

Cotton Ginnings Reach 31,129 for Current Season

Collingsworth County's cotton production this season was almost double that of last year when the report of the census bureau was released for January 16.

Prior to that date, the county had ginned 31,129 bales, while just a year ago, only 15,626 bales had been gathered.

Some cotton still remains in the field, and when wet weather began more than a week ago, all were still in operation and some were ginning from 10 to 15 bales of cotton per day.

Some ginneries and those familiar with the cotton situation in the county believe that another 1,000 bales will be ginned before the gins finally close down for the year.

Mauldin Candidate For Tax Assessor

Hubert Mauldin of Wellington this week authorized The Leader to announce his candidacy for the office of County Tax Assessor and Collector. In making his announcement, Mr. Mauldin said:

I am now serving as deputy tax collector, a job I have held for almost two years. During that time I have been able to familiarize myself with the duties of the office and the requirements for filling it. I have also become familiar with the county conditions as they apply to property renditions and tax problems.

I have lived in this county almost all my life, except for the period of time spent in the armed forces.

Between now and election time, I will try to see each of you, but in case I miss you, I take this means of soliciting your vote.

Right now, I have only one promise to make—that if you see fit to elect me to this responsible office, I will do my best to serve you efficiently and carefully, just as the office has served you for many years.

Buck Harris Named Shamburger Mgr.

Buck Harris, who has been employed at the Shamburger Lumber Company since his return from the armed forces, was named manager of the Wellington yard following the resignation of Elmer Hiett, who has purchased part interest in the Gilmore Locker Plant from L. A. Gilmore.

Mr. Harris has had six years experience in lumber yard work. He was in service for two years.

"We are now able to get more building materials than at any time in several years, and the yard is becoming well stocked with items that have been scarce."

"It is a pleasure to serve you, and we want our friends and customers to know that the same high type service that you have known at the Shamburger Lumber Company in the past will be continued," Mr. Harris said.

Bishop Announces For County Judge

C. C. Bishop has authorized the Wellington Leader to announce his candidacy for the office of County Judge of Collingsworth County. In making this announcement Mr. Bishop pointed out that he had lived in this county for the past 19 years. During that time he has served the county as County Attorney and County Judge. It will be my pleasure to meet and discuss the problems of the county with each voter, between now and election time. If elected I only have one promise, that is to work at all times to manage the county affairs to the best advantage, "or the people as a whole."

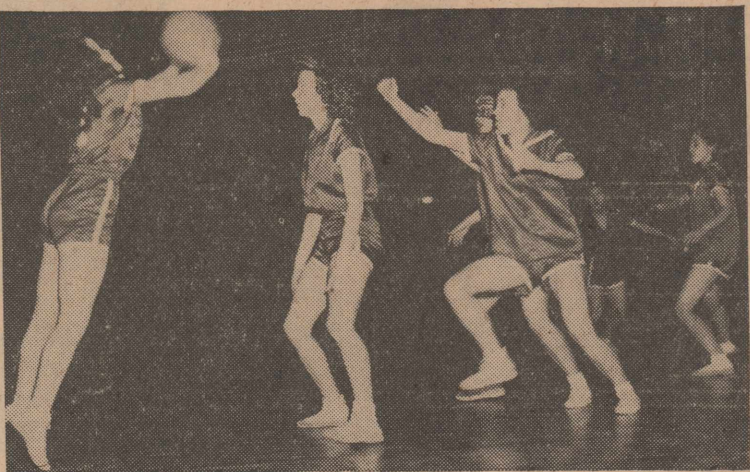
Quail Senior Play Postponed

Presentation of the Quail senior class play, "A Tale of Two Sillies," has been postponed because of bad weather and the new date set for Thursday, February 12.

Curtain time is 7:30 p.m. and a small admission will be charged, the proceeds going into a fund to finance this year's senior trip.

Leading roles in the play are taken by Sue Little and Herbert Shanks. Other members are Eloise Adams, Alice Guthrie, Elmer Shanks, J. C. Clements, Louise O'Hair, Herman Adams, Jack Shields and Preston Paschal.

Miss Bernice Griffin is directing the play.



FAST ACTION

Some of the tense moments of one of the tightest games the Skyrockets have played this year are pictured here. With Hedley as an opponent, the game ended 34 to 32 in the Rockets favor. At top left the ball drops through the basket for a Wellington goal. Keller, No. 8, advances toward the center of activity, while Kenneth Winter watches from under the goal and Walter Johnson, No. 13, at right. Robert Fulton grabs a toss in the picture at right, as a Hedley lad covers him closely. The other Wellington player pictured is Walter Lee O'Neil, No. 1. In the girls game, which the Rockettes lost 11 to 15, Pat Richards hits the basket for two points for the Rockettes, while Maurine Amerson guards her from two advancing Hedley girls. Saradel Lilljedall is at right. —Staff Photo

Three-School Boxing Meet Here Friday

Charles Allen with Motor Company

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen and their year-old daughter, Vicky Ann, arrived here Saturday, and Mr. Allen began work Monday with the Wellington Motor and Tractor Company.

Their former home was Chickasha, Okla., where he was associated with Anderson and Pritchard Company.

Mrs. Allen in the daughter of Mrs. Paul Starr, and they have visited in the Starr home here many times.

Funeral Service For Armstrong Infant Held on Friday

Funeral services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Armstrong of near Wellington were held Friday, January 30, at the Ellis Funeral Home, with the Rev. (Continued on Page Seven)

Japan Ready for Christian Religion, Former Pastor Says

Chaplain J. P. Neal, who formerly was pastor of the First Baptist Church in Wellington, is now serving with the Army in Japan. Something of his work there was told in a recent letter which he wrote to T. B. Starkey.

Chaplain Neal's address is: Hqs. 8th Cav. Regt. APO 201, Unit 2, C-o Postmaster San Francisco, California.

Chaplain Neal left for Japan in June 1947. Also in Japan is his older daughter, Peggy, whose husband is stationed there with the Army. The father and daughter are about 150 miles apart.

Mrs. Neal and their younger daughter, Charleen, are at their home in Waco, but plan to join Chaplain Neal in Japan after Miss Neal graduates from high school this spring, according to the last information friends here had from them. Their son, J. Porter Neal, is married and manages an alfalfa mill at Plainview.

Chaplain Neal's letter follows: Dear Brother Starkey:

Received your Christmas card and was glad to get it. Glad you are getting well and hope

A three-way boxing match with high school fighters from Wellington, Childress and Amarillo taking part is slated to highlight the boxing season Friday night February 6, at the Wellington high school gymnasium.

Some of the finalists in the District Golden Gloves Tournament at Amarillo last week end will be seen in action again in the Wellington ring, Boxing Coach John Lee reported.

"We believe that this will be the best fight of the year, and fans who attend will see some bouts that will be as good as any school-boy boxing in this part of the state," Coach Lee declared.

Rocket boxers, most of whom are in the lighter classes, will not contend against the Amarillo and Childress Golden Gloves contestants, nevertheless, these matches will give a thrill to all who like the sport, Lee added.

Fifteen or more fights will be held. The event will begin at 8:00 p.m.

Feature fight of the evening should be that between Sonny (Continued on Page Twelve)

you have a happy and prosperous New Year.

Glad the church is getting along so well and hope it continues to prosper. It is no surprise to me that the Church is getting along well. It should, with some of the best people in the world holding membership there.

My work in Japan has been interesting in most part. Tokyo is more modern than I expected to find it. It must have been a real city before 60 per cent of it was bombed and burned out. The people are interesting. Of course they are having a hard time getting food and clothing. And they have no fuel to warm their homes. But they are taking it better than the Americans could. They are as busy as ants trying to gather food and clothing, and rebuild their country.

Don't think they will ever try to wage war against the U. S. again. They have been impressed with our strength.

Of course, this is a pagan country, but you find some Christian churches and a good many Christians.

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P. E. Keenan, 66, Retired Farmer, Dies Early Tuesday

P. E. Keenan, retired farmer who has made his home in this county for 30 years, died Tuesday, February 3, at 12:25 a.m. He had been ill at his home in Wellington, and as his condition became worse a week ago, he was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital, where his death occurred.

Funeral services were scheduled for Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Wellington, with the Rev. Howard Jones, pastor, in charge. Burial was to be in the Old Wellington cemetery under the direction of the Kelso Funeral Home.

Mr. Keenan farmed for many years in the Dozier community, where he took an active part in the affairs of that section of the county. Several years ago, he retired from active farming, and he and Mrs. Keenan moved to Wellington to make their home.

Born May 21, 1881, in Cook County, Mr. Keenan was 66 years, 8 months and 12 days of age. He and Mrs. Keenan were married in Wellington November 27, 1910.

Surviving Mr. Keenan are his wife; three brothers and four sisters, Monroe Keenan of Duncan, Okla.; Frank Keenan of California; Obe Keenan of Lithia, Fla.; Mrs. Gussie Lewis and Mrs. Minnie Higgins of Mineral Wells; Mrs. Ida Pettitt of Englewood, Calif.; and Mrs. Addie Anderson of Orville, Calif.

B. F. Evans Seeks Precinct 1 Place

B. F. Evans this week authorized The Leader to announce his candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Precinct 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

"I first came to this county in 1924 and have spent all the time since either here or in Childress County, so I am familiar with the problems of the county and its needs," Mr. Evans said in making his announcement.

"I feel that I understand the road problems of the precinct, one of the major items of a commissioner's work. I have had several years experience in doing terracing work in accordance with the AAA program and I know what it is to work with earth and keep such things in repair. I operated a service station and grocery, also, and I feel that this business experience will help me to serve you well as a public official."

"I will try to see each voter and talk with him before the first primary, but if I should fail to see any, I take this means of soliciting your vote at this time."

McPherson Golden Gloves Winner

Jackie McPherson, fighting in the high school heavyweight division of the Golden Gloves Tournament at Amarillo, won in his class by scoring a technical knockout over Carol Burgess of Amarillo.

Commenting on the fight, Harry Gilstrap, sports editor of The Amarillo Daily News, said:

"The tall cropped-haired McPherson gave roly-poly Burgess an unmerciful beating for two rounds, though Carol stayed on his feet. At the end of that one, however, Referee Jimmy Nace and Burgess himself agreed that it needn't go any farther. It was a third round technical knock out."

Another winner in the tournament was Raymond Powell of Perryton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Powell, formerly of Wellington, and grandson of T. B. Starkey.

Consolidation Proposal Fails in One District, Approved in Two

Mrs. J. C. Phipps, Countian 47 Years, Dies Late Saturday

Mrs. J. C. Phipps, who came to Collingsworth County 47 years ago with her husband and young family, died at the family home 906 Dallas Street Saturday night, January 31, at 10:00 p.m. Her death came as a shock to her many friends throughout the area, some of whom had shared her friendship through almost half a century.

Mrs. Phipps was 74 years of age. During most of her residence in the county, the family lived in the Cross Roads community, where so many people of the area have known the hospitality of the home that she made for her family. For several years, however, after all their children were grown and had established homes of their own, Mr. and Mrs. Phipps had lived in Wellington.

Mrs. Phipps was before her marriage Miss Mary Alice Yopp. She was born in Tennessee May 7, 1873, and at the time of her death she was 74 years, 8 months and 24 days of age. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Yopp, and her father was a veteran of the Civil War.

She moved with her parents to Texas in 1885 and settled in Fisher county. On September 3, 1894, she and Mr. Phipps were married at Roby.

They observed their golden wedding anniversary on September 3, 1944, when a celebration was arranged for members of the family and close friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Phipps came to (Continued on Page Twelve)

Carl Morris Seeks State Rep. Post

Carl B. Morris of Clarendon, Texas, announced Saturday, January 31st, his candidacy for State Representative of the 122nd Legislative District. Mr. Morris stated that he believes he is in every way qualified to capably perform the duties of the office and to serve the people of this district in a truly representative fashion.

He is 25 years old, married, and the father of one child. He saw 37 months service in the U. S. Navy during World War II, obtaining his discharge in April of 1946.

Since that time he has wheat farmed in the summer and attended the University of Texas in the Winter.

Before entering the service he attended Clarendon High School where he was active in Farm Club Work. He was a well known competitor in the Poultry, Swine and Baby Beef Shows in Texas, and was a National Competitor in Judging Events. After graduation from high school in 1940 he attended Clarendon Junior College and Texas A. & M. At present Mr. Morris is a mid-law student, that being the term applied to those students in their second year of law at the University of Texas.

Mr. Morris stated that he has long been a student of legislative problems and procedure, particularly those problems affecting the farmer and people who deal with the farmers. He feels that there is great need in our legislature for that kind of representation. He also said he hoped to make a career of serving the people through representative offices, and that if elected he expected to build a record that would entitle him to seek reelection for the same or higher post as representative of the people of this district.

At the same time he invited everyone to investigate his record and satisfy themselves as to his qualifications and capabilities.

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HD Club Box Supper To Raise Salary Fund

Four Home Demonstration Clubs of the county, Fresno, Houselog, Wellington and Midway, are sponsoring a box supper at the community building Thursday night, February 12, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Free coffee will be served and 42 will be played after the boxes are auctioned.

An entertainment will be held at the Legion Hall following the box supper for all boys and girls who donate to the supper. This entertainment will be sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club members, and music will be furnished by the Rhythm Kings.

Proceeds from the box supper will be used to pay the county's portion of the home demonstration agent's salary.

"Everybody who is interested in helping with this fund is cordially invited," the club women have announced.

March of Dimes Is Extended Two Weeks

The March of Dimes campaign to raise funds for the fight on infantile paralysis will be extended two weeks, Leon Coleman, county chairman, announced Wednesday.

Bad weather has prevented many people of the area from making contributions they wish to make.

Altogether, 120 March of Dimes jars are in business establishments over the county, and Mr. Coleman again urged that full support be given these.

"All of us should fight infantile paralysis, for it is a disease that strikes without discrimination," Mr. Coleman said.

Those who wish to do so may make their contribution direct to Miss Katherine Boverie, treasurer of the fund for this county.

George C. White Dies at Shinnery Home Sunday Night

George C. White, 69, farmer and stock raiser of the Shinnery community, died at his home at 7:30 p.m. Sunday night, February 1.

He had lived in this county 27 years.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, February 3, at the First Baptist Church in Wellington, with the Rev. L. J. Crawford and the Rev. Howard Jones, pastor, officiating.

Pall bearers were Steve Owens, Earl Yarbrough, Buddy Yarbrough, Drury Lacy, Wren Hartman and W. C. Reeves. Flower bearers were Mrs. Hollis Porter, Mrs. Bob Hightower, Mrs. E. L. Hively and Mrs. Wren Hartman. Burial was in the Wellington cemetery with the Ellis Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. White was born September 6, 1873, at Adell, Iowa. He was converted and joined the Baptist Church at the age of 20 years. In 1912, he was ordained a deacon. Throughout his life, he had been a staunch supporter of the church.

Mr. White had many friends throughout the area. A man who lived quietly, he nevertheless was known for his many neighborly acts and for the deep loyalty he held for his friends.

Surviving Mr. White are his wife, Mrs. Emma J. White of Shinnery; and these children: Mrs. Lee Hughey of Wellington, Jack White of Shinnery, and Mrs. Elvin Barker of Madera, Calif. Other survivors are 15 grandchildren, six great grandchildren, and these brothers and sisters, Floyd White of Mangum, Mrs. Nora McFather-White of Whitewright, and Logan White of El Paso.

Judge L. E. Gribble For District Office

Judge Luther Gribble of Wellington this week authorized the Wellington Leader to announce his candidacy for re-election to the office of judge of the 100th judicial district. His statement follows:

To the citizens of the 100th Judicial District of Texas:

During my term as District Judge, we have undertaken to fully utilize the law which provides for continuous terms of court in each of the five counties comprising this district. During my first term, up to January 1st, 1948, your District Court has disposed of 1,441 cases. Of these, 16 have been appealed to the higher courts; of this number, (Continued on Page Seven)

Other Elections Are Slated for Feb. 10 and 14

Three in the series of school elections to determine the consolidation or annexation of a number of school districts were held Saturday, January 31, when the majority of voters in the Kelley district rejected the proposal of consolidation with Dodson and the Buck Creek and Cross Roads districts voted to consolidate with Quail.

Two more election dates remain. On Tuesday, February 10, an election will be held to determine the consolidation of the Pleasant Point, Kesler and Arlie districts with the Dodson school district.

Saturday, February 14, the annexation of seven school districts with Wellington will be voted on. These seven common school districts are Fresno, Rolla, Shinnery, Bean Hill, Houselog, Midway and Winulcor.

In the election Saturday, the district seeking consolidation voted on whether or not to go in, and the receiving district whether it would accept the petitioning district. Likewise, voting was on two issues, consolidation and the assumption of bonds.

In the Kelley-Dodson election, the proposed consolidation was rejected by the Kelley district 33 to 27. The vote on the bond section was 33 against and 23 for. The Dodson vote was 84 for and accepting the district and 6 against. Eighty-five voted for the assumption of the bonds and 5 against.

Both districts seeking consolidation with Quail approved the measure overwhelmingly. Cross Roads voted 31 to 8 for consolidation and Quail 46 to 0 to accept the district. Vote on the bond assumption was Cross Roads: 34 for, 5 against; Quail: 46 for, none against.

Buck Creek district voted 24 to 2 to consolidate with Quail, and that district again voted 46 to 0 to accept them. Voting was the same on the bond assumption.

Amarillo Men Buy The Palace Drug

Announcement was made this week of the sale of the Palace Drug Store in Wellington by T. E. Beng and Lester Beng, owners, to C. M. Peterson and Harry New of Amarillo.

Mr. Peterson has already come here and has assumed active management of the store.

A registered pharmacist, Mr. Peterson formerly worked in Colorado. He has had approximately 30 years experience in the drug business.

Mr. New formerly owned a drug store in Amarillo and has other business properties. He will come here later and expects to move his wife and daughter to Wellington after the close of the school term.

Lester Beng will remain with the store.

Drug Stores to Close at 8:00 p.m.

The four drug stores in Wellington announced this week that effective immediately, they will close at 8:00 p.m. on week days. These four are Parsons Drug, Cochran Drug, The Palace Drug and Pruden Drug.

Hours for Sunday will remain the same. All four will be open until 10:00 a.m. and from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

In case of emergencies, each person is requested to phone his favorite druggist for the service he needs.

Plans Complete for Jurgens Orchestra

People of the lower Panhandle who hear Dick Jurgens and his orchestra regularly over the radio will see him in person and listen to his "music with the Jurgens touch" in Wellington Thursday night, February 5, when they play for a VFW sponsored dance at the community building.

Plans for this event are complete. Russell Yates, entertainment chairman of the VFW, has announced.

Considered one of the top dance bands of the country, the Jurgens orchestra is making its only Panhandle stop here in Wellington.

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Editorial

We have said much about soil and water conservation and now perhaps we should look for a moment at Texas' factors in these resources which are rich and adequately able to furnish the state with happy and prosperous homes.

In the first place there are a large number of soil types in the state, and some of these are the most productive in the nation. The state has large areas of uniform soil types which is of an advantage since production problems are simpler on large areas of uniform soil types.

The state also has an excellent topography, and its rolling or sloping runoff is comparatively simple on most of the state's area. The rainfall is erratic but the average precipitation in each area is classified as ideal by agricultural experts, and the streams provide adequate water facilities.

And finally the temperature of the state provides a long growing season and the southern part has a temperature that makes it possible to practice year-round production.

In the over 165 million acres covered by the state, the uses to which this area has been put includes some 35 million acres of cultivated land, grazing land and forest growths.

These uses have yielded a production of more than a billion dollars a year during the past few years to Texans. Also there has been a growing realization that the yields can be increased and the cost of production and harvesting this output can be greatly decreased through the use of simple and inexpensive practices designed to reduce the enormous preventable waste that occurs in present methods of land use and produc-

Other Editors Say

• Traffic Crack Down

Perryton's city police department will open the New Year with a vigorous campaign to reduce traffic violations and to promote traffic safety according to announcements made early this week by chief of police Clyde Tarbox and Thomas M. Etheridge, city superintendent and police judge.

Chief targets of the new enforcement campaign will be (1) exceeding the 20-mile limit; (2) angle parking on side streets; (3) failure to observe stop signs at intersections; (4) parking in restricted areas; (5) parking in pedestrian lanes at intersections; (6) exceeding the 15-mile speed limit in the school zone; (7) double parking; and (8) "crazy" driving on the part of young people on the city streets late at night—Van W. Stewart in The Ochiltree Herald.

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• For 1948

We Hope that 1948 courtesy will return to style just as has the New Look. The former is just as long on dividend that is pays and costs you nothing. Courtesy and a nice disposition will get you more favors than all the aching in the world.

In 1948 retailers could well get over the habit of telling a customer that no such item is in stock. Most things can be had now with a little effort on the part of the seller.

Don't fret about what 1948 holds for you. During the past few years business, eating and a bed has been about all that too many citizens have gotten out of life. Develop a hobby or some recreation or devote a little more time to the social life of the town. It is surprising how much you can enjoy life and still add much to your general demeanor, health and business interest—Anton Koch in The Quanah Tribunt-Chief.

tion.

By stopping waste in the state, by harnessing our wasting resources and putting natural forces to work we can bring about better utilization of our land in such a manner that we can increase the production from each unit. Only then will we be able to produce enough wealth conveniently to insure happy and prosperous homes throughout the state.

In a state with such rich soils that are so adequately watered by rivers as well as rainfall, there is no excuse for a capable people not to enjoy every convenience made possible from an adequate income.



Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Elbert are the parents of a daughter, Marsha Ellen born in St. Joseph's Hospital January 14. She weighed seven pounds and two ounces.

A daughter, Nicola Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Burt in St. Joseph's Hospital January 19. She weighed eight pounds eight ounces.

A daughter, Vera Marilyn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Colson in St. Joseph's Hospital January 27. She weighed seven pounds and one ounce.

A son, Travis Martin, was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Winegert in St. Joseph's Hospital January 26. He weighed seven pounds and seven ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lancaster are the parents of a daughter, Glenna Gaye born in St. Joseph's Hospital January 24. She weighed seven pounds and nine ounces.

A son, Don Paul, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sweat January 22 in St. Joseph's Hospital. He weighed six pounds and eight ounces.

A son was born to Garlin Lewter January 17, in St. Joseph's Hospital. He weighed eight pounds and thirteen ounces.

Death preys at night! The Texas Safety Association reminds motorists that speed should go down with the sun.

The Texas Safety Association asks motorists to be on the alert for the pedestrian who weaves his own shroud through traffic, ducks out from cars and crosses against the lights. You may save a life!

Advisory Group Of FHA Named

Nine prominent Texas farmers, editors and educators were named by Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson to comprise the State Advisory Committee of the Farmers Home Administration.

They are Herman H. Bennett, Greenville; Eugene Butler, Dallas; Walter Cardwell, Luling; Ozro Eubanks, Santa Anna; William Oscar

Irvin, Daingerfield; Ervin B. McLeroy, Carrizo Springs; Edgar B. Smith, Lampasas; Olin Stark, Quitaque, and Ide P. Trotter, College Station.

Farmers Home Administration is successor to Farm Security Administration, which began 15 years ago this month extending financial loans and technical assistance to American farmers. Approximately 123,000 farm families are in the program at present in Texas, according to L. J. Cappleman, State Director.

Representative of the Farm Home Administration in Collingsworth County is James Gouldy, whose office is in Clarendon, and who administers both Collingsworth and Donley Counties. He is at the county court room each Wednesday to consult with local farmers.

The Texas Safety Association reminds winter motorists to look out when it's dark out! Death rides at night!



Is your car a new "sweetheart" or a steady "old beau"?

It makes no difference which, if you're in "the know."

For cars can be human—like a sweetheart or wife, Can be loved with great pleasure or with struggle and strife!

So, as a special reminder this Valentine's Day, Prove to your car that you still feel "that way"! See your Mileage Merchant and set up a date; Treat your good friend to a thorough "OIL-PLATE."

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1947 Fleet Line Chevrolet Tudor — \$2,475.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Finley and Earl Slay visited in Wichita Falls Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Ingram and son, Danny.

Clifton Clark is going to Long Beach, Calif., to visit his sister, Mrs. Arthur Huffman.

Sam Raburn and Tiffin Young went to Stephenville over the week end to see about entering school.

Jack Boverie of Tech is home visiting his mother, Mrs. A. C. Boverie.

Stewart Jones, Mac Saied, Charles Hajek and Phil Trew of Tech are spending the between-semester holidays here.

Helen Langford is visiting friends here. She is in school at John Tarleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Beber of Phillips visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baldwin last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dakil spent Sunday in Childress visiting his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dakil.

Mrs. Curry returned to her home in Decatur, Ill., after spending four weeks here visiting with Mrs. Dora Ryan and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bowen and Miss Bessie Jean Willis spent Sunday in Vernon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howard Frost.

Miss Joy Riley spent the week end in Wheeler with her parents.

Mrs. Pete Brock and Mrs. Ted Brock visited Friday in Granite, Okla., with the former's brother, J. F. Keese, who has been ill.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. Lewis Ingle and son, Robert, and Mrs. Joe Fourmentin of Erick, Okla., were here Monday to attend the funeral service of Mrs. J. C. Phipps. Mr. Ingle, who is a native of this county, is a grandson of Mrs. T. J. Lewis of the Kelley community. He is now pastor of the Church of the Nazarene in Erick.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Vaughan have returned from Temple, where Mrs. Vaughan underwent an operation in Scott and White Clinic. Mr. Vaughan reports that she is doing fine. They were in Temple a month. Their daughter, Miss Lavella Vaughan of Amarillo is now here with her parents.

Mr. Ed Ward returned last week after three and one-half weeks visiting in Mission, McAllen and Lyford with his brothers.

Miss Gay Reeves, who is in school at Tech, is at home between semesters with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reeves.

The Rev. and Mrs. Tommy Austin and children, Sandra and Tim, were here the first of the week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Austin.

Mrs. Roy Horn and Mrs. A. L. Cochran returned from Mineral Wells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Crouch and son, Joe, spent Sunday in Altus visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Gibbons.

Mrs. J. L. Burt and Mrs. Jack Ford and children spent Sunday in Hollis visiting Mrs. Burt's sister, Mrs. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brock of Bakersfield, California, visited last Tuesday in the home of his brother, Pete Brock.

Mrs. Oneta Connell and daughter Judy visited Mr. and Mrs. Grover Connell in Childress Sunday.

Calvin Kersten who is attending the University of N. M. is here this week.

Ray Woodbridge is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Woodbridge this week. He is in school at Tech.

Louie Beam was home from Hardin Simmons last week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Beam.

Sam Gholson visited his mother, Mrs. Rena Gholson and his brother, Dick Gholson in Hereford Sunday.

Sam Gholson went to Wichita Falls Monday on business.

Junior Montague who is attending John Tarleton in Stephenville was here over the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. R. S. Montague.

June Ann, Carol Sue, and Harold Ray Hardy of Quanah visited their grandmother, Mrs. R. S. Montague Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Stratten, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stratten Jr and children of Clovis, N. M., were here the first of last week visiting their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Goat Hopper.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Goodson and son have returned here and Glen is working at the French Tailor Shop.

Mrs. L. A. Manzer, Mrs. Walter Starr and John French took Mrs. Vernon Morris and daughter, Dixie Kay to Amarillo where they took the train for their home in Hollywood, Calif.

Cap Morris, mayor of Clarendon, and his son, Carl Morris, a student in the University of Texas law school, were business visitors in Wellington Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Owens and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hendricks and children, Judy Ann, and Linda Kay of Amarillo visited Mrs. Eva Fulcher. They also visited Mrs. Owens mother, Mrs. Henry Short.

Mrs. L. H. Hill and small daughter, Linda Lee, of Fort Worth are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Keller were in Avoca late last week to visit their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jackson, who moved there recently from Wellington. Mrs. Keller remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. H. C. Christian and son, Bobby, of Fort Worth are here visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. C. C. Bishop, while her husband, Capt. Christian, is on special tour at Lexington, Ky. He is stationed at the Fort Worth Army Air Field. Mrs. Christian and Bobby will remain about 90 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jackson and small daughter, Zalese, have returned to their home at Sacramento, Calif., after an extended visit here with her parents, Mrs. Maude Harrison and J. T. Harrison.

Mrs. Pat Shields is visiting her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shields in Sunray and her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Craven in Amarillo.

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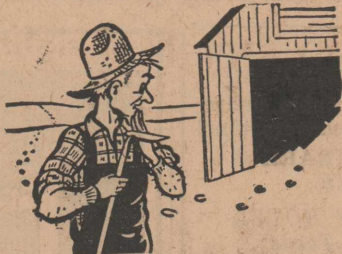
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Rockets Down Two Opponents on Home Court

The Wellington Skyrockets defeated McLean 45-25 on Thursday night, January 29, and squeezed by Hedley 34-32 on Friday night, January 30, in a thrilling overtime revenge battle in the first home games of the basketball season.

Big Robert Fulton was high point man of both teams on Thursday night as he accounted for 17 points. Walter Johnson helped keep the McLean team at a safe distance with 14 points in his credit and Billy Joe Keller scored 10 points for the Skyrockets.

McLean's B team defeated the local B team in the close game of the evening with a final score of 22-20. Walter O'Neil and Rogers Melton scored 6 and 5 points respectively in this game. McLean's girls defeated the Skyrockettes 23-12 in the third game of the evening.

On Friday night, the Skyrockets came from behind to finally upset Hedley in the overtime period. At the half Hedley held a safe margin of 20-8 over the home team but the steady work of Walter Johnson as he stacked up 21 points for the Skyrockets sparked the team to a brilliant second half and a 32-32 tie at the game's end. In the previous game played with Hedley, the Hedley team defeated the Skyrockettes 23-31.

The Skyrockettes made a good showing Friday night but lost 15-11 to the Hedley girls. Pat Richards scored 6 points for the Skyrockettes.

The Skyrockets will play a heavy schedule this week as they meet Shamrock here Monday night, Lelia Lake there Tuesday night, Samnorwood here Thursday night and Shamrock there Friday night.

Mrs. Ruth Hall Leases Tip Top

Mrs. Ruth Hall of Wellington leased the Tip Top Cafe from Mrs. C. L. Lloyd, who has been operating it for some time. Mrs. Hall said that the cafe will be open from 5:30 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. every day. Mrs. Lloyd is retaining ownership of the business.

The Tip Top Cafe is located at 706 East Avenue.

Miss Myra Keesee returned to her home in Granite after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brock.

Former Quail Lady Dies in California

By MRS. C. W. FRITTS
Mrs. Annie Weldon of Orange Cove, Calif., died January 21st, 1948, at 7:30 p.m. at Stockton hospital. The funeral was held at Orisi Methodist Church with the Rev. H. T. Harwell, Orisi, and the Rev. L. Loyd Talley, Orange Cove, Calif., in charge. Burial was in Belmont Memorial Cemetery, Fresno.

Mrs. Weldon had been in ill health for seven years and seriously ill six months.

She was born the daughter of Fred and Amanda Ming at Big Spring, Howard County, April 29, 1897. She was 50 years, three months and 8 days of age.

She was married to Carl Hammett July 5, 1914, in Eastland County.

She was converted and united with the Methodist Church at the age of 15 years near Eastland County. She lived a devoted Christian life. She loved her home, family, church and friends. She was a friendly, cheerful nature, and made many friends wherever she lived. She was loved most by those who knew her best.

For several years after her marriage to Elbert A. Weldon of Wellington, the family lived near Quail, moving to East Texas in 1930 and to Orisi, Calif., in 1941 and later they moved to Orange Cove, Calif.

Mrs. Weldon is survived by her husband, Elbert A. Weldon of Orange Cove, Calif.; five sons and

three daughters, who are Carl B. Hammett and Durward Hammett of Fresno, Calif.; Lowell Dean, Doy, Coy Don, Alyne, Elda Joy and Lynda Weldon of Orange Cove; four granddaughters and two grandsons, Anna Jane, Vonela Lee, Patricia, Peggy Jo Lany and Carl B. Hammett Jr., all of Fresno. Five brothers and two sisters survive: Everett C. Ming, Ernest P. Ming and Mrs. Mae Shirley of Lubbock, Clyde Ming, Rae Ming of Pritchett, Colo., Samuel Ming of Oceanside, Calif., and Mrs. Ora Lee Fritts of Samnorwood. Five nephews and three nieces are Charles Ming of Hatlinger, Kessler Ming of Fort Worth, Donald Ming and Eddie Ming of Pritchett, Colo., Quentin Fritts of Amarillo, Mrs. Tom Smith and Mrs. James Meister of Lubbock, and Mrs. Curtis Thaxton of Wellington.

Larry Sanders Goes To Canadian School As Assistant Coach

Larry Sanders, head coach at McLean High School, resigned recently to become assistant coach of Canadian high school.

Coach Sanders formerly lived at Samnorwood and graduated from high school there. His father, E. G. Sanders, was superintendent of schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs and children of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dickey and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Combs Sunday.



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FOR SALE: H Farmall tractor with 2 row equipment good rubber and good running condition. See W. C. Johnson, 4 miles east, 1 south of Wellington on Mangum highway. 30-2c

FOR SALE: 5 room house; floor furnace and modern in all respects. Mrs. Wayne Parker, 1404 Arlington St. 30-3c

FOR SALE: Priced to sell, one 6 room modern house, one block south, one block west Catholic Church. See Mrs. Dora Ryan, at County Treasurer's Office, Court House. 30-2p

A few Ford stalk cutters left at Emil Kersten's. 30-tfc

FOR SALE: One Ford breaking plow. H. L. Duncan, 904 Bowie St. 31-1p

FOR SALE: Case pickup hay baler; John Deere side delivery rake; Ford tractor, factory equipment, good condition, ready to make a crop. H. O. Carter. Phone 315-W. 701 Floydada. 30-3p

FOR SALE: Registered Hereford bulls and heifers, 10 to 18 months old. R. J. Holland, 3 1-2 miles northwest of Dodson. 30-10p

FOR SALE: In Shamrock, Texas, 3 room modern house on corner, 100 ft. front pavement; 4 room modern house with 50 ft. lot, \$3000, each. Duward Price, Shamrock Barber Shop, Shamrock, Texas. 30-2c

FOR SALE: Regular Farmall, 1 mile north, 3-4 east of town section. Horace Holliman. 30-2p

FOR SALE: 4 row tractor, M & M, good shape. Equipment included. See C. E. Roberts or call 309-R. 31-2p

Bulk Garden seed, flower seed, shrubbery, grass seed, Vigoro for lawns and gardens. Anything to beautify your home. Starkey Seed Store. South Side Square. 29-tfc

Trailer wheels and stalk cutter wheels. Plenty of them. Emil Kersten. 30-tfc

FOR SALE: 2 dozen whiterock pullets, call 329-W, 1000 Graham St., Mrs. J. F. Holly. 31-1c

FOR SALE: Nice fryers, heavies. See Mrs. W. A. Morrow or leave word at Morrow Station. 31-1p

FOR SALE: Pigs and shoats, also 4 year old Shetland pony, weighs about 750 pounds. See Jack Phipps, 1-2 mile west, 1 north, 3-4 west of Crossroad school house. 31-2p

FOR SALE: Piano, good condition. See B. W. Baird. 31-tfc

FOR SALE: Model B John Deere Tool Bar Lister Planter, set of 6 chisel shanks and chisels, \$160. Jess Deger, 3 mile east of Lutie. 31-2p

FOR SALE: One twenty gallon automatic water heater, \$15.00. Phone 347-M. H. L. Duncan, 904 Bowie Street. 31-1p

FOR SALE: 1939 4-door Ford, good tires and motor in fair shape. Cheap. 700 Floydada, B. C. Scott. 31-2p

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FOR SALE: Model B John Deere, 37 model with equipment. See Ocie Black, Quail, Texas. 29-3p

FOR SALE: Section of land, 340 acres in cultivation. Well improved. See W. S. Useton. 804 Childress St. 29-3p

FOR SALE: 1 American 12 inch Drum, 2 Philco 8 inch Drums and 1 eger. D. E. Fulton. 28-tfc

Any kind of trailers at Emil Kersten's. 30-tfc

Trailer wheels and stalk cutter wheels. Plenty of them. Emil Kersten. 30-tfc

FOR SALE: 300-350 pound steer calves; milch cows fresh in from one to five weeks. One mile south Needwood. Mrs. M. A. Mabry, Rt. 6. 31-2p

Plastic seat covers, tailor-made to fit your new car. You will be amazed at the low price. Hughs Glass & Trim Shop. 31-1p

See Jack Gibson for your hospital insurance. Phone 55-J or 302-R. Pontiac Dealer. 31-tfc

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FOR SALE: Two milk cows. Fresh now. Both have steer calves. L. S. Keller, 3-4 mile north of Cross Roads school. 31-1c

FOR SALE: Ford Tractor and equipment. Good condition. May be seen at 1208 El Paso St. Mrs. S. B. Jackson. 31-1c

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LOST: Black Shaffer fountain pen between Bowie and high school first part of last week. 31-1p

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Church Calendar

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. Austin Moore, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
NYPs 6:30 p.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Mid-week Service,
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Vaughn Shofner, Minister
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 10:45 a.m.
Young Peoples' Bible
Study 6:00 p.m.
Preaching 7:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Bible Study
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
Ladies Bible Class
Thursday 2:30 p.m.

METHODIST CIRCUIT
Rev. Clyde Wells, pastor
Fresno, first Sunday.
Salt Fork, second Sunday.
Bethel (Loco), third Sunday.
Aberdeen, fourth Sunday.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Preaching 11:15 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

PLEASANT HILL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. J. Sims, pastor
Sunday School,
Every Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Church Services, 2nd and 4th
Sundays 11:30 a.m.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Howard Jones, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 10:55 a.m.
BTU 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening
Service 7:30 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Noel Bryant, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 7:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.
Women's Society of Christian Service,
Monday 3:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal,
Wednesday 7:00 and 7:30 p.m.
DODSON CHURCH OF CHRIST
Morning Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

DODSON NAZARENE CHURCH
Rev. John W. Eppler, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
NYPs 7:00 p.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting,
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
Missionary Society,
Thursday 2:30 p.m.

LILLIE CHURCH
Rev. Steve Greenwood, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m.
B. T. U. 7:30 p.m.
Preaching 8:30 p.m.
W. M. U. at 2:30 p.m. each 1st
and 3rd Monday
O. R. Spears, Sunday School Supt.
Rev. Vernon Jones, B. T. U.
Director

SAMNORWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Clyde Garrison, pastor
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Church 11:00 a.m.
BTU 7:30 p.m.
Preaching 8:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting,
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
402 El Paso
Walter E. Lane, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m., 7:30 p.m.

Gospel of Christ

(Rom. 1:16)

PAUL'S FAITH

In learning the boundaries of Paul's faith we must let him speak. He wrote these words to the Corinthians: "For I determined not to know any thing among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified." (1 Cor. 2:2). In Gal. 2:20 he says, "I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me." Christ had full possession of Paul.

Of apostolic Christians he says "We have the mind of Christ" (1 Cor. 2:16), and to the drifting Galatians he wrote, "I marvel that ye are so soon removed from him that called you into the grace of Christ unto another gospel. But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed" (Gal. 1:6, 8). He preached only Christ's gospel, and within its confines he was satisfied. To those who "turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables" (2 Tim. 4:4) he plainly states his stand: "For do I now persuade men, or God? or do I seek to please men? for if I yet pleased men, I should not be the servant of Christ" (Gal. 1:10). Paul's was an exclusive faith.

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Preaching 8:00 p.m.

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The Rev. H. W. Gaston, pastor
Dodson 2nd and 4th Sundays
Kelley 1st Sunday
Fresno 3rd Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

SHAMROCK METHODIST CIRCUIT
Rev. O. C. Evans, pastor
Samnorwood:
Church School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m. and
8:00 p.m. each first Sunday
Glen Davis Memorial Methodist
Church:
Church School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m. and
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Sunday nights at Dozier.

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The Rev. Charles Knapp, Pastor
Mass, 11:00 a.m. each Sunday
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Mass, 6:35 a.m. each week day
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chapel.
Confessions, Saturday, 7:30 to
8:30 p.m.

LUTHER BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. E. Brown, pastor
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Preaching 11:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Prayer
Service 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
J. N. Darnell, Pastor
Zook Thomas, Bible School Supt.
Bible School 10:00 a.m.
Communion Worship 11:00 a.m.
Preaching 11:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
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9th and Floydada Streets
The Rev. George Shoff, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Services 11:00 a.m.
Y. P. Services 7:00 p.m.
Evening Services 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Meeting 8:00 p.m.

Legal Notices

COUNTY BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES' ORDER FOR AN ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH

It appearing to the County Board of School Trustees of Collingsworth County, Texas, that it will be for the best interest of the pupils of each of the following common school districts:

Fresno No. 5; Rolla No. 11; Shinnery No. 12; Bean Hill No. 16; Housellog No. 21; Midway No. 30 and Wilnuler No. 34, that such common school districts be annexed to the Wellington Independent School District thereby forming the Wellington Independent Rural High School District for high school purposes and thus giving better high school privileges for the pupils of each of such common school districts; and it further appearing to said County Board of School Trustees that the area of this proposed rural high school district contains more than one hundred (100) square miles and that in order to affect such annexation to form said proposed rural high school district it is necessary that an election be held throughout the entire territory to be affected by such annexation and that said County Board of School Trustees is the vested authority for the calling of such election:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Board of School Trustees of Collingsworth County, Texas:

THAT the aforesaid common school districts be annexed to the Wellington Independent School District to form the Wellington Independent Rural High School District in the manner provided by Chapter 19A of the 1925 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, articles 2922a, 2922b, and 2922c, as amended by Acts 1927, 40th Leg. 1st C. S., page 206, ch. 78, and by Acts 1947, 50th Leg. R. S., pages 798 and 799, ch. 398; and

THAT an election be held on the 14th day of February A. D., 1948, in the COUNTY COURT ROOM of the Court House of Collingsworth County, in Wellington, Texas, for the purpose of determining whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of said proposed

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independent rural high school district favor the creation of said proposed Wellington Independent Rural High School District to be composed of the above mentioned districts, namely: Fresno district No. 5; Rolla district No. 11; Shinnery district No. 12; Bean Hill district No. 16; Housellog district No. 21; Midway district No. 30; and Wilnuler district No. 34; and Wellington Independent School District.

J. C. FORD is hereby appointed to preside over said election and he shall select one judge and one clerk to assist him in holding said election and he shall within five days after said election has been held, make due returns thereof to the County Clerk of Collingsworth County, Texas, and these returns shall be canvassed by the County Board of School Trustees of this County, and the results shall be certified to by said County Clerk and said County Board.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident qualified voters of said proposed rural high school district, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

All voters who favor the annexation of the above mentioned common school districts to said independent school district for the purpose of creating the Wellington Independent Rural High School District, shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "FOR ANNEXATION".

All voters who oppose the annexation of the above mentioned common school districts to said independent school district for the

purpose of creating the Wellington Independent Rural High School District, shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "AGAINST ANNEXATION."

NOTICE OF THE DATE of said election shall be given by the Sheriff of Collingsworth County, Texas, by posting copies of this order in at least two public places in the proposed Wellington Independent Rural High School District for three consecutive weeks before the date of the election, and by causing a copy of this order to be published for three weeks prior to the date of said election in some newspaper of general circulation that has been continuously and regularly published for one year previous to the date of this order, in Collingsworth County, Texas, the date of the first publication being not less than twenty-one (21) days prior to the date of said election.

PASSED this 15th day of January, A. D., 1948.
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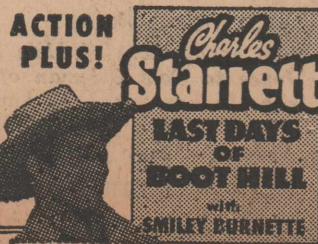
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Cowboys as fashion experts provided an unusual spectacle when they served as judges in a recent male-tested fashion show at the Stork Club in New York. Shown above is one of the winning dresses selected. It is a swirl print crepe dress with panier drape on each side of the skirt. It has a keyhole neckline, self-belt and short sleeves. The jury included a cowboy movie star, a champion calf roper, a champion bull rider and trick rider, a rodeo judge, a saddle bronc champion and a bareback champion.

Miss Ruth Aaron, Bynum Hightower Wed in Candlelight Ceremony At First Methodist Church

In a candlelight ceremony read just at twilight Friday evening, January 30, by the Rev. Hubert Thomson at the First Methodist Church in Wellington, Miss Ruth Aaron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Aaron of Quail, became the bride of Bynum Hightower, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hightower of Dodson.

Mrs. Luther Gribble played the traditional wedding marches and accompanied Mrs. Sam Adams, sister of the bride, who sang "Always," and "I Love You Truly." Mrs. Gribble played the organ softly during the ceremony, and after the pronouncement Mrs. Adams sang "The Lord's Prayer."

Palms, gladioli and candelabra holding white candles decorated the altar. The candles were lighted by Wanda and Wilma Hightower, sisters of the groom.

Rose petals were scattered by Jackie Risinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Risinger. Jackie was dressed in a dress of white net. Stephen Noel Bryant, small son of Rev. and Mrs. Noel Bryant, carried the plain wedding band on a white satin pillow.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an old-fashioned wedding gown of white slipper satin made with fitted bodice, full sleeves, and petal shaped train. A double strand of pearls accented the high neckline and the fingertip veil fell from a halo made of white carnations. The bride carried a fan-shaped bouquet made of deep pink roses and white carnations with streamers of pink satin. For "something old" she wore a wedding ring which belonged to her grandmother six generations ago.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Cleo Aaron, as maid of honor, and Miss Lorrhae McWhorter

and Mrs. Gorman Owens were bridesmaids. Miss Aaron wore a pale yellow dress fashioned like the bride's, and the bridesmaids were dressed in identical dresses of blue and pink satin. They carried sheaves of yellow acacia, from which hung streamers of colored satin ribbon. On their heads, the maid of honor and bridesmaids wore halos made of net entwined with tiny yellow flowers.

Garland Hightower, brother of the groom, served as best man. Ushers were Perry Mack Scott and Charles Grimes.

Both the bride's and groom's mothers chose black dresses and their corsages were of white carnations.

At the reception which followed immediately in the church parlor, the refreshment table was laid with a white damask cloth. Tall white tapers and a centerpiece of pink and white carnations formed a lovely setting for the pink and white three-tiered cake.

In the receiving line were Mrs. G. L. Jones, aunt of the bride, Mrs. J. W. Aaron, mother of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hightower, father and mother of the groom, and the bride and groom. Opal Mae Pegram presided at the bride's book. The cake was served by Miss Beatrice Kalka, and punch was poured by Mrs. Gorman Owens, assisted by Mrs. Leon Brisbin and Mrs. C. M. Aaron.

When the couple left for a short wedding trip, the bride wore a rose wool crepe suit with gray accessories. Her hat was of gray straw trimmed with deeper gray nylon in which were nestled tiny pink roses.

The couple will make their home seven miles north of Dodson where the groom is engaged in farming.

Engagement of Miss Mable Jones And Dale Coleman Is Announced By Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Jones of Quail announce the engagement of their daughter, Mable Joan, to Dale Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Coleman of Palmyra, Indiana.

Miss Jones is a professor at Florida State University in Tallahassee. Mr. Coleman is a graduate of the University of Indiana. During the war he served with the Army Quartermaster Corps. He is employed with Sears, Roebuck and Co. in Chicago.

Fresno HD Club Members Have Recent Meeting In Clement Home

The Fresno HD Club met recently at the home of Mrs. E. C. Clement. Joy Riley, home demonstration agent, gave a glove making demonstration, and refreshments were served.

Members attending the meeting were Mmes. N. E. Wynn, W. V. Morrow, K. B. Lowrie, Lester Harwell, A. B. Hicks, Billie Uselton, Newell Burk, E. C. Clement, C. A. Kesler and Inez and Mabel Clement.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Lester Harwell on February 17.



Miss Mable Jones

The engagement of Miss Mable Jones to Dale Coleman of Chicago is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Jones of Quail.

A. G. Taylor was a recent medical in the St. Joseph's Hospital.

P. J. ... was a recent medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital.

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Miss Addierene Clay Becomes Bride Of J. W. French in Double Ring Ceremony February 3

Miss Addierene Clay, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. French of Quail, and J. W. French Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. French of Wellington were married in an impressive candlelight ceremony at the Methodist Church in Quail Tuesday evening, February 3.

The Rev. P. L. Arnold of San Jon, N. M., an uncle of the bride, read the double ring vows before an altar decorated with palms and backed with candelabra and tall white tapers. Baskets of white gladioluses flanked the sides of the altar. The Rev. Williams of Amarillo, also an uncle of the bride, offered the closing prayer.

The pews of the church were marked with white bows and candles, and the candles were lighted by Louise Alexander and Avrylla Clay, sister of the bride, who were dressed alike in blue taffeta dresses.

Mrs. Jack Brisbin accompanied George Graham who sang "I Love You Truly" and "Always." Mrs. Brisbin also played the traditional wedding marches.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin gown with fitted yoke and simple gored skirt, and a finger tip veil. She carried a corsage of talisman roses.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Mildred Clay of Quail as maid of honor, and Miss Margie Burdine of Amarillo and Mrs. R. D. Wickington of Dallas as bridesmaids; Kenneth Hodge of Floydada attended the groom as best man, and Alvin Clay, brother of the bride, and Joe Horn of Wellington were the ushers.

A reception was held in the church parlor immediately following the wedding. Vonita Arnold presided at the bride's book and Joan Crabtree of Lubbock and Mrs. Ted Brock served the three-tiered wedding cake.

Mrs. French is a January graduate of Texas Tech and holds the bachelor of science degree in home economics. She attended the Quail schools and taught there last year.

Mr. French, a graduate of Wellington High School, is a student at Texas Tech where he is majoring in chemical engineering. During the war he served with the Navy for two years.

The couple will make their home in Lubbock.

Pink and Blue Shower Honors Mrs. James Somerville Thursday Evening

Mrs. James Somerville was complimented with a pink and blue shower on Thursday evening, January 29, in the home of Mrs. Felix Hunt.

The group enjoyed games, and refreshments were served to those who attended the shower, including Mmes. Lloyd Sutton, Weldon Belew, Sam Hollingsworth, Paul Little, Bill Hunt, Tommy Jesse, S. B. Branch, Rudolph Killough, J. L. Branch, J. A. Poteet, R. H. Gibbons, Lewis Tingle, and Misses Marie Hunt and Louise McNeil, the honoree, the hostess and Mrs. Calvin Bush who assisted as co-hostess.

Those sending gifts were Mmes. M. C. Hood, Roy Crowover, George Reeves, Royce Campbell, Troy Stallings, Luther Edwards, Herman Somerville of Borger, Mrs. Belew, Mrs. Fletcher and Mrs. O. B. Jesse.

Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. James Crockett

Mmes Earl Hunter, Luther McPherson, J. S. Dorn and Pete Brock were co-hostesses at a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Jimmie Crockett, the former Miss Maxine Scott at the Brock residence on Tuesday evening, January 27.

The guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Brock and presented to the groom's mother, Mrs. J. W. Crockett of Hollis, and bride's mother, Mrs. Clyde Scott.

The gifts were on display and were shown to the guests by Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. McPherson. Miss Norma Joyce Brock presided at the bride's book.

Refreshments were served from the lace covered table that was centered with pink gladioli in a crystal bowl and tall pink tapers in crystal holders. Miss Ethra Jean Norman presided at the silver tea service and Miss Joyce McPherson assisted in the serving. Over thirty guests attended the shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cochran of Weatherford were here about four days last week.

Judith Ann, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodroe Wilson entered St. Joseph's Hospital January 24.

Quanah Friends Honor Mrs. J. M. Strong

As a pleasant surprise on her birthday, a group of friends of Mrs. J. M. Strong Sr. drove here from Quanah on that occasion, Wednesday, January 21. In addition to those who came, others sent gifts.

Mrs. Strong, who now makes her home with her son J. M. Strong, and his family, has lived in Wellington for 33 years. A number of years ago she lost her eyesight, but not willing to let this stop her of pleasure in life, she learned to read braille. Now, in addition to her own books, she secures others through the State Library. Her "record books", phonograph recordings of books, help to entertain her and her radio is a source of constant companionship.

"Sometimes I feel I do not have time to read all of these books, even though I have all the time there is," she commented Wednesday morning.

Friends who came from Quanah or who sent gifts were Mrs. J. E. Wilbright, Mrs. C. T. Watkins, Mrs. E. J. Wall, Mrs. Sallie Kinlerly, Mrs. Eva Lynch, Dr. J. H. Wilson, Miss Ora Lee Wilson and Mrs. Annabell Jessie.

Wellington friends calling to bring gifts or greetings were Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Martin, Mrs. J. E. Leggett, Mrs. Inez Miller, Mrs. Jessie Glenn and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Leggett.

"It all left many pleasant recollections for me," Mrs. Strong said.

Rebekah Lodge Organizes The Busy Bee Club As Auxiliary

At a meeting of the Rebekah Lodge on Thursday night, January 29, in the home of Mrs. J. C. Dean, the Busy Bee Club was organized to cooperate with the lodge.

Willie Belle Kersten was elected president; Ethel Brickey, vice-president; Ruby Smith, secretary-treasurer; and Thelma Wisdom, reporter. The club will meet every first and third Thursday night of the month.

Mrs. Dean was honored with a surprise birthday party by the group which included Margaret Fuson, Willie B. Smith, Bertha Drummond, Charity Dean, Willie Belle Kersten and Ruby Smith.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the Kersten residence on Thursday evening, February 5, and all lodge members are invited to attend.

Mrs. Sam Adams Feted By Bridal Shower

On Wednesday, January 28, the home economics cottage at Quail was the scene of a bridal shower given for Mrs. Sam Adams, the former Eloise Aaron, by Mrs. Bert Weaver, Mrs. R. E. Graham, and Bertie Weaver.

To open the program, Beth Dodson and Marjorie Wilson sang "Alice Blue Gown," and "The Girl That I Marry." They also gave several readings. The guests played a game called "scrambled hopechest," and refreshments were served.

Those attending the shower were Misses Opal Peggram, Lorrhae McWhorter, Margaret McElreath, Joyce Neeley, Beth Dodson, Marjorie Wilson, Ruth Aaron, Barba Bess Weaver and Bernice Griffin. Mesdames Osa Black, Warren Carter, W. R. Peggram, Tom Wilson, Earl Allen, Ira Morgan, W. C. Starr, T. C. Crabtree, Noah Cunningham, R. E. Graham, L. L. Holland, J. D. Aaron, Calvin Aaron, G. L. Jones, C. W. Robinson, Raymond Neeley, John Bishop, J. H. Adams.

Those sending gifts were Mrs. Fred Brown, Mrs. Frank Kennedy, Mrs. Johnnie Parker, Mrs. Ira Paige, Miss Nadine Price, Mrs. Z. J. Neeley, Mrs. Paul Fielding, Mrs. Charles Mitchell, Mrs. Bettie Casey, Mrs. Lewis Morris, Mrs. A. E. Owens, Mrs. Claude McKinney, Mrs. Lonnie Vaughn, Mrs. C. S. Price, Mrs. Sam Fielding, Mrs. Bill Clay, Mrs. Frank Coleman, Mrs. Leon Brisbin, Mrs. Bob Fuson, Mrs. A. C. Pendergrass, Mrs. Treva Jones, Mrs. Ben Ratliff, and Mrs. S. J. Aaron.

The Bill Harbin Residence Is Scene of Loco HD Club Meeting

The home of Mrs. Bill Harbin was the scene of a meeting of the Loco HD Club on Monday, January 23. After the business meeting, a game contest was held and Mrs. Ted Wheeler was the winner.

Refreshments were served to the group, Mrs. M. C. Minter, Patricia Louise Bouchelle, Mmes. Roscoe Ellard, Bill Harbin, Silas Crawford, Herman Belew, Ted Wheeler, Clarence Terry, Earl Alexander and Charlie Bearden.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Herman Belew.

Eastern Star Sponsors Game Tournament

Members of the local Eastern Star group are sponsoring a game tournament to be held on Monday evening, February 9, at the Community Building.

Games will start at 7:30 o'clock and the admission fee will be 50 cents per person. Those attending will have an opportunity to play their favorite game. Proceeds will be used in remodeling the kitchen at the Masonic Hall.



Your Spring Suit

Your spring suit will have a waistline look like the suit of flaming rayon, with a capelet shown above.

Billie Carter Is Hostess At Young People's Party Friday Night

Miss Billie Fern Carter was hostess at a party in her home on Friday night, January 30. The group played games and enjoyed refreshments of punch, sandwiches and cookies.

The guest list included Joyce Camp, Barbara Terry, Samuel Hicks, James Barnett, Bonnie Mae Lee, Eva Joyce Bice, Howard Fike, Ben Underwood, Frances Carter, Pean Phipps, Donald Gene Shoff, Elouise Richards, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Young, Lola Loman, Jessie Mae Terry, James Loman, Captain and Mrs. Bert Carter, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thomas, Anita Louise Thomas and Herbert Morris Carter.

Arvie Lee Reeves, four-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reeves entered St. Joseph's Hospital January 24 for medical treatment.

RING By MRS. A. V. MOTE

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen and family, long-time residents of this community, have moved to near Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. O'Hair spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Mote. Mrs. Mote is ill in her home here.

We welcome the Robert Thomas family of Bray and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Norton of Pleasant Hill into the community as new residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oatman and Ross visited in the A. V. Mote home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hartman and Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oatman and Ross, Bill Casey and Cora Mae Mote took dinner in the G. A. Wilkerson home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilkerson and family of Clarendon visited his mother and father here on Sunday evening.

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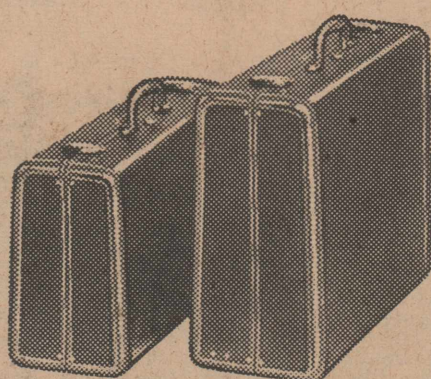
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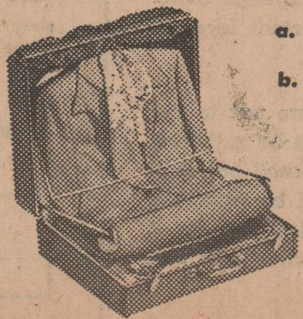
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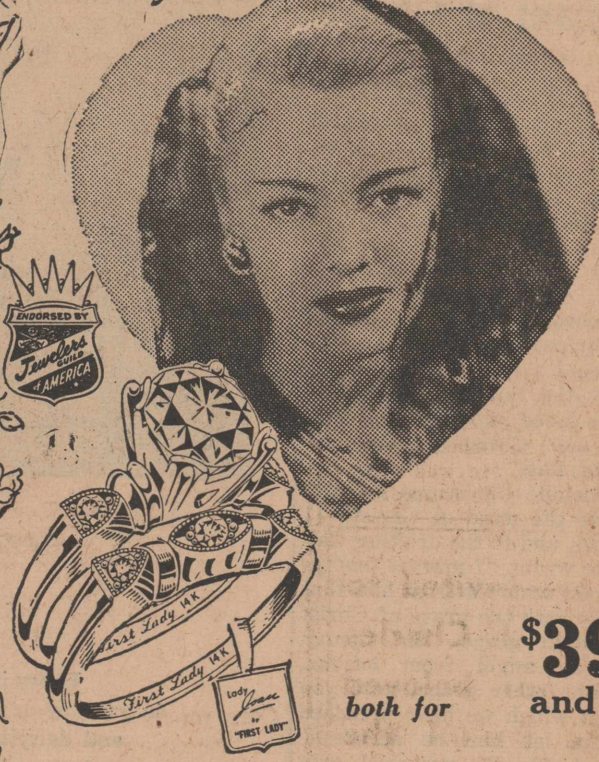


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—By Deskins Wells

We had hush puppies at our house the other day. They are delicious with catfish. Here is the recipe:

- 1 cup cornmeal.
- 2 teaspoons baking powder.
- 1-2 teaspoon salt.
- 1 small onion to medium onion, diced.
- 1 egg.
- 1-4 cup milk or water.
- Serves three or four.

Mix together the dry ingredients and the finely cut onion. Break in the egg and beat vigorously. Add the liquid. Form into small patties, round or finger-shaped. Drop in the deep smoking fat in which fish has been fried, until deep brown. Serve hot and at once. If you wish you can make them slightly larger and then punch a hole in the center like a doughnut. This gives twice as much crisp, crunch crust, so the cook book says. They are good enough without the hole in the center; but you might try it.

Plans for the Wellington Chamber of Commerce are progressing smoothly. Two men with experience in this type of work have been interviewed by the board of directors and three other applicants will be interviewed in the near future. Personally, I was impressed with each of the two managers who have been contacted. It seemed to me that they knew their stuff; but the board has decided to take its time in selecting a man and a careful check on each man will be made before any is employed.

Following the mid-winter meeting of The Texas Press Association in Dallas, Louise and I spent a most delightful evening as the guests of Mrs. Corinne Cook of Mesquite. She had as her guest of honor Robert St. John, radio commentator and author. He has been criticized severely by Time magazine for certain observations in his book "The Silent People Speak." It is about the Balkans and in it he says that the people of Yugoslavia are better off under the communistic regime of Tito than they have ever been before. He says that he is just a reporter and he wants the American people to know what the facts are. He says that their present material comfort is all the people of that Balkan nation have to go by. They have no means of reckoning it in comparison with such liberties as freedom of speech, freedom of religion, freedom of the press; because they have never known any of these things in the past.

Mr. St. John was listened to with interest and appreciation; but the dominating personality of the evening turned out to be Alan C. McIntosh, brilliant publisher of The Star-Herald of Luverne, Minnesota. His looks and actions remind you of Gen. Eisenhower. Not only can he answer questions; but his incisive mind enables him to ask questions with a clarity that is sometimes startling.

Mr. St. John had remarked that he was no Wallace man or something like that—I was listening to an attractive lady at the time and make no pretense of reporting accurately on this particular statement. But it was in the back of my mind as I listened to the conversation shift and flow. My impression is that while Mr. St. John may not be a Wallace man, he would be if he thought that Henry could run as fast as a gravel wagon on icy pavement.

Alan McIntosh thinks very highly of the accomplishments of Harold Stassen and his chances of carrying the popular vote of the nation provided the Republicans nominate the former governor of Minnesota. He was chary indeed when it came to express-

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ing an opinion about Stassen's chances of becoming the Republican nominee.

Another impression gained in the little private huddles after the TPA meeting. Most Texas editors look on Coke Stevenson with much favor. They continue to be impressed with the record Coke made during the difficult war years. Actually O'Daniel has not announced; but the editors feel that if he does he will have met more than his match.

There will be a horse race for the seat of R. L. Templeton as state representative of the 122nd district. Granger McIlhenny of Wheeler and Carl B. Morris of Clarendon have announced to date. If they are the only candidates, it will be a nip and tuck contest. Both are personable young men and have clean records back of them. Another fine young man from this county has been debating about getting in the race. If he does each of the three lesser populated counties will have a candidate. In that case Pampa and Gray county will dominate the election.

What is cooking in the congressional race? A delegation from Wheeler came to see me last week while I was in Dallas and left word with Virginia Robey asking me if I would run again. Right on top of this a number of letters, resembling a plan more than spontaneous individual opinions, started coming to my office this week from Pampa. I have started answering these with my thanks but at the same time telling them that I have no interest in being a candidate for any office this year. (I don't even want to be on the Wellington school board when new trustees are elected.) But the facts remain that if a group of people

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tians. The Catholic and Episcopal are the strongest. Our Baptist work is weak. The people are ready for Christianity and I hope our Mission Board will send a great number of missionaries to this field as soon as possible.

You ask if I thought we were going to have another war. I do not know. Things don't look good, and the trouble we are having with Russia makes a dark picture. I think we are making a mistake by cutting our military forces. And I don't think we can finance the rest of the world.

Well, hope all is going well with you and all your family, and may the blessings of the Lord be upon you.

start out looking for a candidate for a certain office that they are most likely to find one. Gene Worley may face his hardest race this year.

Here is an interesting item by J. A. Koch in The Quanaah Tribune-Chief that soil conservation might well remember:

"Do you know you can judge the fertility of a farm by the number of quail it harbors? It has been proven that when a farm or field becomes barren that quail will not and can not remain and raise there. In once fertile section, which were lacking in bird life, where the land has been fertilized, the quail have returned in as great numbers as when the land was virgin. Game managers found it was useless to try to increase the quail population in any other way than by bringing back the soil to a state of productivity."

Judge Gribble - (Continued from Page One)

12 were affirmed, 1 is still pending and only 3 have been reversed. The full cooperation of the other officers of your court, the jurors and lawyers, have made this possible.

To dispatch the business of the court, we have arranged to hold court in each of the five counties at least once each month and at such other times as the business of the court requires. Grand Juries have been called into session at such times as matters arose demanding their attention to the end that all persons indicted for violation of the felony laws of this state would receive a speedy trial. Petit jurors have been called only after cases were set in which juries were demanded.

If returned to this office, it will be my purpose to continue to conduct your District Court in a fair and business like manner and to dispose of all cases filed, both criminal and civil, with the least possible delay.

I appreciate the honor and privilege of being your District Judge for this one term and respectfully solicit your support for a second term.

Luther Gribble

Armstrong Infant -

Howard Jones, pastor of the First Baptist Church, in charge.

The baby was born Thursday, January 29.

Surviving are the parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McClaskey of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong of Oak Grove, La. Other relatives here are Mr. and Mrs. William W. McClaskey, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie McClaskey, Richard McClaskey and Miss Dora E. McClaskey.

Burial was in the Wellington cemetery under the direction of the Ellis Funeral Home.

John Rodney Lewis, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Lewis of Memphis entered St. Joseph's Hospital for major surgery January 20.

Percy Lee Dempsey, son of R. B. Downs of Dodson was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Roberts of Higgins are here this week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roberts. They are moving to Allison where Mr. Roberts will be principal of the school.

H. C. Morrow entered St. Joseph's Hospital January 24.

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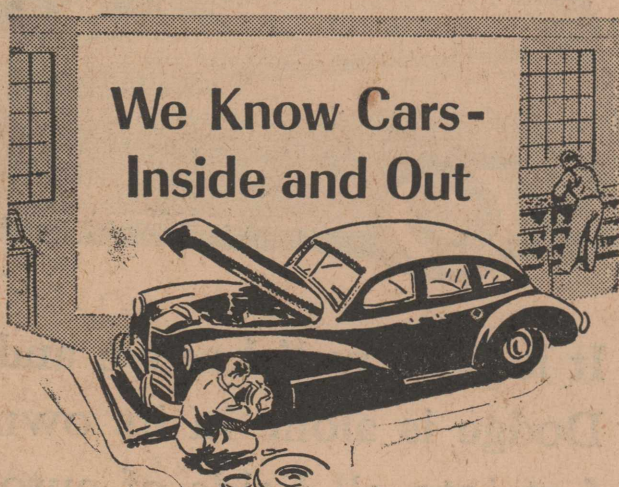
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Farm and Ranch Chatter

With Layne Beaty, WBAP, Fort Worth

Some early birds got after a worm in Texas last week. It's the pink bollworm, which is regarded as our worst cotton pest, even more so than the boll weevil, though not as widespread.

The "birds" are about 100 leaders of the state's cotton industry in its various phases, federal and state cotton insect regulatory officials, who met in Temple on January 7 at the behest of the insect control section of the Statewide Cotton Committee. Eugene Butler, editor of Progressive Farmer magazine, is section chairman. Proper application of DDT will kill the worms, but stalk plow-up after harvest is considered important in most Texas cotton areas.

J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, reported that 130 counties in Texas are now under pink bollworm quarantine. State law prohibits the planting of cotton in these counties except by permission of the commissioner, after he is satisfied that strict precautions have been taken to keep the insect from spreading. Usually, such permission is given in blanket form to a whole county or area at a time. In the Rio Grande Valley, where infestation has been heaviest, permission is given to growers individually. There, it is mandatory that all cotton stalks be plowed under by September 1. Growers put \$10 per bale in escrow, which they forfeit if they fail to plow under the old stalks by the closing date.

Reports from the Rio Grande Valley hold that since the stalk plow-up practice became widespread, yields have increased considerably and cotton insect damage has been reduced to a minimum.

One of the most impressive sights in north Texas now is the six new 100 x 400 ft. concrete and steel show barns lined up behind Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum in Fort Worth. They'll be ready for the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, January 30 to February 8.

The American Broadcasting Co. has announced that its February 7 American Farmer program (WBAP-570, 11:30 to 12 noon) will include a 15-minute pickup from the Fort Worth stock show. Some other networks are showing interest. John Douglass, agriculture director for the Australian Broadcasting Commission, will be here making

recordings for his listeners "down under."

Scientists have developed a fly which is almost immune to DDT. They're doing it to learn more about the strength, etc., of insecticides, but let's hope they don't let any of the super-flies get away. Nature will take care of new pests to keep us busy, anyway. . . . At Blytheville, Ark., recently, 88 cows picked at random from some dairy herds which had been sprayed during the fly season with DDT, had increased their daily milk output by 179.8 pounds—that's over two pounds per cow. It's figured that \$8.80 per month spent for spraying produced \$178 additional income. Dairymen had sprayed their cattle regularly with a power sprayer made available by the state veterinarian, the Farm Bureau, and the county agent.

The Texas Co-operative Ginners Association will hold its annual meeting February 9 and 10 in San Antonio. Secretary Cook says individual membership is around 100,000, with some 400 gins involved.

January Fatal For Pedestrian

More pedestrians are run down and killed by automobiles in January than in any other month of the year. December runs a close second in the slaughter and February isn't far behind.

Those are grim words of safety experts of the National Conservation Bureau, accident prevention division of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies, in their continuing drive against accidental deaths of all types. They give a special warning to the man on foot now, because of the increased hazard to his life during the winter months. Over 12,000 pedestrians were killed on the nation's streets and highways during 1947, they said.

Reasons for the higher death rate for pedestrians during the winter months—they are lowest in June—are the longer hours of darkness and adverse weather conditions. Icy or snow-packed pavements make it more difficult to stop. To the pedestrians the Bureau offers the pointer that they cross streets only at designated crosswalks where drivers expect them to be.

Navy Trade Schools Open to Men with No Prior Service

High School Graduates who have no prior service in the Armed Forces and who meet specific requirements as to physical standards and mental qualifications will be permitted to select a trade school prior to enlistment in the Navy, announced Chief L. D. Burgess, recruiter-in-charge of the Navy Recruiting Station, 221 Ave. "B", N. W. in Childress. Qualified enlistees will be assured that upon completion of recruit training they will be entered into the school of their choice. Service school assignments will be made within specific quotas, Burgess said, and that the quota cannot be exceeded.

Only men between the ages of 17 and 31 who have had no prior service in any armed force are eligible for enlistment under this program. Applicants must present original certificate diploma or an original equivalency certificate in order to qualify.

Some of the schools open are. Cooks and bakers, electrician, machinist, yeoman, radioman, storekeeper, sonar operator, optical primary, fire controlman, Electronic material, Aviation electronic material, basic submarine and aviation schools.

Chief Burgess pointed out that this is an excellent opportunity for a High School Graduate to become skilled in the profession of his choice. He will be glad to give full information concerning this new program to all those who are interested.

Little things can make a big difference in winter driving. The Texas Safety Association urges car drivers to keep a close check on headlights and tail-light and keep them in good condition and to keep the windshield wiper working. And remember, a little less speed means a much greater chance to avoid accidents.

Foard County Farmer Steps Up Yield of Alfalfa This Year

COLLEGE STATION — Monroe Karcher, farmer in Riverside community in Foard county, never had as much alfalfa seed and hay as he harvested this year.

Karcher baled 7,000 bales of threshed hay and harvested 83,000 pounds of seed. All from 156 acres of land.

It started last February, Joseph E. Burkett, county agent, says, when Karcher applied 300 pounds of superphosphate per acre on his alfalfa land. He'd never used superphosphate before.

He cut the hay twice before letting it go to seed.

He told Burkett that the biggest seed yield he'd ever had before was 200 pounds per acre. This year, it averaged out to 532 pounds per acre.

Astronomers Getting Ready for a Good Look at Mars

AUSTIN — Astronomers are going to get a good look at the planet Mars next February 13, Dr. Gerard P. Kuiper, director of the University of Texas McDonald Observatory, says.

On that date, Mars will be close enough for magnification to a size four times as large as the full moon appears to the eye. Dr. Kuiper said he hopes to observe the infrared spectrum of polar caps and green areas previously visible, and perhaps determine whether water is present on Mars.

Mars will make its closest approach to earth for the next two years. Astronomers will look at the planet through a spectrometer, sensitive instrument which applies the science of electronics to astronomy.

The Texas Safety Association reminds drivers that Death hides behind an obstructed view—a building—a fence—a signboard—anything. Slow down so that you can stop quickly if necessary.

Navy Enlistment Requirements Low

Chief L. D. Burgess, recruiter-in-charge of the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station in Childress today announced that certain physical standards have been lowered for qualification for enlistment in the Navy.

Failure to pass the color perception test is no longer disqualifying, Burgess said. Also height requirements have been changed to a minimum of 60 inches and a maximum of 78 inches, and eyes and teeth requirements have also been lowered.

Chief Burgess said that many men are enlisting in the Navy now under the new physical requirements who were disqualified before. For full information visit the new Navy Recruiting Station located in the Texas Employment Office, 221 Avenue B, N. W., in Childress.

Fire Destroys N. L. Ray Home

Fire believed to have started from an oil stove destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Ray approximately two miles north of Wellington Wednesday evening, January 21, about 4:00 p.m.

Members of the family were able to save only a few household articles.

Mr. Ray is caretaker at the East Ward School.

The Texas Safety Association says when you fail to dim your lights just because the other fellow is blinding you . . . you're risking your life and violating the Uniform Traffic Code. Courtesy buys a lot of safety!

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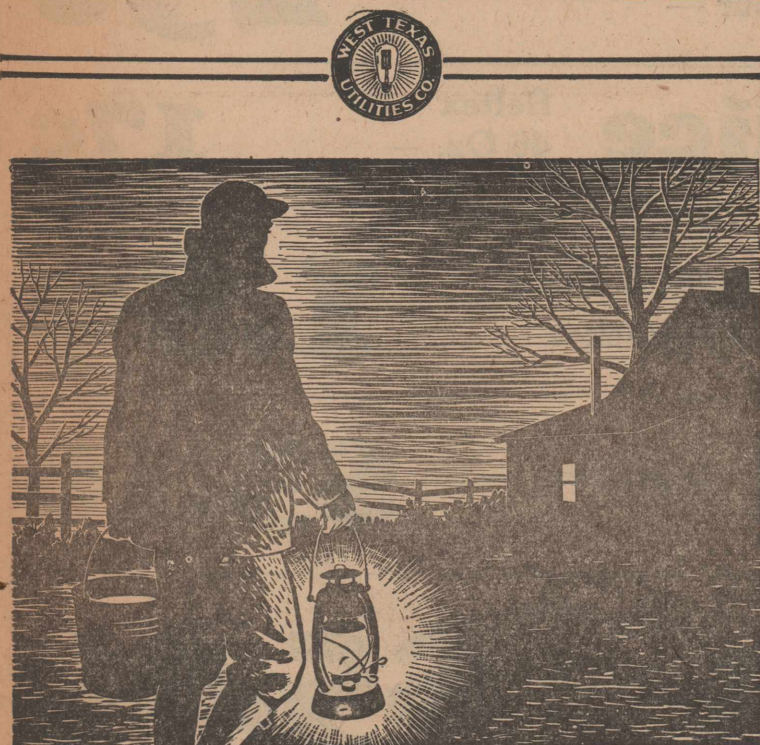
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City folks used to think farm life was a lonely life.

Today, automobiles, telephones, and—above all—electric service—have nearly ended loneliness on the farm.

Low-cost, dependable, electric service turns dark into day, pumps water, milks cows, grinds feed—does dozens of other chores—brings entertainment and market reports.

Who brought electric service to the farms?

The business-managed, self-supporting electric companies began the job some 60 years ago. They did the pioneering...developed new methods and equipment...learned to meet the problems of weather and distance...and continued to bring better and cheaper electric service to more and more farms and ranches.

In 1936 the Rural Electrification Administration was born. With Rural co-operatives, it joined in the job.

Today, electric service is available to more than three-quarters of American farms. The majority of those farms are being served by business-managed, tax-paying electric companies.

It has been the policy of the West Texas Utilities Company, not only to supply the low-cost, dependable electric service which makes the farm a happier place in which to live...but also to help the farmer make the best possible use of electric service, to lessen the burden of farm work and to increase production and profits...and in turn the purchasing power of the area we serve.

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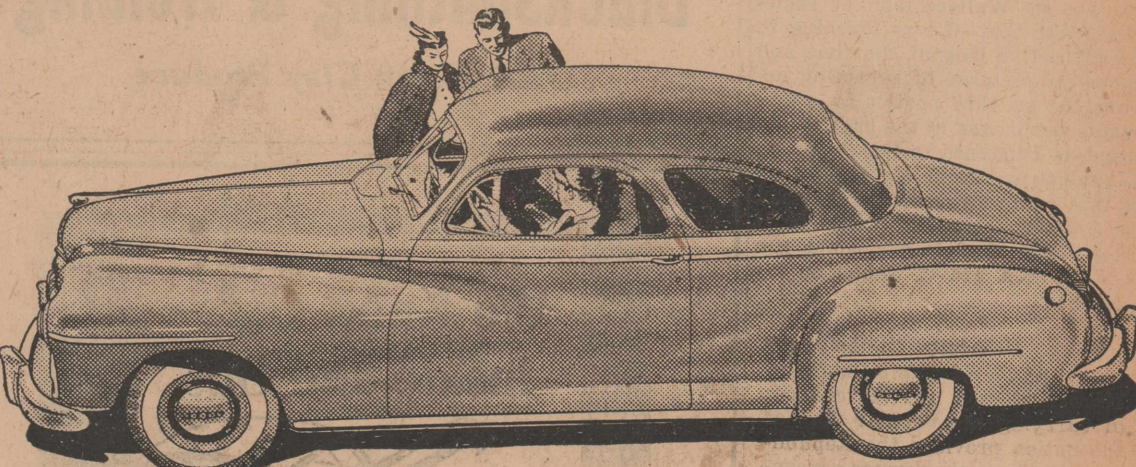
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Seventy Named on Junior High Honor Roll for Semester

Seventy Junior High students were named on the semester honor roll Principal H. L. Plante announced late last week, after grading of final examinations had been completed.

Six of these boys and girls had an average of "A" in all subjects. All others on the honor roll had grades consisting of all "A's" and "B's" or "B's".

On the "A" roll are:
Sixth grade: Roberta Posey, Diane Schaded, Beatrice Hutchins and Betty Karnes.

Seventh grade: Gerald Hudson and Jocelyn Wells.

Making all "A's" and "B's" were:
Fourth grade: Cletha Watson, Reginald Smith, Sharon Swift, Dale Savage, Ronald Judd, Gus Drake, Sammy Daw, Donnie Jo Cole, John Cartwright, Suella Benge and Cynthia Atkins.

Fifth grade: Frank Jones, Nellie Paye Harris, Robbie Ann Greggs, Dorothy Jean Drummond, Billy Frank Agee, LaJuan Wilson, Vera Ward, Billie Sue Ward, Renee Thomason, John Gordon Thomas, Nelda Terry, LaNora Stall, Donald Rummel, Gary Phillips and Kenneth McDowell.

Sixth grade: Jo Ann Moore, Wayne Lacy, Harold Hudson, Eleanor Drake, Jo Ann Aaron, Genevieve Bartlett, Hazel Savage, and Doolen Starkey.

Seventh grade: Bennie Bob Graves, Shirley Agee, Priscilla Baumgardner, James Hartman, Cecilia Elbert, Peggy Jeffers, Glenna Fred Yarbrough, Betty Wood, Virgil White, John Hayden Smith and James Frederick LeDerer.

On the "B" honor roll were:
Fourth grade: Joyce Warrick, Lawrence Lamkin, Barton Groves, Dickey Craig, Rebecca Lee Cook, and Billy Bratten.

Fifth grade: Hugh Kutch, Dorothy Nell Estes, Thomas Bryant and Eddie Slay.

Sixth grade: Doris Lewis, Kay Allen, Jerry Lynn Couch, and Billy Dean Gardner.

Seventh grade: Freddie Alexander, Jimmy Thompson, Tawana Beth Scott, Jimmy Leggett and Bill Jones.

LILLIE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

Sunday School was well attended Sunday at Lillie. Rev. Greenwood filled his regular appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Anglin of the Crossroad community visited Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Needham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carraker of Wellington spent Saturday night in the L. D. McMinn home.

Rev. Greenwood visited in the Clarence and Hick HMorrow homes Sunday evening.

We are glad to report that Hick Morrow is improving. He was taken home from the hospital last Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Jones visited in the Luther Robertson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin of California have moved back here. They plan to farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Manuel and Mrs. Mertie Manuel of Childress visited in the Haskel Manuel home Sunday.

We are glad to report that Jim Lowe is better. He was brought home from the hospital Friday.

The young folks were dinner guests in the Mac Horton home Sunday. Those present were Lucille Davis, Allen Musgrove, Juanita Davis, Nina Pearl Holder, Wilma Jean Higgenbottom, Wanda Lee McGary, Lesley Davis, Helen Davis, Gloria B. Morris, Pauline Spear, Fern Jones, Paul Spear, Jerry Robertson, Jack Robertson, Don Manuel, Luke Tollett, Edd Nix, Cork Tollett, Nadine Nix, Audrey Needham, George Nix, Sonny Barnett, James Davis and Bill McGary.

Juanita Clark to Leon Roberts—lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 35, Wellington.

Carl Bullington and wife to Herman Childress—lots 7, 8 and 9, block 128, Wellington.

O. M. Hall and wife to W. B. Norman—lot 23, block 1, Quail.

R. R. Kellison and wife to R. R. Hightower—70 acres in the southeast part of section 55, block 10 and 140 acres out of section 46, block 10.

W. J. James and wife to Irven Alderson—lots 10, 11 and 12, block 23, Wellington.

Twenty-Eight New Cars and Trucks Registered in Jan.

Twenty-eight new cars and trucks were registered in the office of J. W. Holder, county tax assessor and collector, during January. Nineteen of these were passenger cars and nine were either commercial or farm trucks or jeeps.

Passenger cars registered during January were for: Mrs. E. K. Jones, Chevrolet coupe; Dr. J. M. Orr, Chevrolet coupe; Lester Hunter, Buick 4-door; C. D. Browning, Plymouth special 2-door; W. W. Oldham, Frazer 4-door sedan; E. H. Harwell, Pontiac sedan coupe.

C. E. McKinney, Ford Tudor; A. T. Smith, Kaiser 4-door sedan; Kenneth Wilson, Kaiser 4-door sedan; Mrs. Nellie F. Cook, Plymouth Tudor; Wilton Ketchum, Plymouth 4-door sedan; George F. Smith of Granite, Oklahoma, Studebaker 4-door sedan; C. T. Donnell, Pontiac Sedan Coupe.

James Doneghy, Chrysler 4-door sedan; Mrs. Pink Sullivan, Chevrolet 4-door sedan; H. L. Laycock, Kaiser 4-door sedan; D. F. Lacy, Ford Deluxe Tudor; Wayne Parker, Kaiser 4-door sedan; A. C. Patterson, Ford Tudor;

New truck licenses were issued to Horton & Harwell, Chevrolet 2-ton truck; Edwin Crowder, Chevrolet grain truck; Eli Wolf, Dodge one-half ton pickup; A. V. Beattie, Willys jeep; W. C. Barnett, Chevrolet truck; T. W. Devenport, Willys jeep; Ernest Nunnelley, Chevrolet three-fourths ton pickup; Ray Peoples, Chevrolet 2-ton truck; and Oscar W. Peoples, Chevrolet one-ton pickup.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Strong and children of Hollis visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Strong Sunday. Gary Strong remained for a longer visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Claude Wells of Memphis visited Sunday afternoon in the homes of his brother and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wells.

Use Want Ads for Results.

SAMNORWOOD

By MRS. C. W. FRITTS

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Young and children visited his parents the past week, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young and Gene.

Mrs. Green of Quanah visited her daughter, Mrs. Sonny Young in the Robert Young home several days last week.

Mrs. C. W. Fritts returned home Wednesday from Orange Cove, California, where she had visited her sister, Mrs. Annie Weldon, who passed away January 21. She visited her sister's children, Lowell Dean, Alyne, Lynda and Elda Joy, and Doy and Cary Don Weldon at Orange Cove, Calif., and nephews, and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Hammett and children and Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Hammett and children at Fresno, Calif.

M. L. Gambrell was in Amarillo last week visiting his daughters, Mrs. Shy Morgan and Mrs. Thomas Westfall and their families, and with his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dick Gambrell, of Channing, who underwent an operation in the Northwest Texas Hospital at Amarillo. Hick Morrow returned home Tuesday of last week from St. Joseph's Hospital, Wellington, where he underwent medical treatment.

Little two-year Don Carrel Killman was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital last week.

A. L. Kelly and children visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Pruden Sunday.

Mr. W. E. McBride fell from a bundle wagon Thursday morning and broke his shoulder.

Miss Helen Jo Holder, who is in school at Denton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holder over the week end.

Thanks To Our Friends

It has been our pleasure to serve you for many years, and we think that the merit of this service is best shown by your continued co-operation, friendship and patronage over a long period of time.

We have and still do appreciate your friendship and the interest you have taken in this store. As we turn it over to the new management, we want to express our sincere thanks and invite your continued patronage; for we feel that the store will be in most capable hands.

T. E. Benge Lester Benge

Real Estate Transfers

Lillie M. Smith to Roy B. Young and wife—the east 155 acres of a tract out of section 28, block 10; and 1.3 acres of land adjoining the above tract in section 28, block 10.

R. E. Darnell and wife to Robert S. Thomas—the northwest one-fourth of section 87, block 21, and the southwest one-fourth of section 96, block 21.

T. B. Lovelace, R. A. Lovelace, and Roy A. Lovelace to 3 Cookes Cattle Company—sections 112, 123 and 124, block 21.

W. H. Allen and wife to R. E. Darnell and wife—the northwest one-fourth of section 87, block 21 and the southwest one-fourth of section 96, block 21.

Freda Saied and husband, Mack Saied, to Sandy K. Parsons Jr.,—lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, block 82, Wellington.



From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Do You Have Noisy Neighbors?

A lot of the neighbors were suddenly annoyed by Jeb Crowell's hammering at night. Jeb was building himself a new front porch—and the only time that he could give to it was after sundown.

Finally we decided the best thing to do was all pitch in and help—and get the carpentry over with as soon as possible. We did. Finished the porch next evening—and Jeb gratefully treated us to ice cold beer and cider.

From where I sit, that's what being a good neighbor means. In-

stead of complaining about the other fellow's habits, try to understand and share his interests.

So if my practising on the flute annoys you, come on over, neighbor, with your fiddle or guitar and join me! Maybe it will end up in our knowing and appreciating one another better... in an evening of good fellowship. And I'll promise to provide the beer that goes with evenings of good fellowship!

Joe Marsh

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Thanks for A Wonderful Reception

We greatly appreciate the fact that so many of you came to visit our new store upon the occasion of our formal opening in Wellington. We did have to make extra refreshments; but it warmed our hearts to know that more of you wanted to come than we had expected in our rosiest hopes.

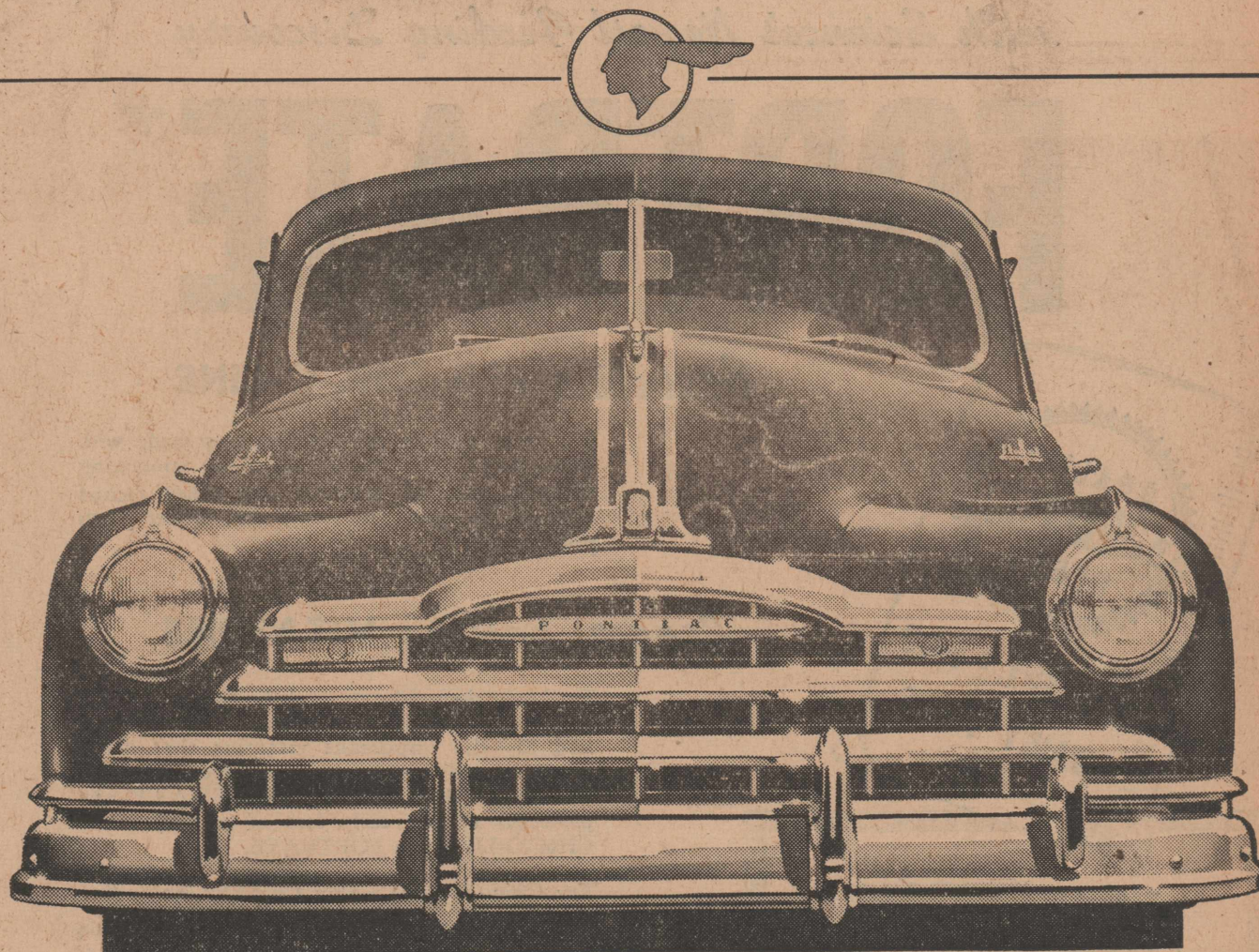
We thank those of you who bought and we thank those of you who came to inspect our store. We want you to come back often whether you plan to buy anything or not; for we want to make this a friendly store as well as an efficient one selling high grade products.

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masterpiece—which shifts gears automatically, and completely eliminates the clutch pedal.

Coupled with this great engineering triumph is a striking improvement in beauty and luxury. New exterior smartness extends from the new radiator grille to the streamlined rear bumper.

Interiors, too, are remarkably improved. Upholsteries are more beautiful and are expertly blended to achieve new attractiveness and charm. Instrument panels are finished in a smart design adapted from quarter-sawn mahogany—and an adroit use of chrome moulding adds a deft touch of modernity.

Engine and chassis have been refined wherever possible—but they remain, basically, the same engineering masterpieces which have become

synonymous in the automotive industry with goodness and dependability.

There are many more things we could tell you about the new Pontiac, for there are countless improvements which add to its traditional quality and value. But we feel that, for those who know Pontiac, we need only say—

—here is, by far, the most beautiful Pontiac ever built

—here is the most luxurious Pontiac ever built

—here is the most dependable Pontiac ever built

—and it is now available with GM Hydra-Matic Drive—*optional at additional cost.

We wish only to add that it is here—on display in our showroom—and that you are most cordially invited to see and inspect it.



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"Zero-Zero" to "CAVU"

By BILL HUGHES

The Flying Field at Marian Airpark is now just on the verge of getting its wings, a manager and an operator and a school. The Northeast-Southwest runway is bladed and rolled. The city hangar is ready. A young fellow, say about 30, has already established his residence in Wellington. He is moving here from Iowa Park, Texas. His name is Tom Kane, a native Texan with better than 6,000 hours of flight experience. He was an instructor before the war, and during it he served as Instructor and Chief Flight Instructor in the Army in one of their Flight Training Programs at Randolph Field. He has to his credit the remarkable record of never having had a student of his scratch an aeroplane. He has a letter of recommendation from his Commanding Officer of which there is no finer. Since the war, he has been instructing on a GI Flight Program in Wichita Falls.

As his record best attests, he is thorough and industrious. Besides being an excellent pilot, Tom is a very likeable guy, with a swell wife and a family of one son, age 11 months, the apple of daddy's eye. Wellington will be gaining more than just an airport manager, more than just a flight school, more than just a new business. They are gaining two more good citizens. As Tom told the City Council, "we have looked all around and have picked Wellington as a spot in which we wish to plant our garden." I hope everybody will take the time to get out and know them, both at the field and at home. He will need our help and co-operation for the going at first is bound to be plenty rough, but like some others of us here, he believes in the potential possibilities offered by Marian Airpark in the aviation game. He comes here to start on his own and to live in a swell community. Good luck, Tom.

The development of a lighted baseball park and ball team to be sponsored by the Wellington Chamber of Commerce is underway. The

ball park will be installed in its place at Marian Airpark as planned for in the master plans as drawn by Bura Handley and green lighted by the Mayor and the City Council. The money is being raised by a Subscription Loan from the business men of Wellington and any or all of you who might be interested in this project. The committee for raising funds and responsible for the installation is headed by J. M. Strong and includes "Polly" O'Neil, Bud Holton, Floyd Cole, James Sullivan and Bobo Castleberry. Today with half the businesses having been contacted, better than half the Subscription Loan has been raised, \$3800.00. Give them a boost over the top.

It is with regret and a real sense of personal loss that I must break the news to his friends of the death of Elmer, my peerless co-pilot, friend and buddy, our little, black, half-Scotty. He was known and loved as far West as California, as far North as Montana, and South to the Border. Someone shot him in the back and in the neck and left him for dead, but he was not dead, not yet. In spite of an injured spine and torn ribs, weak from loss of quantities of blood, weak from shock of pain, he somehow managed to make his way home alone through the cold mist and the black of night. Since there are no guns nearer than a mile of the house, he had to travel at least that far. He remained standing on his feet, his head bowed almost between his front legs until we found him at the front door. With great effort, but on his own power, he lay down and went straight to the bedroom and his rug where he lay down and from there he never walked again. On his last mile in this world, he displayed without a whimper or a tear, a courage, a will, and a faith that millions of us humans hope to have but too often never reach. The hardest part of all is that his Pard and his Mistress could not help him at her he had won the battle of that

Eighteen Marriage Licenses Issued Here in January

Only eighteen marriage licenses were issued during January in the office of J. M. Moore, county clerk. This is several less than the number sold each month during the fall and early winter.

Licenses issued January were to: Tommy J. Bell and Miss Ramona Ruth Kinslow, January 4.

Jerry Daniel and Miss Dorothy Davis, January 7.

Hubert G. Bright and Miss Virginia Ford, January 8.

Donald Bass and Miss Peggy Curtis, January 8.

Dorsey Edward Tabor and Miss Elowese Elizabeth Harper, January 10.

Eugene Dean Jr. and Miss Jerry Elizabeth Dunn, January 10.

Thomas A. Allen and Miss Lola Lee White, January 12.

Arno Gipson Hendrix and Miss Rena Masters, January 15.

Herman Moore and Miss Frankie Lee Jones, January 15.

William W. Mosley and Miss June McCulloch, January 16.

C. L. Young and Miss Billie Udene Lewis, January 16.

Paul Edwin Little and Mrs. Ruby Lee Tucker, January 16.

Herschel Tabor and Miss Bernice Riddle, January 16.

Albert Fulcher and Miss Lois Ford, January 17.

R. J. Harvey and Mrs. Willie Abia, January 20.

James L. Crockett and Miss Maxine Scott, January 21.

Brynum Hightower and Miss Ruth Aaron, January 23.

Arvil Patton and Mrs. Barbara Patton, January 31.

Dashing across the street in the middle of a block is the way to the morgue, says the Texas Safety Association. Cross only in the crosswalk.

long final mile. True, he was only a dog, but lest some forget or never knew, love and pain make no distinction.

Mrs. L. E. Reeves Dies in California

Mrs. L. E. Reeves, a former resident of Collingsworth County, died January 27, at Oxnard, California, her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Henry, has written The Wellington Leader.

Mrs. Reeves was born July 11, 1885, at Protem, Missouri, and at the time of her death she was 63 years of age. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Kee-see, long-time residents of the Shinnery area.

She was married to Leonard E. Reeves September 16, 1903. They lived in Collingsworth County from 1903 until 1940, when they moved to Oxnard, Calif., with their family. Mrs. Reeves had many friends around Wellington. She had been a member of the Church of Christ for 50 years.

Funeral services were held Thursday, January 29, at 11:00 a.m. In charge of the services was the Min. L. C. Bussard of the Church of Christ at Ventura, Calif. Organist was Miss Mary Reardon. Songs were "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be," and "In the Sweet Bye and Bye." Burial was in the Ivy Lawn cemetery.

Mrs. Reeves is survived by her husband, Leonard Reeves, and 12 children: Manford Reeves, Charles Reeves, R. F. Reeves and L. E. Reeves Jr.; Mrs. Floyd Henry and Mrs. Gertie Odom of Oxnard, California; Troy Reeves of Eugene, Oregon; Diemar Reeves of Sioux Falls, S. D.; Mrs. Jovela Mendez of Riverside, Calif.; Mrs. Zephia Lee Colvert of North East, Penna.; Mrs. John Young of Porterville, Calif.; and Mrs. Raymond Vaughn of McCamey. Other survivors are 25 grandchildren; two great grandchildren; and these brothers and sisters: Mrs. W. E. Winters, Mrs. Charles Hill and Mrs. Pete Brock of Wellington, J. J. Keesee of Orange, Calif.; J. F. Keesee of Granite, Okla.; P. D. Keesee of Elk City, Okla.; T. M. Keesee of Roswell, N. M.; C. E. Keesee of Hollis, Mrs. Addie Bynum of California, Miss Myra Keesee of Granite, and Mrs. Bill Gafford of Crowell.

Thirty-One on Quail Honor Roll For Six Weeks

Thirty-one students were named on the honor roll for the third six weeks period, Noah Cunningham, superintendent, announced this week. The list includes:

First grade: Linda Kay Davis, Michael Vaughn.

Second grade: Gale Price, Edith Messer, Ronald Cummings, Paul Jones, Loyd Langford, Jerry DeFord, Gano Wilson, Marion Tidwell, Dale Ratliff.

Third grade: Patsy Aaron, Betty Dollar and Ellen Messer.

Fourth grade: Johnnie Lou Bruce, Bobby Ken Robertson.

Fifth grade: Wanda Rose Phipps.

Sixth grade: Johnnie Aaron, Wanda Sue Vaughn.

Seventh grade: Hettie Baggett, Eugene Black, and Jo Helen White.

Eighth grade: Ann Dishman, Barbara Davis, Jo Ann Blevins, Donald Glenn, Georgia Lauder-milk.

Ninth grade: Helen Wischkaemper.

Tenth grade: Janet Allen.

Eleventh grade: Marilyn Watkins, Avyrella Clay.

Twelfth grade: Eloise Adams.

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Personal

Patsy Roark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roark was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital the first of last week.

Marion and Barbara Baumgardner of Tech are here this week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baumgardner.

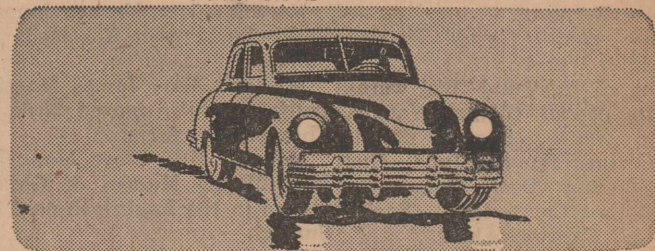
Mrs. M. B. McKinney, mother of Buck McKinney entered St. Joseph's Hospital January 27 for medical treatment.

Rikki Kirk, 14-month-old son of G. B. Kirk entered St. Joseph's Hospital January 27 for medical treatment.

Billy Harold Scott was a recent medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital.

James Wilson of Loco entered St. Joseph's Hospital January 21.

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Relieve the aches and "sleep robbing" Miseries of Colds fast with 666 (tablets or liquid)
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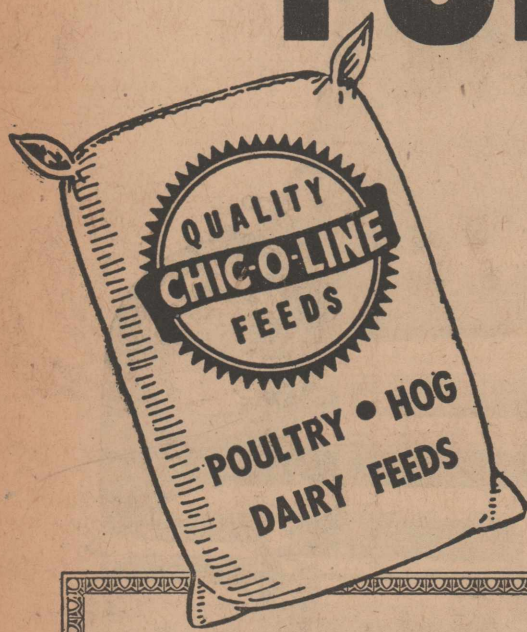
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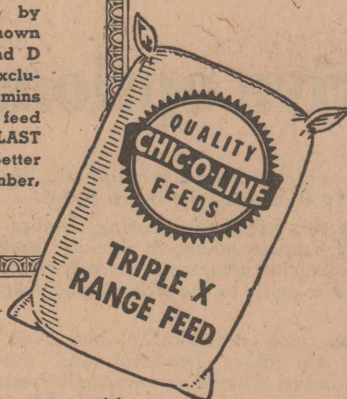
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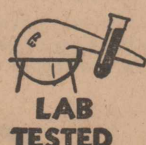
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39¢

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Gallon —

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25 Lb. Sack — **1.89**

TOMATOES No. 2 Can
2 For — **25c**

SPINACH No. 2 Can
Del Monte — **13c**

PINTOS New Crop
2 Lb. Bag — **31c**

SALMON Pink
1 Lb. Can — **49c**

MEAL Kimbell, Fancy
White, 10 Lb. — **79c**

Bakerite Shortening
3 Lb. Can — **1.25**

OXYDOL 38¢
Box —

D U Z 38¢
Box —

I V O R Y 10¢
Personal Bar —

I V O R Y 19¢
Large Bar —

CAMAY 11¢
Bar —

L A V A 15¢
Large Bar —

L A V A 11¢
Medium Bar —

BLUWHITE 10¢
Box —

Sweetheart 16¢
Bath Size, Bar —

Sweetheart 10¢
Regular Bar —

DREFT 35¢
Box —

V E L 35¢
Box —

DUROX 10¢
Quart —

STARCH 25¢
Elastic, 3 For —

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 17¢
46 Oz. Can —

ORANGE JUICE 25¢
W. G., 46 Oz. Can —

TOMATO JUICE 21¢
House of George, 46 Oz. Can —

PINEAPPLE JUICE 47¢
Del Monte, 46 Oz. Can —

Fruits and Vegetables
ALCOHOL 15¢
Pint Bottle —

CABBAGE 5¢
Firm, Lb. —

CELERY 19¢
Stalk —

GRAPEFRUIT 7¢
Large Size, 3 For —

APPLES 10¢
Delicious, Lb. —

Bakers Best 98¢
Bottle —

DENTAL CREAM
IPANA 43¢
50c Size —



Mary Lee Taylor's
Valentine Pudding

Broadcast: February 7, 1948
1 1/2 cups canned fruit cocktail
1 package lemon-flavored gelatin
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup Pet Milk

Drain fruit; remove cherries. Heat 1 1/2 cups juice to boiling. Stir in gelatin and salt. When cool, stir in milk. Chill until syrupy; whip until fluffy. Measure 1/4 cup drained fruit; fold remaining fruit into gelatin mixture. Put into wet heart-shaped quart mold or pan. Chill until firm. Unmold. Garnish with heart made of sliced cherries and filled with remaining fruit. Makes 4 servings.

You Will Need:

PET MILK 14¢
Can —

Gelatin 10¢
Lemon, Pkg. —

FRUIT
Cocktail 28¢
No. 1 Can —



MEATS

PORK CHOPS 59¢
Pound —

ROAST 47¢
Beef, Pound —

ROAST 55¢
Pork Loin, Lb. —

FISH 39¢
Boneless, Lb. —

JOWLS 29¢
Dry Salt, Lb. —

SAUSAGE 47¢
Pure Pork, Lb. —

PRESERVES

Pure Peach
2 Lb. Jar —

43c

APPLE BUTTER
2 Lb. Jar —

25c

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TURNIPS 8¢
Pound —

RADISHES 5¢
Bunch —

RHUBARB 19¢
Pound —

AVOCADOS 25¢
Each —

UNITED

Mrs. Phipps -

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Collingsworth County from Jones County in 1902. Here they took their place in the life of the growing county, working for the growth and improvement of their community, for better schools for their own children and their neighbors children, and for all those other things that would make life better for their young family.

Mrs. Phipps' chief interest was in her home and family, and no greater tribute can be paid her than the fact that she raised a family of twelve children—six sons and six daughters—to be men and women who serve their various communities well.

For many years, Mrs. Phipps had been a devout member of the Primitive Baptist Church. Her membership was in the Wellington church at the time of her death.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ in Wellington Monday afternoon, February 2, with Rev. Floyd Pittman of Vinson in charge.

Pall bearers were Mrs. Phipps' grandsons, Foster Emmert, Spurgeon Phipps, Evelyn Phipps, Jas. Phipps, J. L. Phipps and Glenn Phipps. Flower bearers were granddaughters, Mary Phipps, Lona Bell Chandler, Margrette Guthrie, Peggy Rodgers, Maxine Phipps and Juanita Williams.

Mrs. Phipps is survived by her husband, J. C. Phipps of Wellington; eleven children: Peter Phipps and Jerry Phipps of Muleshoe; Charlie Phipps of Friona; J. D. Phipps of Dimmitt; Mrs. I. E. Emmert of Texola, Okla.; Mrs. L. E. Rodgers of Littlefield; Mrs. George Aaron of Amarillo; Jack Phipps, Dudley Phipps, Mrs. J. P. Guthrie and Mrs. Buford Chandler of Wellington. One daughter preceded her in death.

Other survivors are 53 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren; and four brothers and a sister; Jim Yopp of Quail, Earnest Yopp of Clayton, N. M., John Yopp of California, and Mrs. Corbin of McLean.

3 Way Boxing -

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Simms of Amarillo and Chet Reeves of Childress. Only a lucky knockout punch by his opponent kept Simms from being the winner of his class in the Golden Gloves tournament, while Reeves advanced to the finals in that event.

Scheduled fights in which Wellington boys will participate are Jack Sallie vs. Bill Combs, 156 pound class.

135 pound class: Joe Goulding

of Amarillo vs. Choice Harris of Wellington.

125 pound class: Bo Bob Clinton of Amarillo vs. Billy Karnes of Wellington.

120 pound class: Jimmy Hatcher of Amarillo vs. Earl Patterson of Wellington.

112 pound class: Earl Chissom of Amarillo vs. Stanley Hennard of Wellington; and Jimmy Stewart of Amarillo vs. Don Beard of Wellington.

95 pound class: Arthur Martinas of Amarillo vs. Wilbur Earl Smith of Wellington.

Other fights of the evening are Claude Kino of Amarillo vs. Paul Burton of Childress, 128 pounds; J. R. Vaughan of Amarillo vs. David Cheatem of Childress, 125; and Bob Heffner of Amarillo vs. McKinney of Childress, 147.

Mrs. Frank Anderson and Mrs. J. B. Castleberry went to Dallas last Thursday. Mrs. Castleberry stopped at Rhone where she will visit relatives. Mrs. Anderson and Sue returned home Saturday.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT: Furnished bedroom, private entrance. Mrs. L. A. Hunt. 1811 Childress. 31-1p

WANTED: Ironing in my home, 50 cents an hour. Call 398-J. Mrs. Dereskey Melandez, 504 Fort Worth St. 31-1c

FOR SALE: Good three room house to be moved. See E. G. Black, 3 miles north of Bill Reeves store on Mangum highway. 31-1fc

One modern 8 room stucco house, good concrete cellar, garage, chicken yard, good chicken house, nice garden, 13 lots all under fence. Lots of shade trees, 4 bearing apricot trees. Located 501 El Paso. See Mrs. Frank Moore. This is a nice place, always been a home, never been rented. 31-2p

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FOR SALE: F 20 Farmall, good motor, tires and two-row equipment. New paint job. Inquire at Jones Bros. Garage or see Earl Harwell at H & H Furniture. 31-1p

FOR RENT: One unfurnished apartment. E. W. Jenkins. Phone 261-R. 31-1c

FOR SALE: Coal burner chick brooder. Jess Hunsaker. 31-2p

POLITICAL CALENDAR

STATE REP. 22nd Dist.:

Granger McIlhenny, Wheeler
CARL B. MORRIS

JUDGE, 100th Judicial Dist.

LUTHER GRIBBLE

DISTRICT ATTORNEY:

Leonard King, Childress

SHERIFF:

CLAUDE McKINNEY
ELMER JONES

TAX ASSESSOR AND COL.

HUBERT MAULDIN

COMMISSIONER, Pre. 1:

B. F. EVANS

COUNTY JUDGE:

R. L. TEMPLETON
C. C. BISHOP

COMMISSIONER, Precinct 2:

LEE ROARK

COMMISSIONER, Precinct 4:

CORTEZ BARNETT

JUSTICE OF PEACE, Pre. 1:

W. G. HITE

COUNTY CLERK:

J. M. MOORE

DISTRICT CLERK:

MRS. GEORGE KELLER

Mary Flint, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elix Flint was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital January 18.



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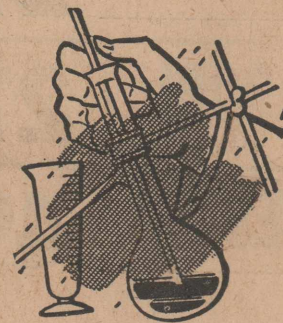
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THROUGH THE YEARS

Exactly As Your Doctor Prescribes

This week our prescription department passed the 194,000 mark. These are originally numbered prescriptions, and do not include refills of prescriptions that people use more than one time. If these were counted the number would be near the 400,000 mark. Those numbers bear mute testimony to years of service in filling your doctor's prescription exactly as prescribed.



Skill a Vital Ingredient

We have two registered Pharmacists in our store and one will be on duty at all hours when the store is open as well as available for phone calls when emergencies arise. We honestly believe that our prescription department is second to none in this area for accuracy, dependability and prompt service.



Accuracy-the Pharmacists Creed

In building this store we have made it one of wide and varied shopping possibilities for the people of the Wellington trade territory; but in all our merchandising we have never lost sight of our original goal which was to make our prescription service and the safeguarding of your health our primary service. We have appreciated the confidence you have shown in us, and we intend to safeguard it with a continuation of the same type of service that has met with your approval in the past.



Announcement-Of Change Of Managers

The Shamburger Lumber Company takes pleasure in informing the people of The Wellington area that C. S. (Buck) Harris has been promoted to the position of manager of our Wellington yard to take the place of Elmer Hiatt, who resigned to buy an interest in a local locker plant.

We feel that Mr. Harris will serve you ably and well. We are also glad to tell you that we are once again getting complete stocks in many building materials that have been scarce.

In addition to all kinds of building materials, you will also find complete stocks of paint, wall paper, plumbing parts, hot water heaters and many other new items in our store.

When you think of building or repairing think of Shamburger; for we have a complete service to offer you.

C. D. Shamburger Lumber Company

Buck Harris, manager

Parsons Drug

SANDY PARSONS, Jr.

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