. P. Todd Dies; Services Friday

Funeral services have been set for Friday afternoon at 3 p. m. at the Clarendon Baptist Church for A. P. Todd who passed away at the family home at Hedley early this morning.

Mr. Todd has been in failing health for quite some time. He moved to Clarendon from Hall county in 1938 and has been making his home at Hedley for the past few years.

Mr. Todd is survived by his wife, two daughters and six sons: Mrs. L. L. Mitchell of Memphis, Lola Bess Dyess of Dimmitt, T. C. Todd of Amarillo, Byron F. Todd of Fredrick, Okla., Bill Todd of Clarendon, Edd Todd of Amarillo, Hardy Todd of Odessa, Dexter Todd of Clovis, N. M. and nine grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Other than the time of the service, complete funeral arrangements have not been completed at press time. The Murphy-Spicer-Buntin Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

PALMER MOTOR CO. CLOSED THIS AFTERNOON

Doss Palmer, owner of the Palmer Motor Co., announced this morning that his place of business would close their doors this afternoon along with Ford Dealers all over the nation, in tribute to the great Industrial Leader and Builder, Henry Ford. They will be open again for business Friday morning.

Services Today For Local Pioneer Banker-Rancher

Funeral services were set for 3 p. m. this afternoon at the Presbyterian Church for James William Morrison with Rev. Douglas Nelson and Rev. R. Q. Harvey officiating.

Mr. Morrison, a resident of the Panhandle for 58 years and a resident of Clarendon since 1902, died at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in Worley hospital at Pampa. He would have been 85 years old next month.

Mr. Morrison was born in Statesville, N. C., May 10, 1862. When 18 years old he moved to Dallas, where on Aug. 19, 1888, he married Nora Gracey. One year later the young couple moved to Hall county where they homesteaded. They farmed and raised livestock until 1902, when they moved to Clarendon to make their home.

Soon after moving to Clarendon, Mr. Morrison opened a lumber yard, which he later sold to W. M. Cameron & Co. He organized the Farmers State Bank and was its president until 1931, when he was named chairman of the board, an office he held until his death.

In 1916 Mr. Morrison purchased a large ranch north of Pampa which now is operated by his two sons, Raymond and Grundy. However, Mr. Morrison was actively in its management until recently.

Mr. Morrison was a charter member of the Pampa Masonic Lodge, a Knight Templar, member of the Woodman of the World and a member of the Clarendon Presbyterian church.

Survivors are his wife and the two sons, six daughters, Mrs. R. D. Brass, San Angelo; Mrs. W. J. Close, Greenville, N. M.; Mrs. A. J. Montgomery, Shamrock; Mrs. Stanley Leasgren, Greely, Colo.; Mrs. Dale Low and Mrs. Sam Bowers, both of Miami; a brother, Sam Morrison, Troy, Ore.; a sister, Mrs. Annie Hines, Seattle, Wash.; and 21 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be J. D. Swift, Eugene Noland, Lee Holland, John McClellan, Van Kennedy, and Clinton Henry.

Honorary pallbearers: W. H. Patrick, Walter Taylor, Wesley Knorpp, F. E. Chamberlain, Frank White Sr., Henry Williams, F. G. Patching, J. H. Hurn, G. Leathers, Russ Thompson, B. B. Robinson, B. H. Davenport, Frank Bourland and Dr. J. H. Kelley.

Interment will be in Citizens Cemetery with the Murphy-Spicer-Buntin Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

ONE NEWCOMER ELECTED ON SCHOOL BOARD

The school board trustee election which was held last Saturday livened up during the day and one new member, Dale Hill, was added to the board. W. B. Smith was re-elected to the board on the regular ballot and J. R. Porter was returned by the write in method.

The voting by candidates was: W. B. Smith 147, J. R. Porter 95, Dale Hill 94, Carroll Knorpp 89, L. L. Wallace 71, Odos Caraway 3 and W. E. Hastings 1. W. A. Poovey was re-elected county trustee at large and H. T. Burton county trustee District No. 4.

Mr. Morrison did not offer his name on the ballot for re-election as he stated that he had served long enough. He has been urged to serve again since the board has an extra load ahead and his experience is needed more than ever at this particular time. It is understood that Mr. Porter will go ahead and serve as a member of the board.

Charges Filed In Attack Case

According to Sheriff Guy Wright, Judge Thompson, a Lelia Lake farmer, has been charged with aggravated assault on two accounts and his bond set at \$2,000. Bond has not been made and Thompson is in the local jail here.

The charge was filed by Sheriff Wright after Mrs. Kate Johnson, 82 years old, who lives north of Lelia Lake, received treatment for head injuries, including a badly lacerated ear, a broken finger and other body bruises, Sheriff Wright said. The Sheriff stated that Mrs. Johnson was attacked in the yard of her home and again inside the house. Mr. Thompson was believed to be intoxicated and carried a six-shooter at the time. A separate charge on carrying the gun has been made the sheriff added. The incident is said to have taken place around 10 a. m. Wednesday morning.

Miss Mary Howren spent the weekend at Amarillo.

Petition Being Circulated Calling For Bond Election

Following a meeting of local tax owners and other interested individuals nearly two weeks ago, at which time it was voiced to do whatever necessary to rebuild the old school building which was destroyed by fire, a petition was drawn up and is now awaiting the proper amount of signatures before a bond election can be called. It is understood that three hundred signatures must be on the petition before the school board can call such election. Copies of the petition which is dated April 5th may be found at any of the banks, Norwood Pharmacy, The Rexall Store, or Bryan Clothing Co. All those interested in the Bond election are asked to drop by and sign your name to one of the copies so the election can be called at the earliest date possible. It has been explained that anyone can sign without committing themselves as to whether they are in favor of the measure or not, for all the petition means is to call the election and the issue will be decided by the voters.

A copy of the Petition reads as follows:

Petition for School Bond Election CLARENDON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

The State of Texas, County of Donley

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CLARENDON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, Resident qualified electors and taxpayers of Clarendon Independent School District, who each owns taxable property in said District, and who each has duly rendered the same for taxation, respectfully pray your Honorable Body to order an election in said District at the earliest date practicable, but within thirty (30) days from the date of the election

order, for the purpose of submitting the following proposition to the resident qualified property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation for their action thereupon:

"Shall the Board of Trustees of the Clarendon Independent School District be authorized to issue the bonds of said District to the amount of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000), to mature serially and annually, as follows:

\$2,000	1948 to 1952;
\$3,000	1953 to 1957;
\$5,000	1958 to 1962, all inclusive;

said bonds to bear interest at the rate of not more than TWO AND ONE-HALF PERCENTUM (2½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, for school building purposes, to-wit: the purchase, construction, repair or equipment of public free school buildings, within the limits of said District, and the purchase of necessary sites therefor; and shall there be annually levied and collected on all taxable property in said School District for the current year and annually thereafter while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and to pay the principal as the same becomes due?"

Dated this 5th day of April, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

To date over 100 signers have already placed their names on the petition copies and the completion is expected within an early date. The general opinion is to have the election called just as soon as possible so if the issue carries, work can be started and the building can be completed before the next school term.

INTERMURAL BOXING EVENT NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT

All boys who wish to enter the intermural boxing tournament are requested to report to the South Ward gym at 10 o'clock Saturday morning April 12th. Any high school boy who is under 18 years of age is eligible. Any grade school boy is eligible. Sweaters will be awarded winners in the bracket up through the eighth grade and jackets to those in the 9th and over.

Coach Bentley stated that he expected 65 or 70 boys to compete for the titles and pointed out that there would be plenty of good talent in this show that has not appeared in any of our previous tournaments.

The first night of the tournament will be Tuesday, April 15th and the event will continue for two or three nights, whatever time is necessary for the show. The charges for each night of the tournament will be \$1 for reserved seats in the first 10 rows; 75c for the next 11 rows, and grade school tickets in the Balcony only will be 35c. The event will take place at the Pastime Theatre, so be sure to buy your tickets early and be assured of a good seat. You can reserve the same seat for all nights if you wish at the Norwood Pharmacy.

THE RT. REV. H. K. SHERRILL TO SPEAK OVER C.B.S. SUNDAY MORNING

The Presiding Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church, The Rt. Rev. Henry K. Sherrill, will speak, this coming Sunday morning at 9 a. m. C.S.T. over the C. B. S. The address is being sponsored by Columbia's Church of the Air.

Regular Services will be held at the Episcopal Church here—Evening Prayer and Sermon, 4:30 p. m.

Mrs. C. B. Bourland of Dallas and J. B. Bourland of Pampa spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bourland. Mr. W. M. Bourland of Quail visited them Sunday.

Donley Dairy Herds Rank High In Official Classification This Week

Registered Jersey cattle in the herds of J. R. Gillham, Frank Cannon, W. W. Morrow, and F. C. Crofford were officially classified Tuesday, April 8th by J. W. Ridgway, official classifier of the American Jersey Cattle Club. The herd sires belonging to each of the breeders received a very good classification and the cattle averaged approximately 83 in their classification score, which according to Mr. Ridgway is comparatively high.

Twelve head classified very good, twenty-five classified good plus, and seven rated a good classification. Some of the best bloodlines in the breed have been brought into the county within the past several years, and the Donley County cattle rank favorably with those in other sections of the United States.

The annual meeting of the Highway (18-256) Association will be held at Memphis Wednesday, April 16th, at 10:30 a. m., according to J. R. Gillham, secretary of the association. The group will meet with Hon. Fred Wemple of Midland, the newly appointed state highway commissioner.

Delegations are expected to attend from Turkey, Silvertown, Tulsa, Dimmitt, Memphis, Clarendon, Pampa, Lakeview and Brice. New officers will be elected and plans made for the years work. A great deal of progress has been made on Highway 18 during the past year, especially in Donley County, with a portion of the road under construction at this time and a contract on the construction of '18 north is expected to be let this spring.

Highway (18-256) Association to Meet At Memphis April 16th With State Highway Com. Fred Wemple

CONTRACT LET FOR TEARING DOWN OF GYM BUILDING AT McLEAN

J. R. Porter announced Tuesday that the contract had been let for the tearing down of the gym building at the Prisoner of War Camp at McLean. Claude Hinton of McLean was the low bidder and received the contract at \$2,995.00.

Mr. Porter stated that this bid was several thousand dollars under the next nearest bid received. It does not include the moving of the material, but it is believed that the total cost will not exceed \$3,500. It was understood that Mr. Hinton planned to start on the job sometime the latter part of this week or the first of next week.

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LIBRARY NOTES

By Mrs. C. A. Burton

A few more books for our people: Two for the small people—"Favorite Psalms" in a beautifully illustrated copy; "Raggedy Ann and the Golden Butterfly," Johnny Genelle; Three for the girls, "Beverly Gray, Senior," "Beverly Gray's Career" and "Beverly Gray's World Cruise." A few westerns—"Heritage of the Desert," a replacement; "A Son of Arizona," Seltzer; "Sun Up," Will James; "The Odor of Violets," Reynard Kendrick; "The Last Frontier," Howard Fast; two mysteries, "The D. A. Cooks a Goose," Erle Stanley Gardner; "Follow the Saint," Leslie Charteris.

In general fiction—two Maise Greigs—"One Man Girl" and "Reluctant Millionaire"; two Faith Baldwins, "Something Special," and "Medical Center"; two religious books, "Stewardship for All of Life," Lovejoy, and "Christ or Chaos," Seleman; "The Wayfarers," Dan Wickenden; "In Dubious Battle," Steinbeck—all light summer reading.

Ordered, to be here soon, two best sellers—"Lydia Bailey," Kenneth Roberts; "The Wayward Bus," John Steinbeck.

Steinbeck's "Wayward Bus" is his third book to be chosen by the Book-of-the-Month Club, and that publicity has brought out the fact that he began his literary career at 4 years of age when he discovered that "high" rhymed with "fly," and he at once began writing poetry.

Kenneth Roberts, author of the leading best seller, "Lydia Bailey," is vacationing with his wife in Wassau and translating "Mor-

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ASHTOLA

Mrs. Keith Swinburne

Revival meetings came to a close here Sunday night with Bro. Fisher from Jayton having conducted the services.

Sammy Norman from Amarillo spent the weekend with the Slaton Mahaffys.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Naylor from Amarillo were guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey for Easter Sunday dinner.

Little Patsy Knox was stricken again Sunday night. She ran a fever through the night which is believed to be developing into chicken pox. Mr. Knox was ill over the weekend.

Roy Brinson and girls visited his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Berg at Lefors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burk Debord are the proud parents of a baby girl, named Linda Faye, born March 31st. Mrs. Debord brought the baby home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thell Drennan of Anson spent Friday and Saturday with the Keith Swinburnes.

Mrs. Slim Hinders and Mrs. Van Knox visited Mrs. Burk Debord at the Adair Clinic at Clarendon Sunday evening.

J. B. Lane and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lane went to Amarillo Monday.

Eva and Carol Lane attended singing exercises at Martin on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Guy visited their daughter at Lelia Lake Sunday.

The following visited Mrs. Harp last week: Mrs. Vernon Davis, Mrs. Dayton Shelton of Clarendon, Mrs. Lloyd Shelton and Sandra and Mrs. Jack Scott from Tucumcari, N. M.

Helena Poovey from Hot Springs, N. M. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey.

A birthday dinner in honor of Jim Lovell was enjoyed at the Ben Lovell home on Easter Sunday by all members of the family and Brothers Fisher and Taylor.

Billy Ray Graham is home on leave and enjoyed a family dinner Easter Sunday at the home of his parents.

Ed Mahaffey and Rande Ray were in Groom Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Swinburne were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mahaffey for dinner Easter Sunday.

Ray Morris attended the Easter festival at Lawton Saturday night. Russell Morris spent the week end with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Goble Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barker of

LELIA LAKE

Mrs. H. R. King

Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Barker Monday night. Mrs. Lavera Ramsay of Phillips attended church here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey. Mrs. Ramsay presented her mother with a lovely corsage of Talisman roses for Easter.

Mrs. M. S. Swinburne accompanied Thell Drennan and family here last week. She returned to Anson with them but will be back home before long.

Miss Edna Wood of Dumas spent the weekend with relatives here.

The Farmers Bureau is to have a meeting Friday evening April 11th at 7:30 at the school house. J. B. Linn (Uncle Jay) of Amarillo is to be guest speaker. A delegate to the Cotton Council will make his report. The public and even non farmers are requested and urged to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mooring of Amarillo visited relatives here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Myers of Tulsa announce the birth of a daughter April 5th. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dutton visited their Saturday and were accompanied home by Don Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kirkpatrick and Miss Annie Mae Curtis of Hedley and Mrs. Loyd Hess of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Tomlinson Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Aten attended the funeral of her aunt in

Memphis Friday.

Owen Neel sold his garage and home to Odis Ivey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Chenault moved into their home last week, that they recently purchased from Quinn Aten. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Neel bought and moved into the house formerly occupied by the Chenaults.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith entertained a few friends Friday evening with a 42 party. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Holland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Aten, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cook, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Messer and daughter of McKnight visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simmons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Seago attended the Easter services at Lawton, Okla. Sunday morning. They drove on to Okla. City to meet Mrs. John Hansard and daughter, who accompanied them home.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McMurtry and Ann Slavin, left Monday for 10 days at Baker Hotel, Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Foster and daughter Barbara Ann of Amarillo spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. T. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Rolls and two children from Vernon spent the Easter Holidays with her parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith.

Mrs. Will McDonald and two daughters Myrne and Janice of Plainview spent a few days in Clarendon visiting with relatives and friends.

Harry Edwin Blair arrived home Thursday night from the University of Texas at Austin. He was riding a horse at the ranch Friday when the horse threw him breaking his collar bone, 2 ribs and his left wrist. He was doing nicely Monday and was brought to his home.

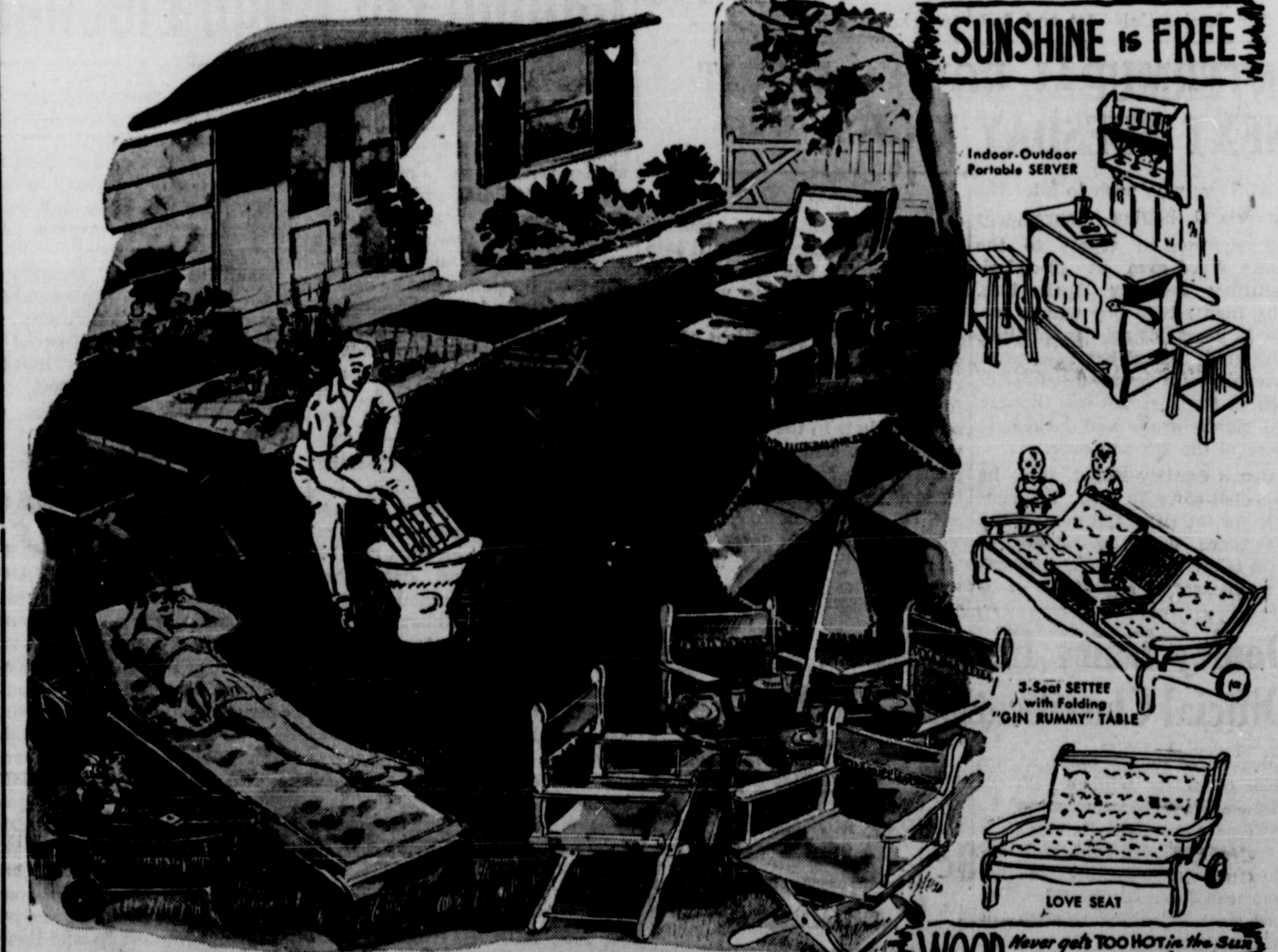
Ralph Andis of Amarillo visited Harry Edwin Blair Monday on his way to the University at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Allmond have returned home from a 10 days visit at Marlin Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McMurtry and granddaughter Ana Slavin left Sunday for a 10 day visit at Mineral Wells.

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THE TEMPLE OF TRUTH
By the Apostle

HIC, HIKE AND HUG!

The highway patrol tell me that the major menaces on the highway today (and tonight) are drunken driving, uncontrolled thumbing, and indiscriminate spooning.

TAKING NO CHANCES.

Then there was the Scotchman who kept getting off the train at each station, elbowing through the crowd making a common nuisance of himself. Finally the conductor became tired of his station-to-station antics and inquired what he was doing getting off at each station. The Scotch-

man explained by saying "the doctor told me that I did not have long to live. I am a very sick man. I merely am buying my tickets at each station for I might die suddenly."

MODESTY IN ACTION.

A man bought a cigar and started to light it. "Didn't you notice the sign?" asked the sales girl. "What!!!" exploded the customer, "you sell cigars in here and then prohibit our smoking them?" The sales girl smiled sweetly and said "We also sell bath towels."

EXPLANATION.

They call it the mother tongue because father does not get much of a chance to use the lingo.

DEFINED.

When a girl craves "romance," it is the "man" in the word that

she refers to.

INSTRUCTION.

The Louse-to-house, salesman does not wear a portal-to-portal suit.

UNROMANTIC.

When the love light goes out of the sweet girl's eyes, it is usually blown out by hot air. The hot air is made in trying to explain and to offer excuses.

DESCRIPTION.

Her eyes were like the stars on a calm moonlight night. Her hair was like spun gold. Her eyes were like limpid pools of a mountain stream where the pause is made before passing over a chasm. Her lips - - oh boy - what a mess she leaves on the rim of a coffee cup!

RESUME.

In the final 'rezumay', it is the girl of principle that draws the most interest.

BROADCASTING.

Chocolate Charley of colored town who is attracted by a corpulent gal describes her as re-

minding him of a switchboard. When she moves, all of her lines are busy.

SKYLINE TIDINGS

By Ethel R. Harvey

The hailstorm and the damage it did has been the only topic of conversation at the Airport the past week. All the planes that were staked down on the field were damaged. The fabric and plywood wings of Joe Jones' Cessna and Cub, Pete Kuntz's and Pat Slavin's BT-15's, and Capt. John Jay's BT-13 were badly damaged. The new Funk that Jones and Wallace ferried in from the factory on Tuesday was damaged, however Joe patched the wings and they were able to fly it Sunday. They will fly it back to the factory this week and have the wings recovered and the dents rolled out of the fuselage.

The Smiths are feeling lucky that their Cubs were in the hangar, the BT-19 was in the A&E shop for an annual inspection,

and the only damage to the all metal Luscombe was the dents made by the hail. They will fly it to the factory this week to have the dents rolled out.

Dr. Lowell was really lucky. He left for Dallas in his Cessna about two hours before the hailstorm, and his BT-13 was at the Plainview airport.

Paul Semrad, L. L. Wallace, Willard Knox, and Joe Jones flew the two Funks to Memphis Sunday afternoon. Also M. J. Taylor, and a brother-in-law, Mr. Clark from Shamrock, landed at Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Knox flew to Segine Monday to visit with her mother. They had intended to land on a vacant lot near Mrs. Creamer's home, but found cows grazing on wheat there. However they landed on a plot of wheat just a block off main street, and 3 blocks from the Creamer home. Mrs. Knox navigated for the first time, going down and on the trip back Tuesday. They had anticipated seeing the fields of bluebonnets from the air, but were about a week too early.

rillo visited in the Walter Morrow home over the Easter holidays.

Betty Sullivan of Clarendon spent the week end with Francis June Helton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eddings and Joyce of Clarendon attended Sunday school and singing at Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman of Amarillo visited in the W. D. Higgins home over the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Walter Hutchins and Mrs. J. M. Newland shopped in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. W. N. Jordan entertained the Quilting Club at her home April the 3rd with 22 and the hostess present. Two quilts were quilted. Next quilting will be with Mrs. Tom Sullivan on the 17 of April. Everyone try and be there.

Freeman Helton of Fritch spent the Easter holidays in the J. H. Helton home.

GOLDSTON

By Wilma Smith

We had a nice crowd out for Sunday school Sunday. Mr. Hatley took his Sunday school class to the river on a picnic. Everyone reported a good time.

Mrs. Bill Littlefield returned home Saturday from Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Ford visited Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Phillely Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family visited in the Frank Jones home of Windy Valley Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Roy Roberson and family spent Sunday with Mrs. M. F. Roberson and Minnie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dale Gray and Patsy visited relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Riley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brock.

Mrs. Edgar Talley and sons visited Mrs. Roy Roberson and Pat Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Easter visited Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Moore Sunday.

Collier Brock and daughters and Bill Littlefield and sons visited in the H. C. Smith home Thursday night.

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

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Phillely spent Sunday at Lelia Lake.

Mrs. Lemons and girls visited Mrs. H. C. Smith awhile Friday evening.

Mrs. Collier Brock and family spent the weekend in Pampa. Sue Talley spent last Monday night with Mable Dean Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dale Gray were in Amarillo on business Monday.

Those to visit in the H. C. Smith home Saturday were Johnny Bill and Phillip Hermesmeier, Kenneth Davis, Gilbert Stewart, June Brock and Wanda Easter.

Wanda Easter spent Saturday night in the S. O. Phillely home.

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By Mrs. J. H. Helton

We had a nice crowd out at Sunday school Sunday, 79. Every one come back next Sunday. Also had dinner and singing in the afternoon and an Easter egg hunt in the afternoon.

Mrs. Lavell Phillips and boys spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Helton.

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PRE-NUPTIALS ANNOUNCED

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss LaVerne McMurtry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, to J. W. Collins, son of Mrs. J. W. Collins, Sr., 1615 Harrison Street, Amarillo, Texas, was revealed at a tea Saturday afternoon given by Mrs. Lee T. Bivins, 1203 Travis Street, Amarillo, Tex.

Greeting the guests were the hostess, the honoree, the bride's mother and Mrs. Collins, mother of the bridegroom-elect.

The beautifully appointed serving table was covered with a peach linen cloth with nosegays of violets at each corner of the table. Centered on the table was an Easter rabbit surrounded by decorative colored Easter eggs. Inside each egg was a scroll bearing the names LaVerne and J. W. and the wedding date, April 26th.

Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Ray Palmer, Mrs. Alfred McMurtry, Mrs. John R. Murphy of Amarillo, Mrs. Bob Mills of Amarillo, Mrs. Clark Mathers of Miami, and Mrs. J. Robert Murphy of Dallas.

Mrs. Ray Palmer will be her sister's matron of honor. Other

members of the bridal party will be Mrs. Alfred McMurtry, Mrs. William McBerney of Tallahassee, Florida, Mrs. John R. Murphy of Amarillo, Mrs. Lee T. Bivins of Amarillo, and Mrs. J. Robert Murphy of Dallas. Misses Myles and Jennie Mathers and Connie McMurtry will be flower girls.

MOTHERS CLUB

Members of the Mothers Club entertained Brownie No. 5 of the Girl Scouts with a Birthday party at the club room Tuesday afternoon. Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames W. C. Mooney, Clyde Wilson, Hubert Heatherly, and Bill Riney.

In addition to the birthday party, guests also were children of club members. A program consisting of readings, songs, and piano selections were presented by these children.

The Brownie group then presented a short program concerning their work. To conclude the entertainment each girl repeated a part of the "Brownie Promise" as she cut the birthday cake. Brownie colors of brown and gold were used in decorations.

Refreshments were served to

guests Mrs. Bert Smith, Mrs. Peck and 13 Brownies, 13 club members and their children.

WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Henson announce the engagement of their daughter Wilma to Mr. Francis W. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill of Hereford. The date for the wedding has been set for June 1st. Miss Henson is teaching in the Hereford schools at the present.

ASHTOLA NEEDLE CLUB

The Ashtola Needle Club is progressing in its plans for the forthcoming show to be held at the school auditorium here, which will star Tom Clyde Hudson Breneman. Please watch for date of this show in next week's Leader.

Our club met Thursday, April 3rd at the regular time with the following members present: Mesdames Johnnie Poovey, Vena Hudson, Ruby Mulkey, Dora Brandon, L. M. Graham, Nonie Henders and Lillie Knox. A short Easter program was presented by Mrs. Ruby Mulkey.

The hostesses for the day were Mrs. L. M. Graham and Mrs. Dora Brandon who served delicious refreshments.

MISS LAVERNE McMURTRY HONORED WITH LUNCHEON IN AMARILLO MONDAY

Mrs. C. M. Williams, 1118 Taylor St., Amarillo, Texas, and her daughter, Mrs. J. Robert Murphy of Dallas entertained Miss LaVerne McMurtry, bride-elect of J. W. Collins of Amarillo, with a luncheon at the Capitol Hotel on Monday.

The table was covered with a white linen and lace cloth centered with a silver bowl containing pink and violet sweet peas. At either end of the table were Dresden baskets of mints and each place was marked with an individual Dresden basket of nuts.

Those attending were Mrs. Collins, mother of the bridegroom-elect and her daughter, Mrs. Bob Mills, Mrs. Horace Westmoreland and daughter, Mrs. Alfred McMurtry, Mrs. B. P. Teel and daughter, Mrs. Lee T. Bivins, Mrs. J. H. Florey and daughter, Mrs. John R. Murphy, Mrs. McMurtry, the honoree, and the hostesses.

CLARENDON H. D. CLUB

Mrs. Clyde Butler entertained the club at her home Friday afternoon, Mrs. Anderson in the chair. At the business session plans were made to help out in the donation to the boys ranch. Mrs. Lena Antrobus had charge of the program on Spring and Easter, each lady helping on the program with a reading or a poem.

The hostess served a delicious refreshment to Mesdames G. A. Anderson, Lena Antrobus, Claude Darden, J. C. Estlack, Earl Lea, Austin Rhoades, Ed Speed, A. L. Chase, O. C. Watson, and the hostess, Mrs. Butler.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE GARDEN CLUB

The Garden Club will meet April 14, at the home of Mrs. H. T. Warner at 3:30 p. m. All members are urged to be present.

LES BEAUX ART CLUB

On Friday, April 4th Les Beaux Art Club met at the home of Mrs. C. T. McMurtry. Mrs. White, club president, presided, and after a brief business session, Mrs. Will Word conducted a program on modern landscape painting. Art current events from House Beautiful were given by Mrs. C. C. Powell.

Mrs. Lewis read of George Innes from Ladies Home Journal. Mrs. McMurtry gave brief descriptive sketches of 4 original paintings hanging in her home—two by Robert Wood, one by Hugh Melville and one by Ridway Knight. Mrs. Word then gave an interesting article on Grant Wood landscape artist. At the conclusion of program, refreshments were served. Mrs. White presided at the coffee service. Present were 14 members and 4 guests.

MARTIN QUILTING CLUB

This club met with Mrs. Ruby Jordan Thursday, April 3rd with 24 ladies present. Covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour and two quilts were quilted by Mesdames Blanche Higgins, Margaret Waldrop, Lela Bulman, Eunice Land, Lizzie Morrow, Gracie Crofford, Ella Mae Hoenett, Vivian Morrow, Sallie Christie, Willie Marshall, Lois Sibley, Bessie Helton, Velma Hearn, Nola Hill, Lois Stevenson, Zonnie Crofford, Vera Terry, and new members Mrs. Will Barker, Emma Davis, Leota Hill, and Ola Williams and the hostess, Mrs.

Ruby Jordan.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Tom Sullivan April 17.

1926 BOOK CLUB

On the evening of April 1, Mesdames E. S. Ballew, W. C. Goodner, O. D. Lowry, Frank Phelan, Joe Ritter and Walter Clifford were hostesses to the 1926 Book Club, their husbands and guests at a hobo party.

The club room suggested a hobo jungle with decorations of hobo packs and tin cans. The guests were appropriately dressed for the occasion, and the food was served in a style befitting the true knights of the road.

After the dinner, various games were played, and elegant prizes awarded the winners. About forty members and guests enjoyed this most unusual party.

EASTER EGG HUNT

Mrs. O. D. Mayo, assisted by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hart entertained Brownie Troop No. 5 of the Girl Scouts with an Easter Egg hunt following their meeting Friday afternoon. While the regular meeting was in progress eggs were hidden in the park. After all eggs had been found a prize was awarded Jackie Estlack for finding the most eggs.

Miss Mable Mongole left Monday for Sherman where she will attend the Woman's Presbyterian Tuesday and Wednesday. She will visit friends at Dallas and relatives at Ft. Worth on the way home.

CIRCLE NO. 2 OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Circle No. 2 of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. Lee Bell, April 9, 1947. Business of the circle was discussed.

Devotional — Thy Kingdom Come, Beginning In Me. Matthew 4 - 18 5:2. By Mrs. Elise McMahan.

Survey Article "What Do I see" by Evalde Reed.

Refreshments of tuna fish salad, olives, sandwiches and hot coffee were served to the following members: Mesdames Lee Bell, Elise McMahan, Carroll Knorpp, Howard Stewart, Aliene Achor, Evalde Reed, Guy Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Green are visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green at Munday, Texas and daughters, Mrs. Lodie Bentley and Helen Louise Green at Dallas. Mr. Green will also visit at Marlin before coming home.

Mrs. E. M. Ozier received the following message Tues. morning from Alexandria, La. Dear Great Grandmother, I arrived at 12:50 a. m., April 8, 1947; weigh only five pounds ten ounces but am all boy. Your great grandson, William Byron Ozier.

Ira Merchant of Amarillo spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant.

Miss Elgin Patrick is spending a weeks vacation and visiting at Phoenix, Ariz.

THE MUSEUM

By Committee Member
On Monday and Tuesday afternoons, April 14-15th, from 1 to 4 o'clock, the Museum will be open to the public for exhibit. Then on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons of the same week, at the same hours, it will be open for all to come for their possessions that have been so generously loaned to the Museum.

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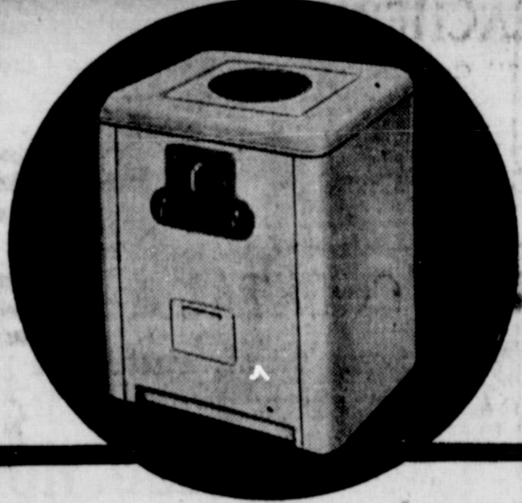
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 A call to stock up on butane gas during the spring and summer for "winter insurance" was issued this week to home users of the gas by William J. Lawson, Executive Secretary of the Texas Butane Dealers Association.
 "If your tank cannot furnish you with gas to last through the four winter months without refilling, you may find yourself without heat in the coldest season of the year," Mr. Lawson warns. "But, you can assure yourself an adequate winter supply if you store gas in summer, and in turn you will help your butane dealer serve you more efficiently."
 Pointing out that many industries developed during the war use great amounts of this fuel consistently each month of the year, Mr. Lawson explained that home users burn from four to seven times more gas in winter than in summer. He continued: "Industry buys the fuel on a year-round basis, but homemakers are prone to wait until they need the fuel before refilling their tanks. Storage facilities for butane are not sufficient in all sections of the state to store enough gas during the summer to take care of the demands for the rest of the year. If homemakers will 'tank up' in advance, they will be assured of winter fuel."
 "While the law of supply and demand makes this necessary, the idea is not new. The farmer always has stored his grain early for winter use. Housewives do their winter canning in summer. And, for winter insurance, users should store their gas in summer."
 Local butane dealers invite customers to discuss their butane needs with them at an early date, Mr. Lawson added.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Helton who have been making their home in Clarendon for several years are moving to near Groom this week.

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To Preach Here April 13th
 Rev. Paul Wright of Milford, Texas is visiting the Panhandle in regard to matters concerning the Presbyterian Summer Conference at Ceta Canyon and will preach in the Clarendon church Sunday morning, April 13th.

Mrs. Linnie Cauthen of Memphis visited her daughter and also friends here from Friday until Sunday.
 Slick Naylor and son Ben of Conway were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Church News

LELIA LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH Ernest Phillips, Pastor

Rev. Burdette Hitt, the son of a former pastor of Lelia Lake Baptist Church will supply the pulpit at that place next Sunday, the 13th. Rev. Hitt is a forceful young preacher and well loved and respected in this community; it will be to your benefit to hear him next Sunday. Everyone has a cordial welcome to this service.
 Rev. Ernest Phillips, the pastor, will be in a meeting at the First Baptist Church of Hedley from the 9th through the 20th. May every one of us do our best in these days of Revival in our Association.

THE CHURCH WITH A FRIENDLY WELCOME

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Geo. B. Forrester, Minister

Thursday, March 27, forty-five Christian Endeavors were served a fried chicken dinner, the second social hour since the arrival of their new minister and family.
 On Saturday thirty young people loaded in the well equipped truck supplied by the fine christian spirit of Mr. and Mrs. Snooks Andis for a trip to attend the greatest Easter pageant on earth. Estimated a quarter of million present. We stopped about 6:30 for picnic dinner—Dutch style; arrive at grounds 9:15, found ideal parking space, and with blankets made hurried trip to a strategic point atop a hill for unobstructed view. While awaiting the opening of program, we visited the synagogue, and permanent buildings and learned much of its history. At midnight and until two o'clock we enjoyed the fine musical program which was

broadcast. Promptly at three o'clock began the first of the sixty-six acts of this the greatest of all dramas. Thousands of characters all appropriately robed for their several parts to reproduce as nearly accurate as possible this greatest fact in history. Beginning with prophecy, the birth, the visit of the wise men, portraying many of His experiences and many of His great lessons taught, culminating in His arrest, trials, sentence, and crucifixion, death on the cross, burial, and resurrection. This great drama lasts about three full hours. One important fact greatly impressed me. These actors give their time, talent and money to bring to us and our children this wonderful story, never to be forgotten by any who witness it.

We plan to take the largest group of young people to the Conference at Elk Mountain to ever attend from Texas.

The minister plans the immediate organization of a group of Clarendon's business men into a laymans program to co-ordinate workable methods for the civic betterment of our community. This will be absolutely non-sectarian and no test of fellowship except good Americanism. All men of all walks of life are welcome and urged to participate. Any one interested write me Box 385 or Phone 362 or come to my home — the parsonage 308 East 3rd St. If sufficient interest is shown I will secure one of the theatres for our open meeting to provide wholesome recreation, sports, entertainment, and character building activities for our boys and girls.

I came to Clarendon to be a part of you—to work with and for you, to make this our future home to rear and educate our

children in your fine schools. I am here to serve—you must use me—I shall not be idle. I invite all to our services, but urge you to attend and support your congregation—but attend some Sunday school and church. Come to Bible study on Wednesday evening, choir practice Friday evening.

Suppose every man, woman and child attended church in Clarendon on Sunday—it would bring attention greater than the Easter pageant.

The sermon Sunday will be "The Common Sense View." Come, it's worth hearing.

METHODIST CHURCH H. W. Hanks, Pastor

Yes, we had a real good day Sunday. We wish to thank each one for your contribution to our special fund. We almost reached our goal. We are sure that when those who have not yet made their contribution send theirs in we will go even beyond our goal. So please send yours in this week. On the third Sunday night, April 20th, we are to have a real treat. The Phillips Choral club will render a splendid musical program. This club is made up of some 25 men. The program will consist of solos, duets, quartets, but mostly of songs by the entire

club. There will be a few instrumental pieces. This is a service you cannot afford to miss. Then remember our revival meeting, May 18th to 25th.

Jimmy Palmer returned home last week from Textile Engineering College at Lowell, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hays and Leona visited his mother, Mrs. E. C. Hays at Memphis Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thell Drennan and children of Anson visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Estlack Friday night.

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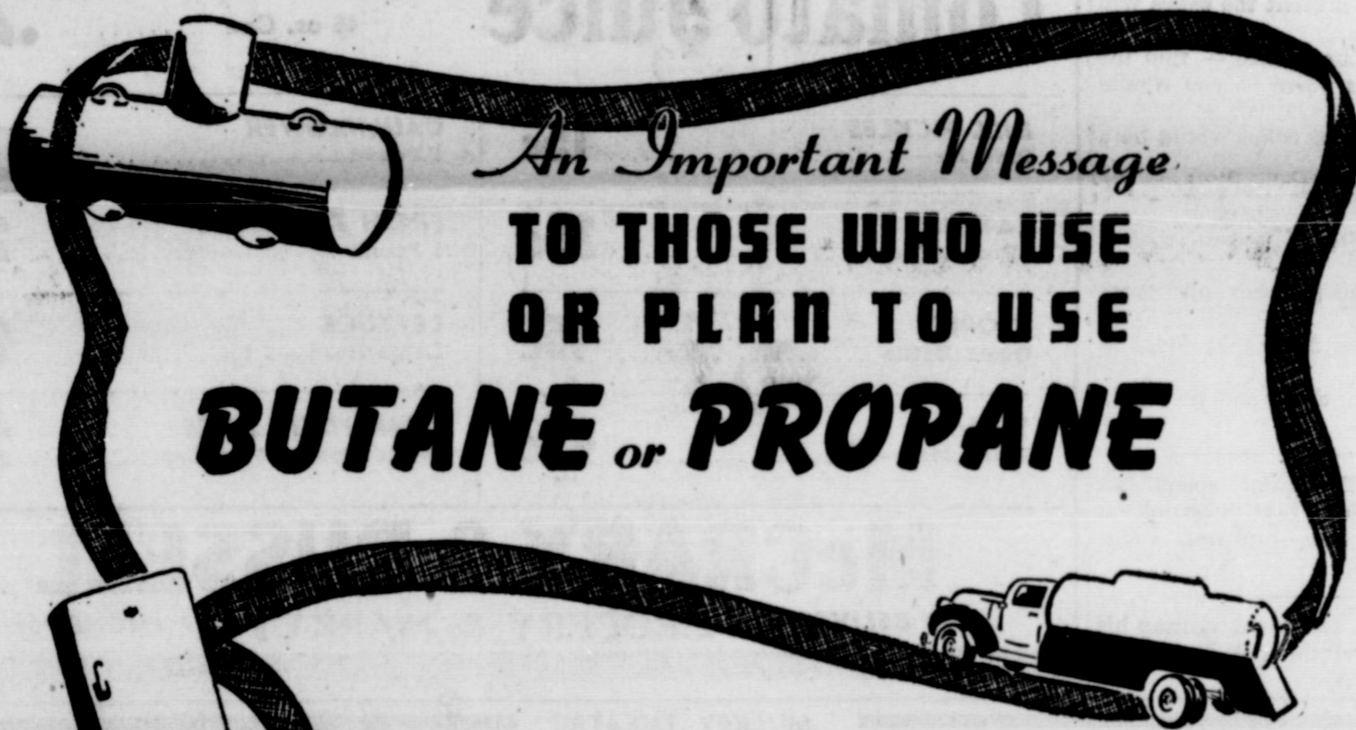


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An Important Message TO THOSE WHO USE OR PLAN TO USE BUTANE or PROPANE

The Texas Butane Dealers Association urges you to check up on your present system. If your tank is not capable of serving you through the four winter months, you may find yourself without heat in the coldest season of the year.

New Industries developed during the War—plastics, synthetics and chemicals—now demand tremendous amounts of butane and propane. These industries use gas in equal amounts all year 'round. Meanwhile, domestic gas users burn four to seven times more in winter than in summer; but your dealer will be able to furnish you very little more in winter than in summer. To ease this high winter demand, users must spread that demand over the warmer months as well. The solution

is a tank which will hold a four-months supply.

For "Winter-Insurance" the farmer stores his grain early, just as housewives do their canning early. For your "Winter-Insurance" you'll have your four-months supply in your tank when you need it most. And by taking less time for your dealer's services, he can supply you and your neighbors more efficiently and economically at the very time when road conditions are worst for gas delivery.

The Texas Butane Dealers Association urges you to drop in to see your local gas dealer as soon as possible. Consult him before you buy any system. He knows butane and propane, and he will do everything he can to cooperate with you for next winter—Now!

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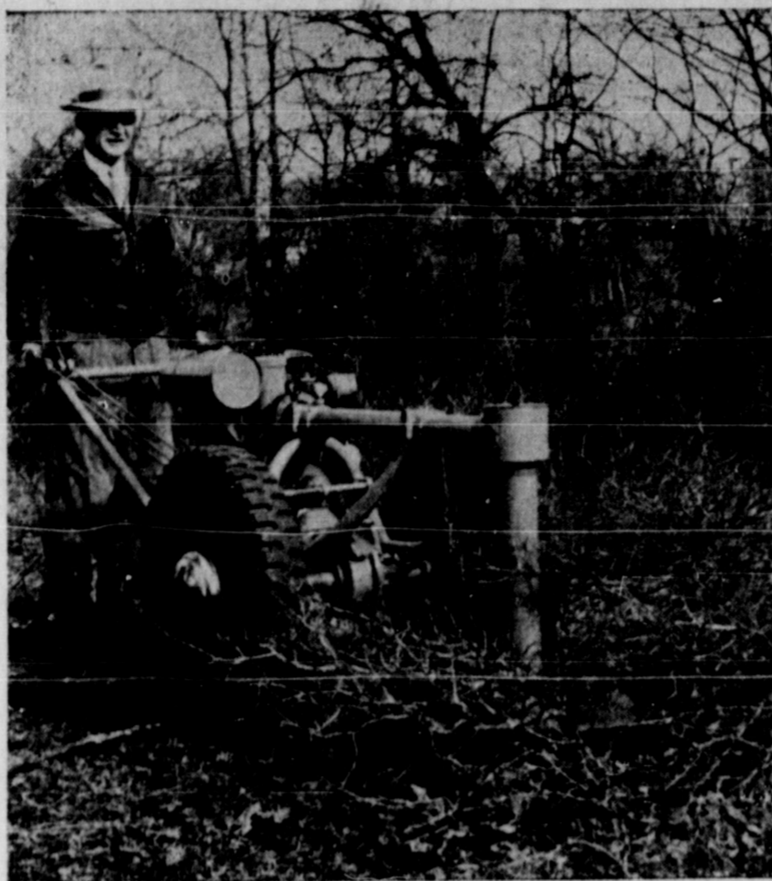
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A jam-packed house of boxing fans proclaimed the boxing meet between the locals and the YMCA boys from Abilene the best of the entire season here last Friday night even though the locals were defeated 7 to 6. There wasn't a draggy fight among the thirteen bouts and the boys were all mighty well matched as a whole.

The results of each bout with the Clarendon boy listed first: Glen Saunders was dec. by T. R. Baack; Gilbert Stewart dec. Bobby Hawkins; J. P. Carlile dec. Lacy Boles; Kenneth Davis won close dec. over Jack Turner; Raymond Adams Tko'd Edward Whitten; Troy Wiley was Ko'ed by Stanley Thompson; Gene Bul-

man was dec. by Jimmy Morton; Red Carter was tko'ed by Ray Fortune; Dudley Trussell dec. Bill Todd; R. E. Lawrence was Tko'ed by Howard McCrone; Bob Bentley Tko'ed Bill Ham-bree; Dan Whitsell was dec. by Hugh White and Charlie Johnson was dec. by Elton Poor.

Both teams displayed clean fighting and sportsmanship all the way through and this along with other courtesies was very noticeable by the boys and the coach from Abilene, and we wish to print the following letter received by the Leader office yesterday from the Abilene coach stating his appreciation.

People of Clarendon
 Clarendon, Texas

I am sorry it wasn't possible for me to come around and thank each one of you personally, but I'll try to do my best in this letter.

First I want to thank each person who took one of my boys in to their home for the night; the boys said they had never seen anything like it before in their life. Thanks for treating them so well.

Next, I want to thank you people for the nice crowd that turned out for the fights. About all I can say in signing off is this: Thanks Clarendon.

B. F. Boles,
 Boxing Instructor
 Community YMCA
 Abilene, Texas

SENIORS TO SPONSOR
DANCE SAT. NIGHT

Do you remember the good wholesome entertainment the Seniors gave you with their play? Here is something else you will be interested in.

This Saturday night, April 12, the Seniors of Clarendon are sponsoring a dance to raise funds for a Senior trip to Carlsbad. The Texas Swingsters will furnish a variety of music for the dance which will begin at 8:30. The shin-kicking will be at the school gym and the price of admission is \$1.00 stag and \$1.50 drag.

There will be drinks and sandwiches on sale between numbers and at intermission.

Everyone come and have a good time. You know the money is going to a good cause.

FARMERS STATE BANK
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NEW FIXTURES

The Farmers State Bank has just finished a complete remodeling job and have installed all new modern marble bank fixtures, new accoustone ceiling, rubber tile flooring, new light fixtures and new venetian blinds.

It is now classed with the top-most banks of the country as far as fine fixtures are concerned and meets the eye of the customers and visitors alike.

The new fixtures give clear vision throughout the interior of the bank allowing quicker and more efficient service, stated J. D. Swift, president of the bank.

ONE LAST CHANCE AT
WHO'S MR. HUSH

By Special Reporter

Here is another clue as to whom Mr. Hush is. The first 3 correct answers received will be awarded a cake a piece tomorrow night at the P.T.A. Major Bowes program. You must be present to receive the cake. If you are not present and if there has been any one else guessing correctly and if they are present the cakes will go to them.

Here's your chance — find the clue in this poem — you should know him.

To spurn those cakes would be a shame
 So tax your brain and write his name.

We've had some guesses that is true,
 But not enough for all those clues.

Hunting and fishing he loves so well—
 That's your clue—and all we'll tell.

Mrs. H. T. Warner spent last week visiting her husband at Lubbock. She returned home Sunday.

Dr. B. L. Jenkins is visiting his son, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins Jr. at Amarillo.

WATCH---

for the date in next week's Leader of the forthcoming show to be held at the Ashtola school auditorium starring "Tom Clyde Hudson Breneman." An orchid will be presented to the eldest lady. Numbers will be presented at the door and the lucky person will win the wishing ring. A beautiful pair of nylons, a cigar and a comb will all be given to

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Ladies, please wear outstanding hats and win a prize.

Popcorn, doughnuts and sandwiches will all be home-made and fresh ready to serve. Beverages to suit your taste will be available upon your request.

Admission will be adults 25 cents and children 10 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Cort Brooks of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. Bess Stricklin and other relatives over the weekend.

Helen and Jean Porter and Billy Lowe from the University of Texas were home for the Easter holidays.

Geo. Watson, Odell Davis from Canyon spent the Easter holidays with homefolks.



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A Common Paper for Common People

April Is Cancer Control Month

By proclamation of President Harry S. Truman, the month of April is Cancer Control Month throughout the nation. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, is asking each citizen to consider the danger signals and secure medical advice at the first appearance of any suspicious sym-

ptom. There are many causes of cancer; the most common form of which is chronic or prolonged irritation.

One of the questions often asked is whether or not cancer is hereditary in human beings. Tendencies to form cancer may possibly be inherited; however, since the method of inheriting such tendencies is obscure, the presence of cancer in one or both parents should be merely a cause of greater alertness in looking for

and recognizing suspicious symptoms on the part of family members. There is no need of a fatalistic attitude. The fact concerning heredity do not justify them.

At the first warning signs recognized, consult your physician. The early symptoms are any sore that does not heal, particularly about the tongue, mouth, or lips; a painless lump or thickening, especially in the breast, lip, or tongue; irregular bleeding or discharge from any natural body

opening; progressive change in the size or color of a wart, mole, or birthmark; persistent indigestion; persistent hoarseness or difficulty in swallowing; and any change in normal bowel habits. See your doctor about any of these signals.

Early recognition of cancer symptoms will lead to early diagnosis and treatment, and in many cases the victim can be entirely cured and live out a normal life span.

American Legion District Convention Childress, April 12-13

CHILDRESS, April 8 — Lieut. General Fred L. Walker, wartime leader of Texas' famed 38th Division which made military history at Salerno and the Rapido River crossing, will be the principal speaker at the annual Spring Convention of the 18th American Legion District on Saturday and

A Ready Market For His Wares



A bright young Seattle ex-aviation cadet, Dale B. Lamb, after checking American birth statistics, opened a nursery furniture factory with the aid of a GI loan. Lamb, left, here operates the shaper on a popular product, the high chair. His father, Benjamin H. Lamb, center, and brother Berkeley, another ex-GI, are partners in the enterprise.



JAMES R. MOORE
18th District Commander

Sunday, April 12-13, at Childress. The colorful Army officer who now commands the Texas National Guard is scheduled to speak at the main session of the Convention which will convene at the Childress high school auditorium at 9:30 A. M. Sunday.

James R. (Jimmie) Moore, Amarillo, 18th District Commander, will preside with Cox-Furr Post No. 65 at Childress as host. The Childress Post under the leadership of Dr. Raymond Hander as Commander is considered one of the most active Posts in the District.

High-lighting the business session of the Convention will be the election of a new District Commander, Moore having announced his intentions of resigning due to health conditions in his family in a recent letter to all Posts in his District.

A meeting of the 40 and 8, Legion fun and honor organization, has been called to meet Saturday by District Chief de Gare G. F. Branson, of Pampa. A 40 and 8 stag will be held in connection with the meeting at the Legion Home, followed by a dance Saturday night at the City Auditorium sponsored by the host Post.

A Commanders and Adjutants breakfast will be held at 7:30 A. M. Sunday at the Hotel Childress. Registration of delegates will begin Saturday afternoon at the hotel and continue Sunday morning. Separate business sessions will be held by the Legion and Auxiliary Sunday afternoon with the Legion meeting in the high school auditorium and the Auxiliary in Hotel Childress.

All delegates wishing hotel reservations are requested to contact Dr. Raymond Hander, Chairman of American Legion Housing Committee, Childress, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hart of Lubbock spent last weekend with their uncle, W. T. Hayter and their Clarendon friends. They lived in Clarendon for several years before the war, and Mrs. Hart taught in the public schools here and Harry was meat cutter in local grocery stores.

Johnny Leathers who is attending Texas Tech, Lubbock spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers.



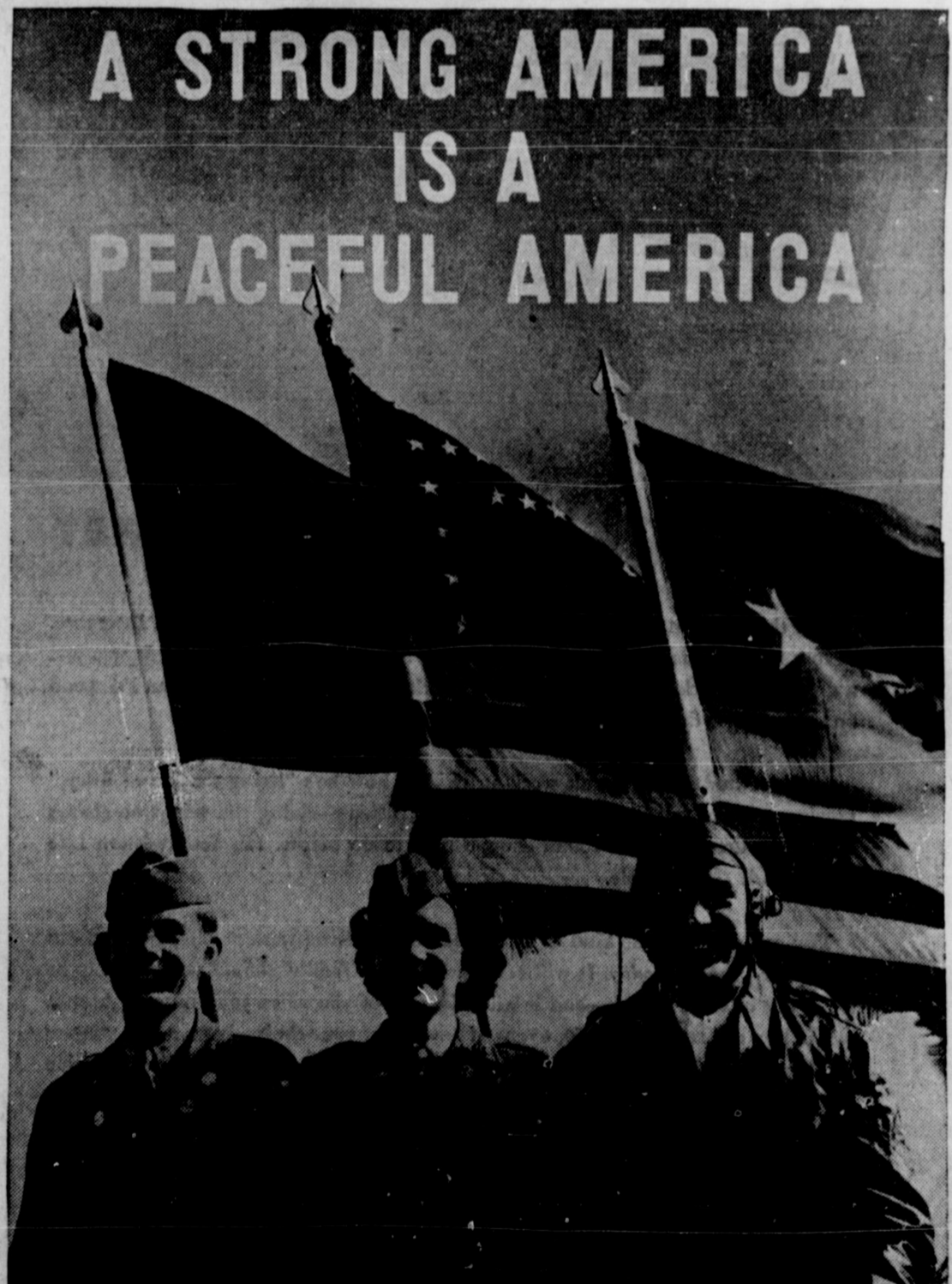
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... stir ever-expanding waves that move out to affect all the homes and businesses of the community. Texas is rich in natural resources, rich in agriculture, rich in manufactured goods... but the wealth that reaches into your home, and your neighbor's, comes in the form of payrolls—in the money YOU earn and reinvest in other Texas enterprises in your daily living.

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ARMY WEEK-APRIL 6-12

Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA

School buildings of the Oakwood Independent School District in Leon County, destroyed by fire, are being replaced by 14 structures out of the Hearne prisoner of war camp. The sale was expedited through the real property division of the Grand Prairie regional office of War Assets Ad-

ministration.

Enough wooden beds for a fair sized city are being offered at public sale until April 15 through the Grand Prairie regional office of War Assets Administration. A total of 44,111 beds are listed as well as pillows, steel folding cots, cook tables and a limited amount of office and hospital equipment.

Two Panhandle GI's at Dumas, Texas, are receiving their deed to a flourishing laundry they have established there. The laundry is located at the Cactus Ordnance

Works and the laundry serves workers in this institution and the surrounding territory.

Approximately 150 frame buildings at Majors Army Air Field, Greenville, Texas, are being offered for sale to priority buyers until April 5 and to non-priority holders until April 15 through the Grand Prairie WAA office of real property disposal. Buildings offered were used for administration, mess, recreation, barracks, lavatories and latrines.

A fixed price sale on pocket compasses, blue print machines, fiber board cartons, flexible nozzle tubes, flying goggles and other items and a bid sale on cartridge belts and pockets on a tonnage basis are currently being offered through the Grand Prairie regional office of War Assets Administration. The fixed price items will be offered April 9 to 24. Bids will be opened on the cartridge belt sale April 15.

Enough rope to provide dozens of lassos for wild west rodeos in every Texas community is being offered for sale in five lots comprising 100,000 feet on a fixed price basis through priority channels by the Grand Prairie regional office of War Assets Administration. The sisal rope, located at the Red River Arsenal, Texarkana, Texas, goes on sale April 11 for eight days.

Pencils, pens, paper, masking tape and desk trays are among items to be placed on sale concurrently to priority and non-priority buyers from April 2 to April 16 through the Grand Prairie regional office of War Assets Administration. The items will be offered at fixed prices.

Transfer of a major part of the area's war time training field at Midland, Texas, to the city of Midland has been approved by the War Assets Administration, subject to certain conditions. The transaction includes all of the property that has been classified as "airport", plus certain buildings in the cantonment areas.

Fire Losses Rising In 1947

Committees of experts preparing data for the President's Conference on Fire Prevention are faced with the fact that America's fire losses for 1947 are rising. Losses for the first two months of this year already have exceeded last year's losses for the same period by more than 20 per cent.

Losses so far this year totalled \$121,939,000. Losses for the 12 months ended February 28, 1947, were \$581,347,000, the greatest this country has ever known. This exceeded by nearly \$20,000,000 the highest annual fire waste the nation has ever experienced, \$561,980,000.

No fire disaster has taken a large toll of lives in 1947 to compare with the tragedies of the Winecoff and La Salle hotel fires last year. Yet the death toll is

mounting steadily because of the thousands of similar fires occurring throughout the country.

The fire prevention conference, which President Truman has called in Washington on May 6, 7 and 8, will be the first organized national effort ever made to combat the fire menace that delays recovery after every war. State and municipal authorities will join with fire protection experts, scientists and others in studying ways to reduce the death toll and keep property damage at a minimum. Fire experts say that, if losses follow the same trend as they did after World War I, the destruction will reach a billion dollars a year by 1953.

To gather data for the conference, the coordinating committee appointed by the President is conducting a nation-wide survey of fires, their causes and fire losses over the last five years. More than 4,000 cities are included in this survey. Data are being

obtained through the fire department in each city.

Work of the conference is being done by six committees, Building Construction, Fire Prevention Education, Fire-Fighting Services, Laws and Law Enforcement, Organized Public Support and Research. These committees' reports will form the basis for the

conference work.

Major General Philip B. Fleming, Federal Works Administrator and Administrator of the Office of Temporary Controls, who has been appointed General Chairman of the Fire Prevention Conference, is directing the assembly of data on which the conference will act.

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Don't let anyone talk you into cashing them. Bewary of "get-rich-quick" schemes. Extravagant promises are a poor substitute for the safety and guaranteed return of your War Bonds.

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Friendly Thoughts

By HARRY G. WOMACK



Our minds go back joyfully to the scenes of long ago—to the little brook, to the little school, to the road that leads back home. Do we wander back in memory seeking for the happiness that was ours when our ideals were fresh, and inspiring, unmarked by life's struggle?

What folks say about our manner of conducting a service is of importance. This brings you actual knowledge—information that gratifies us.

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\$10,000 of Income Insurance will provide a monthly check of \$100, as long as you live. If you don't want the checks when you reach retirement age, an attractive cash settlement can be arranged. Should death interrupt your plans, protection for a beneficiary is provided. Rates depend upon your age. At age 30, for example, you can put this program in effect by setting aside \$6 a week.

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That's the way Jim always referred to the cost of his Southwestern Life Insurance. "From my pay check," says Jim, "I set aside ten per cent every month. It was just a drop in the bucket. I never missed it—less than a dollar a day—less than I'd spend on something I didn't need. But it created something real for me!"

Jim is retired now. He quit work at 65. And now he's "living the life of Riley," playing a bit of golf now and then, hunting, fishing—doing the things he always wanted to do, and never found enough time to do before. His Southwestern Life policy made that possible.

You can get the same kind of insurance through Southwestern Life, and you can start your program today. It will take care of your family, should you suddenly be taken out of life's picture—and it will take care of you when you are ready to quit work. You can retire at 55, 60, 65, or at any age of your choice. Now, while you are earning, is the time to start your program. You'll never miss the funds you set aside out of the surplus income for this protection. Some day, they'll seem like "a drop in the bucket." Without obligation, ask for a descriptive outline covering your needs.

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Place and keep your order with us for a new Chevrolet—product of America's largest builder of motor cars. Meanwhile, let us give you skilled service on your present car now and at regular intervals.

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MIDWAY

Mrs. John Goldston

Dinner guests in the Scott home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John F. Harlan and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lee Scott of Amarillo.

Mrs. Scott and Miss Ava Naylor held the school election at Fairview Saturday.

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Mrs. Moreland's father, Mr. Cannon was brought from Vernon to a Memphis hospital this past Tuesday. He is suffering from an elapse of the flu.

Mrs. Longan who spent part of the past week with her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Evilsizer who is ill in Amarillo returned again Sunday to be with her.

Mrs. Smith visited this past Friday afternoon with Mrs. Marvin Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Word and children visited with her parents, the Loyd Morelands Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Luttrell went to Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Word visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Rachel Stephens in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Longan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring moved from Borger to the Mrs. Bromley place this past week.

Miss Betty Rhodes and Lee Shelley of Lubbock visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones Sunday evening.

Judge and Mrs. Williams went to Groom on business Monday. They visited with friends while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hall Hardin and Mrs. Watt Hardin at Ashtola Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Cecil Beach and Mrs. Rachel Stephens and daughter Retta Ann spent Sunday with Mrs. Edith Longan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Longan have moved from the Edith Longan home to their new home near by on the farm, Sunday. They had for dinner guests, Mrs. Cecil Beach, Mrs. Rachel Longan, Mrs. Edith Longan, Mrs. Harold Longan and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hefner and Loyd Hefner of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hefner.

Mrs. R. H. Green and mother, Mrs. Haley of Plainview who have been visiting relatives here, visited in the W. K. Davis home Thursday. Mrs. Green's husband

Your Week
APRIL 7-13
By Chinsky

WEEKSCOPE
CELEBRATE A BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK? YOU HAVE A VIVID IMAGINATION AND SHOULD MAKE A SUCCESSFUL PROFESSIONAL STORY WRITER

MON 7
JOHN McGRAW, BORN THIS DAY, 1875—MANAGER OF THE NY GIANTS 1902-52. "LITTLE NAPOLEON" OF ORGANIZED BASEBALL

TUE 8
ALL THE FOUND'S ORANGES IN ALLEGATORY

WED 9
1865—GENERAL LEE SURRENDERED TO GENERAL GRANT AT THE "APPOMTTON" COURTHOUSE

THUR 10
NOTHING IS SWEETER THAN A BABY AND NOTHING IS NICER THAN TO GREET PROUD PARENTS WITH APPROPRIATE BIRTH CONGRATULATION CARDS

FRI 11
AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS FOUNDED BY EDGAR BERGH, 1866

SAT 12
IN 1945 THIS DAY NINTH ARMY TROOPS ADVANCED 50 MILES TO THE EAST, REACHING THE ELBE RIVER AT MAGDEBURG, 65 MILES FROM BERLIN

SUN 13
BIRD DAY—OUR DAY OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "MUCKBOON DAY"

LOVE RULES WITHOUT A SWORD; LOVE BINDS WITHOUT A CORD

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is now in Tokio and she plans joining him there in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain and boys were dinner guests in the Goldston home Easter Sunday. LaVern Goldston and boys of McLean visited in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis and children attended an Easter egg hunt given in the Paul Smith home at Sunnyview for the young daughter, Barbara Ann. Jo Ann Davis was high winner in the egg

hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Luttrell visited the Arthur Davis home Thursday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mooring of Amarillo spent Sunday with his parents, the Moorings.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams spent Saturday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones were dinner guest of his mother in Clarendon Sunday.

Mrs. B. P. Cox is seriously ill at the Clarendon hospital.

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Mrs. Laura Silver and her grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Adams of Amarillo spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Adams at Tell, Texas.

Mrs. J. L. McMurtry and daughter, Laverne, were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Rev. Hal Upchurch, Rev. Philips of Lelia Lake, Mrs. Bob Head, Mrs. Crockett Taylor and Mrs. Tom Tucker attended the Baptist District (10) Convention at Perryton.

J. F. Cannon, old time resident of Donley County, is in the Clark Hospital at Memphis.

JANE, HOW FADED-LOOKING AND DIRTY YOUR CURTAINS ARE. YOU'LL NEED NEW ONES THIS YEAR

I'LL HAVE NEW ONES ALL RIGHT

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

And That Ain't Hay — Or Is It?

I guess all of us secretly hanker from time to time, for the good old days and the good old-fashioned pleasures. Leastways, Buddy Richards done a thriving business reviving the old-time hayride.

With a team of horses, and a stout straw-bedded rack, Buddy can take as many as thirty adults—at fifty cents a head!

Two or three times a week they start from Town Hall, and go out along the river; stop for a friendly glass of beer at Shoreside Tavern; and come home by way of Pound Ridge... nine miles in all.

Not very exciting, you might say. But from where I sit it's not excitement that we need these days—but those simple country pleasures that are part and parcel of America—the old-fashioned hayride, with its song and jollity; the horseshoe games; the friendly glass of beer; and the good companionship that they engender.

Joe Marsh

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Compare!

1. What do you think railroads make? The public thinks we make 15%

2. What do you think they should make? The public thinks 10% would be fair

3. What are the facts? Actually the railroads earned only 2 3/4% in 1946.

To provide the service you want, railroads need to earn at least 6%. But estimates indicate that even with the recent freight rate increase, the return for 1947 will be only about half that requirement.

Why it takes 6% to make the grade...

Impartial research pollshow that, on the average, people think we make 15%. They also think a fair return would be 10%.

What We Make

But for the year 1946, with the biggest peace-time traffic in history, the railroads earned only... 2 3/4%. This is less than one-half the comparable earnings for other industries.

The reasons for this low return are not hard to find. Since 1939 railroad wages have increased 52 1/2% and the prices of fuel, materials and supplies have gone up 61 1/2%.

But freight rates have just recently been increased an average of only 17 1/2%—a year after the effective date of the last big wage increase.

What About This Year?

It is estimated that the return for 1947; even with the recent freight rate increase, will be only about half the 6% minimum return required to provide the improvements and service needed. This will be because of increased costs of materials and supplies; because certain wage increases granted in 1946 were in effect for only part of 1946 but will be in effect for all of 1947; because of increased special payroll taxes on railroads; and because of a decline in passenger business.

What Does This Mean To You?

The answer is "Plenty!" Your standard of living is the highest in the world because of MASS PRODUCTION. But mass production would not be possible without MASS TRANSPORTATION, which the railroads provide at low cost.

Why 6% Is Needed

The kind of service you standard of living requires takes a lot of money for new equipment and improvements. To carry out the post-war improvement program for better equipment, tracks, terminals and modern safety devices, a minimum return of 6% is needed.

So when the railroads make only 2 3/4 cents on each \$1.00 of their net property investment, it concerns you.

The funds for future new equipment and improvements must come from railroad earnings and also from investors. They will furnish money on reasonable terms only if they have confidence in the future earnings of the railroads.

You Have Another Stake In This

Even if you do not own any railroad stocks or bonds, insurance companies and savings banks do. So you still have a special interest in seeing that the railroads are allowed enough to do a good job... for you.

We are publishing this and other advertisements to talk with you at first hand about matters which are important to everybody.

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WEEKLY SWING OF SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

April 5, 1947

Southwest farm markets paid firm to higher prices for live-stock, eggs and poultry last week, according to the Production and

Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Cotton and grains dropped; while other products showed mixed trends.

New crop onions began to move in volume from the Lower Rio Grande Valley last week, and prices had dropped Thursday to mostly \$2.25 per 50 pound sack of

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In case you haven't, it's a pretty good item to think about when considering your valuables. You could very easily lose your valuable papers and other items by fire or theft when they are kept at home or in an office desk - - - but if you have them in one of our safety deposit boxes which are placed in one of our big fire-proof vaults you can always rest assured that they are always safe.

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the swing is South

The choice of riverfront business and the "boom" of power were the main reasons for the "swing" to the South. There are good reasons for this trend—abundance of diversified raw materials, skilled native workmen, transportation facilities, and NATURAL GAS, in some parts a few 50 thousand miles of United Gas transmission lines supply coals and industries with dependable, low-cost fuel in Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, southern Alabama and western Florida. You can inquire about fuel in other facilities in the area will receive prompt and confidential attention.



UNITED GAS serving the Gulf South

The phenomenal industrial development of the South, and especially of those states along the Gulf of Mexico, is the theme of an advertisement appearing in the March 31 issue of TIME Magazine over the signature of United Gas, which serves much of this area. This ad is the latest in a series that United Gas has been sponsoring for almost eight years in TIME, BUSINESS WEEK, MANUFACTURERS' RECORD and other magazines and newspapers.

N. C. McGowan, United Gas president, of Shreveport, stated the advertising has been directed primarily to the industrialists of the North and East. "There is a major trend in industry toward decentralization," he said, "and United Gas is seeking through advertising to point out the advantages of a southern location to all industrialists contemplating expansion or new construction." The current ad gives credit for this swing to the "Gulf South," to the abundance of diversified raw materials, skilled native workmen, transportation facilities and natural gas.

U. S. Commercial yellow Bermudas. New potato shipments picked up, too, at steady prices of \$2.00 to \$2.25 for 50 pound sacks of U. S. No. 1 Bliss Triumphs. Continued heavy movement of carrots lowered prices to \$1.75 to \$2.00 per Los Angeles crate; but lighter loadings of Winter Garden spinach sold much higher at \$1.15 to \$1.25 per bushel.

Easter demand for eggs and poultry kept prices firm. Eggs sold around 37 to 39 cents per dozen at most points; heavy hens 26 to 28 cents per pound; fryers 30 to 32.

Cotton declined around \$3.25 to \$4.50 per bale last week. Spot markets remained rather quiet but more active than in recent weeks. All sources bought mainly to take care of immediate needs only.

Grain markets described a steady downward trend last week, as demand slowed, and of-

ferings became more plentiful. Wheat closed Thursday at around \$2.73 per bushel for No. 1 hard at Fort Worth and Galveston; white corn \$1.98; yellow corn \$1.94; barley \$1.54 and oats \$1.01 to \$1.03. Yellow milo closed \$3.06 to

\$3.09 per hundred. Bran, shorts, and cottonseed meal fell about \$4 per ton, but meat scraps and gluten feed and meal advanced an equal amount. Hay quotations moved up \$2 per ton. Seed peanut demand picked up in all major peanut areas. Scoured Texas and pulled fine wools found some demand, but price uncertainty retarded buying.

Cattle commanded generally steady to higher prices last week. Medium and good cows brought \$12.50 to \$16.25 at San Antonio; and \$13 to \$15 at Fort Worth. Good cows moved at \$14.50 to \$15.50 at Houston; \$15 to \$16 at Wichita; and \$16 to \$17 at Oklahoma City. Medium to good yearlings cashed at \$18 to \$19 at Houston; and \$17.50 to \$21.65 at San Antonio. Medium to good steers and yearlings cleared at \$18 to \$23 at Fort Worth; \$19 to \$23 at Oklahoma City and Wichita; and \$19.75 to \$24.50 at Denver.

Hogs ruled steady to 50 cents higher at Texas points, and 50 cents to \$1.25 up at other southwest terminals. Closing bulk of good and choice butcher hogs cleared at \$25 to \$25.50 at Fort Worth; and \$26.50 to \$27 at Denver. Closing top was \$26.75 at Oklahoma City; and \$27.10 at Wichita. San Antonio's top for the week was \$24.

Sheep and lambs sold steady to mostly 50 cents higher at southwest markets last week. Choice spring lambs brought \$22.50 at San Antonio; and \$24 at Oklahoma City and Denver. Good and choice kinds moved at \$22 to \$23.50 at Fort Worth; and \$23 at Wichita.

Tommy Goodner spent the Easter Holidays with his mother, Mrs. Marguerite Goodner.

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SOCIAL SECURITY INFORMATION

According to a statement by J. R. Sanderson, Manager of the Amarillo Field Office of the Social Security Administration many past reports of employers in this area listed employees without showing their Social Security Account number. "No employee," Sanderson said, "can receive credit for wages reported for him until his correct account number is ascertained."

Since employer reports covering the past calendar quarter will be filed this month, each employee is urged to see that each employer for whom he works is furnished an exact record of his name and social security number. Failure to furnish employers with this information may result in an employee not receiving proper credit for all his earnings. In order to save needless waste of time and expense, all employ-

ers are urged to demand that they be furnished a record of the social security number of each new employee at the time he is placed on the payroll.

Any questions on the Federal Social Insurance problem in the Texas Panhandle area should be addressed to the Social Security Administration Field Office.

John Jay returned to Lowry Field in Colorado Saturday night after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whatley and son Bobby Don of Amarillo spent Saturday night with his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. U. T. Fowler.

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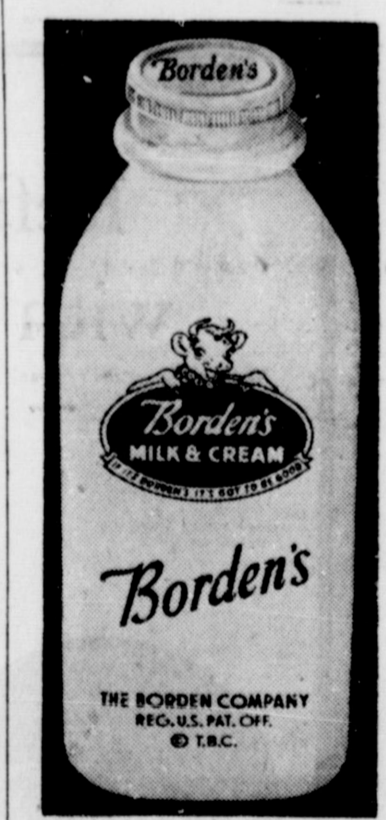
MOTHER'S in the kitchen, dreaming up a meal. Grandma's in the laundry, busy washing clothes. Dad plugs in his razor, and whisks off his whiskers. Lights shine, the radio plays merrily, and Sister skins the cleaner across the bedroom rug.

This is a house with dozens of servants—dependable, willing electric servants—ready day and night to make work easier and life more comfortable. This is living the modern way—the electric way!

Yet how little it costs! Grandma can spin the dirt from six heaping tubs of wash—for only a penny! A few more pennies get Mother through her meal and Father through his beard, too. Sister can clean that rug and five others like it before her cent's worth of electricity is used up.

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