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A Common Paper for Common People

March of Dimes Chairman Urges Greater Effort

The 1949 March of Dimes, which is entering its second week, is gaining momentum very slowly, Mrs. Johnnie Blocker, chairman of the drive, announced today. She urged all citizens to redouble their efforts in the final week to make the drive a success.

"So far," Mrs. Blocker said, "Donley County residents have not responded at all as they should to the 1949 drive. It is depressing to think that the people of this county are not aware of the urgent need of funds so that this wonderful work may be carried on. Never before has the need for money been more evident; never before has the situation been more acute."

"Funds given to the March of Dimes will be used only to help those whom polio may strike, but we still have to meet the continuing cost of care and treatment of boys and girls stricken in prior epidemic years, and insure that there is no interruption in research for a cure or preventive of the disease," the chairman said.

She urged all who received March of Dimes Coin Cards and School Cards to return them promptly with as generous a contribution as possible, if they have not already done so. Coin collectors, he said, will continue on display throughout the concluding week of the campaign. She appealed to shoppers to donate whatever loose change they can spare daily to the fight against polio and help speed the drive to victory by January 31.

As the 1949 drive progresses, various activities for the purpose of raising money will take place. At Hedley Mrs. Harrison Hall, Hedley chairman, reports that the Hedley Women's Study Club will sponsor a forty-two party soon. All money taken in will be given to the March of Dimes, she said.

The Donley County March of Dimes drive will be climaxed with the annual President's Birthday Ball and Dance. Charlie Murphy, dance chairman, has been fortunate in obtaining the popular "Collegians" of Canyon to play. The dance, he said, will be held the night of January 28th. Mrs. Blocker urges everyone to buy their dance tickets in advance.

Snow Brings Added .28 Inch Moisture

The light, fluffy snow which fell Tuesday brought an additional .28 inch of moisture to our last weeks total of 2.40 inches to bring our grand total for the current spell to 2.68 inches of most welcome moisture.

The weather forecast this morning predicted more rain or snow today and tomorrow with colder weather settling back in on Saturday.

Wahrhaftig Flown Here To Face Disloyalty Charges



WESTOVER FIELD—Soundphoto—Samuel L. Wahrhaftig, AMG aid, (left) talks to newsmen after his arrival here from Frankfurt, Germany. Wahrhaftig was flown here in a military air transport to answer disloyalty charges. The 33-year old New York lawyer served as a liaison official between General Lucius D. Clay and West German political parties.

BEGIN PEACE NEGOTIATIONS FOR NEAR EAST



NEW YORK—Soundphoto—Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, acting U. N. mediator, departs for Rhodes to begin armistice negotiations with Egypt and Israel. Brigadier General Wm. E. Riley (right) U. N. truce supervisor, accompanies him. Negotiations will begin despite the shooting down of four British planes by Israel.

FARMERS STATE BANK RETAINS SAME OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

The Farmers State Bank held their annual stockholders meeting last week at which time the same directors were re-elected for the new year and the directors in turn re-elected the same officers for the bank.

The directors for the bank are: J. D. Swift, J. H. Hurn, G. F. Leathers, Van Kennedy, Frank White Jr. and Emmett O. Simmons.

The officers re-elected are: J. D. Swift, President; J. H. Hurn, Vice President; Van Kennedy, Vice President and Cashier; Anna Moores, Assistant Cashier and Emmett O. Simmons, Assistant Cashier.

Boxing Match With Lefors Here Tonight

Charlie Murphy reported that ticket sales for the Lefors-Clarendon boxing match tonight had been going good and a packed house is anticipated. There are still some good reserved tickets left and if you come early you can probably get a good seat, he added.

Coach Clinton reported that his boys were all in good condition for the match and will do their best to come out victorious even though the Lefors boys have a fine record for their leather slinging bouts in the past.

The fights will start promptly at 8 p. m. There will be plenty of pop corn, cokes, etc. for your enjoyment at the concession stand.

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DONLEY CO. STATE BANK ELECTS DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

The stockholders of the Donley County State Bank held their annual meeting January 11, and elected two new members to the board of directors. The directors in turn elected officers for the coming year, making several promotions.

Wesley Knorpp, formerly president, was made chairman of the board of directors; F. E. Chamberlain, who was executive vice-president, was elevated to president; W. Carroll Knorpp, formerly cashier, was promoted to active vice-president and elected to the board of directors; Walter B. Knorpp, formerly assistant cashier, was promoted to cashier and named to the board of directors.

Officers for the year of 1949 are: Wesley Knorpp, Chairman of the Board of Directors; F. E. Chamberlain, President; W. Carroll Knorpp, Active Vice-President; J. L. McMurtry, Vice-President; M. R. Allensworth, Assistant Vice-President; Walter B. Knorpp, Cashier.

Directors for the coming year are: Wesley Knorpp, F. E. Chamberlain, J. L. McMurtry, C. T. McMurtry, Don Grady, W. J. Lewis, W. Carroll Knorpp, and Walter B. Knorpp.

Three Local Fighters Win In Pampa Tournament

Three local fighters came out victorious at the Pampa District Golden Gloves tournament at Pampa last night with a fourth fighter also receiving an invitation to enter the tournament even though he lost his fight according to the judges decision. This particular fighter was Rex Bradford who was acclaimed the winner by the entire audience over Johnnie Vineyard of McLean although the judges awarded the fight to Vineyard. This is the same boy that Rex fought here two weeks ago and local fans attending the Pampa fights reported that Bradford had Vineyard's knees buckling thru-out the third round.

Gilbert Stewart won the decision over Ray Morris and James Moore won his fight with a TKO. Dana Ray Howerton, also fighting in the open class with Stewart, won his weight class having no opponent.

Jack Trussell and Rocky Risenhoover both lost their fights.

It wasn't announced when the fights were over, but it was believed that the Clarendon team won either first or second place in the tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper Scoggins of Borger spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bartlett.

Snow Storm Claims Life Of Stratford Man

The death of J. W. Elliott, Stratford lawyer, was attributed to the snow storm and icy conditions Tuesday morning when the Elliott car went into a spin and collided with a Highway Department snow plow operating about one and a half mile west of Ash-tola. Mrs. Elliott was seriously injured but reported not critical. Both were rushed to the Groom Osteopathic Hospital in Murphy-Spicer ambulances but Mr. Elliott was pronounced dead upon arrival.

Witnesses said the automobile was being driven east when it came upon the snow plow working west on the highway. The car skidded and turned toward the north, across the path of the snow plow and was struck on the right side. Mrs. Elliott was hurled about 30 feet from the wrecked automobile. Neither J. McCrary, driver of the truck snowplow, nor his companion, Buster Emmons, were injured.

Surviving Mr. Elliott are his wife and one daughter, Mrs. J. E. Crabtree of Stratford. Mr. Crabtree is a former Clarendon resident and Mr. Elliott is said to have been born in the neighborhood of Clarendon.

Funeral services were held at Stratford for Mr. Elliott Wednesday afternoon.

Clarendon & Vicinity To Be Served By VA Twice Each Month

The attention of veterans of all wars, their dependents and beneficiaries is called to the fact that a Contact Representative of the Veterans Administration, Mr. Luther T. Nance, will begin serving Clarendon, Donley County and vicinity twice each month. This service is to begin February 3, 1949. Mr. Nance will be in Clarendon each FIRST and THIRD Thursday from 1:30 p. m. to 4:00 p. m. at the Office of the Donley County Vocational School located just west of the College building, in Clarendon. Itinerant service to Clarendon is to be furnished out of the Veterans Administration Office of Childress, Texas, located in the County Courthouse.

Mr. Nance stated that he will be happy to render any assistance possible to any and all veterans or their dependents and beneficiaries in such matters as: assistance or information concerning Claims for Compensation or Pensions; hospitalization and out patient treatment; Education or training and Vocational Rehabilitation under Public Law 346 and Public Law 16; National Service Life Insurance; United States Government Life Insurance; Loan Guaranty for Home, Business and Farm loans as provided under Public Law 346; Burial Allowances; and any other assistance needed in connection with completing old or unfinished claims pending. Mr. Nance stated further that he would be glad to render any assistance possible concerning non Veterans Administration benefits, such as benefits administered by the respective states, etc.

Mr. Nance stated further that this service is not only for World War Two Veterans but to veterans and dependents of veterans of all wars in which the United States has participated such as: Civil War, Spanish American War, Indian Wars, World War One and World War Two.

JAMES R. COX DIES AT MIAMI SUNDAY

Funeral services for James R. Cox, who died at his home in Miami Sunday morning following an illness of several years, were conducted Monday afternoon at the Miami Methodist church with burial in the Miami cemetery.

Mr. Cox was a brother of L. N. Cox and Mrs. R. T. Brown of Clarendon.

January 31st Is Deadline For Paying Poll Tax

The county tax office reported that only 659 persons in the county had paid their poll tax for the current year. This is approximately 800 under the usual amount that pay their poll tax on off years and around 1200 under the total on regular election years.

They pointed out that the poll tax was not added in with your other taxes and you have to make the request to pay your poll tax if you want the right to vote in any election that might come up during the year and one never knows whether a special issue or election might appear before the year is finished.

Don't forget, the deadline is midnight, January 31st.

Hedley Pioneer Dies This Morning

Mrs. Cordelia Mann, age 78 years, wife of J. W. Mann, died at her home in Hedley this morning about 9 o'clock. She had been a resident of Hedley and Donley County for the past 40 years and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mann will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in Hedley with Rev. C. W. Lisenbee officiating, assisted by Rev. Storey.

Survivors include her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Tommie Baip of Hedley and one son, Clayton Mann of Clarendon; also one grandson.

Burial will be in Rowe Cemetery, Hedley, with the Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Delinquent Registrants Are Listed

A list of 30 delinquent registrants, including 17 in Gray County, 14 of them Pampans, was released yesterday by local Board 52, U. S. Selective Service.

Board officials said the men whose names are being released have failed to return their questionnaires to the local office within the allotted five days and have been declared delinquent. The federal government has requested publication of the names of delinquents and has granted them 10 days after publication of the list to return the questionnaires or face immediate induction into the armed forces.

Listed as delinquent by the board are: From Donley County: J. C. Fields and Walter C. Fancher, both of Clarendon; Willie Adell Myers, Hedley.

COUNTY SIGNS CONTRACT TO OPERATE HOSPITAL

It was revealed this week that the County Commissioners Court had signed a 2-year contract with the Adair Hospital Holding Board to take over and operate the institution for the next two years.

Judge W. J. Williams announced that a county hospital board would be appointed this week and that the board would handle the operation of the hospital.

Under the terms of the contract the hospital will have an open staff which will include all doctors in the county who have passed the state board.

The board which will be appointed this week will begin the procedure within a short time as to means and ways of getting the hospital in operation as soon as possible, Judge Williams added.

Donley county voters voted overwhelmingly for the county operated hospital on November 2, 1948, the same date of the general election.

New Minister At Christian Church

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Gray and two sons, Gary and Thomas, arrived in Clarendon last Monday from St. Thomas, Ontario, Canada. They have taken up residence in the parsonage of the First Christian Church and Mr.



THOMAS A. GRAY

Gray will begin his ministry with the church next Sunday, January 23rd.

All the Grays were born in Canada where Mr. Gray ministered among the Christian Churches in Ontario from 1935 to 1939, at which time they migrated to the United States.

After a four-year ministry in Tennessee near Johnson City, they moved to Texas in 1943, living first in Seymour, then in Coleman.

In January of 1947 the family returned to Canada because of the failing health of Mr. Gray's father.

When the opportunity to return to Texas came in the form of a call to the ministry of the First Christian Church in Clarendon, they accepted and are happy to be back in the state once more.

Their sons, Gary and Thomas, are enrolled in the seventh and fourth grades respectively of the Clarendon schools. Mr. and Mrs. Gray are anticipating a long and happy ministry in the city. Mr. Gray is not exactly a stranger to Clarendon, having held a two-weeks revival meeting here during the ministry of Bedford Smith in 1946. He is a graduate of Milligan College, Tennessee.

LEGIONNAIRES TO HAVE DANCE TUESDAY NIGHT JANUARY 25

According to B. C. Antrobus, Adjutant, a dance will be held at the Legion hall on Tuesday, January 25, 1949 at 8:30 p. m. for Legionnaires and wives and they may invite one couple as their guests. Refreshments will be served.

Japan's Indonesians Stage Protest Against Netherlands



TOKYO—Soundphoto—Members of the Association of Indonesians of Japan shout BANZAI in front of the Netherlands mission in Tokyo after staging rally in Hibiya Park protesting Netherlands government's military action in their country. The term "Merdeka" means "freedom" in Indonesian.

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1949 Chevrolets Go On Display Here Saturday, Jan. 22

Chevrolet's 1949 passenger cars, completely restyled and possessing more mechanical improvements than any model within recent years, go on display at dealer showrooms here Saturday, January 22nd.

The automobile is the product of three years of engineering research and design development. Begun immediately after V-J Day, experimental work has included 1,068,000 miles of test driving over the roads of the General Motors Proving Ground and arid highways of the southwest.

The local showing will be held simultaneously with displays in other cities and is expected to draw one of the biggest crowds in the history of events of its kind.

"From inquiries at our offices and dealer showrooms, we know that literally millions are waiting to see the car," said T. H. Keating, general sales manager. "Chevrolet's solid reputation for value and reports of impressive new features have kindled a nationwide interest.

"We do not believe the public will be disappointed. While the car carries numerous comfort and convenience advances, it maintains our tradition of rugged, reliable transportation at the lowest possible cost."

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Land and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Worth of Amarillo visited his father, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Land, who is ill, Sunday.

DR. J. W. EVANS

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Clarendon, Texas

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LELIA LAKE

Mrs. H. R. King

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams and Sharon who recently moved from Modesto, Calif. to Amarillo, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Adell Williams of Borger spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butler.

Mrs. Albert Sanders of Ende, N. Mex. left Saturday after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers.

Miss Jo Ella Carter of Amarillo spent the weekend here with her grandfather, A. B. Bynum and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Seago took Mrs. I. M. Noble to Wichita Falls Sunday where she will go thru the clinic. Lacy Noble and Mrs. Eddins of Clarendon accompanied them.

Mrs. J. J. Seago left Sunday for her home at Stephenville, after a visit with her sons Perry and Nelson and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Saunders and son of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Darnell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Wiggins and sons of Hedley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Phelan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rawleigh Nall and Mrs. Frankie Mills of Amarillo visited the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Holland moved to Groom last week, both having positions there. Misses Jerlene and Mary Dell will stay with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Pointer several weeks, then they will withdraw at mid-term.

Miss Charlie Reynolds, formerly of Clovis, N. Mex. enrolled in school Monday.

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Veterans' News

Veterans holding National Service Life Insurance policies are urged by the Veterans Administration to review their GI insurance for possible changes of beneficiaries.

Thousands of veteran policy holders have not changed their beneficiaries, although their family status has changed, VA said. Changes may be made at any time, and as often as necessary, simply by notifying VA's Insurance Service in the Branch Office, 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas.

A veteran has the right to designate any person, company, corporation or other legal entity as his beneficiary.

Veterans enrolled in schools and colleges under the GI Bill must comply with the regularly prescribed standards and practices of the educational institutions during their period of enrollment, VA reports.

Student-veterans must abide by all the rules and regulations of the institutions where they are enrolled. They must maintain satisfactory academic marks. Wilful misconduct or unsatisfactory progress are grounds for withdrawal of subsistence and tuition payments.

The number of applications for veterans' GI loans dropped to 24,602 during November -1948—the smallest monthly total since January, 1946, VA reports. November applications were about one percent under the total received by VA during October.

More than a million and a half veterans were treated during fiscal year 1948 under the "home town" medical program, according to VA.

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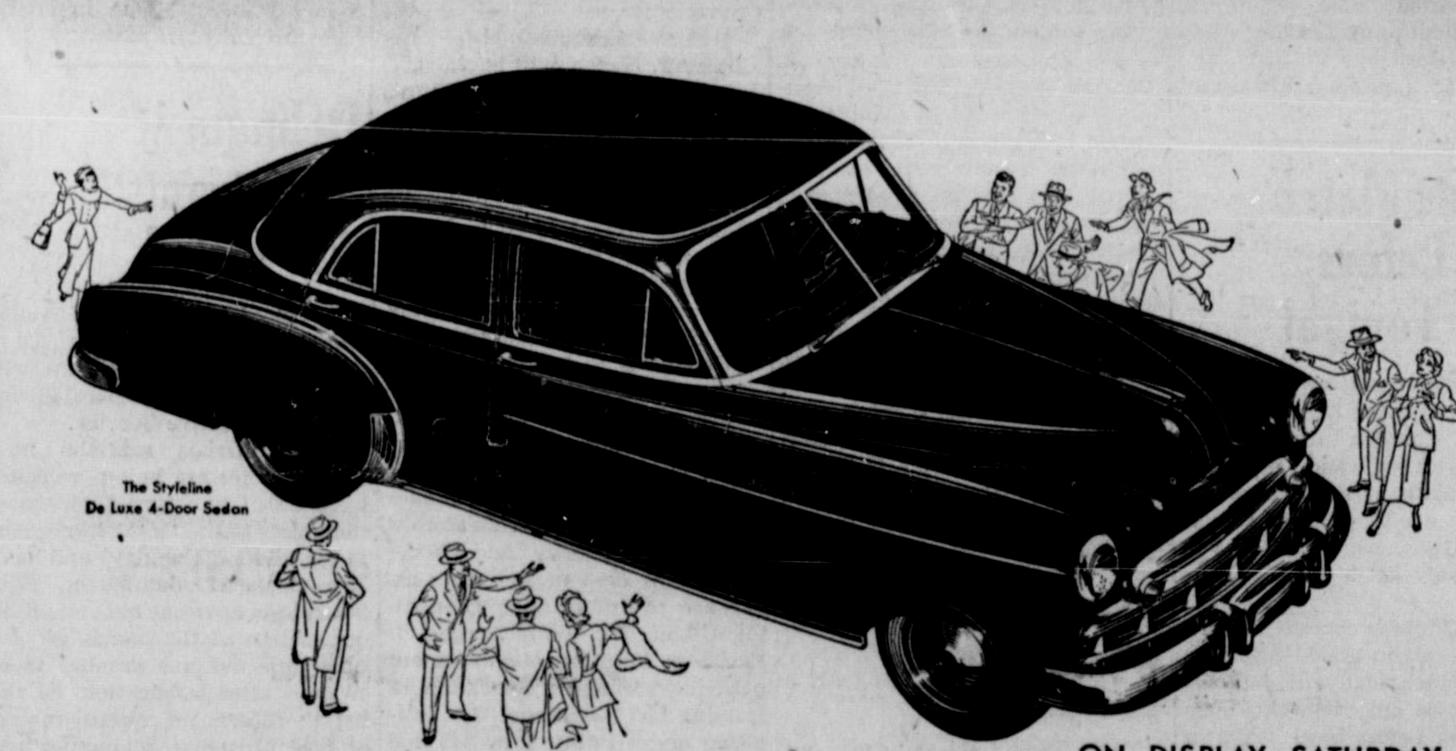
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Condensed Statement of the Condition of THE DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK of Clarendon, Texas. Officers and Directors: Wesley Knorpp, Chairman of the Board, F. E. Chamberlain, President, etc. Close of Business December 31, 1948. Resources: Loans and Discounts \$604,873.28, U. S. Bonds - Owned 880,000.00, etc. Liabilities: Capital Stock \$50,000.00, Surplus 26,000.00, etc. Total Resources \$2,807,798.96. Total Liabilities \$2,807,798.96.

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Annual Account of County Clerk

From January 1, 1948, to and including December 31, 1948, showing receipts and Disbursements of County Funds from January 1, 1948, to and including December 31, 1948.

JURY FUND—1st Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1948	\$ 9,655.11
Receipts	8,939.03
	\$18,594.14
DISBURSEMENTS	
Loaned to General Fund	\$ 5,000.00
County Court Juries and Jury Commissions	248.00
Justice Court Juries	6.00
District Court Juries and Jury Commissions	756.00
Grand Jury	176.00
Grand Jury Bailiffs	44.00
	\$ 6,230.00
Total Receipts	\$18,594.14
Total Disbursements	6,230.00
Balance on hand December 31, 1948	\$12,364.14
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—2nd Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1948	\$10,753.78
Receipts for Year	87,966.81
By Transfer from Permanent Improvement Fund	10,000.00
	\$78,720.59
DISBURSEMENTS	
PRECINCT NO. 1:	
Road Work	\$ 3,401.00
Gas, Oil and Diesel Fuel	1,279.47
Machinery and Repairs	3,757.23
Material and Supplies	1,077.95
Right - of - Way	39.91
Traveling Expense	300.00
	\$ 9,855.56
PRECINCT NO. 2:	
Road Work	\$ 8,925.27
Gas, Oil and Diesel Fuel	1,804.00
Machinery and Repairs	11,423.15
Material and Supplies	3,058.81
Right - of - Way	59.91
Traveling Expense	300.00
	\$25,571.14
PRECINCT NO. 3:	
Road Work	\$ 6,667.82
Gas, Oil and Diesel Fuel	1,887.37
Machinery and Repairs	6,418.91
Material and Supplies	2,766.40
Right - of - Way	39.91
Traveling Expense	300.00
	\$18,080.91
PRECINCT NO. 4:	
Road Work	\$ 2,676.85
Gas, Oil and Diesel Fuel	1,193.33
Machinery and Repairs	8,540.20
Material and Supplies	1,008.15
Right - of - Way	39.90
Traveling Expense	300.00
	\$13,758.43
Disbursements	\$67,266.04
Commissioners' Salaries	3,459.60
Withholding Tax Payments	836.70
	\$71,562.34
Total Receipts	\$78,720.59
Total Disbursements	71,562.34
Balance on hand December 31, 1948	\$ 7,158.25
GENERAL FUND—3rd Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1948	\$14,202.58
Receipts for Year	20,748.87
By Loan from Permanent Improvement Fund	5,000.00
By Loan from Jury Fund	5,000.00
	\$44,951.45
DISBURSEMENTS	
Co. Judge Salary \$2400.00 less Withholding Tax	\$2,216.40
County Attorney Salary	1,170.00
Sheriff Salary	2,000.00
Co. Treas. Salary \$1875.00 Less Withholding Tax	1,676.20
Co. & Dist. Clerk Salary \$1500.00 Less Tax	1,263.60
County Agent's Salary	1,800.00
Court Reporter's Salary	675.00
Janitor's Salary, less withholding tax (1500.00)	1,459.60
Auditor's Salary	480.00
County Service Officer's Salary and Expense	1,250.10
Librarian's Salary	325.00
Tax Assessor-Collector, Advance Assessment Fees and Ex-Officio	3,000.00
Justice of Peace, Precinct 2, Salary	240.00
Pauper Account	1,106.10
Indigent Patients	858.28
Prisoners' Board Bill	858.60
Inquests	97.00
Insurance on Court House, Jail and Barns	240.24
Laundry for Court House and Jail	32.25
Lights	566.41
Water	267.41
Gas	500.69
Telephone Rental	617.04
Western Union	4.13
Miscellaneous	913.72
Janitor Supplies, Court House and Jail Repairs	800.89
Office Rent, County Agent, and F. H. A.	1,020.00
Court Reporter Traveling Expense	97.45
Room for Jurors	14.00
Waiting on County and District Court (Sheriff)	240.00
Assessment - 9th Adm. Judicial District	30.00
Withholding Tax Payments	791.50
Half Fees	26.90
Grand Jury Bailiff	4.00
Stationery and Printing	1,721.62
General and Special Elections Expense	570.95
Auto Expense - Sheriff and Deputies	3,598.82
Pro Rata Part of Commissioners' Salaries	3,483.60
Criminal Fees of County Judge	135.00
Justice of Peace Criminal Fees & Office Exp.	684.00
Vital Statistics	96.50
	\$36,933.30
Total Receipts	\$44,951.45
Total Disbursements	36,933.30
Balance on December 31, 1948	\$ 8,018.15

TVA And The Tax Question

EDITORS NOTE—The information printed below was taken from the column "Thinking Out Loud" of the Dallas Morning News, written by Lynn Landrum, and we want to pass it along to you.

"The other day we printed the statement about TVA: 'If TVA paid taxes at the same rate that Texas (power and light) companies pay taxes, its gross revenues would not have settled with the tax windows. It would have had nothing at all to pay for labor, nothing to pay for material, nothing to pay for anything.'

"Since this was written, the Tennessee Valley Authority has issued its fifteenth annual report. Does this report prove that the column was right? Or does it show that the column had gone off after a propaganda report, when it accepted as true the statement of J. M. Harris, utilities expert of Austin, Texas?

"Well, TVA says it generated about 15 billion kilowatt hours and that its total power revenues were \$48,770,000, with net revenues from power operations at \$17,176,000. Using TVA's own figures, let's see where we get.

"Texas power and light compa-

nies pay a tax bill. TVA doesn't. The Texas total tax take from power and light companies average 3.93 mills per kilowatt hour. If TVA were charged that much for each of its 15 billion kilowatt hours, the tax bill would be \$58,950,000. Take out an old envelope and figure it for yourself—15,000,000,000 x \$.00393. It equals nearly sixty million dollars, no matter how you figure it.

"TVA claims to have got only \$48,770,000—call it fifty million dollars, to make it a round number. That was its gross revenue for electric power—that was every dime it got for all those kilowatt hours. And it falls ten million dollars short of paying the tax bill that would have been due at the regular Texas rate.

"That simple calculation proves two things. It proves that TVA is lying when it claims to be paying taxes at full tax rates. It is bound to be lying, for if it did pay, it would have no income at all. If it did pay comparable taxes such as other power and light industries have to pay, it would have had not a dollar for wages, not a dollar for materials, not a dollar to pay for anything. That is the first thing it proves.

"The second thing it proves is that the whole TVA enterprise is bankrupt by any honest set of bookkeeping. Get out the old envelope again. Put down that the power side of TVA is in the red

by not less than ten billion dollars on any fair tax basis. All right. What else does TVA pretend to have earned?

"Well, it says it saved Knoxville a flood and that it saved downstream farm lands a flood. It claims that it saved at least \$14,600,000 in flood-damages prevented. TVA "estimators" are horrible spoofers, but say they are right. Say they are correct. Take their figure. What else? There's navigation. They say that they saved \$3,000,000 in freight costs. Accept that figure. That makes \$17,600,000. The benefits, they claim, are \$17,600,000. They deduct nothing for the salaries of lock-keepers, dam operators and whatnot. Never mind. Take their figure. It comes to \$17,600,000. Deduct from that the ten million deficit, with taxes figured in, and the net benefits and revenue come to \$7,600,000.

"Think of that. We haven't in our bookkeeping charged off a thing for salary, a thing for management, a thing for material, a thing for depreciation. We have charged off only taxes. After taxes and before all other expenses, TVA shows \$7,600,000 on an investment of nearly \$900,000,000!

"Take out the envelope a third time. Put down \$677,617,270. That's how much TVA has got from Congress. Add to it \$65,000,000. That's what TVA got from sale of bonds. Add \$39,000,000 more that the War Department transferred over to TVA. Then add another \$100,000,000 that TVA took out of its current receipts during the last fifteen years and spent on capital equipment, instead of turning it in on its debts. It makes \$881,617,270 invested in TVA. And last year on that "huge sum, it "earned" \$7,600,000, after taxes and before all other expenses.

"Interest? Figure 2.9 per cent interest on 881 million dollars.

"A Texas banker would be sent to the penitentiary if he kept books as TVA does. And he would be justly punished, too."

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND—4th Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1948	\$27,391.34
Receipts for Year	14,833.20
	\$42,274.54

By Loan to Road and Bridge Fund	\$10,000.00
By Loan to General Fund	5,000.00
	\$15,000.00

Total Receipts	\$42,274.54
Total Disbursements	15,000.00
	\$27,274.54

Balance on hand December 31, 1948 \$27,274.54

JAIL SINKING FUND—5th Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1948	\$ 465.56
Receipts for Year	95.00
	\$ 560.56

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935	
Balance on hand January 1, 1948	\$ 4,654.15
Receipts for Year	354.02
	\$ 5,008.17

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935A	
Balance on hand January 1, 1948	\$ 2,894.61
Receipts for Year	590.01
	\$ 3,484.62

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935B	
Balance on hand January 1, 1948	\$ 6,425.48
Receipts for Year	236.09
	\$ 6,661.57

LATERAL ROAD ACCOUNT	
Balance on hand January 1, 1948	\$ 5,406.25
Receipts for Year	7,631.34
	\$13,037.59

Disbursements	1,400.00
Balance on hand December 31, 1948	\$11,637.59

LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS OUTSTANDING	
Road and Bridge Funding Bonds, Series 1935, dated 4-1-35	
Maturing 4-1-49 to 4-1-53, bearing 5 1/2% Interest	\$11,000.00
Road and Bridge Funding Bonds, Series 1935A, dated 4-1-35	
Maturing 4-1-49 to 4-1-64, bearing 5 1/2% Interest	32,500.00
Road and Bridge Funding Bonds, Series 1935B, dated 4-1-35	
Maturing 4-1-49 to 4-1-64, bearing 5 1/2% Interest	34,500.00
	\$78,000.00

ROAD AND BRIDGE TIME WARRANTS	
Road and Bridge Time Warrant, dated 8-15-47, due 5-1-49, payable to The Donley County State Bank, bearing 4% Interest	\$ 3,000.00
Road and Bridge Time Warrant, dated 8-15-47, due 5-1-50, payable to The Donley County State Bank, bearing 4% Interest	2,500.00
Road and Bridge Time Warrant, dated 12-10-47, due 1-1-49, payable to The Donley County State Bank, bearing 4% Interest	3,000.00
Road and Bridge Time Warrant, dated 12-10-47, due 1-1-50, payable to The Donley County State Bank, bearing 4% Interest	3,000.00
Road and Bridge Time Warrant, dated 12-10-47, due 1-1-51, payable to The Donley County State Bank, bearing 4% Interest	2,468.45
	\$13,968.45
Total Amount Outstanding on December 31, 1948	\$91,968.45

Securities Owned by 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 WIEDMAN CHURCHMAN, County Clerk in and for Donley County, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing account is true and correct and correctly reflects the true condition of the County's Finances as disclosed by the records of my office.

HELEN WIEDMAN CHURCHMAN
County Clerk, Donley County, Texas.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO, Before Me, by HELEN WIEDMAN CHURCHMAN, County Clerk in and for Donley County, Texas, this the 1st day of January, A. D., 1949.

W. J. WILLIAMS
County Judge, Donley County, Texas.

EXAMINED AND APPROVED in open Commissioners' Court, on this the 10th day of January, A. D., 1949.
W. J. WILLIAMS, Presiding Officer, Commissioners' Court, Donley County, Texas.

FILED January 10, 1949, WALKER LANE, County Clerk, Donley County, Texas.

FEBRUARY 1 IS DEADLINE FOR RENEWING STATE PLUMBING LICENSES


C. E. Belk, Administrator for the Texas State Board of Plumbing Examiners, announced in Austin today that the deadline for renewing State Plumbing Licenses is February 1, 1949. The Texas State Board of Plumbing

Examiners was created by the 50th Legislature for the purpose of examining and licensing plumbers on a state-wide basis. All plumbers who are affected by the Law must renew their 1948 plumbing licenses by February 1st in order to avoid the payment of a deferred renewal fee.

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CITY-COUNTY LIBRARY NOTES

By May L. Prewitt

There are some notes of interest in the current Library of Congress Bulletin. The Wilson Room was recently dedicated to house the Library of the former President. Because of the limited space available only 75 invited guests could attend this ceremony. The address was given by Frances Pendleton Gaines, Presi-

dent of Washington and Lee University. The Poe-centennial was observed from Jan. 8 to Jan. 14. This 100th anniversary of the death of Poe (1809-1849) was commemorated in the Exhibit-of-the-Week at the entrance to the Main Reading Room. The first separate publication of Poe's "The Murders in the Rue Morgue" (Philadelphia 1843) and also the first edition of "The Raven and Other Poems" (New York 1845) were on display. There is less than a dozen copies of "The Murders in the Rue Morgue," of this particular edi-

Strange and Interesting Facts



In England - in 1811 - two sheep were shered - the wool spun and woven and a coat made - all processes taking place between sunrise and sunset

tion existing, and the edition bears a presentation inscription in the author's hand writing. In scanning the list of visitors to the Library of Congress last week there were a few Texans—two from the University of Texas and Prof. Elton Abernathy, San Marcos, Texas were on the registration list.

Something To Remember

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The news of our local Library is very pleasing. The Pathfinder Club registered their annual membership — 48 members or \$48.00. It was greatly appreciated and the influence of their support will certainly aid in the replenishing of much needed material. Fifteen dollars will pay for a used set of twelve volumes of Britannica Junior Encyclopedia. These are not the advanced material I at first thought but will be worth while. One has to be as cautious with public budget as with home accounts.

Another friend stated that since the Library kept "abreast of the best sellers" she would not renew her Book-of-the-Month membership and gave \$10.00 to the Library. We have four current best sellers this month, and have four ordered for next month.

There are more Juvenile and Children patrons than mature readers.

Several used books were given to the Library this week. They were copies that some of my readers shall enjoy. There were six or eight copies of a set edition of Mrs. Southworth. Some will recall she was a popular writer forty years ago, and I have several readers who will enjoy these. The Library can use your children and Junior copies of books that your family out grows as they seldom re-read their books and others can enjoy them. Several gave their Christmas books after the family read them. The bad shut-in weather prompted exchange of reading material, as reading was the most comfortable past time obtainable. The Library was busy all week.

Prize Horses Entered In Fat Stock Show At Fort Worth

FORT WORTH—Holiday minded residents of at least 16 Texas communities virtually will "close up shop" to attend the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth in large delegations Jan. 28 through Feb. 6th.

Almost all plan to cheer a hometown "Cowgirl Sweetheart" who will ride in the grand entry at one of the 19 rodeo performances.

Prize horses have been entered from 14 states, assuring one of the most representative horse shows in the 53-year history of the exposition. Included are about 300 Quarter horses, largest number ever entered, and a record 51 cutting horses, which will compete at each rodeo performance.

Some 250 show horses will prance before the judges' eyes, including gaited and walking horses and hunters and jumpers; 90 Palominos, and 85 Shetland ponies. The Shetland ponies are a new addition to the show.

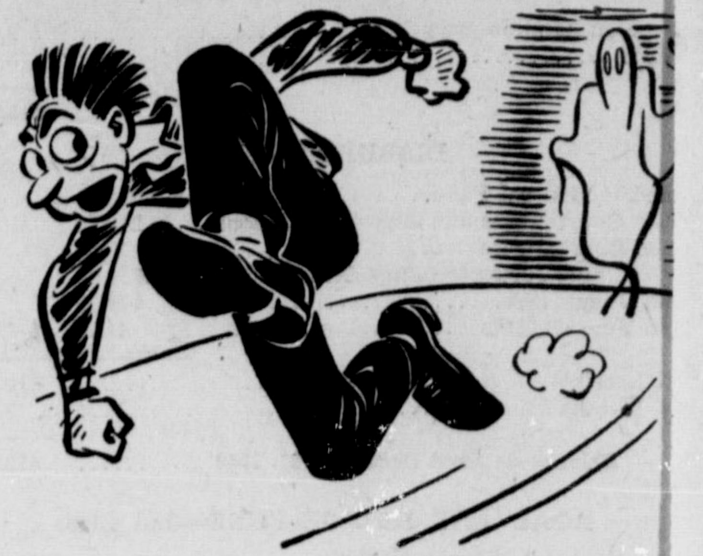
Horse show premiums exceed \$26,000.

Visitors again will view choice poultry, turkeys and rabbits, not exhibited at the exposition since 1942. Turkeys and rabbits will be judged Jan. 29 through Feb. 1 and poultry from Feb. 3 to 6.

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NOTICE TO BANKS

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bank or banks. Witness my hand this 13th, A. D. 1949. W. J. Williams County Judge Donley County

Donley County Leader.



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Two Colorful Movies To Be Shown Here By Local Implement Dealer

A colorful program which will include the showing of two feature films in color and in sound has been arranged for farmers and their families in this community. This program, which will be held on Tuesday, January 25, is sponsored by Hudson Bros. Machinery Co., Clarendon, local Minneapolis-Moline farm machinery dealer, and will be held in the Mulkey Theatre.

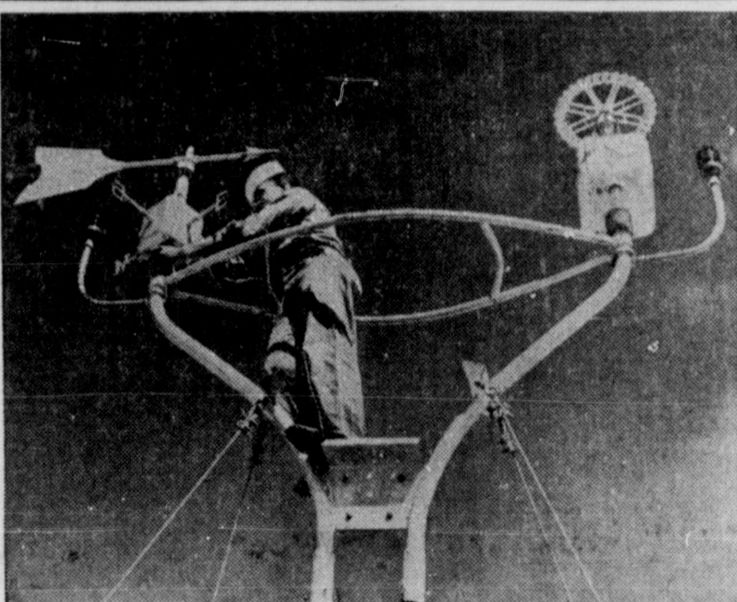
Special invitations were mailed out by the local dealer to farmers in this area inviting them to bring their families and their friends to enjoy the program which, according to the sponsor, promises to be a gala event. The two movies are said to be of special interest to agricultural audiences.

One of the films, entitled "This Heritage of Ours," features the great episode in the growth of America where freedom has always been a sacred heritage. In a dramatic way, it takes the audience on a tour of places that now live in history, including many made famous by the Oregon Trail, the Mormon Trail, the camp where gold was discovered in '49, and the Alamo, where a handful of brave men fought a great battle for freedom. This film also stresses the part agriculture has played in making America the great nation it is.

The second film, entitled "Reasons for the Seasons," is a story of the seasons, why they occur, and how they affect the lives of all living things on earth. This film is of particular interest to farmers who depend so much on the seasons for their livelihood. Colorful sequences also show how the modern farmer with the help of modern machinery is able to cope more effectively with the demands made by the seasons on him and his work wherever he may live.

Is announcing the showing of these films, which are scheduled to begin at 1:30 p. m., Major and Clyde Hudson, owners, declared that the program that has been prepared will include other events certain to be enjoyed by the entire family.

Navy Watches Old Man Weather



Weather plays an important part in the development and testing of aerial missiles. Therefore, the U. S. Navy maintains complete meteorological facilities at the Naval Ordnance Test Station, Inyokern, Calif., for predicting the antics of Old Man Weather. Such information is additionally of invaluable aid to the American public in many ways and is available when needed. (Official Navy Photograph)

Monday from an Amarillo hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Talley spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott.

We are proud to have Mr. and Mrs. Stout move in our community.

W. O. Elliott and Imogene went to Amarillo Friday to visit Albert Brogdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Webb are the proud parents of a son, named Michael Alton who was born January 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Webb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raynolds of Goldston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Talley Tuesday.

Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum Enjoys Great Year

CANYON, Texas — More tourists thronged through the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum during 1948 than in any previous year, announced Boone McClure, assistant curator. The 50,627 visitors last year brought the total of persons registered at the museum since its opening to 539,704. Texans led the parade with a

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total of 44,532 persons. Oklahoma registered to the tune of 5,831; ranked second with 1,132 and New Mexico had 817. Other states represented with more than 100 visitors show California, 487, 4,466; June, 4,365; September, 4,250; February, 4,183; November, 2,774; December, 2,195 and January, 2,052.

August was the best month for visitors with 6,092. May tourists registered to the tune of 5,831; April had 5,517 and July saw 5,274 visitors. Other monthly totals are: March, 4,628; October, 4,466; June, 4,365; September, 4,250; February, 4,183; November, 2,774; December, 2,195 and January, 2,052.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Todd of Amarillo visited his mother, Mrs. A. P. Todd Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carol Allee are visiting this week in Amarillo.
Mr. and Mrs. D.B. Perdue are visiting Tom Perdue in Amarillo at this time.
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Robinson of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Raney. Their little son remained for a longer visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring of

Lelia Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker. Albert Brogdon returned home

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PATHFINDER CLUB

The Pathfinder Club met Friday in the club room with Mrs. C. B. Morris and Mrs. O. D. Lowry as hostesses. Arrangements were made for the Anniversary Reception to be held January 28th in the home of Mrs. C. T. McMurtry. Also, election of officers was held and the new officers are as follows: President, Mrs. O. D. Lowry; Vice-President, Mrs. Billie Greene; Recording Secretary, Mrs. B. L. Hurst; Corresponding Sec., Miss Mable Mongole; Treasurer, Mrs. Fred Buntin; Parliamentarian, Mrs. J. G. Stewart; Federation Counselor, Mrs. O. W. Elliott; Historian, Miss Ruth Richerson.

We are all glad to welcome Mrs. Clyde Hudson and Mrs. J. W. Murphy as new members in the club.

After the club sang the Federation song, Mrs. Marguerite Goodner, leader of the Business and Federation program, gave a humorous reading, "Madame President," by Florence Ryerson and Colin Clements. Mrs. B. L. Hurst presented several articles from the Federation News on Juvenile Delinquency, The American Home and Child Guidance.

A delicious salad course was served to the following members: Mesdames Carl Allmond, Fred Buntin, H. T. Burton, Ed Dishman, O. W. Elliott, Marguerite Goodner, Billie Greene, Lee Holland, Basil Hurst, Pete Kunz, O. D. Lowry, C. D. McDowell, J. L. McMurtry, C. B. Morris, Ray Palmer, J. T. Patman, W. H. Patrick, J. R. Porter, Paul Shelton, Frank Phelan Jr., S. W. Hayne, A. T. Cole, Walker Lane, S. W. Lowe, Simmons Powell, Misses Mable Mongole and Ruth Richerson and one guest, Mrs. F. A. Blair.

—Reporter.

CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson held open house Sunday afternoon from 2 to 6 in celebration of their silver wedding anniversary. In the house party were kinswomen, Mrs. Mattie Hudson, Mrs. G. R. Grant, Mrs. Major Hudson, Mrs. Neely Hudson, Mrs. Bertha Benson, Mrs. Buss Bell, Mrs. Lloyd Benson, Mrs. Willard Hudson, and Mrs. C. L. Benson Jr. of Clarendon; Mrs. Charley Whately, Mrs. Wayne Grant, and Mrs. Carroll Hudson of Amarillo; Mrs. Herman Cross and Mrs. Cecil Cross of Goodnight; and Mrs. C. R. Cross Jr. of Tucumcari, N. M. One hundred and eighty guests called during the afternoon.

LES BEAUX ARTS CLUB HOLD ANNUAL LUNCHEON

On January 7th, twenty members of the Les Beaux Arts Club met at the Donley Hotel for the annual luncheon. Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Lloyd Benson, John Blocker, Walker Lane, Frank Bourland, M. R. Allensworth, Bill Greene, W. K. Hardin and Miss Mary Howren.

The table was attractively decorated with cut flowers and place cards marked each member's place at table.

A business meeting was held and the following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. Emmett Simmons; V-Pres., Mrs. J. R. Ross; Sec., Mrs. Bill Greene; Treas., Mrs. Frank White Jr.; Parliamentarian and Federation Counselor, Mrs. J. W. Evans; Historian, Mrs. M. R. Allensworth.

Mrs. Bula Madlock and daughter, Mrs. Talley and children visited the weekend at Odessa with her son Buddy Madlock and family. Mrs. Talley and children remained for a longer visit, Mrs. Madlock returning home Sunday.

MARTIN QUILTING CLUB

The Martin Quilting Club met at the home of Mrs. Walter Morrow and in spite of snow and bad roads, there were 9 members present. Two quilts were quilted and Anna Waldrop and Lizzie Morrow received Pollyanna gifts.

Those present were Margaret Waldrop, Blanche Higgins, Lela Bulman, Ruby Jordan, Ola Bradshaw, Gracie Crofford, Eunice Land, Lois Sibley, Bessie Helton and hostess, Lizzie Morrow.

A delicious lunch was served to all.

Next quilting will be at the home of Mrs. Ruby Jordan on Jan. 27th. Be sure and come.

—Reporter.

DEITIKER—BANDY

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Anne Deitiker, daughter of Roscoe H. Deitiker of Amarillo to Thomas Edd Bandy, son of Tom Bandy of Amarillo last Saturday evening. The couple will make their home in Amarillo after a wedding trip to San Antonio.

Mr. Bandy is the owner of the local Piggly Wiggly store and managed the business here quite some time after purchasing the firm from U. J. Boston.

CLARENDON H. D. CLUB

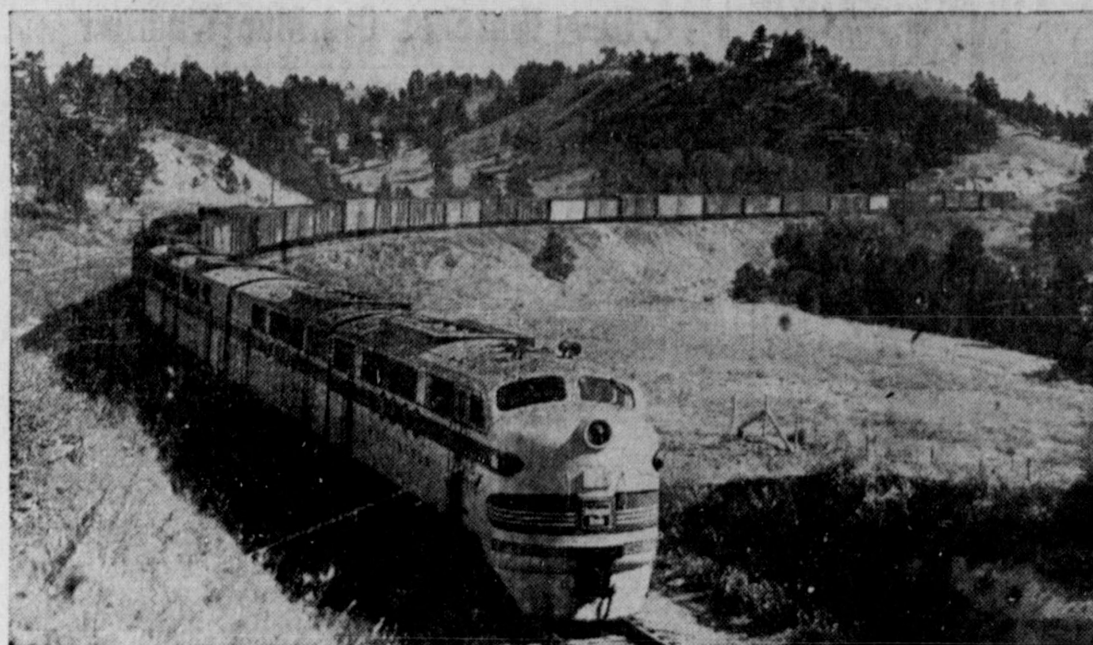
The Clarendon Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. G. A. Anderson Friday, January 21 at 2:30 p. m.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the following who extended their kindness during the illness of my wife: Loy Bynum, James Pointer, A. L. Wood, J. W. Shields, F. E. Allen, C. L. Cook, J. C. Shields, Nelson Seago, G. M. Johnson, Odys Ivey, Roland Shields and H. H. Shields.
Tylor Moore

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown and children of Alanreed and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades and family of Ashtola were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rhoades.

Mr. E. H. Gerner of Lelia Lake left Monday to spend an indefinite visit with his two sons and families in Calif.



A demonstration of the power inherent in the new Burlington Lines diesel-electric freight locomotives recently placed in operation between Texas and Colorado is shown in the above action picture of a diesel freight train.

HEDLEY PIONEER BURIED SUNDAY

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Hedley Methodist church for Thomas Richard Kidd, 75 years old, who died at his Hedley home early Saturday morning.

Mr. Kidd was a retired farmer and carpenter. He had been a resident of Hedley 45 years.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. T. J. Cherry, and Mrs.

Elmer Howell, both of Hedley; Mrs. J. L. Dawson, Amarillo; Mrs. Balford Rochelle, Amherst; and three sons, J. E. Kidd, Clarendon and Lloyd and Robert Earl Kidd, both of New Mexico.

Burial was in Rowe Cemetery, Hedley.

Miss Mable Mongole is at Dallas this week attending the executive board meeting of Dallas Presbyterian. She will also visit Miss Iva Proctor while there.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Grant went to Ashtola Sunday to attend the Silver wedding anniversary of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Brown and Mr. L. N. Cox attended the funeral of their brother, Mr. J. R. Cox at Miami Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chamberlain and two daughters of Claude were visiting in Clarendon Tues.

MARTIN FARM UNION ELECTS OFFICERS

The Martin Farm Union Local met last night at the Martin School. Approximately thirty members turned out to participate in the election of officers for the forthcoming year, and also the election of delegates to the National Convention in Amarillo January 25-26.

Raymond Waldrop was elected to the office of president; Pete Land and O. T. Hill were chosen as delegates to the convention. Following the meeting, the group were served coffee and doughnuts.

Mrs. E. M. Ozier received a telegram last Saturday stating that a great granddaughter had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blair Ozier at Alexandria, La. The young lady was named Mary Odelle Ozier.

Barry Craig is the name of the baby boy who was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Tyler Friday, Jan. 14, 1949 at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. The baby weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz. The mother and baby are doing nicely.

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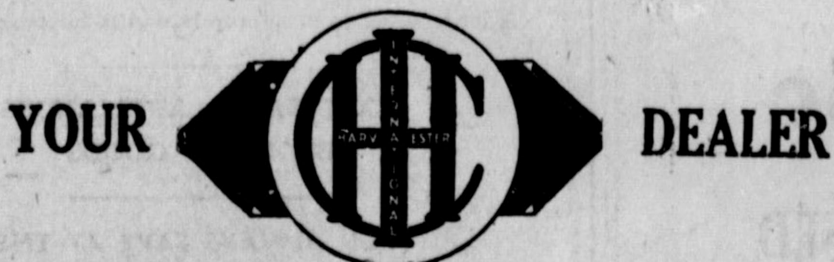
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Thanks again and again to Bro. McDaniel for the nice copy of the book that I was hunting, "Pearls of Many Seas", and thanks to everyone else who was trying to help me find a copy - - -

Although I have just about deserted writing about politics I thought the recommendations of the American Legion to the 51st Legislature were on the whole pretty good, and were one of the most unselfish lists of suggestions that I have read in a long time. When we see organized groups getting behind the things that are for the good of all, it gives us new encouragement and faith in our future.

Fill me with love
To last the day,
Enough to keep
All hate away.

Biggest slip of the tongue of 1949, Gov. Jester's suggestion that we might have a Citizens tax instead of a Poll tax. At least I hope it was a slip of the tongue. I had so much rather pay to vote

than to pay for being born into this world. For goodness sake, anyway.

Among other things, I decided that smoking might be bad for my heart, so I quit smoking; now I am putting on weight, and some of my friends tell me that this may be bad for my heart. Anyway, is there no hope for the hopeless? One of my little friends, Edwina Laycock, helped me solve one problem; if I kept putting on weight, and kept putting my weight where I could watch it, that if the worse should come to the worse, I could let my whiskers grow out and get me a job playing Santa Claus - - - to children, our troubles - - - Often burst like bubbles. Edwina's mother heard the following quotations on the radio. The first is exceptionally good, the latter I don't seem to get, or understand. However, rather than be accused of being unfair I hereby include them both: way to get along, "Throw away your wishbone, straighten up your backbone, and stick out your jawbone." Now for the second, and will some kind lady tell me what she thinks about it; "Women are smarter than men, and even if they know less, they understand more." Oh me, oh me.

I noticed in the papers that a cross-section of the American people were being invited to Washington for the Inaugural Ball. I asked Mama, reckon we ought to try to go, provided we were invited. Among other things, I gathered from what she said that I couldn't wear my western style suit, if we should go. Anyway, I hope we don't get an invite.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

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The other day I was accused of not being able to remember very far back, because I had no recollection of taking a bisquit, punching a hole in it with my finger and pouring the hole full of molasses, when I was a boy. I didn't think that I had missed anything with sop, or molasses but to my best remembering, I believe that I always broke the bisquit completely open and poured on the sweet stuff, instead of more or less making a jug out of the bread. Were they stringing me along or, was this a more or less common practice? - - -

Splash from the George Young News Service of KAMQ; AND: In,

WISBECH, England — It was eighty years ago that Frederick Frusher had his first experience with tobacco. He took three puffs on his first pipe, and never smoked again. Frusher is now 100 years old, and he swears: "It still makes me feel sick to think of it" - - - RU 1239AES - - - George adds the note: "There's an old boy who joined our ANTI-Coffin Mail Outfit early." Anyway, glad to have Brother Frusher, as a member, and thanks George for the news item - - -

"The faults of others disturbed him greatly,
His own disturbed him not—Starr Daily.

Health Notes

Despite the fact that modern medicine makes it possible for the diabetic to live out a normal life span in comparative comfort, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, says that diabetes continues to take the lives of hundreds of Texans every year.

"The death rate from communicable diseases such as typhoid, malaria, diphtheria and smallpox are decreasing throughout the country," Dr. Cox said, "but diabetes continues to bring about a tragic number of deaths each year, especially in the middle-aged group."

The State Health Officer said that until recent years diabetes was not noted as a major health problem, but it became acknowledged as such when the development of medical laboratory procedures made the disease more easily diagnosed.

Diabetes is generally recognized as a class disease, since it seems to attack the "white collar" class of indoor men and women much more frequently than it does the outdoor person whose work is more vigorous and calls for more exercise. Vocational and economical conditions apparently are predisposing factors in the incidence of the disease, since it is a fact that those persons whose occupations call for manual labor and simple living are not frequently affected.

Dr. Cox recommended simple, wholesome diets, sufficient sleep and exercise and other general health protections as being beneficial in preventing diabetes, and stressed the importance of annual physical examinations so that if the disease is present, competent treatment can be instituted at the earliest possible moment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes returned home Friday from attending the funeral of their niece, Mrs. Basil Hale at Commerce. They also visited Mrs. Rhode's mother, Mrs. Mattie Lewis and other relatives at Cooper, Texas.

Elgin Patrick of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patrick Sunday.

The Lion's Roar

The regular meeting of the Lions Club was held Tuesday, January 18 at the Lions Club Hall. Attendance was good considering the snow and cold weather. Guests for this meeting were: Bowen and Dale DuLaney, Rev. Gray, Richard Maxey, J. F. White, Floyd Derrick, and Dr. Henexson.

Minutes of the Board of Directors meeting were read and approved. It was noted in these minutes that the Feb. 1st meeting of the club will be a night meeting beginning at seven o'clock. This will also be a zone meeting honoring all new members secured during the Melvin Jones membership drive of January.

The applications for membership of Dale and Bowen DuLaney were approved by unanimous vote of the club. Welcome to our club Lions Bowen and Dale.

The program consisted of two numbers by the club quartet, a reading by Pat Estlack, and songs by Betty Wilson, Joan May and Frankie Wilson, accompanied by Margie Nell Crofford. Strange as it seems the club quartet was

encored. Thanks to Lion Drennan for this program.
Lions, to enjoy the fellowship of your club you must attend its meetings.

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FOR SALE—John Deere Tractor Model A, 4-row tool bar, 3 bottom lister, 2-row cultivator. Priced right. Phone 81-2S-1L. L. E. Blankenship, Rt. 1, Hedley. (50-p)

STRAYED—2 yr. old muley Jersey heifer branded S on right hip. Strayed about January 10. Notify Earl Hodnett. (50-p)

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FOR SALE—Printed feed sacks, 3 for \$1. Fred Russell. (49-2c)

FOR SALE—One meat hog, approximately 250 lbs. Contact Jimmy Dick Lowry. Phone 380-M. (49-c)

FOR SALE—Family Sewing Machines, Singers and others. If interested drop me a letter % Box 785 Hedley, Texas and I will call and see you. W. M. McBrayer. (49fc)

FOR SALE—1938 Model Fordor Ford; new motor, good condition. Phone 450-W. (49-p)

FOR RENT—2 room furnished apartment. Private bath. Phone 279-W. A. J. Hicks. (50-p)

Mrs. Fannie Noble who has been sick for some time was taken to Wichita Falls Sunday and placed in a hospital and will go through the clinic.

Glen Hoggatt was in Lubbock Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

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FOR SALE—1938 Ford Truck, good condition. Phone 292-W. Bud Moore. (49-p)

FOR SALE—Red Duroc boar, wt. approx. 175 lbs. Sam Dale. (49-p)

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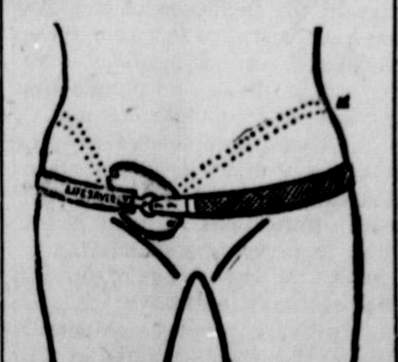
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Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pittman visited their son Brady Pittman and family Sunday at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Ray visited relatives at Hedley Sunday.

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Sleek, 6,000 h.p. 4-unit diesel freight locomotives will commence rapid time-freight service between Denver and Fort Worth with the maiden trip from Denver today. First train departed the Colorado capitol at 6:00 AM, and is scheduled to roll into Fort Worth at 1:00 PM tomorrow.

where a reception committee of Burlington Lines officials will be on hand to greet the first of the new high speed locomotives, which will have made the trip practically non-stop from Denver.

These trains will stop only at terminal points and important junction points; supplementary freight service is to be provided from points where diesel trains will not stop and advanced to the first terminal or junction point to connect with the dieselized trains. This plan will afford almost all communities on the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway the equivalent of dieselized service.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blocker have returned from Dallas after a 3 weeks visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lynn of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. LaGrone Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Greene Sr. left Friday night for Fresno, Calif. for a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ross and Jamie moved to their new home near Quail Monday where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooney of Amarillo were in Clarendon Sunday on business.

Dwight McAnear spent the weekend visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood.

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January 23rd, Third Sunday after Epiphany,
 4:30 p. m. Evening Prayer and Sermon.
 4:30 p. m. Church School.
 January 25th Tuesday, St. Paul's Day.
 10 a. m. Holy Communion.
 January 30th Fourth Sunday after Epiphany,
 11 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
 11 a. m. Church School.
 Every Friday at 7 p. m. KVAI Episcopal Actor's Guild; every Sunday at 7:30 a. m. KGNC Episcopal Radio Hour.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Doyle Williams, Minister
 Bible School—10:00 a. m.
 Preaching—11 a. m. & 7:45 p. m.
 Communion at 11:45 a. m. and 8 p. m.
 Ladies Bible study Wednesday at 3:00 p. m.
 Mid-week Bible study, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.
 You are welcome to every service.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Thos. A. Gray, Minister
 Jan. 23, 1949
 Bible School—9:45
 Roy Clappitt, Supt.
 The Lord's Supper and Sermon, 10:45.
 Christian Endeavor—6:30 p. m.
 Thos. A. Gray will begin his ministry with the church and will bring the message at the morning service this Sunday. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend this service.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
 Stanley W. Hayne, Pastor
 9:45 A. M.—Church School
 J. R. Gillham, Superintendent
 10:50—Morning Worship
 7:15—Evening Worship

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 L. A. Sartain, Pastor
 J. M. Rampy, Music & Education
 9:45 Sunday School—
 Alfred Estlack, Supt.
 11:00 Morning Worship
 6:30 Training Union—
 Jack Eddings, Director
 7:30 Evening Worship
 3:00 Wednesday—W.M.S.
 6:00 R. A.'s and G.A.'s meet at the church.
 7:30 Mid-Week Service.
 7:30 Thursday—Choir Practice.

ASHTOLA
 Mrs. Doyce Graham

Annette Thomas of Clarendon spent the weekend with Shirley Fay Wilson.
 Due to inclement weather, there was no school last week, nor did the quilting club meet.
 Several attended the open house celebration of the Clyde Hudson's Silver wedding anniversary Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey and Frank visited Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Crofford had Sunday dinner with the W. A. Pooveys.
 Mrs. Doyce Graham is suffering from strep throat this week. Thanks to all the wonderful friends who helped out with the items.
 Joe Bownds spent Friday with Burk DeBord.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mulkey and Freddie spent Saturday with her parents, the Duttons, in Canyon.

Bob Word was home from WTSC this weekend.
 Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Brinson are the proud parents of a baby daughter born Friday in an Amarillo hospital.
 Mrs. Tomlinson of Austin has been visiting her daughters, Frances and Mrs. Ben Nelson.
 Billy Joe Marshall and Frank Mahaffey, students at an Amarillo business college, spent the weekend with homefolks.
 Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Moore shopped in Amarillo Friday.
 Shirley Wilson spent Saturday night with Annette Thomas.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White visited their parents during their vacation last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nelson's small daughter is ill.
 Mrs. Horace Greene spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Cap Morris, so she could have her sick baby near the doctor.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Hudson and son Barry Dale of Amarillo spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Major Hudson.

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ENGLISH PEAS No. 2 Can		15c
TAMALES with Chili Gravy Whitson's—Large Can		25c
TOBACCO Prince Albert—9 Cans		95c
IN OUR MARKET	MEAL YUKON BEST WHITE CREAM 10 LB. SACK	65c
BACON Sliced—Pound		48c
BEEF ROAST Pound		48c
PORK CHOPS Pound	HONEY EXTRACTED 1/2 GAL. PAIL	95c
CURED JOWLS Pound		43c
	FRUITS & VEGETABLES	
	ONIONS Large yellow sweet—5 lbs.	29c
	GRAPEFRUIT Texas—7 for	25c
	BANANAS Nice Ripe—Pound	15c
	MIXED NUTS Pound	25c

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CLARENDON, TEXAS

DOODLING AT THEIR GRANDDAD'S SENATORIAL DESK



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Soundphoto—Grandchildren of the Vice-president elect, Alben W. Barkley, 11, age 4, and his sister, Dorothy Anne Barkley, 6, add a few margin notes to a copy of the Congressional Record at the Senator's desk in the upper chamber. Barkley will be sworn in as vice-president on January 20th.

New Car Tags Are Here

County tax officials announced yesterday that the new vehicle license plates for Donley County had arrived and the lettering this year will begin with AA 8500 through AA 9999. The new plates

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will be the same size with black lettering and numerals on a gold background.

The new tags will go on sale the first of February and it will be permissible to put the tags on at this time instead of having to wait until the first of March.

The tax officials wish to remind all those with out of state license tags to check up and see whether their time limitation has run out and also to remind everyone that it will be necessary for you to bring along your old receipt and car title before the new tags can be issued.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Riley and Judy Riley attended the funeral of Mr. R. R. Riley's brother-in-law, Mr. Sam Williams at McKenney, Friday.

Donley Youths Enter Houston Fat Stock Show

The city of Clarendon and Donley County will be well represented at the 1949 Houston Fat Stock Show and Livestock Exposition which opens February 2nd and continues through Feb. 13th at Sam Houston Coliseum when the 12-day program will be packed with outstanding livestock exhibitions, rodeo thrills, and other colorful educational and entertaining features.

With more than 7200 head of prize stock expected, and \$75,000 appropriated in prize money, the exposition will surpass that of any previous year. For the second time in the 17 year history of this gigantic South Western enterprise, the livestock exhibitions will not be held simultaneously. The market show will be held for the first week, and the breeding show, the second week.

Fat Stock Show officials report that Donley County exhibitors and entries tabulated thus far include the following:

Bob Clifford, 1 Hereford Fat Steer; Vernon Goldston, 1 Hereford Fat Steer; Gene White, 1 Poland China Pig; Weldon McBrayer, 1 Hampshire Pig; Nelson Christie, 3 Hampshire Pigs; Drew Christie, 3 Berkshire Pigs; Joe Shadle, 1 Pig; Leonard Carnes, 2 Lambs; Dewey Foster, 2 Lambs; Bobby Whitaker, 3 Lambs.

Miss Edgar Mae Mongole returned home Sunday from a visit with relatives at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris of Stratford spent the weekend with their uncle and aunt, Mr. & Mrs. Clyde Barker.

Mulkey Theatre

THURSDAY - FRIDAY—January 20-21st

MARK STEVENS and RICHARD WIDMARK

"The Street With No Name"

SATURDAY ONLY—January 22nd

JOYCE REYNOLDS and ROBERT HUTTON

"Wall Flower"

Wednesday Only—Bargain Day—January 26th—George Brent and Virginia Mayo in "OUT OF THE BLUE"



Mrs. Dean Acheson and Daughter View Proceedings



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Soundphoto—Mrs. Dean Acheson (left) and her daughters, Mrs. William Bundy (center), and Mrs. Dudley Brown were spectators at Foreign Relations Committee's unanimous approval on Acheson's nomination for Secretary of State.

COUNTY AGENT ATTENDS IRRIGATION SCHOOL

County agent H. M. Breedlove attended an irrigation school in Floydada on Monday the seventeenth of this month. The school was conducted by the Texas A&M College Extension service under the direction of Dr. Thurman, irrigation specialist for the extension service. Seventeen county agents attended the meeting and all types of irrigation was discussed and types of power for irrigation wells. In the afternoon a field trip was held at Lockney, and the county agents looked over different types of irrigation and also irrigated pastures.

Irrigation in Donley county has just started and Breedlove is getting all of the latest information from the specialists and the experiment stations of the A&M College. Breedlove stated that irrigation in Donley county would be spotted due to the types of farms and availability of water in different localities. The test well is the cheapest and most accurate method to determine if water is available on a farm for irrigation.

APPRECIATION DAY CROWD OUT STRONG DESPITE WEATHER

The appreciation day event is still holding its power despite ugly weather. A large crowd was on hand yesterday afternoon to witness Mrs. Fred Row receive the pleasant surprise of the day.

ATTENDING PREPARATORY SCHOOL

It was announced here this week that AEAN Donald W. Beard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Beard, is attending a preparatory school at Bainbridge, Maryland in anticipation of entering the Annapolis Naval Academy at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. Beard received word from another son, Ica Bobby Beard, also in the Navy, stating that he had sailed for China on the 13th and expects to be stationed somewhere in that area for the next 12 to 18 months.

PATROL CHECKS "66" TRAFFIC

In a survey by the Texas Highway Department it was discovered an average of 128½ motor vehicles travel U. S. Highway 66 in this area within an hour, or 3,084 a day, a total of some 21,589 vehicles per week, pass along this popular route between Los Angeles and Chicago.

Heaviest traffic is on Saturday and the heaviest hour is between 5 and 6 p. m.

An automatic counter was used recording the traffic by the hour for a week's period.

Donley County Farm News

So far 1949 has started off in the right way. According to Charlie Hermesmeier a few weeks ago he has got the moisture to assure him of a good wheat crop this year. Charlie states that he is pasturing his wheat and at the time he was in the office he estimated that eight inches of snow this winter would be enough to make his crop. Although he got sleet, the moisture content should have been sufficient. If nothing else happens 1949 will go down in Clarendon history as the year of the "big sleet."

The County Committee has changed the day of its regular meeting from Thursday to Friday of each week. At the regular meeting last Friday, January 14, 1949, the County Committee set up the working budget for the 1949 program. This budget is flexible, but as set up by County Committee of the Donley County Agricultural Conservation Association each farmer will be limited to \$350.00 of assistance on approved practices carried out according to State specifications.

The practice of chiseling 12 inches or more has been limited to 100 acres to each farm or \$350.00 per farmer, whichever is smaller. Temporary limitations of individual practices are as follows: Large Ridge type terraces \$20,000.00; Diversion Terraces, \$3,000.00; Subsoiling, \$10,000.00; Deep Plowing, \$250.00; Control of Bindweed, \$100.00; Construction of Drainage Ditches, \$5,070.00; Levelling land for irrigation, \$700.00; Drilling wells, \$3,000.00; Construction of Dams, \$3,000.00; Elimination of mesquites and sagebrush, \$2,500.00; Pasture mowing, \$500.00; Seeding pasture grasses, \$1500.00; Applying 20% Superphosphate \$2,000.00; and Leaving Stalk or Stubble, \$4,000.00. As we have stated before this budget is flexible as the necessity demands.

Mrs. Clyde Butler took her small granddaughter Katherine Cowan to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cowan at Borger the weekend. She had been staying with Mrs. Butler several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Pruett of Amarillo visited her mother, Mrs. W. D. Martin Sunday.

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Golden Ripe—1 lb.

JELLO 15c
2 for



Coffee BRIGHT & EARLY .39
1 lb. Glass Jar

Sugar PURE CANE .89
10 lbs.

OXYDOL

LARGE BOX

29c

MEAL

Light Crust 5 LBS.

39c

MILK

PET or CARNATION Large Cans—2 for .25

These Are Not Week End Specials Only ... But EVERYDAY PRICES GOOD ANY DAY OF THE WEEK

ORANGE JUICE Adams—48 oz. Can	25c	CORN Our Darling—No. 2 Can	23c
FRUIT COCKTAIL Tall Can	25c	CHILI Wolf Brand—No. 2 Can	59c
TOMATOES No. 2 Cans—2 for	25c	TAMALES Thrifit—No. 2 Can	23c
CHERRIES Empsons—Can	23c	MEAL Aunt Jemima—10 lbs.	85c

Dry Salt Bacon	Sliced Bacon	Pressed Ham
POUND	Cudahy's POUND	POUND
29c	55c	50c

Shortening 3 Pounds .85

JELLO 2 for	15c	CATSUP 14 oz. Bottle	20c
MOTHERS OATS 3 lbs.	45c	LIMA BEANS 1 lb. Bag	30c
APPLE BUTTER Quart	20c	BABY FOOD 3 Cans	25c
PEACH PRESERVES 2 lb. Jar	43c	SALMON Pink—Tall Can	49c

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