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Civic Clubs Plan Organization To Boost Wellington

Second Inter-Club Meeting Set For Monday To Hear Plans

Agreeing that Wellington needs some motivating power to push it forward in its civic and commercial enterprises—some central organization to sponsor its efforts toward advancement, members of the Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs of Wellington, in a joint meeting Thursday night, March 7, named a committee of seven men to study the possibilities of forming such an organization for this city.

This move came after the group heard leading business and professional men discuss the needs of the town. Chairman of the committee is Pink Sullivan. Serving with him are Ollie Raburn, Ben Hurst, Rev. Edmund Kirby, Cameron Beam, R. F. Curry and Deskins Wells. The two clubs will meet together Monday, March 18, to hear the committee report.

R. F. Curry, Wellington postmaster, was guest speaker for the evening. In his talk, "What Wellington Needs," he set the pace for the evening's discussion. Elaborating on phases of Mr. Curry's talk, and bringing up new points were Logan Cummings, county superintendent; L. A. Manzer, vice president of the Wellington State Bank; Dr. E. W. Jones, and S. R. Pinkston, manager of the J. C. Wooldridge Co.

Seven main needs of Wellington were named by Mr. Curry. These needs lay in the field of homes, schools, churches, civic improvement, a public auditorium, in business life and industry.

"We're judged largely by our homes," Mr. Curry reminded his listeners at the beginning of his talk. We need better homes in Wellington, and people who are proud of their homes."

Speaking briefly of the schools and churches, he passed to civic improvement. "We have no place where our children may play," he commented. Later he said, "Your business depends wholly on the

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Thomas In Race In Precinct One

P. H. Thomas has authorized The Leader to announce his candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Precinct 1 subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Mr. Thomas, who has been farming in Collingsworth County for the past 25 years, makes the following statement:

In announcing my candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Precinct 1, I do so with the intention of giving my best effort to the work if you see fit to elect me. I realize that this is an important office as far as the welfare of the county is concerned, and I intend to work for the best interest of all people. I will not be trying to serve any single group or faction, but will give the same consideration to all. I feel that I have lived here long enough to know the needs of the precinct, and I promise an honest and efficient service.

On this basis I will greatly appreciate the vote and the help of every person in the precinct.

Smith Reelected Loco Principal

Jack Smith was reelected principal of the Loco School in a meeting held by the school board Monday night.

Mr. Smith was principal of the school last year and has taught in Childress county for many years.

Mrs. Jark Smith and Miss Bessie Lee Jackson are the other teachers now on the faculty of the Loco School.

COLLINGSWORTH BOYS AND GIRLS TRAIN FOR THE FUTURE

That Collingsworth County youths are putting their school years to good account is seen from the pictures above, taken at the Project Show March 2. In the top row, left to right, are seen the exhibit of the Wellington Future Homemakers, which placed first in that division; the handicraft exhibit of the Samnorwood Future Farmers; and the winning Hampshire sow owned by James Gosnell of Quail. Center, mutton sheep pen winners. Orville Atkinson, right, 1st, Pete Dowell, 2nd, A. W. Atkinson, left, 3rd. Lower row, left to right, Pat Henard and his grand champion calf; center, grand champions of the fat hog and breeding gilt class, Durocs owned by Pete Dowell; and right, individual winners in the mutton sheep division, with A. W. Atkinson, left, placing first and third, and Orville Atkinson, center, second.

Drive For Third REA Allotment Opens This Week

Applications For 200 Miles Of Lines Needed By April 15, Says Couch

Work on the third R.E.A. allotment for the Greenbelt Rural Electric Cooperative is under way, Orval Couch, project superintendent announced here this week. An effort will be made to secure 200 miles of lines in Collingsworth, Donley, and Armstrong counties in Texas, and in Harmon County, Okla.

Approximately 50 miles of lines have already been secured, Mr. Couch stated.

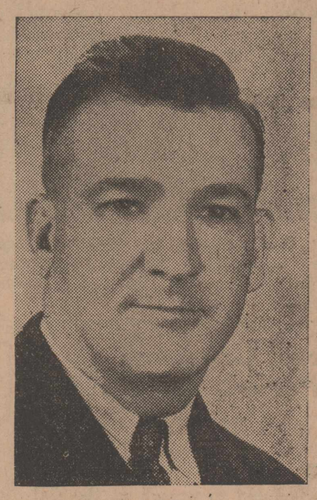
"We are making every effort to secure the desired mileage by April 15. This third allotment will not build new lines but will go to build tap lines off those already existing. These taps will be from a half mile to ten miles in length, and people off the existing lines can now be reached with little effort and with no expense to them," he said.

Should applications for the full 200 miles of lines be obtained, the money allotted to build this should reach about $150,000 it was explained.

"We are leaving the initiative on this third allotment up to the people themselves. Work with the line under construction and with the one in operation so makes it impossible for us to get out and actively solicit applications. We shall be glad to explain the possibility of extending these lines with any person who calls at the office and we shall be happy to co-operate in every way possible with them in taking the lines to them," Mr. Couch added.

Preliminary work on the lines provided for by the second R.E.A. allotment has been completed and materials are now arriving for the actual construction of the lines to get under way.

Domestic Gas Rate Lowered



E. G. SANDERS

Superintendent of the Samnorwood Consolidated Schools, presided at the annual meeting of the Northwest Texas Conference of Education in Canyon. Mr. Sanders has been president of the conference during the year just closed.

Council Meets Wednesday For First Reading Of Gas Ordinance

A cheaper gas rate for domestic consumers in Wellington, as well as those of Childress and Memphis, was effected as the result of two meetings over the week end in which city officials of the three towns conferred with J. V. Strange, president of the United Gas Corporation. The compromise gas rate was offered by the United Gas Corporation and approved by the state railroad commission, according to Mayor Fred LeDerer.

The Wellington City Council was scheduled to meet late Wednesday evening to pass upon the first reading of the ordinance which will put the new ordinance into effect.

The new schedule provides for the domestic net rate of $1.00 for the first 1,000 cubic feet and 50 cents for each additional 1,000 feet, with a ten per cent penalty for failure to pay before the tenth of the following month, Mayor F. C. LeDerer said. The present rates are 67 1-2 cents per 1,000 cubic feet, net, with the ten per cent penalty.

The commercial rates will remain at 67 1-2 cents per 1,000 feet net for the first 25,000 feet and 58 1-2 cents net per 1,000 for the next 25,000. The minimum monthly charge of $1 will remain in effect.

First of the two meetings at which the gas rate reduction was effected was held in Wellington Friday, March 8, with representatives from the three cities attending the meeting with Mr. Strange. At this time a tentative agreement was reached. A meeting of the city council was held Saturday morning, and the final meeting was held in Childress Sunday evening.

At this time it was agreed to

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Legion-Auxiliary Hosts To District Social March 27

Hundreds Of Visitors Expected From Entire Panhandle Section

Wellington Legionnaires and Auxiliary members will be hosts to the regular 18th District Social meeting, to be held Wednesday, March 27. This is the first time that such a meeting has been brought here since the plan for social meetings was begun several years ago.

Several hundred visitors from towns throughout the entire Panhandle will be present.

This meeting is purely social in nature, Ernest Lewis, who is helping with the plans, pointed out, with the exception of a brief business session at the beginning of the evening.

Official hosts for the Legion and Auxiliary at this time will be Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Seaberry, and Dr. and Mrs. John Harper.

Complete plans for the district social are being worked out this week.

Due to the fact that this social will be held in Wellington, Judge C. C. Bishop, commander of the Frank King Post, announced Wednesday that the regular social meeting of the Legion and Auxiliary, scheduled for Thursday, March 21, has been postponed.

One other event on the Legion-Auxiliary calendar is the Legion

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Ella Children Hurt Recently

By MRS. CASEY JONES

Two children of the Ella community received painful injuries while playing at or near their homes during the last week.

Charles Gosnell, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gosnell, received a serious eye injury Thursday, March 7, while breaking up pieces of small steel to use in his nigger shooter. One slug flew up and struck the child's left eyeball. At first the injury was thought to be not serious, but when the condition failed to improve the boy was brought to Wellington for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Gosnell formerly lived in the Swearingen community.

Joyce Jones, ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones, was painfully injured Saturday when an embankment under which she was playing gave way. She received a deep cut on the forehead and a badly bruised back. She was rushed to Wellington where three stitches were taken

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Boxing Tourney Opens Friday

Williams Named Assistant Coach

Hoyet Williams of Olney has been named assistant coach for Wellington High School, Supt. J. L. Beard announced here early this week. Mr. Williams began his duties Monday, assisting Coach John Williams with the spring football training.

Mr. Williams at the time he was elected here, was a student in Baylor University at Waco. He will return during the summer session to receive an A. B. degree. Mr. Williams is majoring in health and physical education.

The new assistant coach was an outstanding football player during both his high school and college career. At Olney he played at center during the four years of high school work. He filled the same position for four years at

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TRI-STATE WINNER

Marion Baumgardner, Wellington Future Farmer, is pictured above with the lamb on which he won third place in the wool-type lamb division at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo last week. Baumgardner also won fourth and fifth place in this division. In the Collingsworth County Project Show, he placed first and second on his sheep.

Rockets Host To Divisional Meet Of North Plains School Boxing League

Wellington boxers will be hosts to the divisional meet of the North Plains School Boxing League when fighters from four towns combat for honors Friday and Saturday, March 15 and 16.

This is the second boxing tournament to be held in Wellington, but the first one since Wellington has been admitted into the North Plains School Boxing League.

Taking part will be teams from Miami, Lefors, Alanreed and Wellington. Altogether, between 80 and 100 boys are expected to take part. Winners of the various weights here will meet winners from the northern half of the league in Pampa at a date to be announced later, when winners for the entire league will be decided.

"We sincerely appreciate the support the people of Wellington gave us in the tournament held earlier in the year, and we extend a cordial invitation to you to attend this event. The fighting you will see at this time is of the same high type you saw in the other tournament, and we feel that we can assure you there will be just as much action and just as many thrills," John Lee, boxing

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Girl Scouts Attend Special Service Of Shamrock Members

Wellington Girl Scouts Monday evening attended special services held by members of the troop at Shamrock, in which the latter, wearing their new uniforms for the first time, received scout pins, membership cards, badges, and their Shamrock insignas.

The exercises were held in the high school auditorium, before a large crowd. In addition to the Wellington girls, special guests were the Shamrock Boy Scouts, and two Wellington Scout leaders, S. A. Combs, assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 32, and Calvin Aaron Hurst, Junior leader of that troop.

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Former Pastor To Speak Here

Rev. Clyde Hankins, a former pastor of the First Baptist Church in Wellington, will speak at that church Wednesday evening, March 20, in interest of the missionary work which he will take up June 1 in Brazil.

Rev. Hankins is taking up this work as an independent missionary, to be supported by several churches, including the Baptist Church here. Following his talk, an offering will be taken to help defray the expenses to South America, Rev. J. P. Neal, pastor, said.

Rev. Hankins, who was the youngest pastor in the history of the local Baptist Church, has made an outstanding record since leaving here. Upon moving from Wellington he served the church at Ennis. Later he went to Indianola, Miss., and after that to First Heights Church, Houston. He is at present the pastor of the Field Street Church, Cleburne, the

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College Band To Appear At Church

A concert of sacred music will be given by the 60-piece band of West Texas State College at Canyon, at the First Baptist Church in Wellington Sunday evening, March 17. This concert will be given at the hour of the regular evening service.

Three Wellington boys will appear with the band at this time, J. L. Burt, Victor Williams and Bud Scruggs.

This band is one of the outstanding college bands of the entire state. Not only does it appear at all major entertainments at the college, but it has taken part in some of the outstanding celebrations throughout the Panhandle country.

A cordial invitation has been extended the people of Wellington to attend this concert of sacred music.

Plans Completed For Junior Play Thursday Evening

Plans are completed for the annual Junior Class play, "What Wright Left," which is to be given Thursday evening, March 14, at the high school auditorium.

The play is a three-act comedy by Russell Crane, noted humorist and playwright. The plot deals with a legacy which is left to Wright Harold, the nature of which is unknown. Suspicions of a domineering mother-in-law, situations added by a natural born "fixer," and the appearance of an actress add to the humorous com-

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Three Counties In 2-State Route

Daily Mail Run

Even the most persistent travelers can seldom boast of crossing the boundary between two states 600 times a year. But Claude Savage, mail carrier on Route One out of Dodson does just this—all in the course of his day's work.

Besides going into two states, he travels in three counties on his route, Collingsworth and Childress in Texas and Harmon County in Oklahoma.

"I go into the Oklahoma strip twice a day. Then I retrace a portion of my own route once; travel over a little bit of Route One, Wellington; travel two miles of the star route out of Childress; corner with Route five, Wellington, and Route two, out of Hollis," he continued.

Savage serves 99 box holders on his route.

Before going to Dodson, he was employed at the Wellington Post Office. Altogether, he has been with the postal service for fifteen years.

Stiles Rites At Quail Wednesday

Funeral rites for Clover Haskell Stiles, 30-year-old Quail man, were scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, March 13, from the Church of Christ at Quail. Mr. Stiles died of a cerebral hemorrhage early Monday, March 11, in a Wichita Falls hospital, where he had been receiving treatment for more than two months.

Mr. Stiles came here two years ago from Arizona.

A native of Grandfield, Oklahoma, he was born December 10, 1909, and at the time of his death he was 30 years, 3 months and one day of age.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Mary Ruth Stiles, and these

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Pre-Easter Service Scheduled March 22 At Methodist Church

Friday afternoon, March 22, from 2 until 5, there will be held in the auditorium of the Mehtodist Church, religious services commemorating the hours Jesus hung upon the Cross. This is the second annual observance of Good Friday held from this church. The services last year met with wide approval and many requests have come in for a service again this year.

"These services are for the whole community and are arranged so that those of you who cannot stay for the three hours can come and go as your time will permit. It

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Mrs. W. W. Rankin Dies On Saturday Of Short Illness

Beloved Dozier Resident Had Lived In County Thirty-Two Years

Mrs. W. W. Rankin, beloved and respected woman of the Dozier community, died in a Wellington hospital shortly after noon Saturday, March 9. She had been ill for only about a week.

Mrs. Rankin had been a resident of this county for the last 32 years.

Funeral services were held from the Methodist Church in Dozier Monday morning at 10 o'clock, with Rev. O. C. Coppage of Shamrock, pastor of the church, in charge. Pall bearers for the service were C. H. Caperton, Frank Massey, Joe Sauermilch, W. M. Davis, Guy Beasley and Preston Phillips. Flower bearers were Mrs. C. H. Caperton, Mrs. Wood Coleman, Mrs. Joe Sauermilch, Miss Sallye Neece, Miss Margaret Billingsley, and Miss June Wischkaemper.

Hymns included "Sweet Bye and Bye," and "The Old Rugged Cross," by the choir, which was made up of pioneer friends of Mrs. Rankin; and "Faith of Our Fathers," a quartet by James Murry, G. C. Porter, W. H. Riley, and M. H. Bergman. Mrs. Guy Beasley was accompanist. Interment was in the Shamrock cemetery with the Ellis Funeral Home of Wellington in charge.

Mrs. Rankin is survived by six children and two step children. The children include Miss Effie Rankin of Dozier, Mrs. Frank Paschal of Lance Creek, Wyo., Dr. John F. Rankin of Astoria, Ore., Miss Ruth Rankin of Sheridan, Wyo., Mrs. Dewey Womack of Quanah, and Dr. F. G. Rankin of Clalaskania, Ore. The step children are E. L. Rankin of Lance Creek, Wyo., and Mrs. Arthur Farrington of Colorado Springs, Colo. Twelve grandchildren also survive.

A native of Arkansas, she was born at Appleton October 12, 1866, and at the time of her death she was 73 years, 4 months and 27 days of age. She was the daughter of William and Nancy E. Burris Jones. All of her girlhood was spent in Arkansas, and there she was married to William W. Rankin in 1886. The couple continued living in Arkansas for some time before moving to Texas. They came to Collingsworth County from Olney in 1908, settling on the farm where Mrs. Rankin lived at the time of her death.

Mr. Rankin preceded her in death eleven years ago.

Her friends and neighbors had only the highest respect for Mrs. Rankin, admiring her for her fine character, her courage in facing life and her high ideals. Throughout her life, her chief concern was the welfare of her family, and through her efforts, and those of her husband, she had reared and educated well her children, and had seen each holding a responsible position in life.

Following the death of Mr. Rankin she took over the active management of the farm. In addition to this, she was keenly interested in the community affairs and the welfare of those about her.

Birds, Too, Can Practice Charity

One of the most unusual instances of charity in wildlife on record was discovered recently by Horace LaGrone, a school teacher of Deadwood, Panola County, Texas, it is reported by Hilbert R. Siegler, Regional Game Manager for the Game Department. Mr. Lagrone recently observed a bluejay repeatedly feeding another adult jay. After calling State Game Warden Ray Biggerstaff's attention to the unusual occurrence, LaGrone killed the bluejay receiving the food. He discovered this jay could not have fed himself because he had no lower mandible, or beak.

The Lincoln Highway, which spans the country from coast to coast, is about 3,300 miles long.

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Great American Troubadour

Don Ameche, top right, as Stephen C. Foster, the great American troubadour, Andrea Leeds and Al Jolson in "Swanee River," 20th Century-Fox Technicolor picture opening at the Ritz Theatre Sunday.

Rev. Griggs To Preach Sunday At Calvary Baptist

Rev. M. M. Griggs of Electra is scheduled to preach at the Calvary Baptist Church at both the morning and evening services Sunday, March 17.

The morning service will open a revival meeting which will probably continue at the church for the following two weeks.

"We extend a cordial invitation to the public to attend one or more of these services," those in charge of the plans said. "We feel that each of you will receive spiritual help from these messages, and your presence will, in turn, prove an inspiration to us."

Rev. Griggs is pastor of the Bible Baptist Church in Electra.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this means of extending our sincerest thanks to our neighbors and friends who were so thoughtful to us when we lost our home in fire. You will never know what comfort your words of sympathy were and all acts of kindness meant to us.

I want to thank the merchants and all who took part and may God's richest blessings be yours.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts and family.

Ancient Egyptians shaved off their eyebrows as a token of mourning when their favorite cat died.

Church Services

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. W. E. Hamilton, Executive Secretary of the Northwest Texas Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, will conduct a study in "Christian Service in the Community" at the local Methodist Church, beginning Sunday afternoon, March 17, at 2:30 and continuing each evening at 7:30 through Friday evening, March 22. Every person in the community interested in discovering what service Christians may render in their community are invited to enroll for this study. There are no fees and everyone is invited to attend. All that is required is that you be regular in your attendance at the class sessions, and that you help with assignments the instructor will make.

Mrs. H. E. Tolleson will bring the talk at the opening service of the adult division of the Church school, next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Included in those attending "Gone With The Wind" in Childress on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday were: Mrs. Margarete McCampbell, Mrs. Fred Kersten, Mrs. J. H. Loving, Mrs. S. F. Hughs, Miss Etta Belle Loving, Irene Loving, Miss Ruby Hopper, Mrs. Babe Autry, Jake Leach, Miss Verda Thompson, J. B. Roy, Johnnie Waller, Fleet Pruden, Mrs. Ruth Barton and Miss Mildred Gardner.

Norwood Seniors Give Play Mar. 22

Samnorwood Seniors will present their annual play, "Caught Napping," Friday evening, March 22, at the Samnorwood gymnasium.

Written by Austin Goetz, the play revolves around the mystery of the disappearance of Alice Bryan's pearls, which baffles even her detective husband, David. After everyone in the house is suspected, each of whom would have had a motive, Delia, the dumb maid, solves the mystery.

"This is a good three-act mystery comedy which is filled with clever remarks from Delia and Melissa, who think 'them there defectives can't unravel an old sock.' We feel that we can safely say that everyone attending will enjoy this play and get many laughs from it," sponsors said.

The cast of characters includes David Bryan, chief of the detective bureau, played by Eugene Morrow; Alice Bryan, his wife, Mae Jean Fritts; Alan Bryan, their son, Victor Deger; Ruth Bryan, their daughter, Louise Montgomery; Barbara Walsh, Alice sister, Esther Clement; Dennis Kirkland, Ruth's fiance, John Cunningham; Sylvia Westmore, Allan's weakness, Erma Fae Jeffers; Jason Keat, Barbara's special worry, Norman DeBord; Delia Down, a maid with a detective instinct, Lorine Jolley; Melissa McNutty, an Irish cook, Ima Willoughby, Luigi Felipo, an organ grinder, Louis Berg.

Local Residents To Make Home At Monte Vista, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Penny Lindley are leaving this county Thursday for Monte Vista, Colo., where they will make their future home.

Mr. Lindley will be employed on a ranch there.

Mr. Lindley has lived in this county for about six years, and Mrs. Lindley has lived here all her life.

Mrs. W. W. Neeley Recovering From Recent Operation

Mrs. W. W. Neeley is recovering from a major operation performed in a local hospital early last week.

Her condition is reported improving as rapidly as possible, and members of the family state that she plans to return to her home the latter part of this week.

Mr. Neeley is a former mayor of the City of Wellington.

Texas Farmers Due $89,362,705 From 1940 AAA

Fullest Participation By All Farmers Necessary To Earn Huge Sum

COLLEGE STATION. — Full participation in the A.A.A. program in 1940 would bring Texas farmers and ranchers $89,362,705, E. N. Holmgreen, state A.A.A. administrator, reported to the state Agricultural Conservation Association committee meeting in College Station.

To earn that amount, Holmgreen explained, all farmers in the state would have to comply in every respect with the program, with each doing enough soil-building work to earn the maximum available, and with each ranchman putting enough range-improvement practices into effect to earn the maximum available. The estimated figure does not include any of the money which farmers can earn by planting forest trees for which purpose $30 is available on each farm.

Holmgreen listed the maximum amounts which could be earned by Texas producers as follows:

Cotton parity payments, $35,852,440.

Agricultural Conservation payments for cotton, $24,640,950.

Wheat parity payments, $2,932,626.

Agricultural conservation payments for wheat $2,651,415.

Rice parity payments, $78,541.

Agricultural Conservation payments for rice, $302,079.

Peanut payments, $134,133.

Commercial vegetable payments, $591,576.

General crop payments, $14,275,730.

Maximum range-building allowance, $6,415,935.

Maximum soil-building allowance, $7,838,616.

Balance available for increasing small payments.

Probably 90 percent of the money available for all types of payments will be earned by participating farmers, Holmgreen estimated.

Among the nine national leaders, Texas counts 270 historic landmarks "preserved" by photograph and blueprint in the national Library of Congress records, Samuel E. Gideon, University of Texas architecture professor, says.

An Indian mound, 190 feet long, 145 feet wide and 30 feet high, located on the Red River near Texarkana has given up to University of Texas and WPA excavators seven successive dwelling levels of early Texas Indians.

Complete ceremonial costume of Texas' Comanche Indians is on display at the University of Texas anthropology museum.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nowlin, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson, Pressley Ashton, Ray Cole Johnson and Russell Hopson were week end visitors in Fort Worth. The group attended the Fat Stock Show while gone, and also visited in the home of Mrs. Nowlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Portwood of Denton, where they were luncheon guests one day.

Mrs. Lena Beard of Shamrock is a guest this week of her sister, Mrs. Bert Starkey, and Mr. Starkey. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Starkey, Mrs. Beard and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walker of Shamrock, who are Mrs. Starkey's and Mrs. Beard's parents, visited in Miami and Pampa with relatives.

Road Service anywhere, call 30 Jack Gibson. 34-tfc

Alvin Martin of Wichita Falls was a guest last week of his mother, Mrs. Laura Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Foster left Sunday for Fort Worth. They plan to return this week.

J. B. Long was in Hereford over the week end as the guest of friends and relatives.

Skeet Reed, Henry Tice and Jodie Higdon left Saturday for Fort Worth, where they will attend the Fat Stock Show.

Ernest Scott, Luther Gribble, J. V. Langford and Fred LeDerer made a business trip to Childress during the week end.

That little extra touch and service you get at The Toggery is worth more than the total cost of the job. 35-3-c

Mr. and Mrs. Yukie Abernathy and son of Fairfax, Okla., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Abernathy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Robertson, and family. Mr. Abernathy returned home Sunday, while Mrs. Abernathy remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. J. E. Roberts, Mrs. F. H. Gillespie and Mrs. Fletcher Curry made a business trip to Childress Thursday afternoon.

Grady Brooks and family of Olton visited with friends and relatives here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor were in Anadarko Sunday to return Mr. Taylor's mother, Mrs. S. Taylor, who has been visiting here. Mrs. Floyd Taylor remained in Anadarko for a visit of two weeks.

Miss Maybelle Dickson of Amarillo is a guest this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dickson. Mrs. Dickson has been ill.

Leather reinforcements for elbows of sweaters. The Toggery. 35-3-c

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied visited in Eldorado, Okla., Sunday with friends.

Hunter Sims of Dodson was a business visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Parsons, Jr., and Mrs. S. K. Parsons, Sr., were Sunday visitors in McLean and Wheeler. While in Wheeler, they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ansel McDowell and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Abernathy were Sunday guests of Mrs. Abernathy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goodson, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Abernathy live in Hollis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Clifton of Las Cruces, N. M., were here one day last week visiting with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton were returned to their home after a business trip to Dallas.

Miss Jo Frances Fain of Amarillo was a week end guest of her mother, Mrs. T. T. Fain, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark and Miss Juanita Clark were Sunday visitors in Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Springer and sons of Miami, Texas, are guests this week of Mrs. Springer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Capps. Miss Nola Capps, a sister, who has been visiting with Mrs. Springer, returned here with them.

Woodrow Ham underwent a tonsilectomy Wednesday of last week at a local hospital.

Mrs. Clyde Miller and Mrs. Fletcher Curry visited Mrs. C. G. White and Miss Ruth Gholson in Quanah Monday.

John Ross Foster, six-year-old son of Mrs. Grace Foster, underwent a tonsilectomy in a local hospital Friday.

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Miss Mildred Hulsey visited with her parents in Tulia, after attending the Northwest Texas Teachers Conference in Canyon over the week end.

Mrs. Lloyd Powell was in Shamrock week before last to meet a sister, Mrs. Eula Funston, of Oklahoma City. Mrs. Funston is here to visit another sister, Mrs. W. W. Neeley, who has been seriously ill.

A. S. J. Lockhart, W. L. Brewer, Mrs. T. A. Lockhart and Mrs. Phoebe Bowen were guests from Tuesday until Sunday of last week of John Brewer of Newkirk, Okla. Mr. Brewer is a brother of W. L. Brewer, Mrs. Lockhart and Mrs. Bowen, who had their first visit with him last week in forty years.

New pockets put in at The Toggery. 35-3-c

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mears and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bartlett attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth over the week end. They also visited in Nocona with Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Curry were in Fort Worth over the week end to attend the Fat Stock Show.

Mac Dieball of Perryton was here Sunday visiting with friends.

Wool-Like Rayon Fashions Dress

Smart for early spring is Nan Tailor's cleverly designed shirtwaister fashioned of rough-surfaced rayon crepe which resembles sheer wool. It comes in a wide variety of colors and is enlivened by sparkling jeweled studs and pocket pin. Figure-molding and utterly charming is this trim navy blue wool dressmaker suit, right, designed by Stein and Blaine, New York. It includes a simple, beautifully cut dress with short sleeves, slightly flared hemline and a snug jacket with petal revers in snowy white pique.

Mrs. Fletcher Curry and children and Mrs. Clyde Miller visited in Shamrock Sunday.

Mrs. Hessie Pollard was confined to a local hospital Wednesday of last week to receive treatment.

Dresses beautifully cleaned and hand finished at The Toggery. 35-3-c

Miss Evelyn Doolen and Mrs. Frances McLeod visited over the week end in Childress. Sunday, they were in Paducah as guests of Miss Doolen's mother, Mrs. J. O. Doolen.

Miss Rosa Lee Driskill underwent an operation Thursday in a local hospital. Miss Driskill is recuperating nicely.

F. C. Fuson, who is attending school at Bethany, Okla., was a guest last week end of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cochran, Jimmie Cochran and O. D. Holton, Jr., were Sunday visitors in Lawton, Okla.

Bob Williams and Oran Starkey attended a convention of butane gas dealers in Lubbock on Tuesday of last week.

Among those attending the showing of "Gone With The Wind" in Childress Sunday and Monday were: Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hix, Miss Dela Bee Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brinson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bobo, Mr. and Mrs. Solon Messer, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur LeVeque, Miss Lora Mae McFarland, Miss Minnie Atchley, Miss Hattie D. Wells, Miss Inez Leach, Miss Ernestine Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hill, Mrs. J. A. Leach, Mrs. Melvin Howe, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cocke, Mr. and Mrs. Jones Singley, Mrs. Orval Clark, Mrs. Ben Allford, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Denley and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Cayton of Amarillo were week end guests of Mrs. Cayton's mother, Mrs. J. W. Payne, and brother, Winfred Payne.

Walker Brickey of Sunray was here over the week end visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. C. Clement was in a local hospital Saturday receiving medical treatment.

Miss Bula Bess Bell and Mrs. Carroll Logan were week end guests of relatives in Wichita Falls.

Lynn Couch, who has been visiting in Covington for the past two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sewell, returned Sunday.

Miss Mildred Gillespie of Abilene and Mrs. May Gillespie of Quitaque are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Gillespie.

Miss Laura Helen Ford was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford, of Dodson, over the week end.

Wayne Parker and James Sullivan went to Denton Sunday to return Misses Patricia Sullivan, Louise Campbell of Sherman and Frances Rossum of Fairfield, Ala. Miss Sullivan and her guests, all of whom attend T.S.C.W. at Denton, had been visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Pink Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shadid and family were in Lawton Sunday visiting with relatives. They also visited in Anadarko while gone.

Mrs. Vergie Metcalf of Shamrock was here Sunday visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie White attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth over the week end.

Misses Ethel Bodeen, Edith Davis, Maybelle Beach and Lois Crossland of Shamrock visited in Wellington Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Compton visited in Memphis Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Neece of Shamrock were here Monday to visit with Mr. Neece's mother, Mrs. Claude Neece, who is ill.

Miss Ora Lee Glasgow was in Amarillo last week visiting with her uncle, John Glasgow, who has been seriously ill in a hospital there. Mr. Glasgow, who underwent an eye operation recently, is much better and probably will be returned to his home here this week.

Miss Aries Burt and Miss Dela Bee Burt visited in Amarillo and Canyon over the week end with friends.

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Deck's DIDACTICS

By H. D. W.

Congratulations to Albert Cooper and his staff on the splendid St. Patrick's edition published Monday. While not the largest edition The Texan has published in recent years, it is both excellent and distinctive. It is one of the best and most distinctive bits of civic promotion and community service that I have seen in recent years. Undoubtedly the people of Shamrock are proud of such a paper. Let's go over and help them make their celebration more successful than ever before.

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Congratulations also to the City Council, the Railroad Commission and the United Gas Company on their agreement which brings lower rates to the domestic consumers in Wellington. While this settlement does not help commercial users and eliminates any possible refund, it is a much wiser course for both the city and the gas company than long and expensive litigation in the courts. Due to the fact that the gate rate had been fixed, it is probably as good a rate as would have resulted after the court battles, and these would have been a tremendous strain on the finances of a city the size of Wellington.

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As you O'Daniel supporters burn this lower gas, I hope you will realize why I supported Ernest Thompson for governor. You had a right to vote for whom you please, but I had a reason for voting for Ernest Thompson. That reason was an interest in providing a benefit for the people of my home town. Ernest Thompson has been delivering on his promises that he made as a candidate for the Railroad Commission. In this day and time that is something.

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Mayor Fred LeDerer has worked very hard on this proposition and he deserves plenty of credit, but in announcing the terms of the settlement, he told me that Wellington would not have gotten to first base if the Railroad Commission had not stepped in and helped them.

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Wellington enjoyed a most healthy and wholesome meeting last Thursday night when Rotary and Kiwanis held a joint meeting. There was a decided clash of opinion just as there will always be when sincere men really speak their minds, but out of this meeting will come permanent good for Wellington. Another joint meeting has been called for Monday, March 18, and you will hear more about this next week.

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Ralph Lewis, the twin of Gene Lewis, has been writing his brother protesting about the lack of oil news in The Leader. I have been publishing all I know. The Texas Company has leased what amounts to an almost solid block southwest of Wellington. Furthermore some royalties on this same tract have been bought, but a number of people have refused to sell their royalty. What Mr. Lewis wants, way up there in Arizona, is for me to publish a story about drilling. I will do that as soon as it is a fact, and it may be published sooner than some of you expect.

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We need to start work immediately on securing a state highway from here to Memphis. Memphis is ready to help right now.

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I will always be grateful to Reda Brickey, Margaret Hix, Helen White and a number of other gracious teachers for what they said about my speech at Canyon. It certainly is nice to hear such things, but if a man ever gets to believing in his heart the things that kind friends say, he is sunk. It is much more important to examine carefully and weigh thoughtfully the things your enemies say about you. They will be telling part of the truth about things you need to correct.

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The hope for a small dam program in the Panhandle is brighter. If this $5,000,000 appropriation is voted, the chances for securing a lake in Collingsworth County are excellent.

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Look over the pictures of the project show in this issue of The Leader. The show is only an exhibition designed to stimulate interest, but the work back of it is the most constructive enterprise that is being conducted in Collingsworth County at this time. It goes back to fundamentals. It points the way to a solution of a number of our most distressing problems. These boys and girls, their teachers and those who support them deserve the highest praise.

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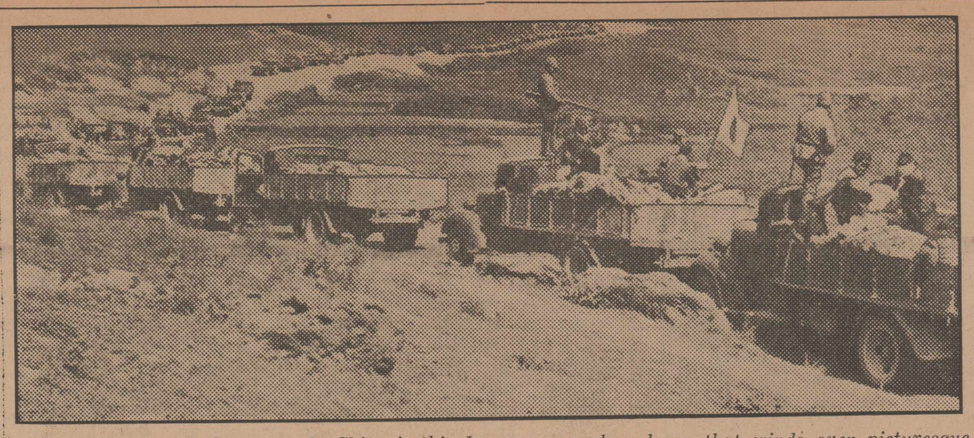
In a hot session of the Texas Coronado Commission last Friday night, John McCarty, editor of the Amarillo News, told Clinton Anderson that the word of a man from the Panhandle was as good as his bond. I subscribe wholeheartedly to John's admiration for the honesty of the average citizen of this section, but even at the time I was amused to remember a statement of Bernard Shaw. He once said: "Your word can never be as good as your bond, because your memory can never be as trustworthy as your honor." Which one of these brilliant and vociferous men is correct?

Japanese Send Supplies To Armies In China



Proof that war still goes on in China is this Japanese supply column that winds over picturesque terrain on Kwangtung-Kwangsi border in southern China. It is carrying materials for fighting forces who seek to cut Chinese life lines north of Nanning.

Texas Chickens Worth 44 Million

COLLEGE STATION.—In poultry, Texas has an industry that grosses around $44,000,000 a year, and the state has come from nowhere in the national picture to rank fifth in number of chickens, fifth in total value of eggs produced, and eighth in value of poultry produced for market.

The industry, often forgotten because of Texas' predominance in the production of cotton and livestock, contributes an annual gross equal to the sale of a million bales of cotton at eight cents per pound.

Texas poultry producers have an investment of $13,000,000 in their 24,000,000 chickens, and in 1938 took in $30,000,000 from sale of eggs, $8,500,000 from turkeys, and $5,000,000 from dressed poultry.

Director H. H. Williamson of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service points out that this is a creditable rating when it is considered that Texas is a long way from eastern markets and that most of the advance has been made in the past 25 years.

"At the same time, if Texas farmers are to get what they should out of poultry, there must be an increase in the quantity and quality of poultry and poultry products offered for market," the director said.

He quoted the 1935 farm census figures showing that the average production of hens on Texas farms was only 53 eggs per hen. Meanwhile, poultry demonstrators working with county agricultural and home demonstration agents have brought their flocks' average production up to 176 eggs a hen.

About 75,000 Texas farm families have no poultry flocks, and with around 50 laying hens required to produce enough eggs for the average family, there is room for an additional 4,000,000 chickens without affecting the market or supplies.

Aside from improvement of breeding flocks and flock management, the big need is for improvement in quality. Professor D. H. Reid, head of the A. and M. Poultry Department, says that about one out of every four Texas eggs produced for market is inferior.

This high percentage of inferior eggs not only lowers the price for all Texas eggs but depresses the demand.

The United States uses more than one-half of the world's rubber output, yet is dependent on other nations for its supply, 77 per cent of which is grown in the British Empire.

By feeding sheep a special fattening diet, a California expert has produced a superior wool twice as strong as the ordinary variety, promising clothing and fabrics that will wear far longer than those of today.

Spanish Tinges Texas Names

LUBBOCK.—Texas place names hark back to the days when Texas was a Mexican territory, says Miss Elizabeth H. West, Texas Tech librarian, who finds 502 cities, towns and villages in Texas bear names of Spanish or Mexican origin. She listed 38 others as "questionably Latin American" in origin.

Forty-three counties, 14 canyons, 57 mountains, 20 rivers and rivulets, and six springs in the State also bear Spanish and Mexican names. Sacred names are in evidence in many of these, Spanish discoverers naming a certain river, canyon or range for a saint "because it was his day," she said.

"Spanish influence on our language may be seen in all parts of the United States," she continued, "because Mexicans have filtered into all the states through the centuries, not only from Mexico, but from the West Indies, South America and Spain. Some of these words become permanent and some die out.

"It is not surprising that we find such a large number of Spanish names in Texas," she said, "because there are probably as many Mexicans along the Rio Grande on our side as on the Mexican side. Also, much of Texas was once Mexican territory."

Miss West classified Spanish terms adopted into our language from a glossary of 261 words made by a University of Texas professor half a century ago, in which 105 were ranch, farm, trade and travel expressions; 65 were plant names; 43, cookery and household; 29 animals; 18, topography; 7, clothing; 7, social and religious functions, games, etc.; 8, social classes, professions; 5, liquors, saloon; and 84, miscellaneous.

People who stutter often have a larger vocabulary than those without an impediment of speech.

Much progress has been made in preparing and studying snake venom in the treatment of the bleeding disease, haemophilia.

Cotton Bagging Comes To Front In Texas In 1939

COLLEGE STATION.—Cotton bagging came to the front in Texas during 1939 as 233,976 bales were covered with this material, F. E. Lichte, cotton gin specialist of the Texas A. and M. Extension Service, has announced. Less than 17,500 bales were put up in cotton bagging in 1938.

Advocates of cotton bagging have pointed out that a normal crop of cotton in the United States would require the use of about 135,000 bales of cotton annually. Spinners generally favor cotton as a bagging material, as the jute now widely used mixes with the cotton fibers and makes an extra cleaning process necessary. Improvements are necessary which will make cotton bagging more satisfactory than the present type, Lichte said.

Personality High On Requirement List For Teachers

AUSTIN.—A school teacher's personality contributes more to her success than professional skill, concludes a University of Texas graduate student who has gone into the matter scientifically.

Martha Dickey of San Antonio, completing the master of education degree this summer, has made a research study of 50 women physical education teachers who graduated from the University during the period 1931-36.

Each teacher was scored by her superintendent or principal on skill at sports, cooperativeness, knowledge of teaching methods, personal charm and other teaching factors.

Surveying the reports, Miss Dickey found that overwhelmingly the school administrators rated the successful teacher a success more because of her "teaching personality" than because of her ability to perform skillfully on the tennis court or playground.

In 26 states girls may marry at the age of 16 with the consent of their parents.

Fight Farm Fires With Sand, Dirt

COLLEGE STATION.—With cold weather in prospect, rural families would do well to adopt measures which protect farm houses from fires. The major portion of farm house losses are caused by faulty stove pipes and chimneys or by blazes started on roofs.

M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer for the A. and M. College Extension Service, suggests inspection and repair of old chimneys on the farm and replacement of faulty stove pipes. Roof fires can be prevented by keeping out of stoves material which is so light that it can be carried out of the chimney before it is wholly burned; chimney screens will catch sparks.

Other hazards include the danger of spontaneous combustion in paper or rags soaked in linseed or soybean oil. Piles of paper near the stove may be ignited by sparks which fly out unnoticed when the doors are opened. Tractors and automobiles may start barn fires, for flame from the exhaust sometimes ignites litter on the barn floor or hay and dry feed stored in mows. Buckets of sandy soil are very helpful in extinguishing tractor fires.

As precautions, the agricultural engineer suggests piles of sand in or near buildings or chemical extinguishers for use in fighting fire caused by oil or gasoline. Buckets placed conveniently and kept filled with water will help extinguish small blazes if there is not sufficient water supply or fire fighting apparatus on the farm.

Manure Mixture Is Sure Way To Start A Small Pasture

COLLEGE STATION. — The surest way to start a small pasture under unfavorable conditions is to mix the grass and legume seed with manure, scattered at the rate of a handful per square yard or one-half shovelful per four square yards. Manure spread at this rate would equal about two and one-half cubic yards per acre. Germination of seed is aided by adding superphosphate at the rate of 50 to 75 pounds per ton of manure.

Advantages of this method of seeding are that the manure covers the seed and saves the inoculation on legumes by giving protection from direct sunlight. Manure also fertilizes the seed and keeps stock from eating the young plants until they are well established. A little manure may be hoed into the soil to keep the birds from eating the seed.

About one-fifth of the usual rate of seeding is enough by this system, according to R. R. Lancaster, pasture specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, who reports that many farmers are using the manure plan of seeding pastures.

Read the Want Ads.

Hospital Plan To Offer Hospital Service Alone

The Group Hospital Service, Inc., which is now being offered in Wellington, offers low cost hospital service, and does not include medical service, it was pointed out by L. S. Taylor, district manager.

This explanation was made in order that there might be no misunderstanding on the part of the public regarding this hospital service offered.

Elk And Sheep Halt Increase Of Mountain Sheep

AUSTIN.—Inroads of domestic sheep and elk upon the range of the wild mountain sheep in Texas will keep those nimble-footed and interesting animals from increasing much beyond their present number, it is reported by Bob Snow of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, who has just completed a survey of wild sheep with the assistance of the U. S. Bureau of Biological Survey.

Mountain sheep, which are found in the Beach and Diablo Mountains of West Texas, now number fewer than 400, according to Snow, who counted 130 in the Beach mountains and who belives, after his survey, that there are approximately 250 in the Diablos These mountains are the only ones upon which there is suitable range for wild sheep. Elk have taken over some of it and domestic sheep are making huge inroads upon part of the range.

While it is not likely sportsmen will ever have an open season on wild sheep, which are among the most colorful animals in the Lone Star State, three ranchmen of the Trans-Pecos are leading in the fight to help the species survive.

Among followers of the prize ring Billy Conn is said to be the most skillful boxer since Jim Corbett.

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Society

"Ribbon For Valor" Presented At High School P.T.A.

Tuesday afternoon members of the High School and Junior High Parent-Teacher Association met for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Clark Anderson presided during the business session. Plans were made to attend the district P.T.A. meeting in Memphis March 17 and 18.

Mrs. W. F. Decker, teacher of speech, presented several of her pupils in a one act play and special readings during the program hour Tuesday afternoon. "Ribbon for Valor," a one-act play was given by Sarah Love, Pearl Ball and Carolyn Ellis. Misses Nancy Sullivan and Sarah Love gave special readings.

East Ward P.T.A. To Meet Tuesday, March 19

Mrs. B. L. Akers, president of the East Ward Parent-Teachers Association, presided at a special business meeting on Monday of this week. The executive committee appointed the following nominating committee: Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. W. B. LeVeque and Mrs. Earl Hunter.

The regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon, March 19, at 3:45 o'clock in the school building. All parents are urged to attend.

Rev. Kirby Speaks To Civic Club On World Relations

The Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday evening in the basement of the First Christian Church. Miss Betty Lou Blanton entertained the group with two songs, entitled "Neapolitan Nights" and "God Bless America." Miss Blanton was accompanied by Miss Edna Joyce Gribble. Rev. J. Edmund Kirby gave an interesting discussion on the subject of "An Interpretation of International Relations."

Those attending were: Misses Bula Bess Bell, Lucille Bennett, Margaret Hix, Viola Hudson, Rose Erisman, Hattie D. Wells, Merle Hays, Alta Kesler, the guests, Misses Blanton and Gribble and Mesdames Dan Henard, Darvin Nix, Fleet Pruden, Jimmie Richards, Pink Sullivan, Allard Vandiver, Cleo Templeton, Heber Brantley and guests, Rev. and Mrs. Kirby.

Mrs. A. L. Nowlin Hostess To Wednesday Club

Mrs. A. L. Nowlin was hostess to the Wednesday Club last week in the home of Mrs. Martha Hudson. Floral arrangements of jonquils and snapdragons added to the spring motif which was used in the prizes awarded to each of the players as they progressed in the bridge games. The players progressing were given their choice of spring flower seeds or bulbs.

Other prizes were Easter boxes of candy which went to Mrs. W. R. Orr, high, and Mrs. S. K. Parsons, Sr., second high.

A salad course was served to Mesdames Bob Glenn, Ross Wilkerson, Creed Hill, J. W. Harper, James Doneghy, Orr, Parsons, Ernest Lewis, J. B. Castleberry, Martha Hudson, Pete Clower and hostess.

City Group Unhurt As Car Overturns Near Decatur Fri.

A group of Wellington residents escaped serious injury Friday, March 8, when the car in which they were riding overturned five times just north of Decatur.

Occupants of the car were Mrs. A. C. Boverie and sons, Jack and John, Mrs. Dewey Ellis and son, Dick.

The accident was caused when a tire on the car blew out.

Most painfully hurt was Dick Ellis, who received cuts about the hands and face. The other occupants of the car were bruised. The group received emergency treatment at a Decatur hospital. Mrs. Boverie and her sons returned home Monday, while Mrs. Ellis and son returned Wednesday.

The car, which was owned by Mrs. Boverie, was completely demolished.

More than a million volumes were circulated among students last year by the University of Texas library, largest in the South and thirteenth in size in the United States.

Indians Protest Fishing Tax

Color of the old west flashed in San Francisco when Indian chiefs of the Yakima, Wash., tribe appeared in federal court wearing their brilliant war bonnets. Seeking the "justice" promised them in 1885 when Indians were granted privilege of fishing in any waters of the Pacific Northwest without a license, they protested state of Washington's 1938 law requiring them to pay angling tax.

Who's New In Collingsworth

Announcement has been made of the birth of a son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Harkleroad of Cotton Center. Born on February 7, the baby weighed seven pounds and was named Elmer Winfield. Mrs. Harkleroad is the former Miss Beulah May White.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Davis are the parents of a boy born March 4. Named Walter Don, the baby weighed six pounds. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

Eulen Sylvester Branch, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Branch, was born on Sunday, March 10. The baby weighed over eight pounds.

Grave Of Navajo Indian At Paducah

LUBBOCK.—An Indian boy, whose grave was found near Paducah recently, was a Navajo rather than a Plains Indian, staff workers at West Texas museum on Texas Tech campus have found by examination of the articles buried with the child. This is the furthest point east that traces of the Navajo have yet been found.

Discovered two weeks ago by Mack and Clifton Biddy in a small arroyo eleven miles southeast of Paducah, the grave is that of a seven- or eight-year-old boy. The method of burial, similar to that used by Navajos today, was markedly different from the flexed or folded interment usual to the Plains Indians.

Articles found in the grave included two files, a hand forged hammer and five Mexican silver pesos, described as "practically the stock-in-trade of the Navajo silversmith." Among the most characteristic Navajo silver objects are circular pieces of ornamental silver called "conchos," usually strung on woven horsehair and worn by the men. Smaller ones were sometimes used as bridle ornaments. More than 40 silver conchos were found with the Paducah burial and are now on display at West Texas museum.

Some Navajos were forcibly detained at Fort Sumner, N. M., in a sort of latter day concentration camp, two or three years after the close of the Civil War, according to Curator W. C. Holden.

"A small group may have escaped from Fort Sumner and headed east to the buffalo plains for food," he said. "It may have been near Paducah that the small son of one of the group, weakened by loss of sleep, starvation, and privation, died and had to be buried under a gypsum ledge in a lonely canyon in a strange land. There is no way of ascertaining the truth of this theory, but there are the incontrovertible facts of the grave of an Indian boy too far east of his homeland, the Mexican pesos found with him, on which the latest date is 1863, and all the paraphernalia of the typical Navajo."

Clyde Miller Joins Clovis, New Mexico Orchestra Recently

Clyde Miller, who has served as advertising manager on The Wellington Leader for the last two and a half years, left Saturday for Clovis, New Mexico, where he joined a well known orchestra of that city. Miller will play trumpet with the group.

In addition to his work on the newspaper, he was the leader of Clyde Miller's Dance Orchestra, which is well known in this section of the Panhandle.

Feared Reptiles, Insects Harmless

LUBBOCK.—A scorpion's sting is no worse than a bee's, a small horse centipede and a millipede are absolutely harmless, according to Dr. R. A. Studhalter, head professor of biology, botany, and zoology at Texas Technological College. Several birds and reptiles looked upon as enemies of mankind are beneficial, he said, in discussing common fallacies about animal life on Texas plains.

"A live toad in your garden is worth $20, U. S. Department of Agriculture figures show, based on the number of insects a toad eats in his lifetime. The box turtle also eats insects and should be left alone. A crow can eat a hundred grasshoppers in a meal—and it eats several times a day."

Unless one is absolutely certain of the species, all hawks had better be protected, because most of them do more good than harm eating rats, mice, prairie dogs and other rodents, he declared. The eagle, also, now being hunted on the North Plains in automobiles for sport, also is more beneficial than harmful and should be protected.

"In spite of the general fear of snakes, it has been proved that a child had no instinctive fear of them," Studhalter said. "The food of snakes is largely mice, prairie dogs, and other rodents harmful to the farmer, and all of them should be protected except those definitely poisonous." Listed among poisonous snakes found in West Texas were the rattler, copperhead, water moccasin, coral, and harlequin snake.

The black widow spider is sometimes dangerous, but rarely ever bites. A child or person of low resistance might have serious trouble from a black widow bite, but three or four days in bed would probably be the extent of such illness.

"Large centipedes have poisonous organs, but the old superstition that they 'rot the flesh to the bone' is unfounded," he declared. A centipede might affect the skin as so many pin pricks would, but it is no more poisonous than a bee."

"The tarantula is a fine, clean pet," he added. "He rarely ever bites. This is especially true of those imported in banana shipments. They are tropical, cold-blooded, and in our climate it is about all they can do to move."

Water dogs, especially feared in the larval stage when they have queer-looking external gills just back of the head, are harmless in both stages. The much-dreaded mountain boomer can do no more harm than nip one's fingers with fairly powerful jaws.

Education Meet Termed One Of Best In History

Samnorwood Man Relinquishes Presidency To Amarillo Woman

Described as one of the best sessions in the entire history of the organization, teachers from twenty-six Panhandle counties gathered Friday and Saturday for the annual meeting of the Northwest Texas Conference of Education at West Texas State College in Canyon.

President of the conference during the year just closed was E. G. Sanders, superintendent of the Samnorwood Schools. Mr. Sanders, along with other officials, brought to Canyon at this time a group of outstanding speakers, who discussed with the teachers problems pertaining to the educational profession today.

Officers elected for the coming year include Miss Oretha Jane Cornelius, Amarillo, president to succeed Mr. Sanders; W. B. Weatherred of Pampa, vice president; H. B. Clemons of Dimmitt, treasurer, and W. C. Perkins of Shamrock, secretary. Mr. Sanders will serve as a member of the executive committee.

Miss Effie Childress of Wellington was elected vice chairman of the primary teachers section for the coming year and Logan Cummings was chosen delegate to the State Teachers Association.

Main speakers during the conference included Deskins Wells, publisher of The Wellington Leader; Hon. Pat. M. Neff, president of Baylor University; Dr. Willis A. Sutton, superintendent of Schools, Atlanta, Ga.; Dr. Ray K. Immel, director of the School of Speech, University of Southern California, and Dr. Fritz Redl, of the School of Education, University of Michigan.

Mr. Wells spoke at the opening session Friday morning, discussing "A Layman's View of Education." The plea of parents to teachers is "Please teach my child to make a living," Mr. Wells told the group. Later he pointed out the value of the vocational training in the present-day educational system.

Practically all teachers of this county were present for the Conference.

A survey of students at Cornell University covering three generations revealed sons of farmers more likely to follow the occupations of their fathers than sons of men in other work.

"Robinson Crusoe," which first appeared in the London Post in 1719, was the pioneer of the serial story.

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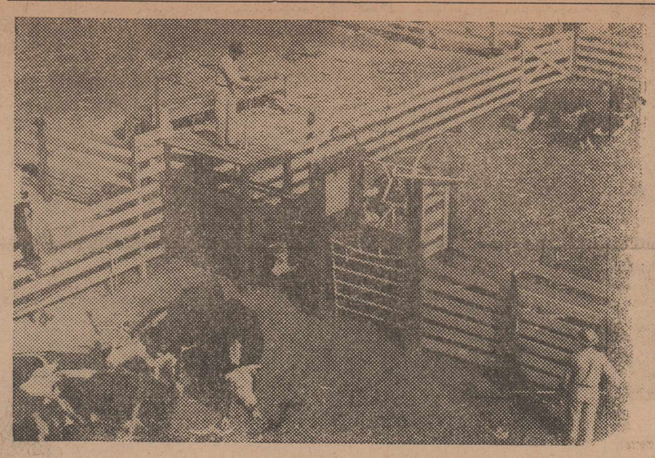

Typical of the increased interest in livestock management throughout the Panhandle is this corral and cutting chute on the J. B. Johnson ranch near Childress. The set-up was designed by County Agent V. E. Hafner and local ranchmen. In its first test, three men divided 135 cattle three ways in 35 minutes.

Cotton Consumption In Nation Reaches All Time High Point

AUSTIN.—In the face of inflated prices, national consumption of cotton by December 1 shot to the all-time peak of 2,659,000 bales, Dr. A. B. Cox, University of Texas marketing expert, said last week.

For the first four months of the 1939 season also saw booming exports, totaling 2,338,000 bales or more than 800,000 above the similar period last year.

Despite raising domestic and export business, supplies continued to increase above previous years, standing on December at 19,876,000 bales, a million bales above last year's record figure, the University Bureau of Business Research director said.

Price of cotton in December gained more than 2 points above December, 1938, rising to about 10.50 cents for middling seven-eighths inch staple, while the buying power price went up to 13.26 cents compared to 10.76 last year.

Nearest approach to the 1939 national consumption was in the fall of 1927, when this country consumed 2,508,000 bales, he said. Exports, however, remained below the 1937 total and much under the five-year pre-depression figure.

Blood serum, the colorless liquid part of blood, is an effective substitute for whole blood in transfusions, according to a recent announcement. It has the advantage of not requiring "typing."

More Milk Needed For Texas Farms

COLLEGE STATION.—In spite of the importance of milk in the diet there are still 75,000 farms in Texas with no milk cows. This means there are approximately 350,000 farm people without a source of milk, because farm people buy very little milk or milk products.

W. V. Maddox, dairy manufacturing specialist for the Extension Service of Texas A. and M. College, says milk production in Texas was 513,000,000 gallons for 1939. Approximately 45 per cent of the total milk production was sold to manufacturing plants, while 55 percent was consumed on the farm or sold directly by the producer as fluid milk or farm butter.

Although the increase in milk production and manufactured dairy products has been great in the last ten years, the specialist says there is still a shortage of milk production in Texas. It will require approximately 295,500,000 additional gallons of milk, or an increase of 58 percent over present production, if Texas people are to have an adequate milk supply.

Reports from county home demonstration agents over Texas show that only 46 per cent of club members' families consume an adequate milk supply. An adequate milk supply is defined as "a quart of milk per day per person, butter at every meal, and cheese three times per week."

"With 12,000 cases of pellagra reported annually in Texas and with many other types of malnutritional diseases prevailing, increasing milk consumption is of even greater importance."

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Future Farmers Attend Fat Stock Show On FFA Day

32 Local Boys See Highest Type Stock State Has To Offer

By HALL WELLS

Thirty-two Future Farmers from the Wellington Chapter were among the hundreds of boys from throughout the state who attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Saturday, March 9, which was designated as official F.F.A. Day.

The group left here Friday, sponsored by Ronald Davis, vocational agriculture teacher, and W. C. Ray, bus driver. This was the first visit to the show for most of the boys, and the first trip to Fort Worth for several.

The entire group was impressed by the high quality of stock seen at the show—sheep, goats, horses, poultry and cattle. The cattle included both the dairy and beef types; the sheep, the wool and mutton types; and the horses, the draft and saddle. One steer the group saw weighed 2200 pounds.

The type of livestock seen at the Fat Stock Show will be a standard toward which the local members will work in their projects, all the boys agreed.

In addition to the stock, the group attended the rodeo and several shows and other forms of entertainment.

The Future Farmers returned home Sunday afternoon.

Making the trip were Edward Huffhines, Harold Elbert, Newell E. McClaskey, Eugene Hunter, Bob Scott, David Peters, G. D. Caison, Benton Berry, Ed Wallace Wells, Melvin Kiker, Herbert Bearden, Winfred Scott, Elmer Carter, Darrell Crooks, L. D. Stone, Max Sachse, C. A. Crawford, Fred Cox, Jr., Hall Wells, Odis Roberts, R. W. Duke, Ruel Alexander, J. C. Hartman, Jr., Olan Thomas, Keith Smith, Jimmie Bowen, John C. Harper, A. J. Fires, Bobby Genusa, George Stafford, Fred Cox, Jr., Rall Wells, Mr. Davis and Mr. Ray.

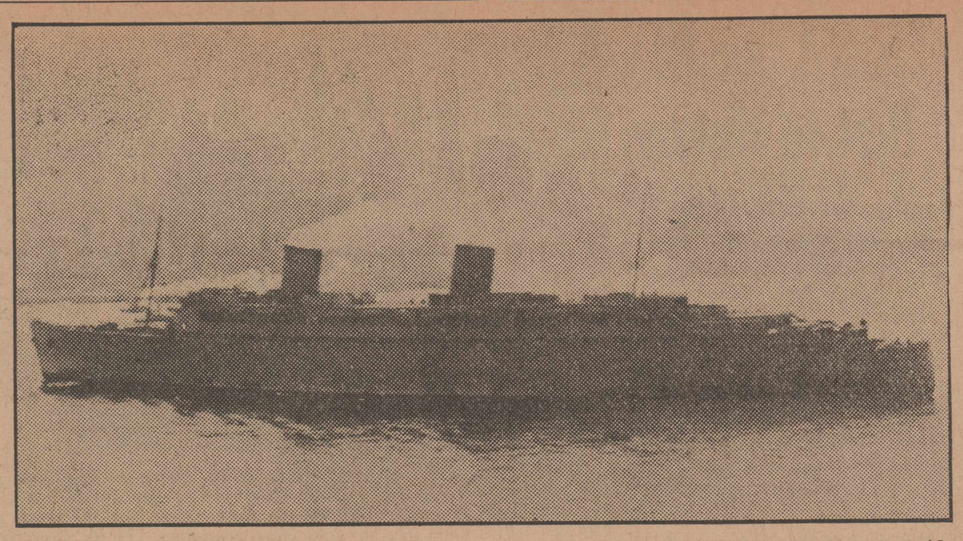
Mrs. Jim Sanders Undergoes Medical Treatment In Kansas

Mrs. Jim Sanders of Wellington left Tuesday, March 12, for Kansas, where she will receive medical treatment. Mrs. Sanders underwent an operation on December 13, from which she has never recovered, members of the family state.

Mrs. S. C. Bell, Mrs. Sanders' mother, will make her home with a son, Fred Bell, during Mrs. Sanders' absence.

Mrs. Mellie Foster, E. W. Blain and Miss Donnitta Blain left Sunday for Fort Worth where they attended the Fat Stock Show.

Queen Elizabeth Glides Into New York Harbor



With the Manhattan skyline a welcome background the refugee liner Queen Elizabeth, her sides camouflaged in wartime gray, steams into New York harbor. The sleek, 85,000-ton sea giantess largest ever built, stole across the Atlantic for a berth of safety alongside sister ship Queen Mary and the French liner Normandie. Dockage will cost owners $1000 a day.

ABRA

By MRS. JOHN GROVES

March certainly gave itself a good introduction the first and second with a big sand storm. From what Mr. and Mrs. Pharis say, it was introduced in Childress, too. So I guess every one feels as if they were acquainted with the new month.

People were bereaved to hear of the death of Jess Grogan. Mr. Grogan had many friends, and he will be missed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Kincannon returned from their visit in Oklahoma last Saturday.

Miss Pearl Strong and Elmer Strong visited Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Guill in McLean last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beasley and Bobby Wells were in Shamrock this past Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. John Groves visited Sunday evening in the home of Mrs. John Groves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Puett, of Shamrock.

The 42 party which was given by the club ladies Friday was good entertainment; a few people went although there was a sand storm. Those who were reported a good time. We enjoyed the games and plenty of sandwiches, hot coffee and hot chocolate.

Mrs. W. R. Breeding and Mrs. W. W. Breeding were in Shamrock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Riggs of Wellington visited in the home of Mrs. W. H. Groves and family Sunday evening.

Farmers in this community have been plowing for several weeks. Moisture is plentiful at this time.

J. C. Breeding bought a new tractor in McLean Saturday. He is anxious for a work day to come, so he can try it out.

Among those from Abra who attended the singing at Samnorwood Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gooch and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Pharis and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Groves and Homer Groves.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Breeding were hosts to a family supper Wednesday night. Those who were there were: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Breeding, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Breeding and son, Walter Dee, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Amerson and children and Mrs. John Coleman and children from Channing.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan from Dozier spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vess Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Breeding and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Breeding took Mrs. John Coleman to Amarillo Thursday where she took the bus and returned to her home in Channing.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Tate went to Shamrock Saturday night.

People of this community were saddened Saturday to hear of the death of Mrs. Rankin, who lived in Dozier community. Friends are sending sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Mr. and Mrs. George Groves and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Groves and family attended the show in Shamrock Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Breeding visited relatives in Boyce City Sunday.

Mrs. Al Tate is sick at this writing.

Mrs. H. L. Boss, registered nurse of Oklahoma City who has been nursing her mother, Mrs. J. A. Dickson, the past week, returned to her home in Oklahoma City Tuesday.

I. T. Goodnight, who has been ill for the past several days, was somewhat improved Wednesday.

SAMNORWOOD

By MRS. C. W. FRITTS

The county second Sunday singing was attended by a large crowd at the gymnasium Sunday afternoon.

The Methodist District League will meet at the Methodist Church Thursday night.

Mrs. E. B. Shumake and Mrs. Gene Lowe and small daughter, Delores, of Seagraves came week before last to be with their brother and brother-in-law, Jack Lowe, who underwent an appendicitis operation in a Wellington hospital. He was able to be moved home the past week. The ladies also visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lowe, and George DeBord and family.

Miss Thelma Carrell, who is teaching near Lockney, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Carrell, Saturday night.

Jack and Billie Walker, who are attending W.T.S.C. at Canyon, spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Walker.

All of the teachers from here attended the teachers' meeting at Canyon Friday and Saturday.

Larry Sanders of W.T.S.C., Canyon, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Sanders.

The declamation tryout will be held at the gymnasium Friday night.

Mrs. Lottie Williams of Cross Roads visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morrow, and Eugene and H. C. from Thursday night until Sunday.

Zelda Welch Is F H T Delegate

The Future Homemakers of Dodson High School have been very busily engaged in making money for the purpose of sending delegates to the rally in April.

Each girl is piecing a block for the quilt which they plan to sell chances on. Numerous other plans are being made also.

At their last meeting the delegate for the rally who chosen was Zelda Welch, president of the club. The department plans to send two other girls and two boys who will be selected on the basis of contests and of the dresses made in class.

Hogan Is Returned To Emergency Crop Loan Office Here

C. Hogan, who was for several years in charge of the Emergency Crop Loan office for this section, has been returned to that post, Judge C. C. Bishop announced here this week.

Mr. Hogan will be in Wellington each Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning to care for these crop loans. His office will be in the court house. Inquiries concerning these loans on the days Mr. Hogan is not here, can be answered at the County Judge's office, Judge Bishop said.

Mr. Hogan was last in charge of the office in 1938. He is well known here from his work in those years.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Collingsworth County, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Clarence L. Fergersonne by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Collingsworth County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Wellington, Texas, on the 4th Monday in April A. D. 1940, the same being the 22nd day of April A. D. 1940, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 11th day of March A. D. 1940, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 2145, wherein Clover Ryan Fergersonne is Plaintiff, and Clarence L. Fergersonne is Defendant, and said petition alleging Plaintiff actual bona fide resident and citizen of Collingsworth County, Texas, for more than twelve months and alleging excess and cruel treatment by defendant rendering their further living together as husband and wife insupportable, and praying for divorce and restoration of maiden name Clover Ryan. No property and no children.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

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W. H. GOFORTH, Clerk,
District Court,
Collingsworth County.
35-4-c

Former Resident Dies At Socorro

Relatives here receive word early last week of the death of George Graves of Sorocco, New Mexico, a former resident of this county. He was a brother of John Graves of the China Grove community, and an uncle of Tom Graves and Charlie Graves. Another brother, Joe Graves, lives at Mangum, Okla.

Mr. Graves lived in the China Grove community, and was well known throughout the county. He was known here as a good neighbor and a community worker.

Upon leaving this county, he moved to Texline, before going to New Mexico several years ago.

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FOR SALE—Maize and Kaffir corn. See Bob Glenn. 34-3-p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—180-acre farm, no indebtedness, 10 miles east Wellington. See John Brock, Route 2, Vinson. 33-3-p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Model A Ford Tudor. See Claude Savage or Dick Wiley. 33-4-p

FOR SALE—New batteries $295 exchange. Rebuilt batteries, $1.50 exchange. Phone 188J Thompson Auto Salvage. 33-3-p

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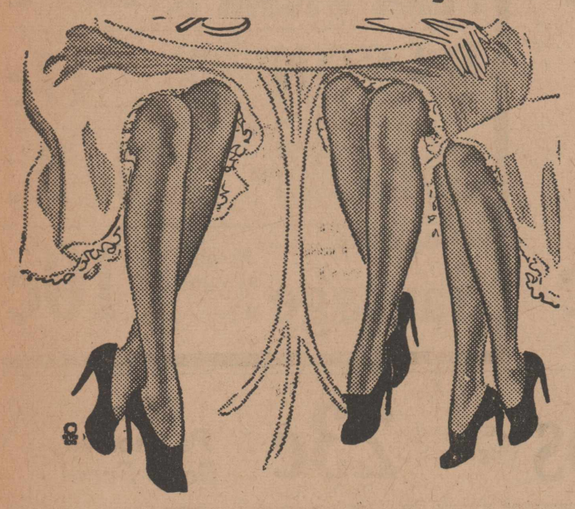

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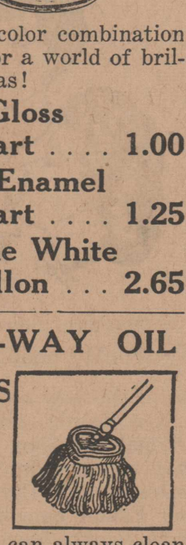

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16 Million Acres Texas Land Under Soil Conservation

1940 Slated To Break Record In Acreage Protected From Loss

COLLEGE STATION.—Almost 3 million acres of Texas farm and ranch land went under the soil and water conservation banner for the first time in 1939.

That brings the figures for the 4-year-old campaign to 16 million res of crop land protected gainst loss of soil and rainfall while some 14 1-2 million acres are still in need of protective measures.

Thus Texas is off to a good start in 1940, a year slated to see record breaking advances in conservation as all agencies of the U. S. Department of Agriculture unite with state and local organizations in a joint drive to protect soil and hold the rain where it falls.

Detailed 1939 figures, as announced by M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer, and C (Dutch) Hohn, soil and water conservation specialist, both of the Texas A. and M. Extension Service, include 766,211 acres of crop land terraced, 426,625 acres protected by furrow damming, and 1,254,699 acres pit cultivated. Around 1,500,000 acres of crop land were farmed on the contour for the first time.

County-owned tractor - grader outfits in 172 counties accounted for 410,991 acres of the terracing total. On range and pasture land, 56,689 acres were terraced, 97,800 ridged, 195,736 contour-furrowed, and 30,904 subsoiled or chiseled. Spreader dams constructed during 1939 will divert run-off water and spread it over 108,855 acres of grass land. Much of the work on range land was done in cooperation with the A.A.A.'s range conservation program.

County agricultural agents held 1,094 meetings to explain details of the Texas Soil Conservation District Law. The meetings drew an attendance of 66,362.

Landscape Work On Farm Premises Is Major Work In 1939

COLLEGE STATION. — More than 181,000 shrubs and trees were planted by Texas home demonstration club women and 4-H club girls during 1939 in an effort to beautify rural landscapes. At least a third of the shrubs are native to the Lone Star State.

A report of Sadie Hatfield, specialist in landscape gardening for the A. and M. College Extension Service, reveals that 107,991 shrubs planted by these two groups are still living. A total of 73,162 shrubs were planted and cared for by the women and 34,-82[illegible] by the girls.

Planting during 1939 show a decided increase over 1938 when 72,472 native and nursery shrubs were planted, the specialist points out. However, native and nursery shrubs weren't all Texas rural women and girls planted by any means. There were more than 100,000 plants grown from seed or rooted from cuttings and there were more than 44,000 trees planted to give shade, provide background for the home, or to serve as a windbreak.

Roses, too, came in for their share of attention, for nearly 40,-00[illegible] were planted in Texas and are reported to be living still. Sodding lawns and planning yards for members and non-club members were also included in the landscaping activities of people cooperating with the Texas Extension Service.

The out-door living room is becoming a familiar term and a familiar sight in Texas rural communities, and nearly a thousand of these living rooms or recreation areas made life more enjoyable for rural families in 1939. Hundreds of pieces of recreational equipment were made for use in Texas homes.

To obtain these improvements nearly $20,000 was spent in 1939, Miss Hatfield says.

The oldest existing book printed in the America's Fray Juan de Zumarraga's "Doctrina Breve," is in the internationally-known Latin-American Collection of the University of Texas' Library.

An automatic electric furnace has been developed to harden steel in a layer of oxygen-free gas to prevent distortion and formation of scale.

LEARNING TO JUDGE A GOOD CALF

Jake Tarter, county agent of Wheeler County, is shown above judging the senior class of fat calves at the Project Show held in Wellington March 2. At the same time, he pointed out to the boys the qualities to look for in high class animals. The calves, owned by Frank Gulley, extreme right, and Pat Henard, second from right, were exhibited at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo.

Vocational Ag Training Makes

Education A Life-Long Work

(Editor's Note: The following article, written by G. S. Dowell, agriculture teacher of the Quail High School, ws published in the March issue of The Texas Outlook.)

Education begins at birth and ends at the grave. Any public school administrator will tell you so. But not so with public schooling. In general it provides organized instruction and guidance for only a few years, seven or eight in the elementary school, four in the high school and four or more in college. It provides therefore about sixteen years of instruction for its students and leaves them without either organized instruction or guidance for the other fifty to seventy-five years of their lives. In general schools have been held down by tradition and while the length of time a person spends in school has gradually lengthened it seems that most educators have only been able to enlarge their vision to longer periods of time spent within the four walls of a classroom and have not provided for any follow-up system or any organized way of influencing or directing the thinking of people except the carry-over from their school days.

Vocational agriculture, however, did not grow from the top down and was not built in sections as the rest of the public school system has been. The world built universities and colleges first, then preparatory schools, then elementary schools, and finally the high schools. The whole system was never planned at any one time but was built by piece meal and unfortunately one part does not logically lead to or blend into the other. But not so with vocational agriculture. It was all set up at one time and the continuity and wholeness is superior.

It represents a new vision of education entirely different to the traditional setup. Once a boy is enrolled in vocational agriculture his education may continue for the rest of his life. It is true that a boy usually does not enroll in the course before the seventh grade and more often not until the freshman year in high school. Thus the first twelve or fourteen years of his life are not provided for in the vocational agriculture field. Once enrolled, however, he may take vocational agriculture each year of his high school career and if he enters college after he graduates from high school his regular day school instruction continues. But if he drops out of school at any time and never completes his course, the high school, even the elementary school, or if he does graduate from College and the continuance of his education is provided for through the part-time school for a number of years, until he is well established in farming, and then in the adult evening school classes the rest of his life. Here at Quail we have people enrolled at almost all ages from twelve to seventy-five. One of our best project programs is that of a boy twelve years old while one of the most regular attendants at one of our evening schools and one who is regularly adopting improved practices as a result of the adult evening school work is a man past seventy.

The high school course is planned so that the class room instruction and the project program will lead to farming. When a boy enrolls in vocational agriculture he, with the help of his father and his vocational teacher, plans his supervised practice program on a four or five year basis so that at the end of his high school course he will be set up in farming. Usually he begins with rather small livestock and crop projects. By increasing his projects and adding more projects each year he comes out at the end of the four years of high school work set up for farming or largely so. Following is an example of one supervised practice program of a boy who graduated from our school last spring.

First year: (1) One gilt for pig production. (2) Five acres of maize for grain.

Second year: (1) One sow and one gilt for pig production. (2) One bred dairy heifer. (3) Five acres of cotton. (4) Five acres of maize.

Third year: (1) Two brood sows. (2) One cow and calf. (3) Five acres of maize. (4) Five acres of cotton. (5) One hundred hens.

In addition to having cows, hogs, and chickens, he has $265 in cash which he made out of his projects during four years of his high school work and put in a savings account. But the vocational agriculture teacher did not turn him loose without help and guidance. The boy was enrolled in the part-time group; 100 acres of land, part in native pasture, that was for rent on a third and fourth basis was located, the land owner was contacted, and told of the boy's progress in his vocational work, and his desirable qualities as a tenant and a contract satisfactory to both parties was drawn up and signed. A loan of $175 was negotiated with the Production Credit Association, which, together with the cash on hand, enabled him to buy twenty ewes and a ram, four mules and the necessary second hand one-row equipment to cultivate the land with. He sold his feed through his livestock on which he won several premiums, paid off his note, rented another eighty acres of land, bought more stock and a two-row outfit of tools. He is out of debt and is completely set up in farming. He joined the one-variety cotton community organization, the local cooperative association, and will later be changed from the part-time class to the evening school class, where he will receive guidance that will help solve the farm problems that arise through the years. He will likely be one of the progressive, successful farmers who provides the whole farm demonstration for the community and the agriculture teacher who continues to lead the schoolboys, the out of school youth, and the adult farmers. At no time has his education stopped nor will it stop until he dies.

Vocational agriculture therefore is a continuous educational process from about fourteen to approximately seventy years of age. In order to carry on such a program vocational agriculture teachers are employed twelve months each year and are never off the job except three weeks each summer for vacation or personal improvement.

Club Women, Girls Have Nice Clothes For Little Money

COLLEGE STATION. — Only $35.25 spent for clothing in one year!

That's the average 1,127 Texas home demonstration club women reported they spent on their wardrobes in 1939, according to records compiled by Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, clothing specialist for the A. and M. College Extension Service. Average for the individual wardrobe in 1938 was $25.88 or about 26 per cent less than the 1939 figure.

4-H club girls spent even less than the women. Their annual expenditure for clothing totaled $22.40, reports from 3,990 girls who kept records reveal. This represents a decrease of about 3 percent from 1938 expenditures. These remarkably low figures, however, do not indicate that these women and girls had fewer clothes to wear than the average person.

Mrs. Barnes believes it means that through assistance offered by county home demonstration agents and other workers of the Texas Extension Service these women and girls were able to plan their wardrobes more carefully, make clothes more expertly, buy them more wisely, and store them more efficiently.

The women reported making 68,160 articles of clothing during the year and estimated that the clothing program had resulted in savings aggregating $136,686.32. Garments made by the 4-H club girls totaled 63,672. Their estimated savings resulting from clothing work were listed at $54,-978.30.

Mrs. Savannah Barrett Butt, 65, runs a smithy in the basement of her home in Baltimore and with the aid of two assistants turns out miniature horseshoes, door knockers and other metal objects.

Miss Annie Lyon Howe, 88-year-old American educator, was recently awarded the "Blue Ribbon," imperial Japanese decoration, for her outstanding work in kindergartens and training schools in that country.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berryman of Matador were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Berryman.

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County Youths Win Places At Tri-State Fair

Baumgardner And Dowell Take High Awards; Henard Places

Future Farmers and a 4-H Club member from the Wellington and Quail organizations took down money places in the annual Tri-State Fair, held in Amarillo March 4-9. All of the animals shown by the boys in the Amarillo fair had previously won in the Collingsworth County Project Show held here March 2.

Marion Baumgardner, Wellington Future Farmer, placed third and fourth on individual wool-type sheep, and fifth on his pen of five wool sheep.

Pete Dowell of Quail also placed third and fourth on individual fat hogs, in the 225 pound and above class, and fifth on a pen of fat barrows. Dowell's hogs were of the Duroc breed.

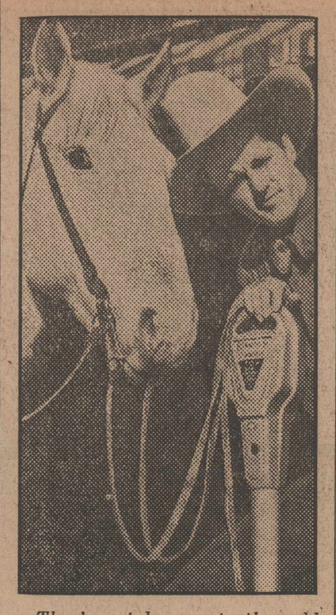
Pat Henard, Wellington 4-H Club boy, placed 23 on his junior calf.

All these animals, along with others from this county shown at the fair but not placing, were sold in Amarillo.

Senora Ana Rosa de Martinez Guerrero, president of the Argentine Union of Women, has been elected chairman of the Inter-American Commission of Workmen.

Miss Taisa Stadnichenko is a geologist for the United States Geological Survey, specializing in the origin, constitution and classification of coal and carbonaceous sediments.

Pay To Park Steeds



They've taken out the old hitching post and water trough, so now cowboys in Tucson, Ariz, must pay a nickel to park up their horses at the city's newly installed parking meters.

Conscience Hurts; Hotel Still Loser On Retured Towels

SACREMENTO, Calif.—A San Jose resident who acquired a conscience after getting religion is happier for having returned four purloined bath towels to a Sacremento hotel but the hotel still is not even on the deal.

Enclosed in the parcel post package was a silver dollar—and a letter. And because this letter—first-class matter—was in the package, the hotel had to pay out $1.13 in postage. Furthermore, the towels appeared to be near the end of useful life.

Interest Grows In Range Program

COLLEGE STATION.—Steadily increasing interest in the range conservation program is being shown by ranchmen all over the state, Howard T. Kingsbury, state Agricultural Conservation Association committeeman from Santa Anna, reported following a series of three meetings in West Texas to study the 1940 program.

"Participation in the program this year probably will be even greater than the record participation of 1939," Kingsbury said. "The committeemen, both community and county, are interested in getting 100 percent cooperation and in administering the program carefully. These committeemen, who were elected by their fellow ranchers, are the basic governing agency of the program and their cooperation with and belief in the program are important."

Meetings were held in Fort Stockton, Big Spring and Brownwood and were attended by committeemen, A.A.A. administrative assistants, county association secretaries, Extension Service district agents, county agricuutral agents, and range inspectors, Fred Rennels, state A.A.A. range representative, Jess H. Watson, state A.C.A. committeeman from New Castle, and Kingsbury represented the state office.

Long-time planning of range-improvement work is underway, Kingsbury said, as the ranchmen realize more and more that it is necessary to map out their conservation work in advance. County agents and county A.A.A. officials reported at the meetings that many ranchmen were laying plans for range improvement and conservation which would take several years to be realized.

Mrs. N. R. Cocke and N. R. Cocke, Jr., were in Lubbock recently for a visit with N. R. Cocke, Sr., and other relatives.

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More Than 5,550 Farmers Buy FCA Farms In 4 Years

Federal Land Bank Opens Way To Farm Ownership For Young Men

HOUSTON.—More than 5,550 Texas farmers have bought farms with financing through agencies under supervision of the Farm Credit Administration in the past four years, according to a statement made today by A. C. Williams, president of The Federal Land Bank of Houston.

"Broader ownership opportunities made possible by the 1935 Farm Credit Act and by administrative measures of the Farm Credit Administration have produced at least a small crop of new farm owners in almost every county in the state," Mr. Williams said. "In some counties, credit to purchase has been extended to 50 or more families.

"These farmers have obtained altogether $12,990,000 of mortgage loans and other credit to purchase farms—some of which have been bought from farmers who have retired, from other individuals, or from the Federal Land Bank.

He said some families had been assisted specifically by the Farm Credit Act of 1935 when first and second mortgage financing through the Land Bank Commissioner was made available for purchasing. The Federal Land Bank has always made first mortgage loans for this purpose. "Second as well as first mortgage financing meant a better opportunity to purchase," Mr. Williams continued, "particularly for the young men and tenants who did not have large savings.

"Although the Land Bank and Commissioner cannot lend to farmers who have nothing to pay down on a farm, their financing opens the road to farm ownership to many farmers and tenants who do not have all cash to buy the farm they want but have moderate savings and can meet the requirements of Land Bank and Commissioner credit to get the rest of the money.

"The average amount of credit extended by the Houston Land Bank and the Commissioner for purchasing has been about $2,340, representing in some instances about 75 percent of the value of the property purchased. On Nov. 30, The Federal Land Bank of Houston had outstanding 67,849 Federal Land Bank loans aggregating $195,301,906.52 and 31,603 Commissioner loans aggregating $46,318,694.06, a total of 99,452 loans amounting to $241,620,600.58."

Pre-Easter -

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is hoped that you will not feel that you have to dress up for these services, but that you will come in your work clothes for an hour or more. You are invited to attend one, two or all of these services," said Rev. J. E. Kirby, pastor.

This year there will be three services, each of them lasting one hour. Special music and visiting speakers will make up the program.

Complete details will be announced in next week's issue of The Leader.

Boxing Tourney -

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instructor, stated early this week.

Three sessions will be held. Preliminaries will begin at 8 o'clock Friday evening. The second session opens at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and the finals will begin at 8 o'clock Saturday evening.

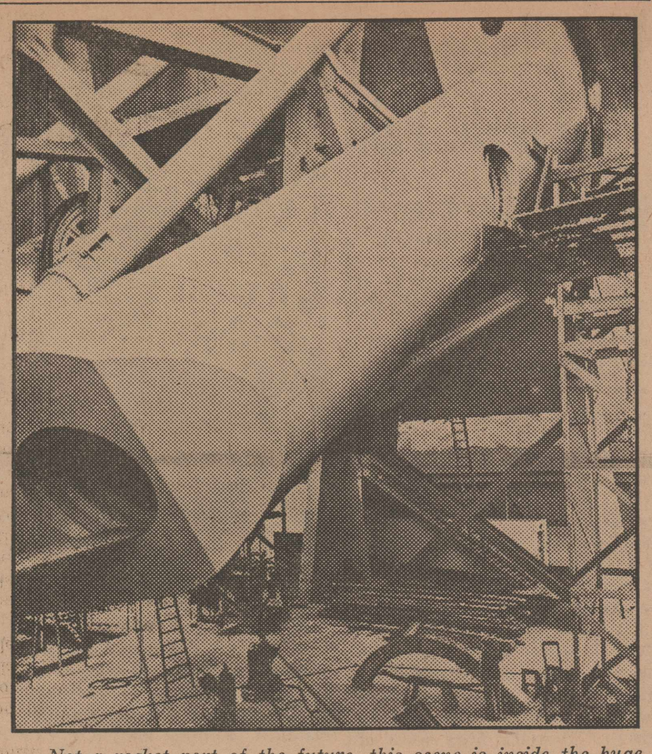
"There will be twelve or more bouts in each of these sessions," Lee assured.

Entries are being made in twelve weights, with a three pound margin in each weight. Each school is allowed two fighters in each of the weights, which include 75 pounds; 85 pounds; 95 pounds; 105 pounds; 115 pounds; 125 pounds; 135 pounds; 145 pounds; 155 pounds; 165 pounds; 175 pounds; and heavyweight.

Although Wellington will save two entries in each of the weight divisions, Mr. Lee said the boys who will represent the school in the tournament have not yet been determined.

Proceeds derived from the tournament will go to buy letter sweaters for the eligible members of the Wellington team.

Huge Cradle For 200-Inch Telescope



Not a rocket port of the future, this scene is inside the huge $6,000,000 dome of Mt. Palomar observatory in California where machinery to cradle 200-inch telescope is being installed.

Estes Due Regular Post On University Football Eleven

That R. V. Estes, former Skyrocket football star, offers all possibility of being the same outstanding player on the Oklahoma Baptist University eleven that he was in high school was seen in the opinion of Coach W. W. Nicklaus of the University.

A brief article in an Oklahoma City paper, with a Shawnee date line, read:

"Beating the drums for continued downtown support, Coach W. W. Nicklaus assured the Bison Quarterback Club here the 1940 O.B.U. eleven 'would be a lot tougher' than the team which placed second in the collegiate conference last autumn.

"Only one man was lost from the Bison line, Nicklaus pointed out and in R. V. Estes, a left-handed Texan, the Baptist Coach thinks he has a potent triple-threater who will help fill a graduation riddled backfield."

Girl Scouts -

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Another outstanding event for the Wellington girls will be a Silver Tea, to be given in the near future. Plans for the tea are now being worked out.

Making the trip to Shamrock were Cora Elizabeth Clark, Pearl Ball, Pollyanna O'Neil, Dorothy Jane Riggs, Maxine Carson, Helen Langford, Doris Lamkin, Merkie Kersten, Helen Kersten, Nora Etta Dickey, Doris McKinney, Ardis Kern, Eula Lee Powell, Carra Beth Ball, Sylvia Cross, Laverne McKinney, Doris Akers, Rosemary Jones, Marion Akers, Adelle Kern, Katherine Clark, Allene Raburn, Nancy Sullivan, Faye Moore, Sue Leach, Dorothy Holcomb, Ruth Stall, Gene Wright, Johnnie Wiles, Mrs. Ben Hurst, Mrs. A. L. Nowlin, Mrs. Harley Kern, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Langford, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lamkin.

Stiles Rites -

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brothers and sisters, Mrs. Lola Thornhill of Wasco, Calif; A. M. Stiles, J. F. Stiles, and A. C. Stiles of Phoenix, Ariz.; Mrs. W. H. Numan of Grandfield, Okla.; Mrs. Ocie White of Quail; Dallas Stiles of Wasco, Calif.; Mrs. Bruce Owens of Hollis, Okla.; and Mrs. Will Morris of Wichita Falls.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed late Tuesday, pending arrival of relatives. The Ellis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Williams Named -

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Baylor.

He was a member of the Varsity B Club at Baylor and during his sophomore year there he served as vice president of his class.

Ella Children -

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in her head, and other medical aid was given.

Although Joyce was not critically hurt, it will be necessary that she stay in bed for several days.

Four Generations Use Razor During 108 Years Of Life

A 108-year-old razor which four generations of his family have used—sometimes for other things than shaving—is in the possession of G. R. Henley of Wellington.

Of the straight-edge type, the razor is at least twice as heavy as those made at present. It was made in Sheffield, England, by Wade and Butcher. Mr. Henley's grandfather bought it in Salado, Arkansas.

"It's been used for lots of things besides shaving," Mr. Henley commented. "Among them are cutting leather to half sole shoes, and put bottoms in chairs."

The razor was brought to the Leader office, where it is now on display.

Domestic Gas -

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accept the proposals upon the approval of the state commission. Copies of the ordinances setting the new rates were forwarded to the commission Monday. Notice of approval was received Tuesday.

The rate agreed upon, it was pointed out by Mayor LeDerer, is the one which the city has desired all along, in comparison with the offered rates of $1.00 for the first 1,000 cubic feet and 55 cents for each additional 1,000, or the rate of $1.00 for the first 500 cubic feet and 50 cents for each additional thousand. Both these offers had been previously rejected by the local council.

"The new rate schedule applies only to residential consumers for uses ordinary to residences," Mayor LeDerer explained. "The commercial rate will apply in all cases when the consumer is engaged in selling or distributing commodities, in some business activity as a store, office or office building."

Under the terms of the agreement between the Council and the gas company no rebates will be paid to any consumer.

Mrs. B. M. Becker of New York City makes a specialty of preparing tempting dishes of food to be photographed, the pictures being supplied to advertisers.

Rotary-Kiwanis -

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prosperity of the farmers who surround you. The laborers are a part of your business affairs."

"Think out some industry to utilize the products of the farms around here," he challenged. "We've got to be community minded to get these things. We've got to have some central authority if we bring about these things of which we have talked," the postmaster said in conclusion.

Speaking specifically from the point of view of a school man, Mr. Cummings reminded that the present trend in education is toward centralization, and that this program will be greatly stepped up in this county when roads are improved. All this, he pointed out, will give better schools at lower cost.

"We need better building facilities in Wellington to take care of these children that are coming here in future years. . . . A town, like everything else, can not stand still. It must either go forward or backward," he said.

Mr. Cummings suggested some central organization to boost the 50th anniversary of the founding of the county.

Business in Wellington was Mr. Manzer's theme. Stating that he favored some broad organization being worked out to further the city's needs, Mr. Manzer added frankly, "Wellington is dead, and unless something is done, she is going to be deader! This central organization we are talking about would make each of us prouder of Wellington."

"We're here tonight because we're not satisfied," Dr. E. W. Jones said in opening his speech, and a few minutes later added, "Wellington has assets and we haven't lost any of those we have.

"We've got the collateral in Wellington to do the things these men have told you about tonight. We've got as fine a citizenship as the sun ever shone one. . . . We must build on our assets if our boys and girls stay here. So let's not let this little bubble of enthusiasm burst. Let's do something about it."

S. R. Pinkston, final speaker in the group, urged his listeners to make this a better place in which to live. To this, he added an explanation of some of the work of Chamber of Commerce organizations. Concluding, he urged, "Let's go at this thing substantially."

Reports on decisions made by the committee will be given the two clubs in the near future.

Plans Completed -

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plications of the play.

Between acts, S. O. Murdock, deputy state superintendent from Childress, will give a number of vocal solos. Mr. Murdock is a talented singer, and has represented Texas at several music festivals in eastern states.

"We extend a cordial invitation to the people of Wellington and surrounding communities to attend this play," said Miss Minnie Atchley, Junior sponsor and director of the play. "We feel that each of you will have an evening of fun which only a humorous play, acted by boys and girls you know, can bring."

Proceeds from the play will be used to help defray expenses of the Junior-Senior banquet.

John, The Generous

There's no law against handing out quarters, but when "Brother John," right, Los Angeles Main street character, tried it he was soon ensnarled with police. Impatient indigents in line broke ranks and started a riot about the time John passed out his thousandth two-bit piece.

Former Pastor -

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largest church in that town.

"We extend a cordial invitation, not only to the people of the church, but to all people of Wellington to hear Rev. Hankins. His friends here were of all denominations, and we feel that each person who knew him will be interested in knowing of the work which he plans to do," Rev. Neal said.

Legion-Auxiliary -

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Birthday Party, to be held at Childress Friday of this week, and which will be attended by a large number from Wellington.

Tinting the nails was common among the Egyptians, and not conforming to the practice would have been considered indecent.

Game Preserve Acreage Grows

COLLEGE STATION. — The Texas A. and M. College Extension Service's game management demonstration plan, now in its fourth year, has expanded to include 27,362,395 acres of land, R. E. Callender, game management specialist, has announced.

There are 2,637 game management areas, of which 426 have organized into cooperative community game management associations, with 104 associations now on a county-wide basis. The areas are designated by 79,280 markers.

Altogether 23,280 farmers and ranchmen—and the figure includes 588 4-H club boys—are taking part in the plan which has as its aim the restoration of wildlife in depleted areas.

The impression that the game preserve demonstration areas are closed to hunting is answered by Callender's report, which states that 7,017 farmers and ranchmen enrolled in the movement do not permit hunting, while the remainder allow hunting on a regulated basis designed to harvest any surplus of game and at the same time to protect a determined number of animals or game.

Most of the plans for increasing wildlife hinge on providing food, shelter, and protection, but restocking also has a part. During 1939, 1,021,222 fish, 14,033 game birds, and 2,047 game animals and fur bearers were added.

Demonstrators reporting on the "income" question reported receipts of $122,901 from hunting leases, $4,775 from fishing rights, and $73, 781 from sale of furs. This does not, of course, include regular 'shooting' preserves.

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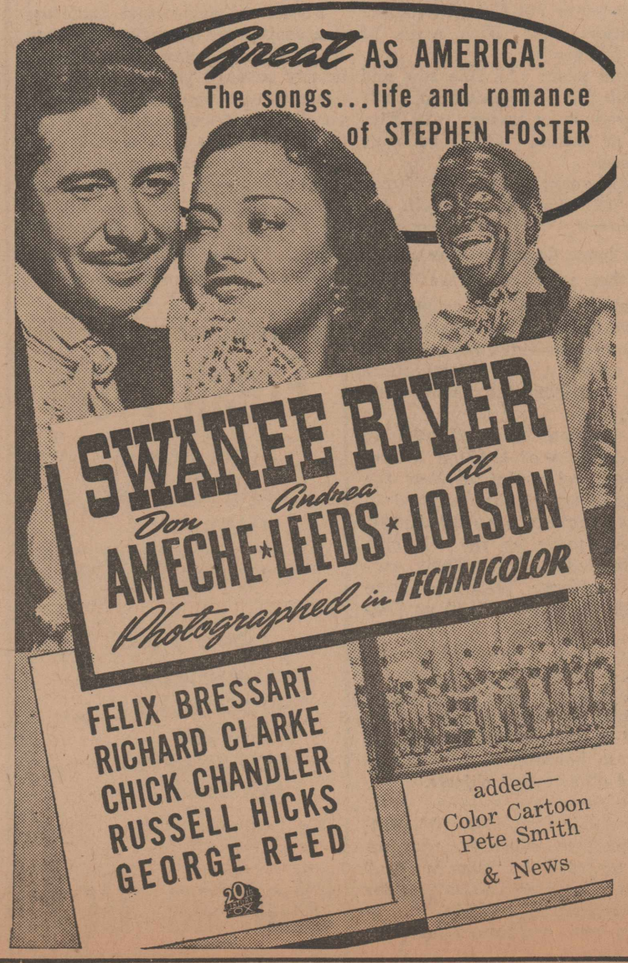

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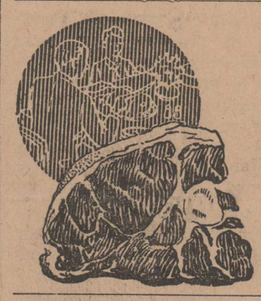

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Mrs. Lloyd Graham Shower Honoree At Martin Home Friday

Mrs. Lloyd Graham, bride of the past week, was named honoree Friday evening, March 8, at a shower given at the home of Mrs. Eugene Martin. Mrs. Roy Brinson, Mrs. Martin, Miss Helen Hudson and Miss Dorothy Robertson were joint hostesses in entertaining.

Mrs. Neil Braboy received the guests and assisted the hostesses in entertaining. Miss Viola Hudson poured tea at the beautifully decorated tea table. Pastel shades of sweetpeas and St. Patrick's Day appointments were used in the decoration motif.

Accordion music was played by Misses Mildred Collins, Eula Lee Powell, Rosemary Jones and Peggy Ruth Ream.

The guest list included Mesdames J. F. Elliott, King Bowen, Don Manzer, Woodrow Ward, Aubrey Duke, Robert Mills, W. B. LeVeque, C. A. Bradford, Neil Braboy, Misses Mary Duncan, Floy Mae Willis, Ineva Cudd, Oleta Knowles, Ammozel Clement, Oleta Graham, Mildred Collins, Viola Hudson.

Mesdames J. O. Short, Cicero Gulley, L. A. Moore, Hook Elliott, J. B. Sasser, Lee Fortenberry, John W. Harper, Billie Cornett, Groom; Bob Allford, Pampa; R. D. Oldham, Arthur Hudson, T. T. Fain, J. L. Burt, Pink Sullivan, J. M. Dickson, H. L. Duncan, Olan Alexander, C. B. Nunnelley, Jess Cook, J. B. Johnson, T. K. Michie, Noel Cudd, A. Y. Bell, Tom Bryant, A. W. Powell, Jap Smith, Amos Gollihugh, E. W. Fain, Claude Neece, Maggie Donnell, James Darnell, Charlie Graham, W. W. McClaskey, Misses Fay Richardson, Edna Earle and Margaret Willoughby, Inez Miller, Lucille Bennett, Sylvia Walker, Ora Lee Glasgow, Grace Clement, Isabell Powell, and Dora E. McClaskey.

Faye Moore Heads Spanish Club For Term

Last Wednesday the Spanish Pan American Club elected their officers for the fifth six weeks' period. Miss Faye Moore was elected president of the organization.

Other officers were Sarah Love, vice president; Idell Smith, secretary; Marie Ward, reporter; H. L. Duncan, critic; and Nellie Bly Slay, song leader.

The club has just completed an interesting six weeks in which they heard many informational reports on Spain and Mexico.

At the last meeting plans were discussed for the annual Pan American banquet to be held in Wellington April 12.

"Homeland Harvest" Is Book Studied By Aberdeen Society

The Aberdeen Ladies' Missionary Society met at the church on Monday, March 11. The group is studying a new book now, titled "Homeland Harvest." Mrs. D. Willingham gave the study at the meeting and Mrs. D. G. Mahaffey devotional.

The next meeting will be on the 25th of March.

Those present were: Mesdames E. Smith, Mahaffey, M. T. Fletcher and Willingham.

Mrs. Vernon Newton Presides At Fresno P. T. A.

Friday evening, March 8, members of the Fresno Parent-Teacher Association met for a regular business session and program. Mrs. Vernon Newton, president, acted as presiding officer.

The following program was presented by the pupils of the school: Song, school; readings, Betty Wood, J. Taun Orr and Wanda Kellison; skit, "Census Taker," Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Newton; ukelele music, pupils; reading, "Being Beautiful," Mrs. S. E. Elmore; double duet, Mesdames Kellison, Orr, Wells and Ketchum; accordion duet, Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Kellison; musical reading, Mrs. Ketchum; short play, "Hiring A School Ma'am."

Creston Henley Is Wed In Colorado March 2

Creston Henley of Longmont, Colorado, formerly of Wellington, was married in Longmont on Saturday, Mar. 2. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Henley of Wellington.

The groom attended school at Loco and Rolla where he has many friends. For the past three years he has made his home in Longmont where he is employed in the cattle business.

The bride, formerly of Arkansas, was making her home in Longmont at the time of the wedding.

Leon Decker Given Birthday Party Saturday

Leon Decker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Decker, was named honor guest Saturday afternoon, when his mother entertained with a party on his sixth birthday.

The children were entertained with both indoor and outdoor games between the hours of 4 to 6 o'clock. At the game of fishing the children caught "Guess What" packages which held all kind of surprises. Favors of Easter chicks and eggs were given to the children as they were served pink birthday cake and punch.

Among those present were Misses Jean Jones, Barbara Wells, Jocelyn Wells, Linda Sue Mills, Gail Williams, Patricia Manning, Barbara Joyce Sanders, Charlotte Ann Harrison, Pricilla Baumgardner, Mary Jane Johnson, Peggy Reynolds, Delores Somerville, Diane Wells, Barbara Baumgardner, Messrs. Tarzan Nix, Phil Handley, Douglas Sanders, Billy Joe Lehmberg, Lee Carl Lehmberg, Jimmie Leggitt, Oran Doolen Starkey, Jimmie Brock, J. L. Beard, Jamie Kirby, James Stevenson, Phil Bynum, Joe Beverly Raburn and honor guest, Leon Decker.

Co-Workers Club Makes Friendship Quilt At Meeting

The Co-workers Club met at the I.O.O.F. Hall Thursday, March 7, for an all-day meeting. Members brought covered dishes for the luncheon which was served buffet style.

During the day members completed a friendship quilt. In the afternoon Mrs. E. D. Clay presided over the business session. Announcement of the next meeting was made for Thursday, March 21. All members were invited to come and bring a dish. The hall will open at 9 o'clock.

Attending the last meeting were Mesdames B. L. Atkinson, E. T. Vaughn, Fred Kersten, S. F. Hughs, B. A. Vandiver, E. D. Clay, Ed Box, Bill Aubrey, R. S. Montague, B. F. Ford and Jap Smith.

Reporter, Mrs. Jap Smith.

B.T.U. Party In Dick Scott Home Friday

Friday night, March 8, the B.T.U. of the First Baptist Church at Loco was entertained by a social given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Scott.

Many interesting and entertaining games were played and enjoyed by all.

Those attending were: Alene Albert, Oleta Woods, Rachel Woods, Helen Pierce, Ruth Scott, Zona Wolfe, Virginia Sachse, Edna Copeland, James McClendon, Lloyd Clark, Grady Belew, Howard Elbert, J. D. McClendon, Jimmie Roland Mayhugh, Marvin Pierce, Jack Scott, Chester Williams, Gordon Smith, Wendell Brewer, Freddie Nichols, Durwood Smith, Clifton Brewer, Evelyn Bearden, Edna Albright, Lona Kate Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Minter, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Belew, Mrs. Fannie Belew, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Minter, Mr. and Mrs. Lake Sasche, E. S. Copeland and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Scott.

Two At T. C. U.

Miss Sydna Yokley, honored as the "No. 1 Ranch Girl of the Nation," enrolled as a freshman in Texas Christian University at midyear. Sydna's chief classroom interest is home economics; her chief extracurricular interest horseback riding. "I just can't imagine being alive and not riding!" Sydna says. So she brought along ser favorite mount—Cinnamon—and has him quartered in in stables nearby the Horned Frog campus. She and her father are joint owners of the Lazy-L Ranch near Canadian, Texas. Sydna stayed out of college last fall (she graduated from Canadian High last spring) in order to accept a starring role in the Madison Square Garden Rodeo in New York City. "I like Texas better!" is Sydna's evaluation of the bright lights.

Margaret Crews Weds Friday, March 8

PLAINVIEW. — Marriage vows were exchanged here Friday night by Miss Margaret Crews and Henry Brents Norman, both of Plainview, in a ceremony at the First Presbyterian Church.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Crews and Mr. Norman is a son of Mrs. Fannie Norman. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The bride is a niece of Mrs. E. W. Jones and has visited in Wellington many times.

Mrs. Norman's wedding gown was of white designed with a circular train. Her full-length veil fell from a coronel of fresh orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of bridal orchids and valley lilies. Her only ornamental jewelry was a heart-shaped locket belonging to her mother.

The marriage ceremony was performed before a background of ferns and calla lilies. Dr. G. B. Hall of Norman, Okla., who performed the marriage ceremony for the bride's parents and officiated at the christening of the bride, officiated. Candles burned on the altar and lighted the aisles of the church.

Elmer Knox Jones was present for the wedding and served as an usher.

Reception Follows

Immediately following the ceremony was a reception at the Crews home.

Miss Marjorie Lyle of Shamrock, who is attending school at the University of Texas, was a member of the house party. Other guests, from Wellington, were Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Norman left for Mexico City, the bride traveling in a black suit with matching accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman will make their home in Borger.

Mrs. A. R. West is in Turkey with her sister, Mrs. D. J. Vanderslice, who is ill. Mrs. Vanderslice has visited in Wellington a number of times and has many friends here. She has been confined to her bed since last fall.

Miss Nadine Smith left last week for a month's visit with her sitser, Mrs. Lorene Wesson, at Royalty.

C. C. Wright Honor Guest At Dinner March 6

G. C. Wright was honored on his sixty-ninth birthday Wednesday, March 6, when Mrs. Wright gave a dinner at their home for members of the family. All the children were present with the exception of Mrs. Bill Clifton of Lubbock.

In the afternoon Mrs. Nellie Gillespie took Mr. and Mrs. Wright to the photographers studio to have their picture made for their children.

Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Isabell, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright and Mrs. Nell Gillespie of Quitaque.

Edna Joyce Gribble Gives Dance For Visitors

Complimenting visitors in the Sullivan and Gribble homes last week end, Miss Edna Joyce Gribble gave a dance on Saturday evening for more than thirty members of the younger set.

Miss Louise Britt of Wheeler and Miss Freda Nell Holmes of Shamrock were guests in the home of Miss Gribble. Miss Frances Rossum of Sherman and Miss Louise Campbell of Fairfield, Ala., were week end guests of Miss Patricia Sullivan. Miss Sullivan and her two guests are students at T.S.C.W.

Church Sponsors Loco Box Supper Friday Evening

A box supper, sponsored by the First Baptist Church at Loco, is scheduled to be given at the school auditorium Friday evening, March 15.

All candidates have been invited to attend this event. Members of the entertainment committee include T. H. Rainer, Silas Crawford and Rev. Tom Burns.

"We extend a cordial invitation to everyone in this and surrounding communities to attend this box supper. We feel that we can readily promise an evening of good, clean entertainment," the sponsors said.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Baumgardner, students in Texas Technological College at Lubbock, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baumgardner, over the week end.

Mrs. A. Reneau Has Birthday Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr entertained Sunday, March 10, at a dinner complimenting Mrs. Orr's mother, Mrs. Albert Reneau, on her sixty-seventh birthday. In the afternoon guests took group pictures.

The guest list included Rev. and Mrs. Aikens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Randall and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patterson, all of Dodson, Mr. Albert Reneau and son, Willard Reneau, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lewis and son, Reggie, all of Rolla, Adrian Reneau and son, Ronnie, of Wellington, Rev. Newcomb, Misses Elberine and Jeauton Orr, honoree and hosts.

Excelsior Club Meets With Miss Atchley

Miss Minnie Atchley entertained members of the Excelsior Club at the home of Mrs. J. B. Castleberry Thursday, March 7. Miss Effie Lee Richards gave an interesting talk on "A Tour Through Germany."

Bouquets of yellow buttercups used as decorations, and St. Patrick's decorations were used to adorn the refreshments.

Those present were: Mesdames J. M. Dickson, Cecil Leggitt, Lee Lehmberg, J. Frank Johnson, Melvin Howe and guests, Mrs. Ida Belle Williams, Mrs. J. P. Mannin and Misses Richards, Mildred Hulsey, Lora Mae McFarland, Inez Leach, Ernestine Neal, a guest and the hostess, Miss Atchley.

Mrs. C. Lowery Is Given Shower By T. E. L. Class

The T. E. L. Sunday School Class met in the basement of the Baptist Church Wednesday, March 6, for an all day meeting. Each guest brought a covered dish, and the day was spent in quilting a quilt for Mrs. C. E. Williams. In the afternoon a business meeting was held with the class president, Mrs. N. W. Murray, in charge. Mrs. John McClure gave the devotional, followed with a prayer by Mrs. S. R. Davis. After the meeting a handkerchief shower was given Mrs. Lowery, who is leaving to make her home in Hereford.

Those attending were: Mesdames R. S. Montague, Chester Lowery, W. D. Worley, D. T. Austin, J. B. Sasser, McClure, T. T. Fain, J. A. Lowe, Davis, J. J. White, Murray, B. F. Ford, J. C. Dean, Miss Jen Word, and a visitor, Mrs. Clinton Epps and baby.

Girls' Service Club Gives Program For School Assembly

The Girls' Service Club had charge of the High School Assembly program Wednesday, March 6. Thelma Fisher was leader of the program. "Texas, Our Texas," and "The Eyes of Texas" were two songs given by the club. Mrs. Frank Anderson, Miss Lora Mae McFarland and the glee club accompanied the group.

"Independence Day" was given by Doris Sullivan. "The Alamo" was given by Marianna Shields, and Helen Kelly read a poem. "Home on the Range" and "South of the Border" were sung by Angie and Wanda Garvin. S. R. Pinkston gave a talk on "Indians of This County." Singing of the school song closed the program.

Eleventh Birthday Is Celebrated By V. Vandiver

Mrs. B. A. Vandiver entertained her little daughter, Vivian Vandiver, on her eleventh birthday Monday, March 4, with a party. The honoree was presented with many lovely gifts from her many friends. Games were played throughout the afternoon.

Refreshments were served to: Zorene Oldham, Tim Hatch, Ardis Kern, Peggy Scarberry, Ruby Lorene Lucas, Billy Joe Keller, Teddy Joe James, Junior Vaughn, Dana Earl Larsen, Barbara Brickey, Faith Wood, Billy Jean Tenison, Edith Lindsey, Vida Lois Williams, Lyal Williams, Hattie Mae Kersten, the honoree, Vivian Vandiver, and the hostess, Mrs. Vandiver.

Miss Corene Emmert Weds Floyd Jackson Sunday, March 10

Former Resident Marries At Wheeler

A wedding of interest to many Wellington people was that of Mrs. Lorene Leigh of Wheeler to Bill Perrin of Wheeler. The wedding was solemnized Sunday, March 3, by the Baptist pastor in the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. Perrin, a former resident of Wellington, is a brother of Mrs. Bruce Hite. He is now Deputy Tax Assessor and Collector of Wheeler County.

The bride wore a blue dress with dusty rose accessories. Her flowers were pink.

The bride's sister served as bridesmaid and Cecil Perrin served as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hite of Wellington were guests at the wedding and dinner which was served buffet style to a number of friends and relatives.

W. M. U. Circles Meet In Langford, Kern Homes

Monday afternoon, March 11, members of the Women's Missionary Union Circles 3 and 4 met at the home of Mrs. Harley Kern and Mrs. Frank Langford.

At Circle 3 in the Kern home Mrs. J. L. Hays was in charge of the business meeting. She also gave the program taken from the book, "Things We Should Know."

The members are making up a supply of eggs to send to Buckner's Orphan Home and asked all people who can donate to the cause to see Mrs. Harley Kern, Benevolence Chairman.

Those present at the Kern home were Mesdames Fred Dorsey, Ed Box, A. B. Cooper, J. L. Hays, G. B. Hite, T. T. Fain, Chester Hufstedler, Fred Kersten, and hostess.

Circle No. 4 in the home of Mrs. Langford was led by Mrs. J. P. Neal who talked on "Trail Makers in Other Lands." Mrs. John McClure led the devotional and Mrs. Leonard Karnes the opening prayer.

Those present were Mesdames J. A. Lowe, John McClure, J. P. Neal, W. E. Hall, J. O. Short, John Dix, Loyd Holloway, L. Karnes, J. W. Stall, T. W. Dickens, Robert Mills, Langford, Betty Karnes and Glenda Mills.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Browder of Durant, Okla., are visiting with Mrs. Browder's mother, Mrs. H. S. Cook, of Samnorwood.

Mrs. Melvin Bryant and daughter, Ludene, and Mrs. B. M. Boland and daughter, Dortha Nell, of Shamrock were visitors in Wellington Friday.

Eugene Worley, state representative from this district, and Lewis Goodrich of Shamrock were in Wellington Friday.

Miss Louise Britt, who lives on a ranch near Wheeler, was a week end guest of Miss Edna Joyce Gribble.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Thompson and Miss Lucille Jackson of Ardmore, Okla., were guests here over the week end. Dr. and Mrs. Thompson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gallagher, while Miss Jackson was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Jackson.

Mrs. E. W. Jones left Monday for Dallas where she will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Broyles. Tuesday Mrs. Jones, accompanied by Mrs. Broyles, will leave for Natchez, Miss., where she will make the annual garden pilgrimage.

Mrs. J. D. Denney of Chico visited here the first of the week with friends.

Oscar Glasgow of Arlington was here the first of last week visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Corene Emmert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Emmert, and Floyd Jackson of Mesa, Arizona, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Jackson of Mesa, were married in Wellington Sunday, March 10, at 9:30 o'clock. The Rev. J. E. Kirby read the vows at the Methodist parsonage in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Auburn Keller and Thurman Emmert.

The bride was very attractive in a dress of powder blue with navy accessories. She received her education in the Cross Roads and Cottonwood schools of this county.

The groom and his parents are former residents of this county. They have made their home in Mesa, Arizona, since the first of this year. The groom received his education in the Cross Roads school and Wellington High School. He is now engaged in farming, livestock and poultry raising.

After a week's visit in this section they will make their home in Mesa, Arizona. They will return through Amarillo, Albuquerque, Flagstaff and the lower Grand Canyon.

Mrs. J. H. Simpson Entertains Club At All-Day Meeting

Members of the Help Each Other Club met with Mrs. J. H. Simpson on Tuesday, March 5, for an all-day meeting. Each guest brought a covered dish for luncheon which was served buffet style to more than twenty members and guests.

During the day the ladies quilted two quilts.

Those present were Mrs. Bill Smith and Tanya, Mrs. Lee Campbell, Mrs. Virrel Roberts, Nita and Leta Merl, Mrs. R. L. Simpson and Nellie Jo, Mrs. Otto Buerger, Mrs. C. E. Roberts, Leta, Mrs. Robert Karnes, Vara Simpson, Mrs. W. D. Forbes, Mrs. Tom Campbell, Messrs. C. E. Roberts, J. H. Simpson, Robert and J. C. Simpson, Delbert Lee and the hostess, Mrs. J. H. Simpson.

Week Of Prayer Observed By Lillie W.M.S.

The Lillie Women's Missionary Society observed the "Annie Armstrong Week-of-Prayer" Thursday, March 7. Topics assigned for each day of the week were discussed by different members of the organization.

Opening song, "How Firm a Foundation," was followed by a prayer led by Mrs. L. D. McMinn. Monday's topic, "Our Concern for the Foreigners in our Midst," was given by Mrs. J. W. Carreker; Tuesday's subject, "Our Concern for the City," was discussed by Mrs. Malcolm Horton; "Lost Sheep, Lost Coin, Lost Son" was the title of the discussion given by Mrs. T. C. Cass in observance of Wednesday; Thursday's program topic was given by Mrs. A. V. Jones.

Those present were Mesdames A. V. Jones, T. C. Cass, D. Burkhalter, Fred Bell, Tom Harwell, L. D. McMinn, G. D. Thomas, T. G. Horton, Ernest Maxwell, Malcolm Horton, J. W. Carreker, and Miss Viola Fike.

Mrs. W. M. Durfey Hostess To Loco H. D. Club

The Loco Home Demonstration tion Club met March 6, in the home of Mrs. W. M. Durfey where Miss Reba Curtis, Demonstration Agent of Childress County, gave a demonstration on dressing up worn and soiled living room furniture, by making removable slip covers for upholstered chairs.

During the business meeting the members voted to have a pie supper Friday evening, March 22, for the benefit of the club. The entire public is invited to come.

Mrs. S. W. Elberts, former member, was a guest at this meeting.

Those present were Mesdames T. H. Rainer, A. Gibson, Earl Alexander, A. Belew, Herman Belew, Fannie Belew, R. E. Foster, O. Daughtry, W. D. Durfey, Miss Curtis and hostess.

Reporter, Mrs. W. M. Durfey.

Shamrock's Saint Patrick Day To Draw Thousands

5-Mile Parade, 25 Bands And Program Arranged For 3rd Annual Event

SHAMROCK.—As ancient as the old saw, "Big Oaks from Little Acorns Grow," may be, it still may be used as a most fitting reference to the Annual Saint Patrick's Day Celebration in Shamrock.

From a mere idea, a "brainchild" of Glen A. Truax, director of the Shamrock' Irish Band, due to the "Irishness" of her name, should celebrate March 18, in memory of the sacred saints of Ireland and in honoring the Irish, the show has grown beyond the highest expectations of all.

Becomes Success

The festival, in its first year, 1938, exceeded the wildest dreams of its originators and with its initial appearance became the biggest fete in the history of the city. In its second year, it jumped to the height of popularity and became known throughout this section as THE day to "eat drink and make merry."

Upon creation of the idea of a St. Patrick's celebration, the Irish band director, presented the jewel to the Boosters Club, a local civic organization, and the idea met with such favor that the club immediately voted to sponsor the celebration. Sol Blonstein was elected as first chairman of the fete and was followed by E. K. Caperton who was in charge of arrangements the second year. The Boosters Club literally forced the genial Caperton to again reign in 1940.

30,000 Attend

In its initial launching, the celebration drew a crowd conservatively estimated at 20,000 people, and in its second year 30,000 enthusiastic spectators crowded the streets of the city to help Shamrock celebrate in her unique way. This year, the third for the festival, anything is expected—the sky the limit—when Shamrock celebrates, the world, it seems, celebrates with her.

Shamrock Irish

All Shamrock Irishmen, like Bedford Harrison, above, are carefully grooming Donegal beards in preparation for the annual St. Patrick's Day celebration, to be held in that city Monday, March 18. Harrison formerly lived in Wellington.

Gigantic parade, five miles in length, which takes 60 minutes in passing is composed of handsome floats upon which ride beautiful "colleens" who have been chosen to represent various towns and communities. Typical Irish wit and humor are spaced intermittently throughout the procession, affording the comedy relief that would necessarily go with a celebration of this sort. A popular part of the parade is the members of the Donegal Club, gallantly marching in their green coats and top hats with faces fringed with whiskers trimmed in the typical "grinny-gow" style so popular in the "ould" country.

Bands Take Part

Thirty-five bands and orchestras from as many towns lend a musical and colorful background to the parade features, as the youthful musicians march along in step with their snappy renditions. The internationally famous Altus high school band and drum and bugle corps led the 1939 parade and other headline musical organizations present included the famed Girls Kiltie band of Oklahoma City, West Texas State College band of Canyon and the Wah-Wahtaysee drum and bugle corps of McMurry College, Abilene.

An afternoon feature of last year's celebration is the massed band concert and marchiesta held at the football stadium. At this program, which proved to be one of the most popular attractions, 1,500 young musicians performed with individual groups playing and marching stunts.

Yes, begorra, from sun-up on March 18, until the wee hours of the next morning, the's "jiggin" in Shamrock as her 4,000 citizens and five to eight times as many visitors are a wearin' o' the green.

Weeks before time for this year's fete, Caperton chose his committee to take charge of the various phases of the organization. Committeemen have been at work for days, shaping up the many plans and steadily bring together the hundreds of details to be looked after in order to make the celebration a success.

HOUSELOG

By VARA SIMPSON

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith visited in Childress Wednesday.

Quite a few from this community attended the singing at Samnorwood Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Virrel Roberts visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Karnes and family.

Keith Smith visited over the week end in Fort Worth. He visited the Fat Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roberts, Leta and Odis Roberts and Vara Simpson visited in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berry and children, Benton and Betty Margreta, visited the Fat Stock Show in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Simpson visited Mrs. M. C. Pigg Wednesday evening.

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BY VIRTUE of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Dallas County, on the 9th day of February 1940, by W. L. Sterrett, Justice of the Peace of said Precinct, Dallas, County, Texas, against W. W. Henderson and Bob Keller for the sum of One Hundred Sixty-Seven and 43-100 ($167.43) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 55512 in said Court, styled Floyd West & Company, a firm composed of Floyd West, Frank H. Duff and J. A. Travis versus W. W. Henderson and Bob Keller and placed in my hands for service, I, C. E. McKinney as Sheriff of Collingsworth County, Texas, did, on the 13th day of February, 1940, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Collingsworth County, described as follows, to-wit:

All of Lots Nos. Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16) and South half Lot 17 in Block No. One Hundred Sixty-Seven (167) in the original town of Wellington, Collingsworth County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said W. W. Henderson and on Tuesday, the 2nd day of April 1940, at the Court House door of Collingsworth County, in the town of Wellington, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. W. Henderson by virtue of said levy and said execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Wellington Leader, a newspaper published in Collingsworth County.

Witness my hand, this 4th day of March A. D. 1940.

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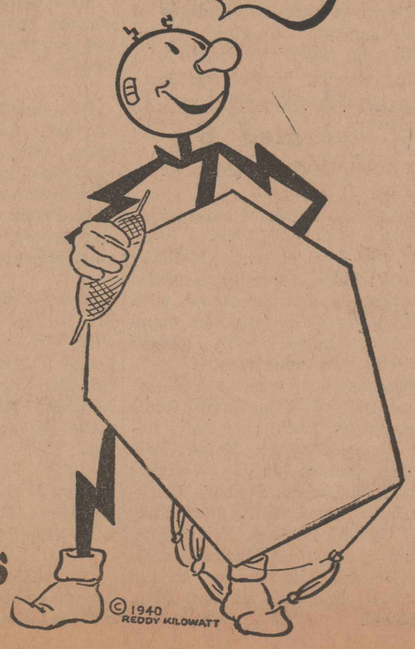

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Quail Host To Three Tourneys During Week End

Shamrock All-Stars Defeat Quails To Win Independent Tourney

By B. O. CURRIN

Quail High School was host to three tournament during recent weeks. Wellington was winner in Junior High School division of boys, beating Quail 18 to 8, and Samnorwood won in Junior High School girls' division, by a score of 11 to 8. In Ward School division Samnorwood boys beat Quail 22 to 8 and Samnorwood girls beat Quail girls 10 to 7.

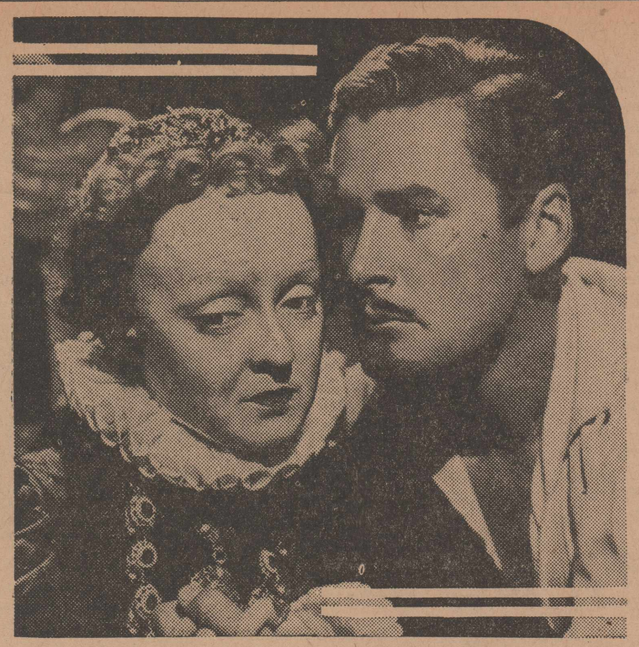
The rural schools had their tournament at Quail on Friday afternoon. The Cross Roads girls won, 12 to 11 in a very thrilling final game with Swearingen. Both teams showed team play, and skill in ball handling. The Swearingen boys defeated the Cottonwood boys in the final game to win by a score of 20 to 12. The small Cottonwood lads showed their colors and played a very good brand of ball. Although they were far behind in the latter part of the game they kept hustling to the final gong. These two tournaments were part of the Interscholastic League competition.

The independent tourney was won on Saturday night by Shamrock, a Donegal whiskered bunch of former college stars. John Walker, Forest Kline, Scott McCall, Francis Smith, Loyd Moss, and L. Burkhalter composed the team. They beat the Quail High School boys 41 to 34.

John Walker was chosen as best sport. Lefty Nippert of Kirkland was selected as best player and Glyndon Riley also of Kirkland as the hardest worker of the tourney.

Miss Vera Moreland, editor and owner of the Hominy (Okla.) News, is also postmaster of the town.

Star Crossed Lovers



"I trust no man—particularly the one I love," which gives you just a glimpse into "The Private Lives of Elizabeth And Essex," starring Bette Davis and Errol Flynn in their new Technicolor co-starring film opening Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre. The supporting cast is headed by such players as Olivia de Havilland, Allan Hale and Donald Crisp.

Miss Billie Voca Brickey, who is attending Baylor University at Waco, was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Reda Brickey, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clay, during the spring holidays. Miss Brickey had as a guest here a college friend, Miss Louise Dishman, of Bryan. The girls were here from Saturday until Wednesday.

American banks have approximately 4,000 women trust officers.

Dairy Students At Tech To Visit 14 Cities Over State

LUBBOCK. — Forrest Baumgardner, senior student in agriculture at Texas Technological college, will accompany the group of dairy manufacturing students who leave Tech campus March 20 for the ninth annual field trip to twelve Texas cities. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baumgardner of Wellington.

Visits will be made to market milk, ice cream, cheese, butter, powdered milk and condensed milk plants and to the federal, state and municipal food inspection laboratories in the cities visited.

Accompanying the group of fourteen students are Head Professor K. M. Renner and Assistant Professor M. G. Pederson of the Department of Dairy Manufactures.

Cities included in the itinerary are Fort Worth, March 19; Dallas, March 20; Denison, March 21; Sherman, March 21; Sulphur Springs, March 22; Longview, March 22; Houston, March 23-24; Corpus Christi, March 25; Kingsville, March 26; Harlingen, March 27; Weslaco, March 28; and San Antonio, March 29-30.

Fanciful Hen Lays Egg With A Tail For Wellingtonite

Already hens of the county have gone capricious. This time it's an egg with a tail.

The oddity was brought to the Wellington Leader office by J. C. Craven Thursday, March 7. The tail extended from one end of the egg, and was approximately three-fourths of an inch in length.

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Girl Scouts Hike, And Study Trail Marking Friday

A hike, a supper eaten out of doors, and learning to make and follow trail signs and to make fires was included in the evening of fun for Wellington Girl Scouts Friday evening, March 8.

Meeting at the Methodist Church, the group hiked to the John Harper farm north of Wellington. In addition, a short business meeting was held.

Sponsoring the group were Mrs. Ben Hurst and Mrs. B. L. Akers.

Girls going on the hike were Pollyanna O'Neil, Pearl Ball, Dorothy Jane Riggs, Sylvia Cross, Eula Lee Powell, Peggy Ruth Ream, Helen Langford, Faye Moore, Carra Beth Ball, Laverne McKinney, Doris McKinney, Merkie Kersten, Helen Kersten, Doris Lamkin, Doris Akers, Marian Akers, Adell Kern, Ardis Kern, and the sponsors, Mrs. Akers and Mrs. Kern.

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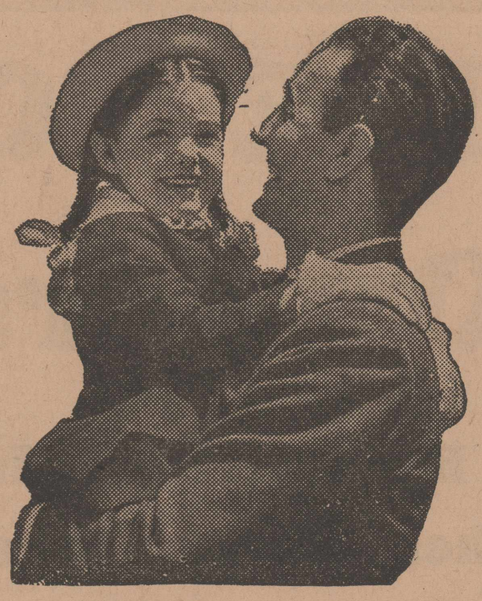

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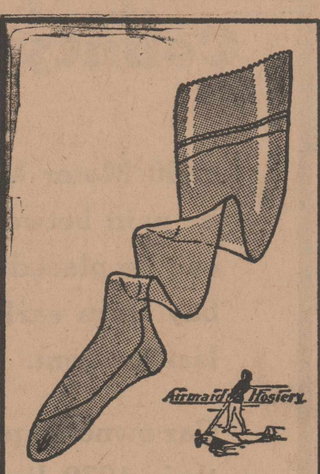

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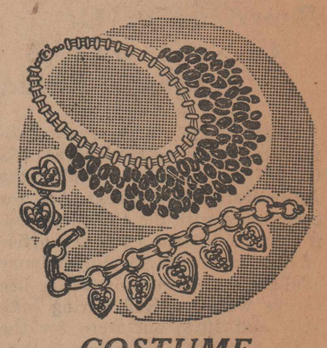

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Funeral Service For G. W. Johnson Conducted Sun.

Deaths Of Local Couple 7 Weeks Apart; First In Family In 60 Years

George Washington Johnson, 80-year-old Wellington man, died at his home here Saturday evening, March 9. Mr. Johnson had been ill of a heart condition for most of the time during the last six weeks.

His death came just seven weeks after that of his wife, who died January 20. The couple had been married 60 years, and Mrs. Johnson's death was the first in the family during the entire time.

Funeral rites for Mr. Johnson were held Sunday afternoon, from the First Christian Church. Rev. J. Edmund Kirby, pastor of the Methodist Church, was in charge, assisted by Rev. Rawlins Cherryhomes, pastor of the Christian Church.

Pall bearers for the service were Ed Morgan, J. T. Edwards, Bill Hall, W. A. Colson, Lee Scarberry, and Earl Tompkins. Flower bearers were Miss Lena Ball, Mrs. Ed Morgan, Mrs. Earl Smith, and Miss Pearl Ball. Songs were "Amazing Grace," and "In the Sweet Bye and Bye." Interment was in the Wellington Cemetery, with the Ellis Funeral Home in charge.

A native of Lee County, Miss., Mr. Johnson was born February 24, 1860, and at the time of his death he was 80 years and 15 days of age. He was the son of William and Martha Gambrell Johnson, both natives of Mississippi.

While still a young man, he came to Texas, and on January 23, 1880, he was married to Miss Sarah Thompson, of Milam County. The couple lived in this vicinity for a number of years. In 1898, they moved to Foard County, where they made their home for two years, when they moved to Duke, Okla. After five and one-half years, they moved to Collingsworth County, where they spent the remaining 34 years of their life.

Mr. Johnson engaged in farming for many years.

During the time he had lived in Wellington, Mr. Johnson had made many friends, who loved and respected him for his strength of character and high ideals. Despite his age Mr. Johnson still took an active interest in what was going on around him, and in community affairs in general.

Surviving Mr. Johnson are three children, Mrs. O. T. Clement of Duke, Okla., Rodnie Johnson and Floyd Johnson of Wellington, nine grandchildren, and two great grandchildren.

Beneficiaries Of 1937 Triple A Program Listed

Approximately 2,500 Texas individuals and concerns shared $5,667,334 in payments under the Agricultural Adjustment Act for compliance with the 1937 program, it was announced from the office of Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace, late last week. The checks were received during both 1937 and 1938, but were for the 1937 program, according to the Associated Press.

Released were the names of those co-operators who received more than $1,000 in payments, and only those whose names began with the first few letters of the alphabet have been received here.

Largest check in the state went to the King Ranch in South Texas, for 112,140. Nearly 500 Texans received payments of $2,500 or more.

Collingsworth County co-operators included in the list released to date are the late Walter Campbell, $2,781; Guy Beasley, $1,544; W. E. Brashears, $1,186; Otto Buerger, $1,142; Tom Campbell, $1,286.

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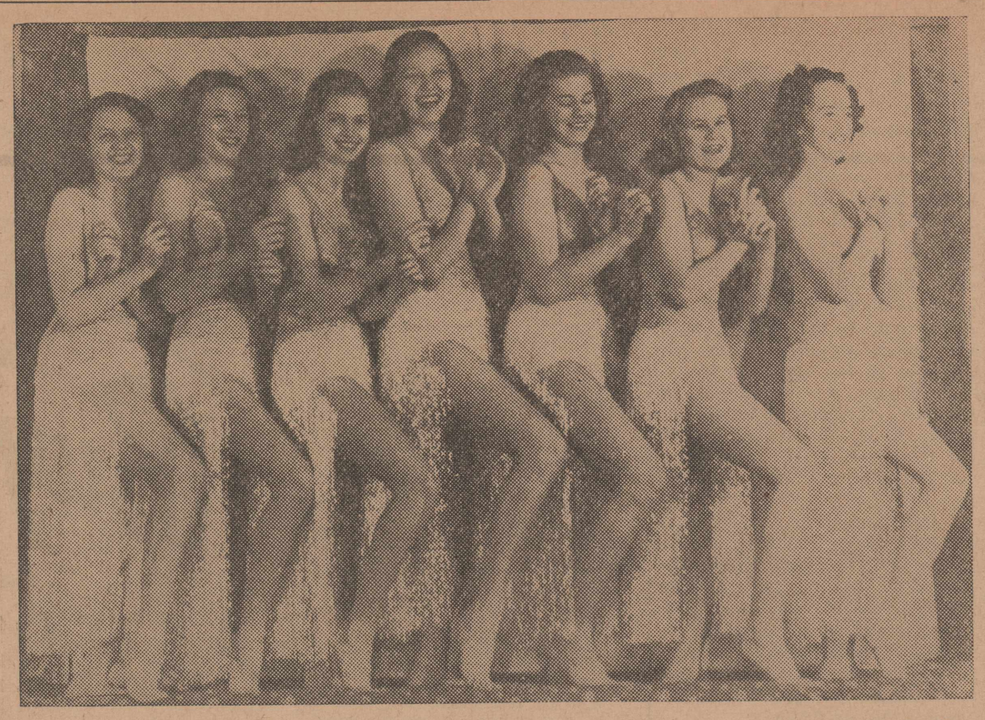

Hipping the Hula—seven scintillating, swinging, singing and scorch-torchers of Panhandle Pep, that galaxy of girls, gags, giggles and gorgeously glorified scenes such as this to be presented on the stage in Amarillo April 17 as part of the entertainment for Amarillo Industrial Open House Week. These sirens of the South Seas are Vivian Earsom, La Nell Ekelund, Dixie Hedgecoke, Ernestine Mercer, Jane Dice, Eileen Smith and Marilyn Cornelius.

FRESNO
By MRS. EARL REYNOLDS

Rev. J. D. Farrell preached both services Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glaze were called to the home of their daughter, Mrs. Robert Lawrence, who underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Lowrie and family spent Sunday with their daughter at Kirkland.

Rev. J. D. Farrell and Mrs. Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Morrow and Miss Nola Belle Harris were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clement. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Morrow and Miss Harris attended the singing at Samnorwood.

Harold Morrow spent Sunday in the home of T. C. Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Clement visited his mother, Mrs. Travis Clement, who is now in a Wellington hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wells of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wells of Chaulk visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hicks were Sunday guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Brown, of near Shamrock.

Mesdames J. L. Black, Marvin Clubb and R. H. Crane were in Childress Thursday shopping.

Mrs. Roy Scott and daughter, Miss Minnie Bell, visited Friday with Mrs. T. W. Kesler, who is convalescing. They also visited with Miss Lucy Kesler.

H. M. Clubb and R. H. Crane were in Childress Thursday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Roberts visited Sunday with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Roberts.

J. D. Shanks of Cottonwood spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reynolds.

Rev. J. D. Farrell and family of Plainview spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clubb.

Mrs. L. T. Sullivan and Luther were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Ketchum and Mrs. George Ketchum.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis are visiting in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clubb visited in Dodson Sunday with Mrs. Clubb's mother, Mrs. Alice Trimble.

Mrs. Earl Reynolds and son, Frank, visited with J. F. Gibson and other relatives in Loco Sunday evening.

Miss Burnis Hicks was a guest Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. R. Brown, of near Shamrock.

NOTICE TO Car Owners

Cars Must Be Registered In County Where Owner Lives

1940 Motor Vehicle Licenses are now due and must be paid between now and April 1st. License plates can be placed on your cars now, and we urge you to buy them early in order to avoid such a rush at the last moment.

Car owners applying for 1940 license plates, must have their 1939 license number, or bring receipt for 1939 license.

Car owners driving motor vehicles with out-of-county license for 1939, MUST present 1939 car license receipts.

Money for all Car and Truck registrations remains in Collingsworth County

Howard S. Riggs
TAX ASSESSOR & COLLECTOR

Shinnery Group Gives Program In Wellington Church

Young people from the Shinnery community were in charge of a program given at the Wellington Missionary Baptist Church Sunday evening, March 10.

The program was opened with a special song by Audie Hively, Noma Lee Hively, Helen Adkins and Ellen Adkins. Bible readings were given by Noma Lee Hively, followed by a prayer by the Rev. Barnes, and a program discussion by Audie Hively. Others taking part on the program were Lavon Hively, Birtie Keesee, Dorothy Jo Hughey, Reda Jane Hughey, Valarie White, Junior Hughey. A vocal solo was given by Don Lacy, and a duet by Valarie and Jereline White. A piano solo was rendered by Peggy Jean Yarbrough.

Rebekah Members To Attend State Meeting At Waco

A large group of members of the Rebekah Lodge in Wellington made plans this week to leave Saturday, March 16, to attend the annual meeting of the Order in Waco. Mrs. B. A. Vandiver is delegate from this lodge, and Mrs. S. F. Hughes is alternate.

Members of the lodge met Monday evening, March 11, for a regular session. During the meeting Mrs. Dora Ryan was presented with a friendship quilt.

All members who do not go to Waco were urged to attend the regular meeting Monday evening, March 18.

A new vacuum tube recently perfected multiplies electric current 1,000,000 times in one-millionth of a second.

Faces Extradition

William Dudley Pelley, Silver Shirt leader who figured in the Hook-Dies forged letter controversy recently, comes back into the news as Washington officials hold a hearing on his extradition to North Carolina. He is wanted in the southern state on charges of parole violation.

Safety And Health Shows Presented For Loco Students

Thursday afternoon, March 7, students of the Loco School were entertained by a Red Cross Safety Show.

On the preceding Wednesday, dents of the Arlie and Olympus schools visited at Loco, and all the pupils saw a dental health puppet show, which is being sponsored in the various schools by the State Health Department.

Army Enlistments Include Local Man In Field Artillery

Among recent enlistments through the Amarillo Recruiting Office was William L. Dale of Wellington, who was enlisted for service in the Field Artillery, Hawaii.

ELLA
By MRS. CASEY JONES

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore of Texola spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Joe Moore, and children.

Ella preesnted a play, "Wild Ginger," at Texola Thursday night. It was attended by a large crowd from Texola, Ella and Wellington. Those from Wellington who furnished music were William Reneau, Thad Trent and Wister Harrison.

Most everyone has been plowing or getting ready to begin. Some have put out gardens.

Toots Aldridge has been gone the past week helping Ike Emmert move some cows to Oklahoma.

Miss Jewel Harrison was on the sick list this week.

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Clothing Studied By Boys Home Ec On Field Trip

Dodson Group Aid Smaller Children In Forming Good Posture Habits

The Boys Homemaking class of Dodson High School, accompanied by their teacher, Miss Helen White, made a field trip March 6, to Dodson Mercantile. The purpose of the trip was to make a study of color combinations in boys' clothing. Some interesting color combinations were worked out by each boy, using shirts, ties, suits, etc. This trip was a culmination of a unit on color that the boys have been studying.

The same day a party was given by the class for some of the grade pupils whom they have been helping improve their pasture. This project originated through the study of a Personal Grooming unit. The boys decided they could each improve their own posture by constant practice, but felt as if they needed to help the smaller children in the grades who especially needed to form good posture habits.

After a study of all the grades, children from the first, second and third grades were selected as those who needed help. For three weeks the children have been coming into the class for about fifteen minutes each day, and the boys have taught them how to sit, stand and walk correctly. There has been some rapid improvement and the class feels that their time has been well spent for they have not only helped the children but have helped themselves in that they learned much in being able to make friends with small children.

The Boys' Homemaking Class consists of the following: Hansell Carter, Bobby Copeland, Manson Cornelius, Medford Crowder, Wayne Darnell, Wallace Dawson, L. E. Ford, W. F. Hays, Bynum Hightower, Robert Hunt, Wayne Jones, John Lowrie, Frank Reynolds, Odell Roddy and Phillip Wynn.

LOCO
By EDITH COPELAND

Miss Bessie Lee Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith left early Friday morning for the teachers meeting at Canyon.

Carrol Ray left Friday for Fort Worth. He drove the bus that carried the F.F.A. boys to the Fat Livestock Show in Fort Worth.

The Methodist Epworth League's young people met in Wellington Monday for their district meeting. Mildred Ray, Charlzie Marie Gibson, Medford Crowder and Mrs. John Crowder attended from the Loco church.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Minter of Wellington spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Minter.

Edna Wheeler and her mother and father from McLean visited Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Chaudoin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Woods entertained about 25 young people in their home Tuesday night. Music and games were enjoyed by all those present.

Wayne Darnell, a junior in Dodson High School, was in the hospital last week. He is reported much better.

Little Lance Brewer has been ill for the last week and it was thought at first that he had pneumonia.

Mrs. Joe Locke of Amarillo visited her father, J. F. Gibson, last Tuesday.

Lona Kate Fletcher is visiting her father and mother this week.

Mrs. R. E. Foster and Mrs. Carrol Ray visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gibson Monday.

Dennis Holland of Dodson visited his cousin, J. D. McClendon, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Darnell, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hagerman and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adkins visited Ruth Brown Sunday. Ruth is recovering from her tonsil operation.

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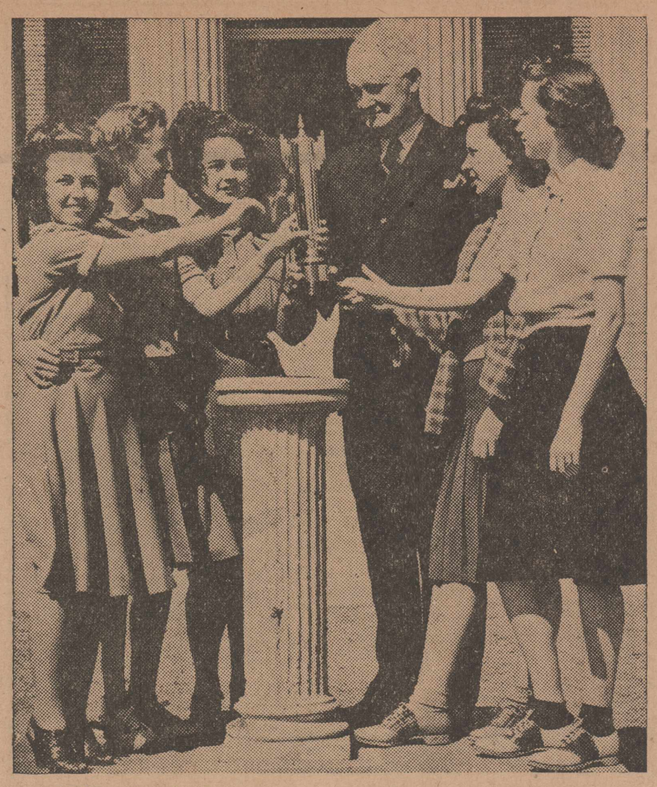

S.M.U. Co-eds Virginia Holland, Athens; Christine Finney, Nacogdoches; Jenny Lee Sloan, Breckenridge; Elsie Stumburg and Jo Lou Barnett, San Angelo, admiring the beautiful trophy cup held by J. E. McDonald, State Commissioner of Agriculture. The cup will be presented by Commissioner McDonald to the most winsome colleen selected at Shamrock's Annual St. Patrick's Day celebration Monday, March 18.

Governor Leon Phillips of Oklahoma, Mr. McDonald and Bascom Giles head the list of distinguished visitors who, with other Texas dignitaries and 40,000 expected guests, will witness in the morning a 7-mile long parade with 55 beautifully decorated floats and more than thirty-five Texas and Oklahoma Bands. In the afternoon the crowning of the most beautiful colleen and presentation of the trophy cup by Commissioner McDonald will highlight a full day of breathtaking activity. Monday, March 18, Shamrock citizens are expecting the largest crowd ever to visit their city.

Wellington Family To Farm Irrigated Tract At Hereford

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lowry of Wellington left Monday for Hereford, where they will make their home during the coming year. Accompanying them were their children, Earl, Louise, and Robert Lowry, Mrs. Robert Lowry and their daughter.

Mr. Lowry and his sons will farm an irrigated tract of land. Mr. Lowry has been at the place during recent weeks helping build a new house.

The family has lived in this county since 1913. Until three years ago they farmed here but since that time Mr. Lowry has been employed at the Warrick Feed Mill.

Olivia Templeton Is On Honor Roll Of College For Women

DENTON.—Miss Olivia Templeton has been placed on the Dean's Honor Roll at Texas State College for Women for high scholastic standing in her work last semester. Announced this week, only the top ranking eight per cent of the student body qualified for the honor.

Daughter of Mrs. Cleo Templeton, Miss Templeton is a senior majoring in home economics education.

Girls achieving this above-average scholastic rating were presented at "Honors Day" here this week, when Associate Dean Jessie H. Humphries spoke at the college assembly.

SHINNERY
By NOMA LEE HIVELY

People of this community enjoyed the pretty weather after so much snow and sand during recent weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Manney, teachers of the Shinnery School, made a business trip to Hollis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hively and family attended the pie supper at Needwood last week.

R. L. Porter, J. K. Porter, Polly Blandford, Edward Tice and Dutch Preston, all of Wellington, were visitors in the community last Sunday.

Miss Birtie Keesee visited with Valarie White Sunday.

The box supper sponsored by the Shinnery School and Girls 4-H Club was a success. Proceeds amounted to $62.43. Among the people from Wellington attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Owens, Claude McKinney, Presley Ashton, J. K. Porter, R. L. Porter, C. L. Blandford, Jason Young and daughters, Katie and Arline, of Lutie, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Powell of Madge. We appreciate all the help given us by the business firms.

The Shinnery B.Y.P.U. and singers presented a program at the Missionary Baptist Church in Wellington Sunday, March 11. Rev. R. L. Porter is pastor of the church.

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COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:

That, WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 48th District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, by the clerk of said court on the 5th day of February, 1940, in that certain suit styled Federal Life Insurance Company, a corporation, vs. A. J. Fires, et al, numbered 26934-A on the docket of said court, wherein Federal Life Insurance Company, a corporation, is plaintiff, and A. J. Fires, Bank Liquidation Trust, a trust estate composed of U. M. Simon, Louis Cohn, Jake Lusky and R. Fuller, and W. R. Orr are defendants, (the said A. J. Fires having disclaimed any right, title or interest in and to the property hereunder described), which said order of sale was issued pursuant to a judgment rendered by said court on the 16th day of January, 1940, in favor of the said Federal Life Insurance Company, a corporation, establishing its debt in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY-SEVEN and 50-100 DOLLARS ($5857.50), plus interest thereon from January 1, 1937, at the rate of ten (10) per cent per annum, and the further sum of FIVE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE and 75-100 DOLLARS ($585.75) as attorneys fees, and the further sum of FIFTEEN and 55-100 ($15.55) costs of court, and also decreeing foreclosure of a first, prior and superior lien upon said land in favor of said plaintiff Federal Life Insurance Company, a corporation, as against all the defendants in said case, as hereinabove named:

I did on the 5th day of February A. D. 1940, levy upon the land hereinafter described, and upon all of the interest in said land at any time owned or held by any of said defendants, as of December 28, 1926, or at any time thereafter, which said real estate is situated in Collingsworth County, Texas, and is described as follows:

All of the South one-half (S½) and the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Number twenty-five (25), Block 12, of the H & GN Ry Co Survey;

And on the first Tuesday in April A. D. 1940, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the courthouse door of Collingsworth County, Texas, in the town of Wellington, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m., and four o'clock p. m., I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, all of the right, title and interest of said defendants in and to the above described real estate.

Witness my hand this the 5th day of March, A. D. 1940.

C. E. McKINNEY,
Sheriff, Collingsworth
County, Texas. 34-4-c

Wellington, Texas
March 6, 1940

TO ALL PERSONS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The undersigned being named as Executor in the last will and testament of H. S. Cook, deceased, advises any and all persons that any charge accounts against the estate must first be presented to and approved by such named executor as is provided by law; otherwise such accounts can not be honored as a valid claim against such estate.

C. M. BROWDER,
Executor of the Last Will
of H. S. Cook, deceased.
34-2-c

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A BROADER FIELD FOR READERS

Reading of one sort or another is an important part of our recreational life in this section. In spite of an unusually complete county library, and a number of individuals who loan their books to friends, there is a great deal of interest and curiosity in specific fields going unsatisfied for lack of available information.

Few of the general reading public are aware that any Texan may borrow a book from the 620,000 volume University of Texas library at Austin—if he'll ask for it. Donald Coney, librarian, recently reminded readers of the state of this fact, adding that during the last year 638 volumes were loaned to individuals who put up a deposit to cover possible loss and paid express charges on the books.

That the local library cannot furnish books on all subjects desired is no reflection upon itself, for by the very fact that it is a tax-supported institution, it must buy the books which are greatest in demand by those who patronize it.

The service from the University offers all people of the state access to the South's largest library—just for the small cost of a deposit on the book and the express charges. But more important it offers is the invaluable opportunity of adding to our lives pleasurable hours, and knowledge and information that will last through the coming years.

GIRL SCOUT WEEK

Girl Scouts throughout the nation this week are observing Girl Scout Week, in commemoration of the founding of that organization. From a group of less than a dozen girls, organized in Atlanta, Georgia, in 1912, this work has grown into a nation-wide organization, exerting a deep influence upon the girls whom it touches.

Girl Scouting in Wellington has faced a hard road, but at present there is a fine troop of girls organized under the direction of capable leaders.

Scouting offers these girls more than a few hours of social gathering. It is teaching them a respect for what we so often term "finer things of life." It is teaching them a love for out-of-doors. But it is teaching them practical things, too—habits and skills important now and in the future.

Girl Scouting needs the support of Wellington not only during Girl Scout Week, but throughout all the other weeks of the year.

THE NATION'S CAPITAL

Among the troublesome questions which confronted Congress in the early days of the Republic was that of selecting a permanent seat of government. Between 1774 and 1778 the old Continental Congress held sessions at various times in no less than eight different towns.

These were Philadelphia, Baltimore, Lancaster, Pa.; York, Pa.; Princeton, N. J.; Annapolis, Md.; Trenton, N. J., and New York. This continual moving about of the seat of government caused Francis Hopkinson, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, to facetiously suggest that the capital be placed on wheels, so that it might be moved readily from place to place as desired.

When the new government under the present constitution was formed in 1789, the seat of government was temporarily located in New York, but was removed to Philadelphia the following year. After much discussion the present site was selected and the cornerstone of the capitol was laid by President Washington on Sept. 18, 1793, with Masonic ceremonies.

The government was removed to Washington in 1800, during the administration of President Adams. Of the condition of the place at that time a writer says: "The new city's streets and parks existed on paper only. New arrivals saw gangs of laborers making the first improvements since the clearing away of the forest trees on what has become the most famous street in the country, the broad stretch of Pennslyvania Avenue."

MOTHER OF MONARCHS

When in 1764 Letitia Romolino, a rather obscure Corsican girl, married Carlos Bonaparte, an assessor, at the age of 14, there was little in the occurrence to indicate the far-reaching influence that was to follow their union.

It was not particularly strange that 13 children were to be born to them, but it is remarkable that of the 13, four were destined to become emperors or kings and two to become queens.

The most famous, of course, was Napoleon Bonaparte, who became emperor of France, and whose name fills more pages of history than that of any other mortal who ever lived. He was the second child.

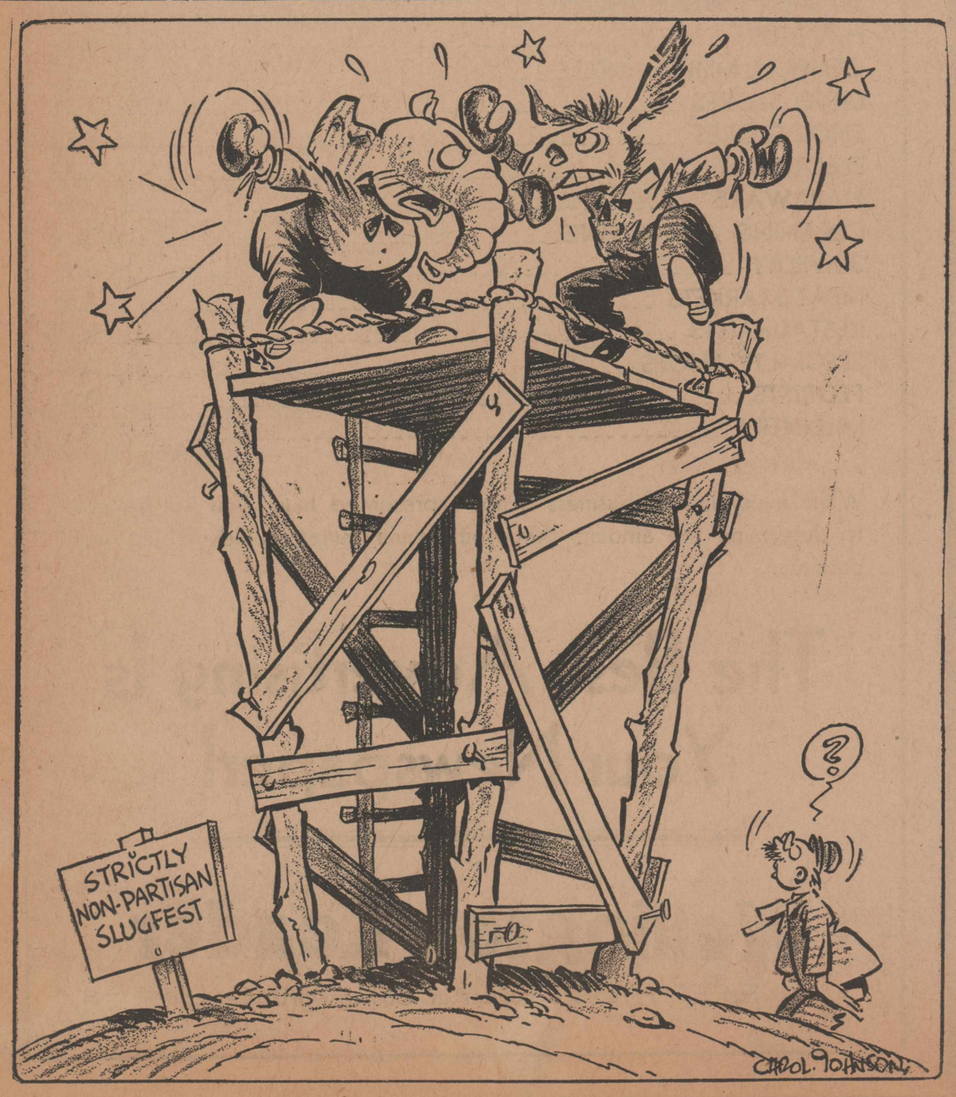
Joseph, the eldest, became king of Spain; Jerome was king of Westphalia, and Louis was king of Holland. One of the daughters, Maria, became queen of Naples, and Elisa became queen of Toscana.

Two other children held lesser rank, Lucien becoming prince of Canino, and Marie Pauline becoming duchess of Guastalla.

But in spite of all that, Letitia Romolino gave to the world a progeny whose activities did more to change the course of events than that of any other mother who ever lived.

Elmer Stebbins of Palmer, Mass., paid a $10 fine for speeding. The court owed him $18.50, so the judge permitted him to deduct the fine from the bill.

It's All On A Higher Plane This Year



Scouting Calls All Boys

THE SPONSORING OF INSTITUTIONS

An impetus, strong and burning, a great desire for the establishment of a Scout Troop is of prime importance for its successful beginning. Without such zeal—fervor if you prefer—no Troop should be attempted. The Troop should never be started as a matter of routine. Some one must care—tremendously.

The original impetus — the spark that sets off the conflagration—may have originated with some individual or even a group of boys but before this enthusiasm can be used it must be transmitted to some institution, such as a church, a school, or a club, whose members as a body are willing to take upon themselves the sponsorship of the Troop and to pledge themselves to its support.

This sponsoring group then becomes the "parent institution" through providing its boys with Socuting privileges. If the Troop is to prove successful this "parent" relationship must never be forgotten. The Sponsoring Institution cannot start a Troop and then after tiring of the responsibility turn it over to the Boy Scouts of America or the Local Council as these do not sponsor troops. They only furnish the Movement and the necessary supervision, interpret and promote the program.

The Sponsoring Instiution must give a definite guaranty of Troop performance to which it binds itself through its Troop Committee to—

"Provide the necessary facilities for meetings of the Troop.

"Provide adequate leadership, including the supervision of a man, 21 years of age or over to be commissioned as Scoutmaster and of a committee of adults who will visit the Troop and co-operate in its direction and supervision.

"Endeavor to provide an opportunity for the members of the Troop to spend a week or more in a summer camp.

"Conduct the Troop in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America."

ODD BITS OF NEWS

An ordinance in Ziegler, Ill., states that only the first four firemen reaching a fire will be paid for their services.

Berle Putnam, letter carrier of Prescott, Ariz., recently walked along the floor of the Grand Canyon more than 200 miles, a journey never before completed on foot.

It is against the law in Princeton, Texas, to throw an onion at anyone or anything.

Because the water from her well is too hard, Mrs. John Oliver of Jordan Valley, Ida., "cans" snow in the winter, and later uses the soft water for washing delicate fabrics.

Seymour Taft of Flushing, N. Y., has invented a shoelace that cannot become untied accidentally. It has tiny bumps which stop it from slipping.

Joseph Lawler, dog trainer of Waltham, Mass., claims he cures vicious dogs of biting by biting them right back.

Citizens of Lanesboro, Mass., have won a fight to prohibit billboards near a cemetery on the grounds that it is "not fair to the dead."

When Nicholas Callo of Boston was fined because his pet rabbit had chewed wallpaper off the walls of an apartment, the judge suspended sentence when he learned the rabbit died after the feast.

Because Menton, Mich., has a fire truck but no motorcycle for its police officer, town officials have authorized him to use the truck to chase reckless motorists.

When the Broad Acres Hotel in Basking Ridge, N. J., caught fire, the owner and his staff rushed to the coin telephone to summon the fire department. Because nobody had a nickel, the hotel burned down.

The Great American Home

©F COURSE I PUT THE CAR IN THE GARAGE!!! I HAVE TO LEARN SOME TIME DON'T I ???

Sacrifice At Golgotha

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Mar. 17.

Text: Matthew 27:33-50.

It was at Golgotha, "the place of a skull," that the final sacrifice of Christ occurred, and all the incidents of the crucifixion helped to emphasize the completeness of His suffering and sacrifice.

Crucifixion was in itself a death of ignominy—the fate of criminals in the Roman custom of the time—a fact which was emphasized in the crucifixion of Jesus between two thieves. To His physical suffering was added all the scorn and bitterness that the enemies of Jesus could inflict upon Him. Above Him they had written the accusation in scornful irony, "This is Jesus, the King of the Jews," little realizing how essentially and in a noble way that was to become true, in a world that should regard Jesus as the noblest and purest of His race.

Would that we might all remember, in these days of the persecution of that race, that Jesus was a Jew, who came not to destroy but to fulfill all that was noblest and best in Judaism!

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Also mocking Him, His enemies said, "He saved others; Himself He cannot save," failing to recognize how essentially that was true, but in a noble and beautiful way. Jesus is the supreme Saviour, and He has saved men through His sacrifice just as, again and again, heroes in human life have sacrificed themselves to save others.

It is often true that we can save and help others only by disregarding our own interests or by accepting ways of real suffering and sacrifice. Jesus Himself had taught this very plainly when He had told His disciples that it was only through losing life that they could find it.

It was the custom of the Romans to alleviate the suffering of victims of crucifixion by offering them vinegar, wine mixed with gall, but when they offered it to Jesus He would not drink it. Probably this was in the same spirit that He had said to the disciples, as they had failed Him after His agonizing prayer in Gethsemane, "Sleep on now and take your rest." He had fought the tempter and was ready for His sacrifice, and now, also, in this final agony, He preferred to depend upon God rather than upon any human agency of relief.

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Elsewhere we have recorded the final word of Jesus, "My God, my God, why hast Thou forsaken me?" Volumes have been written upon those words. Were they the last cry of human weakness, or were they the evidence of a final and complete act of sacrifice? We know, of course, that God had not forsaken Him—that the sacrifice of Calvary was the way toward salvation for man and the way toward a glorious resurrection for the Master Himself.

The hour of Calvary was the darkest hour in human history, but it brought to man salvation, and healing, and inspiration. In this present dark hour of humanity, when countless human beings are undergoing a new Calvary of humanity, may we not find hope in the Cross of Christ, as a symbol, not of destruction, but of triumph?

It Happened In . . .

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1914

(Aug. 20) R. E. Farmer, one mile west of Marella, and J. N. Pierce, one-half mile north of Marella, are putting lumber on the ground for nice comfortable dwellings, which will make the ocmmunity more attractive.

W. T. Wilson went to Memphis Tuesday to be operated on, having a growth under his arm caused from blacksmithing. Dr. Moss went to be present at the operation.

Dr. S. A. Street and family left last Friday for a week's visit at Galveston.

Mr. Birchfield and two children of Hay Camp were visiting in Wellington Sunday afternoon.

W. W. Hyde, one of our very best farmer citizens, was here this week from his home some few miles north, and informs us that his crops are very fine, and that he expects to make enough feed to last him two or three years. Let 'em fight across the "pond;" we can feed ourselves for a while.

1925

(Feb. 5) Ben Wooldridge of Martha, Okla., is in Wellington visiting his son, Leslie Wooldridge. He says that this county can raise just as much cotton per acre as the best counties in Oklahoma.

Ed Beck of Quail, merchant and booster, was a business visitor here Friday. He reports his town growing and the country progressing in every way.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Smith of Hedley were here Sunday visiting Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. E. L. Sisk. They were accompanied by Miss Myrtle Reeves, of that city who visited Mrs. E. W. Alley.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Stansell of Roswell came last week to visit his mother and other relatives. Mr. Stansell said he never saw a town make such rapid advancement as Wellington had done in the past two years.

1930

(Dec. 25) Miss Daisy Birchfield of St. Louis came Monday to spend the holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Birchfield, and family and other relatives and friends.

Miss Ruth Poling of Shawnee is the guest this week of her sister, Miss Gladys Poling, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mahan.

Miss Lula Masten left last week for Amherst where she will spend the holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Masten.

Mrs. Joe Thompson and daughter of Memphis spent last week end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander.

I SAW

By V. A. R.

Everyone was agreeing that "It's just like I knew it would be," when the sand began blowing but as the pretty, warm weather followed, bringing out sprigs of grass and early blooming flowers, I SAW

Charles Graves, who lives at Lillie, carrying an armload of trees down the street. There's no doubt they were for the farm the Graves bought recently, and have been working hard to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Montgomery, who live in the Pleasant Mound community, in Wellington buying new car licenses. Mrs. Montgomery, who drives the school bus from that community into McLean, said that during the snow earlier in the month, she didn't miss a day getting the children into school, "But I sure did have to detour to do it," she added.

Mrs. Harry Farmer, one day when the sand was blowing, wearing a man's hat to protect her hair, and inquiring of an acquaintance how she liked the "derby."

Mrs. Marguerite McCampbell energetically sweeping sand away from the front of her shop, and looking much more satisfied when she had finished it.

B. P. Clark, who has been seriously ill, back in town doing some errands, and saying he was glad to be up, but he still was kind of weak.

C. L. Harrison describing what was at least an unusual accident to his Wellington Leader. Getting it out of the mail box, he left it in the car when he got home. A hen, flying into the car, scratched the paper to pieces before she was discovered. Mr. Harrison was wanting another copy of the paper.

BRIEF TOPICS

Martin Dies goes Communist probing out in Hollywood again. The red he sees, however, is only the view through rose-colored glasses supplied by the chamber of commerce.

Nothing should keep Sumner Welles from finding peace in Europe—unless infirmities of old age should set in after several years of search.

Grand ruler of Tibet is a youth six years of age. Which should give Tom Dewey some encouragement.

A lot of people think it's unfair that the government census takers are going to go around asking a lot of questions—and then not give out $10 and an encyclopedia if you get the right answers.

Two Denver ministers arrested for traffic violations were sentenced to preach safe driving and pray for traffic safety for two weeks. They declared they would pray for the judge, too.

When James Clark found an order of wheatcakes in a New York City restaurant too heavy for his taste, he heaved the whole dish full at the waiter and knocked him unconscious.

When James Smith accosted two girls crossing an East Boston, Mass., bridge, they seized him and threw him over the bridge rail into the harbor.

Richard Shotwell of Armstrong County, Pa., has trained bullfrogs to dance, fight and do various tricks.

Average consumption of meat and lard by people of the United States was 145 pounds per person in 1939, a gain of about seven pounds over 1938.

An ordinance in Bellingham, Wash., states that "a woman must not take more than three steps backward while dancing."

Life insurance policies outstanding in the United States reached a new high level of approximately 114 billion dollars in 1939.

A Harvard University radio instructor has invented two-way equipment having a range of 500 miles that can be carried on a man's back.

Ellis Knowles, Sr., of Greenwich, Conn., insured his son, a few friends and himself against their chances of making a hole-in-one in golf. Recently Ellis, Jr., scored a hole-in-one and collected $100.

SENIOR SERIES

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Irene Inez Ball

"The girl in the yellow pickup," that's Irene. She was born Aug. 30, 1923 in Wellington. All her school years have been spent here.

Irene has been in many extra curricular activities in school. She was in the glee club, took piano four years, and took art. Declamation, dramatics, and school paper work are other activities.

Irene is excellent in the commercial field. She won first place in typing at District meet, holding the record of 78 words per minute. She has a large collection of certificates and pens for both typing and shorthand. She has held numerous offices in organizations at school, among which were president of Commercial Club, secretary-treasurer of the Art of Bookkeeping Club, clerk of the Executive Council, and publication editor of Executive Council Bulletin.

Her favorite subjects are typing, shorthand and home economics. She plans to major in business administration at T.S.C.W.

She likes to cook, sew, write letters, play the piano, and make friends. Her sense of humor makes her liked by all who know her.

Mary Jean Anderson

If any high school student was asked who has the most mischievous brown eyes and the two deepest dimples in school he would instantly reply: "Jean Anderson!" Jean was born February 5, 1923, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Anderson. She has attended school in Wellington for eleven years.

Jean is a versatile young lady, having studied piano and dramatics and taken part in both the Junior and Senior plays. She has been an active member of the school paper staff and was advertising manager of the Skyrocket for one semester. The students will remember her as one of their favorite duo that has sung for them so often.

It isn't strange, then, that at the top of her list of hobbies is singing. Other hobbies are swimming, table tennis and horseback riding. Her pet hate is people asking her, "How do you and your sister tell yourselves apart?"

Her favorite subjects are typing and chemistry. She plans to attend Texas University, where she will major in voice.

Martha Louise Anderson

You'd never guess, but a few minutes makes a great difference in personalities. Dignified and serious, Louise was born February 5, 1923, a whole ten minutes older than her gay, fun-loving sister. She has spent all of her school days in the Wellington Schools.

Her school days have been well occupied because she has studied piano and dramatics and is on the Skyrocket staff. The paper is proud of her, for she is one of the few girl sports writers for high school publications in this section of the country. Louise took part in the Junior play and was property manager of the Senior play.

She is the soprano of the famous Anderson duo, and singing is one of her greatest pleasures. Not only is she an artist in that respect, but also she is skilled in soap carving and sketching.

Louise plans to attend Texas University where she will major in commercial art. When her education is finished, she intends to illustrate for magazines.

Carmen Loretta Blandford

Born in a blustery month, but not a bit that way herself, Loretta was born March 16, 1922, in Dozier, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Blandford. Before she came to Wellington Loretta went to school at Needwood three years and to Shinnery four years. She has attended school in Wellington for four years. Her favorite subjects are Homemaking and chemistry.

She has filled several offices in the various clubs of high school. She was president of the Famous Fifty, vice president of the Pan American Club, and secretary of her Freshman English Club.

She played soft ball three years at Shinnery and one year at Wellington. She also helped win the girls' relay race for Shinnery before entering Wellington High School.

Loretta is a member of the Skyrocket Club this year and was on the pep squad for one year.

She plans to attend either Southern Methodist University or an Amarillo School of Beauty Operating. When her education is finished, she will either become a fashion designer or a beauty operator. She likes our school so well that she wants to come back to Wellington and establish a beauty salon exclusively for high school girls. We'll be waiting for you, Loretta!

Robert William Duke

The spry little man we all call "Duke" was born in Wellington on Sept. 22, 1921. No school but Wellington can claim him as a student, for all of his eleven years of education have been absorbed right here in the schools of this city. He goes about with a grin that won't wear off, and he always has the proper remark for any occasion. Various school sports, including boxing, have claimed his attention out of study hours, and during study time he has found typing and agriculture to be his favorite subjects. His practical ambition lies in the business world, and he plans to attend Draughn's Business College, there to major in typing and bookkeeping. "Duke's" secret ambition (what's this) is to be the tallest player on the House of David basketball team! Wouldn't the mascot job suit you better, Duke, or do you plan to wear stilts? Well, good luck, anyway, little man.

James Deward Cook

The little man who is certainly there when it comes to playing the hot cornet in the band, is Deward Cook. Deward was born at Quail, Texas, on January 21, 1923. Lutie gave him five years of knowledge and Wellington has finished the job. Basketball was his favorite sport as a junior, but as a senior he has devoted his attention to getting the most out of his education. He has played in the band four years, and entered in declamation two years. His favorite subjects are English, band and typing. Deward will further his education at Hardin-Simmons University and major in music there. His chosen career is that of band instructor. He is interested in music, art and literature, but secretly would like to be an aviator. Why not wait until Hitler gets whipped, Deward, or do you intend to do that yourself?

James Wesley Cochran

You might not believe that Jimmy is not a native Texan, but he was really born at Pauls Valley, Oklahoma. But to make up for that, Jimmy has absorbed all of his education, thus far, in Wellington. While in high school he has not participated in sports, but where our curly haired Jimmy really shines is in the school band. When he takes that silver trumpet in hand and starts slinging the jive, there is rhythm under every seat. He is president of the Skyrocket band this year. Jimmy was treasurer of his junior class last year. At Texas Tech, his next Alma Mater, he will study for his career in surgery. Good luck, Jimmy, maybe some day we'll let you take our appendix out!

Robert Franklin Genusa

The spry Skyrocket we know as Bobby started life in Houston, Texas, on August 28, 1923. He attended Houston grade school three years before coming to Collingsworth County. Crossroads knew him four years, and an equal amount of time at Wellington has made Bobby a senior. While here he has participated in football, basketball, baseball and track. As a Skyrocket fullback he gave his best, and needless to say, that was very good.

Bobby's favorite subjects are chemistry and English. He will gain more knowledge at Texas A. and M. College, and major there in electrical engineering. Say, we had all better stay on the straight and narrow—if we don't, who knows but that Bobby Genusa will handle the "juice" that makes the electric chair a "hot seat?"

Miss Marie Grott, who began as a clerk in the identification office, heads the Indiana State Criminal Investigation Bureau.

Playing Beanbag With U. S. Mail

British defy of U. S. "hands off" request on American mails continues as tars remove bags of correspondence from S. S. Washington at Gibraltar. Contraband officers also inspected cargo and passengers' passports.

Wilson Is Awarded Three-Year Contract With Paducah School

J. D. Wilson, superintendent of the Paducah school system for the past three years, was awarded another three-year contract, expiring July 31, 1943, by the school board of that city recently.

Mr. Wilson formerly was county superintendent of Collingsworth County and later a deputy State superintendent.

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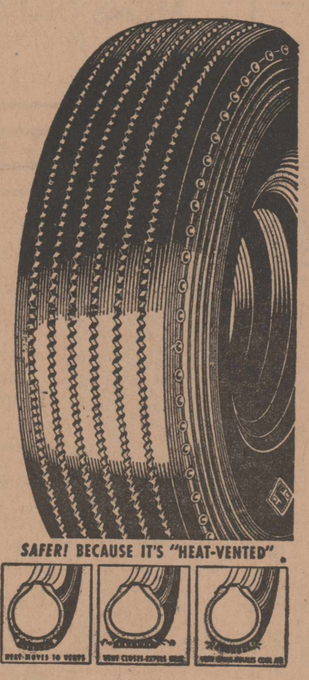

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Farm Security Notes

By EDNA PETTIT

GARDEN PLANNING

Nearly ninety percent of the family's food can be provided direct from the farm by carefully planning the farm activities. Planning that results in the proper amounts and balance of foods will protect the body from disease.

In areas of ample rainfall a minimum of one-half acre, or a plot of 100x150 ft. should furnish vegetables for a family of five. In areas of limited rainfall the garden plot should be doubled. This size plot will provide on an average of about 600 feet row space per member of the family. In humid areas gardens will yield one pound of vegetables for each row foot, and one-half pound per foot in dry areas. To supply a family of five with fresh and canned vegetables for one year, the garden must produce over 3,000 pounds of vegetables. The same land may be double and triple cropped in regions where the growing season permits. In such areas the garden plot may be reduced in size.

A well planned garden will include adequate amounts of the various classes of vegetables needed by the family. Leafy, green and yellow vegetables are indispensable for supplying the diet with minerals, vitamins and cellulose. This class includes such things as lettuce, cabbage, spinach, green beans and peas, peppers, carrots, and squash. Plenty of leafy, green and yellow vegetables requires approximately 200 feet of row space per person. Irish and sweet potatoes are the chief starchy vegetables to be raised. A total of 400 feet of row space is necessary to produce enough potatoes for each person. Tomatoes are essential in the diet for their vitamin content. In areas of limited rain fall 200 feet of row space per person should be planted.

Garden fruits, such as cantaloupes, watermelons, and rhubarb should not be overlooked. These may be substituted for any fruit except citrus or tomatoes. They may be planted in the garden or in the field. About three rhubarb plants per person is sufficient.

If the wind and sand prevent producing early fresh vegetables in an open garden plot, prepare a small frame garden which will protect these tender leafy vegetables. As much as 100 square feet of soil protected by a frame and canvas covering will supply a family of five with plenty of fresh greens and radishes. After the spring winds have ceased, later vegetables may be produced in the open garden plot.

LILLIE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

Sunday school was well attended Sunday at Lillie. Rev. Fred Bell preached Sunday morning. Rev. Bill Bruce of Lutie preached Sunday night to a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turley and family attended the singing at Samnorwood Sunday.

Marie Harwell visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harwell in Wellington Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Groom of Wichita Falls visited in the Fred Bell home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maxwell and Mrs. C. A. Wright visited Rev. and Mrs. Tom Bolton at Rocky, Okla., this week end. Mrs. S. Maxwell returned home with them.

Miss Katherine Baber and Louis Baber visited Viola Fikes Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Bill Bruce of Lutie visited in Rev. Bill Squyres' home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olie Hall of Quail and Mr. Mike Capps of Wellington attended church services at Lillie Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. and Lester Harwell, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Turner and Mike Capps were dinner guests in the Tom Harwell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gladney visited in the Ozro Bartlett home in Marella Friday.

Mrs. Velma Aaron and children spent the week end in the Conrad Cass home.

Mrs. D. Burkhalter had the misfortune of getting her arm seriously burned last Tuesday when she accidentally turned a stewer of beans off the stove.

Mrs. Rob Isbell has a sewing machine that is over 50 years old and has never had but one new shuttle bought for it, and it is in very good sewing order now. It formerly belonged to Grandmother Gollihugh of Wellington.

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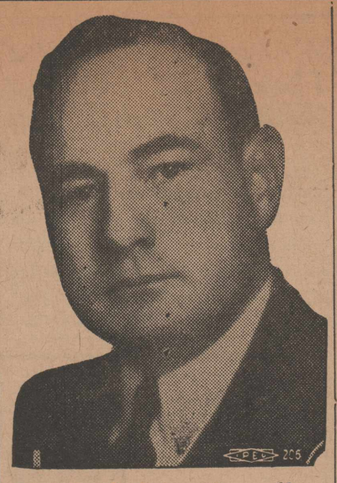

Heads Safety Council

Pierce Brooks, above, was elected president of the Texas Safety Council, in a meeting of the board of directors Wednesday, March 6. Brooks was founder of the Safety Council in 1933 and throughout the years has been active in the promotion of its work.

ABERDEEN

By MRS. JAMES L. LIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Cleveland of Hollis and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cross and Miss Mary Ellen Jackson of Wellington were visitors in the M. C. Cleveland home Sunday.

Mrs. John Deger and daughter, Mrs. Joe Rountree, left for Nocona last Tuesday after receiving word of the serious illness of Mrs. Deger's mother, Mrs. Lena Benton.

Clyde Roberts, Dick Judd, Ted Raper, Thurston Judd and Lee Hankins have joined other farmers, including George Mahaffey, Walter Deger, E. Smith and son, E. R. Smith, and George Pounds in the "team to tractor" farmers.

J. I. Ammons and Wesley Ammons have recently purchased a new tractor, joining the group of farmers in seeking newer and better farming equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Deger and Mr. and Mrs. Hardy B. Deger visited in the J. H. Hobbs home near Texola, Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson returned home Wednesday from Los Angeles, where she has spent several weeks visiting her niece, Mrs. E. R. Cady, Mr. Cady and son, Errol, of Midway City and with a nephew, E. E. McCollister, of Ventura, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Willingham and family of Childress visited with Mrs. Allie Willingham and family Sunday.

E. M. Gulley of near Wellington visited his son, Harrison Gulley, and family a short time Monday and looked after farming interests here.

A wedding ceremony in Canada was recorded on a phonographic disc so that the bride's sister, living in London, might hear it.

There are more than 16,400 tourist camps operating a total of 166,000 cottages throughout the United States.

Mother Of S. K. Parsons Dies

Mrs. Mary Parsons, the mother of S. K. Parsons of Wellington, died at her home in Bonham Thursday, February 29. She was 83 years of age and had been sick but a short time preceding her death.

Mrs. Parsons had twice visited her son in Wellington.

A native of Kentucky, Mrs. Parsons came to Texas with her parents shortly after the Civil War, and settled at Bonham, where she grew up and was married to R. W. Parsons. Mr. Parsons died in 1895.

Funeral rites for Mrs. Parsons were held Friday, March 1, at Bonham. She is survived by five children, S. K. Parsons of Wellington, Harry Parsons of Lawton, Okla., Mrs. H. S. Moore of Bonham, Mrs. C. E. Moore of Ada, Okla., and Mrs. J. T. Marshall of Blackwell, Okla. She is also survived by 52 grandchildren and great grandchildren, more than half of whom were present for the funeral.

Attending from Wellington were Mr. Parsons and Sandy Parsons, Jr.

CHINA GROVE

By MRS. JOHN GRAVES

Farmers have begun farming in a full way. The moisture is drying away fast since so many high winds have been blowing last week.

Little Tommie Stephens is on the sick list this week.

William Graves and family of Stratford visited with his father, John Graves, and family this week end. They returned to Stratford Sunday evening. Mr. Graves teaches school there.

Mrs. John Walker was in Wellington recently visiting Miss Rankin, who was at the bedside of her mother. Miss Rankin teaches the Elm Valley school.

Charlie and Bill Hill of Needwood visited Mr. Hill and Harold Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Clarence Sutton has been visiting Chester Wilson and family near Lutie several days the past week.

Jodie Sanders and family returned from Mangum Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hill of Needwood and Roxie Maye Graves went to Canyon Friday to be at the teachers' meeting.

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