

Good Business Had On First Monday

A good Trades Day was had First Monday. Although the "crowd" was smaller than usual a good business was enjoyed by Lamesa Merchants. One of the most interesting features of the day was a guessing contest as to who of Lamesa merchant were making possible Trades Day. Five women came to the platform and were given two minutes each to name the merchants. One named 11, another named 15 and two named 17 each. Miss Eunice Gaines of 1 mile west of Lamesa and Mrs. L. H. McLendon of the Higginbotham community tied, each naming 17 merchants and were awarded \$2.50 each.

The list of merchants now comprising Trades Day supporters are: Meekes Grocery, Allen Hardware, Arnett Motor Co., Bryant-Link Co., Ed Noret, Baldwin Dry Goods, Bryant Pharmacy, Clark-McDonald Drug, Collins Dry Goods, Corner Drug, Dal Paso Drug, Davis Food Store, Hatch and Son Grocery, Hull's Cash Grocery, Self Serving Grocery, Pierce's Grocery, Pratt's Cash & Carry, Taylor-McCall Drug, Wilkes Cash Grocery, Yates Hardware, J. C. Penney, A. G. Waugh, Co-op Gin Society No. 1, City Market & Grocery, Hurt's Haberdashery.

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Eighteen Clubs Are Represented in Exhibit

By Miss Madeline Cox

Eighteen home demonstration clubs of Dawson county were represented at the exhibit on Dec. 15th.

An array of canned goods and needle work representing hours of hard work were shown. A total of three hundred and seventy-five containers of fifty-two varieties of food were exhibited. The following were in the group: corn, blackeyed peas, cream peas, english peas, mincemeat, grapes, watermelon preserves, apple preserves, watermelon pickles, strawberry preserves, pear preserves, apple butter, peach preserves, peach jelly, peach jelly, apple jelly, pear jelly, pickled peaches, pickled pears, plums, dewberries, blackberries, cherries, grape juice, apples, apple chutney, pepper relish, tomato relish, okra, chili, steak, fried chicken, gumbo, kraut, soup, cucumber pickles, beet pickles, cucumber rings, chowchow, green pepper, pimientos, tomato-juice, tomato catsup, salad tomatoes, pumpkin, mustard greens, spinach, turnip greens and sweet potatoes, cheese and butter.

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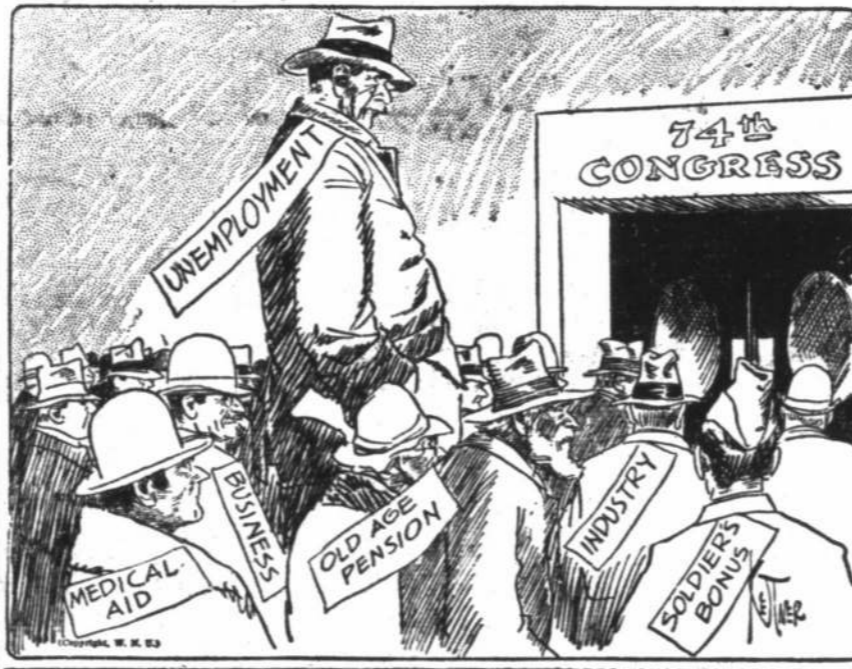
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Before the House



Summary of 6 Months H. D. Work in County

By Miss Madeline Cox
County Home Demonstration Agent

During the past six months Home Demonstration work has been re-established in Dawson county. Eighteen women's clubs and thirteen girl's clubs have been organized, with an enrollment of three hundred and fifty-four women and two hundred and twenty-two girls.

A live at home program has been launched. The home garden and the 4-H pantry are the foundation of the Live-at-Home program.

Forty three subirrigated gardens have been started by club members. Many have been started and made by others. A total of 5000 feet of tile have been made.

Ninety-six foundation patterns have been started. Many have been completed and used.

A total of 1142 pounds of cheese has been made in the county since August.

The following has been provided by club members:

- 4911 containers leafy vegetables.
- 4369 containers starchy vegetables
- 1796 containers other vegetables.
- 10,114 containers canned fruit or fruit juice.
- 1554 containers tomatoes or tomato juice.
- 4666 containers canned meat.
- 57 containers peanut butter.
- 36 containers hominy.
- 2505 containers jelly and preserves.
- 1804 containers pickles and relishes.
- 157 containers soups and misc.

The above total is valued at \$7,513.88.

Klondike; 2, Mrs. C. H. Wintringham, Ballard; 3, Mrs. Buster Rhodes, Klondike.

Tomatoes: 2, Mrs. H. E. Easterwood, Ballard; 3, Mrs. G. C. Clift, Woody.

Green Beans: 1, Mrs. H. E. Easterwood, Ballard; 2, Mrs. Gaston Robinson, Midway; 3, Mrs. C. H. Wintringham, Ballard.

Greens: 2, Mrs. Geo. Hardesty, McCarty.

Cheese: 1, Mrs. McLendon, Hancock; 3, Mrs. R. C. Moore, Ballard.

Rugs: 1, Mrs. Claude F. Gowan, Central; 3, Mrs. W. E. Petteway, Central.

Winners in 4-H Club Doll Dress Contest

Higginbotham: 1, Allene Baxter; 2, Vourine Milliken; 3, Marie House.

Five Mile: 1, Caramel Leonard, 2, Jeynell Faye Wright; 3, Louise Foster.

Munger: 1, Modean Jones; 2 Ruby Kidwell; 3, Aladene Drennan.

Klondike: 1, Virginia Turner; 2, Lottie Self; 3, Naoma Jean Duff.

Fairview: 1, Reba Robinson; 2, Mildred Cox; 3, Ruth Robinson.

Ballard: 1, Tansa Haggood; 2, Eupha Lee-Wilson; 3, Bonnie Jo Ballard.

Hancock: 1, Clara Beth Harrell; 2, Jean Harrell; 3, Pearl Ansley.

McCarty: 1, Margie Bradford; 2, Dorothy May Blair; 3, Nadeon Blair.

County Winners

- 1. Allene Baxter, Higginbotham.
- 2. Clara Beth Harrell, Hancock.
- 3. Reba Robinson, Fairview.

\$22,304.95 Relief Money To County For January

During the past month, dating from December 1 to December 31 inclusive, the monthly report shows \$22,304.95 paid into Dawson county by the state and federal government for direct relief and \$15,999.75 for direct relief and \$15,999.75 for work relief. Money paid for work relief consisted of \$11,698.80 for labor; \$973.60 for team and truck hire; \$2,669.81 paid direct from the state for hauling caliche; and \$657.54 for other expenditures.

Mrs. Effie Floyd Dies Here Saturday Night

Mrs. Effie Floyd died in a hospital here early Saturday night following an operation. Her body was carried to Lubbock Sunday morning by the Higginbotham Funeral car for burial. Funeral services were conducted there Sunday afternoon at the Church of Christ by Rev. Hall of Ralls. Interment was in the Lamesa cemetery.

Mrs. Floyd is survived by her husband and five children and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oath.

Sewing Room Opens Last Friday Morning

After several weeks delay the sewing room was opened Friday morning in the room in the City Hall used formerly for this purpose and under the supervision of Mrs. R. G. Ragan. At present two crews are used each week each crew working three days, and at present due to the lack of sewing machines these are limited to ten women in each crew. Effort is being made to obtain more machines and a larger working room, so that it will be possible to accommodate more clients. Wearing apparel and household necessities are being made, and these articles will be priced and sold accordingly to the relief client.

Green Hut Cafe Under New Management

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Anderson have taken over the management of the Green Hut Cafe. Both have been in the cafe business for many years, Mr. Bailey having twenty years experience, twelve of which have been in Lamesa. They have on their staff Miss Polly Chilton, Copus Boyd, Harry Carter, Drue Lockhart, and H. O. Mosely. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are anxious to please, and will be happy to have your business.

State Supt. Woods To Be At Lubbock

An announcement was received here this week of a special meeting of teachers to be held in Lubbock Saturday night. Public school music is the topic for discussion and Dr. L. A. Woods, State Superintendent of Public Instruction is to be the main speaker. The county superintendent urges all teachers to attend if possible.

Mr. H. L. Hohn of O'Donnell visited in Lamesa Wednesday.

Luncheon Club Has First 1935 Program

The Lamesa Luncheon Club opened its 1935 program Tuesday noon with about 25 present.

Vice-president Rufus Reeves was in the chair in the absence of Sam Richardson, president.

Leonard Scott was program chairman and introduced 1935 in the person of little Miss Patsy Jo Rountree who also sang a delightful solo.

An inspirational talk of the value of the Luncheon Club was made by William A. Wilson, manager of the local chamber of commerce. Wilson outlined the high points of the club since its existence eight years ago, and called on the business and professional men of Lamesa and Dawson county to rally as never before to the cause of the community's needs. He closed his talk with a quotation from Edgar A. Guest in the poem, "It's Not the Town, It's You."

Next week the program will be in charge of Ed Haynes and he promises "no politics" but a rousing good time. All who know how Ed does things will appreciate the fact that he will put the job over right next Tuesday. Better not come if you do not want to laugh and at the same time get something constructive.

Club officials are making a determined effort to make the Luncheon Club program during 1935 the very best. Every man who desires to keep abreast with what is going on in the community and wants to have a part in the planning of the community's program for 1935 would do well to attend the meetings of this Tuesday Luncheon Club.

Auto Tags For 1935 Maroon and White

Automobile license plates for 1935 of all Texas motor cars will be a product of the penitentiary at Huntsville. They will be ready for delivery February 15, 1935. County tax collectors will receive 1,389,000 sets of the plates, to be attached to all vehicles on or before April 1.

Material for the work, including 25 carloads of sheet metal, enamel paint and shipping boxes, has been contracted for at a cost in excess of \$50,000. Machinery to make the plates, bought by the state, cost about \$30,000.

There will be eight different colors for that many types of motor vehicles. Passenger car plates are estimated at 1,100,000; these plates will have white numerals on a maroon background. Quantities and colors of other types are: Commercial vehicles, 150,000, green numerals on grey background; farm vehicles, 75,000, black on green; motor buses, 1500 gray on green; trailers, 40,000, orange on black; dealers, 6,500, black on green; tax exempt (government owned) autos trucks and trailers, 12,000, white on black; motorcycles, 4,000 black on orange and sidecars 500, orange on black.

Presbyterian Food Sale Saturday, January 12

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church is sponsoring a food sale for this coming Saturday, January 12, at the Self Serving Grocery. Each woman in the church is asked to donate some item of food to be sold. The public is cordially invited to look in upon this sale. Come in and see what you want for your Sunday dinner.

Library News

Of interest to the readers of Dawson county is the news that the novel "Anthony Adverse" by Hervey Allen has been placed on the rental shelf of the Lamesa Public Library. It is a titanic novel of adventure and it is predicted to become one of the best loved books of our times. Quoting from a review of the book: "The tale moves swiftly through latter years of the eighteenth century and the early decades of the nineteenth century to delve deep amid the roots of the modern era." The Public Library now boasts of more than 3500 books with donations coming in all the time. It is estimated that almost half of these books are checked out during each month. Even during the month of December the month with the most limited time for reading around a thousand books were checked out.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE TO HOLD REVIVAL MEETING

Rev. R. B. Gilmore of Erick, Oklahoma, will begin a revival meeting January 9 and continue until January 20 at the Church of the Nazarene at 914 North First Street.

Rev. Gilmore is well known in Texas and Oklahoma, having held pastorates and revival meetings in many sections of these states.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services and hear this man who will impress you with his sincerity, please you with his manner, and interest you with his message.

C. T. Watson Gets Rural Colony Post

C. T. Watson, beginning his tenth year as secretary of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce, resigned his position Tuesday to accept appointment as assistant manager of Texas Rural Communities Inc., a federal financed organization designed to care for unemployed through establishment of community centers.

Mr. Watson was for eight years prior to going to Big Spring, county agent of Dawson county, and secretary of the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce. His many friends here are rejoicing with Mr. Watson over his appointment and know that he will make good on his new job in a big way.

Watson who will be in charge of rural villages at Lubbock, Wichita Falls, Mexia, and Nacogdoches, left immediately for Austin to confer with V. R. Smith, manager of the projects. His connection with the Texas Rural Communities will become effective January 15th.

Employment of Mr. Watson was the first step taken in expansion of the movement in Texas since Lawrence Westbrook, assistant director of the Federal Emergency Relief Association, conferred Dec. 29 in Dallas with state officials on the relief road through creation of 2,000 rural-industrial communities which will be chiefly self-supporting.

Watson was under the impression that work of building homes on the plots to which families will be assigned will be pushed in Texas.

Lions Club To Back Basketball Gym

And the Lion's club "popped" open at Wednesday's program. Some thirty men were present and five new members were initiated. The membership pledge was read to L. C. Scott, J. R. Leunberger, Ben Allen, O. H. Morris, W. W. Beeman by Louis B. Reed.

Wm. A. Wilson had charge of the program and introduced F. T. McCollum, principal of the high school, who talked of the need and value of a basketball gym for Lamesa schools.

Following the talk by Mr. McCollum, the Club voted to get behind "Mr. Mac" and help in any way it could to build the gym this season. If anyone should like to know something of the loyalty that Lionism stands for they should ask these new members who were initiated last Wednesday. They should ask them "how full their pocket books are?" And if the Lions who attend the club really know how to "get the job done".

The club also voted to cooperate with any person sick in Lamesa with pneumonia and see that no one suffers if in need of oxygen.

The club voted to have Ladies Night Program next Wednesday evening at 7:30 and Dee Hull, Wm. A. Wilson and Mrs. A. G. Barnard were appointed by Dr. J. M. Harrington to arrange the program for the occasion.

Bernie Holt and Dutch Luenberger, group captains on attendance announced their list of members and the fact that they would begin counting points right away on the contest. The loser will entertain.

Legion Auxiliary To Sponsor Benefit Party

The American Legion Auxiliary is sponsoring a benefit bridge and 42 party at the Legion Hall, Friday night, January 18 at 7:30 o'clock. The admission is 25 cents; the proceeds will go to the charity fund. Every one is invited to attend this party and have a good time.

Sporenberg District Singing At Midway

The Sporenberg District Singing Convention will meet Sunday, January 13, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. at Midway. We are extending a special invitation to all county singers. Mr. G. T. Murphy, connected with the Quartet Music Company of Ft. Worth is expected to be present. Be on time and be sure and bring your song books.

A NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH IN A MODERN WORLD

"Our church must meet the needs of a modern world. How?" Come to B. A. W. Sunday evening, January 13, and hear this subject discussed at the First Baptist church.

- Group 2 Captain, Mrs. Harrison.
- 1. "The New Testament Church Model"—Mrs. Cotten.
- 2. "This Modern World"—Mrs. Weatherford.
- 3. "The Old and the New"—Mrs. Crowley.
- 4. "Meeting Today's Needs"—Mrs. Bryant.
- 5. "The Needs to Be Met"—Mrs. Johnson.

Mrs. W. H. Johnson had as her guests Sunday her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams, and Mrs. Proctor of Brownfield.

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WANT ADS

FOR TRADE: Five room house in town for good mules or car. T. M. Cross, Rt. C. 3-2 miles northeast of Lamesa. 4tp 11-29

PROVEN HOG FEED: Our hog feed contains sufficient minerals, tankage cotton seed meal and grain most satisfactory for four fattening hogs and growing pigs. A quick hog fattener. Located on south side of square in Gaines building.—J. C. Billingsley. 49 tfn.

STRAY YEARLING: Light Jersey Yearling about 1 year old at my place 2 miles south of Patricia. 90 days owner can have same by paying pasture and for this ad. C. G. Painter. 3tp.

FOR SALE: Used barrels. See C. E. Martin. 2tc.

FOR TRADE: 1928 Chevrolet Cabriolet, excellent condition to trade for two head of work stock.—Oscar McKinney, Rt. A. 3tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: About 3000 bundles of good hegari. 3 1-2 miles east of town. Also some work stock.—E. E. Barron. 3tp.

FOR SALE: Challenge Feed Mill in good condition. John Pruitt, 9 miles east of Lamesa. 2tp.

STRAYED: 2 black mare mules, branded JQ. Strayed from my place at Woody. Reward.—T. C. Dreman. 1tp.

FOR SALE: 40 White Leghorn Roosters, March hatch, Payne Strain, 80c each.—C. H. Wintringham, Star Route 4. 3tp.

CARD OF THANKS

To the many kind friends who were so good to us during the illness and loss of our darling Sonny Boy, our feeble words cannot express what our hearts would like to say. We thank you so much and we will never forget you. May God's richest blessings be with you always.

- Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin and family.
- Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin.
- Mr. and Mrs. Caryl Baldwin.
- Mr. and Mrs. Connley Baldwin.
- J. H. Baldwin.
- Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCluskey.
- Mr. and Mrs. G. Z. Sherman.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF DAWSON:

WHEREAS, by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Dawson County, Texas on the 8th day of January A. D. 1935, wherein Lamesa Independent School District is Plaintiff and Rosa Bunch and sometimes known as Rosa Clampett is Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said court against said Defendant and in favor of said Plaintiff, for the sum of Twelve and No-100 Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with costs of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1935, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the Court House door of said County, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Rosa Bunch sometimes known as Rosa Clampett in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit: Lots one (1) to six (6) in Block Six (6) of the Lindsey addition to the town of Lamesa in Dawson County, Texas.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for \$12.00 in favor of Plaintiff together with all costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds to be applied to the satisfaction thereof.

A. L. Boyd, Constable, Prec. No. 1, Dawson County, Texas

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF DAWSON:

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to the said Mrs. Chas. Cox, to-wit: Lots Numbers Two (2) and Three (3) in Block No. Three (3) of the Penix Addition to the town of Lamesa in Dawson County, Texas, and on the 5th days of February, A. D. 1935, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on said day at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue for cash, all the right, title, and interest of the said Mrs. Chas. Cox in and to said property.

Dated at Lamesa, Texas, this the 8th day of January A. D. 1935. A. L. Boyd Constable for Precinct No. One (1), Dawson County, Texas

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Being five acres out of Survey No. 1 under State Abstract No. 158, Block No. 35, Township 5 N. and being the same land conveyed to H. B. Cozzens by A. A. Heath and his wife by their deed dated Aug. 24th, 1928 and recorded in Vol 49 at page 242 of the deed records of Dawson County, Texas.

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FIVE MILE H. D. CLUB MET JANUARY 2ND

The Five Mile Home Demonstration Club met on January 2, with Mrs. Raymond Ernest. Eight members were present. We had a Parliamentary Law drill and also elected our Parliamentarian for the coming year. We will meet with Mrs. John Pruitt January 16. All members are urged to be present.—Reporter.

CENTRAL H. D. CLUB MET JANUARY 2ND

The Central Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, January 2, at the former Baptist parsonage with eight members and two visitors present. Mrs. J. M. Ranson offered her resignation as the club's council representative and Mrs. Gps Schmidt was elected to take her place. We will meet again January 16 at the same place. Everyone is invited to come and join the club.—Reporter.

Marriage license issued to: M. S. Barton and Miss Ethel Robinson on January 2, 1935; Eugene McNew and Miss Lindall Holder on January 5,

Cars registered the past week were: Owen Murphy, 1935 Buick Coupe; J. W. Strong, 1935 Plymouth Sedan.

Mrs. J. A. Richardson has returned from a visit with her sister Mrs. Will Wapps and other relatives of Fort Worth and her mother Mrs. Taylor and two other sisters in Covington. She also visited her daughter, Mrs. John P. Cundieff at Hamlin.

Mrs. J. T. Thornton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Richardson last week.

Mr. Clarence Parks left last Friday for Marion, Illinois, where he has secured a position.

A number of out of town friends and relatives attended the funeral here last Thursday of little Sonny Baldwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Baldwin. Among these were Mrs. Baldwin's father, Mr. J. M. Richards, her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Richards, all of Wellington, her sister, Mrs. Annie-Lou Deering of Pringle, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCluskey of Throckmorton, and Mr. and Mrs. Connley Baldwin of Artesia, New Mexico, the child's great aunt, Mrs. Thomason, of Tenaha. Many friends were here from Brownfield, Wink, and Artesia, New Mexico, where Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin are now making their home.

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Churches

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Services for Sunday, January 13: 9:45 A. M. Sunday School. 11:00 A. M. Preaching and Communion. Sermon subject: "Life's Three Spurs."

6:15 P. M. Young People's Meeting. This group is studying the movies and their influence, and next Sunday evening Mr. Audrey Cox will be our guest speaker. A live discussion is expected to follow the talk. All young people are invited.

The First Christian Church is planning a special service for the 11:00 o'clock hour on January 27. It will be in the form of an anniversary. Some of the charter members will be present, an account of the organization and early beginnings of the church will be given, names and outstanding work of the ministers who have served the church will be reviewed, and the roll of the present members will be called preceding the Communion service. Efforts are being made to have every member

present. Visitors will be welcome. Thomas Massie, Minister.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Week's program: Sunday School 9:45 A. M. Preaching Services 11:00 A. M. B. T. U. 5:45 P. M. Evening Services 7:00 P. M. Junior G. A., Monday 4:15 P. M. Intermediate G. A. Monday 4:10 P. M. Y. W. A. Tuesday 7:00 P. M. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:00 P. M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Rev. Eugene H. Surface, Minister Sunday school at 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship at 11:00 A. M. with Sermon. Vespers at 4:30 P. M. with Sermon " . . . that I may go unto the altar of God, even unto the God of my joy and gladness". Psalm XLIII:4

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bass and little son, Jimmy, now of Lubbock, were in Lamesa on business Monday.

Twin girls were born to Mr and Mrs. W. T. Christopher Monday night.

A baby girl Nancy Caroline, was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stuart last Thursday night.

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Hilburn Gilliam, Reporter

Mr. King and the orchestra obliged the student body with a program Tuesday.

Rev. Carmack presented an excellent lecture to the student body last Wednesday at the assembly hour.

The Juniors presented the Thursday morning assembly program. The first number was three songs by the Junior Girl's Quartet. The last number was a poem entitled "Yumping Yimminy Yumps Her Yob." by Billy Ruth King.

The Tornado's basketball schedule for the month of January has been completed and is as follows:
 Friday, January 11 Levelland here
 Tuesday, Jan. 15, Hobbs here.
 Thursday, Jan. 17, Hardin-Simmons University Freshmen here.
 Friday, Jan. 18, Hardin-Simmons University Freshmen here
 Tuesday, Jan. 22 Lubbock here.
 Thursday, Jan. 24, Amarillo here.
 Friday, Jan. 25, Hughes Springs, here.
 Saturday, Jan. 26, Hughes Springs here.
 Tuesday, Jan. 29, Hobbs there.

Abundance of debate material on this seasons Interscholastic League debate question is available, according to D. W. Ogletree, Director of Debate in this county. "Much of this material is free," he said, "and some of it at nominal cost."

"Of importance to the negative side is the special bulletin of more than 150 pages by Judge Clarence R. Wharton, of Houston. Member schools may obtain any number of copies of this bulletin free of charge by addressing the Interscholastic League office, University Station Austin, Texas.

"The October number of the Congressional Digest, containing much excellent material for both sides, is now available. The regular League debate bulletin, No. 3438, contains 265 pages and presents both sides. The Municipal Utilities Record, 935 Tower Building, Dallas, is publishing valuable material each month and offers a special rate to high schools:

"The school which utilizes the material offered will do nothing short of providing a sound course in one special aspect of government for the pupils who enter the tryouts."

The Lamesa Golden Tornado has been "flying high" the past fifteen months. In this time it has won four regional athletic championships. Two in football, one in-track and one in basketball. The basketball season opens soon and we hope to see the Tornado add one more championship to its list of excellent achievements. The Regional contest is as far as class B football is carried. Last year the Tornado won second place in the Texas University State Basketball tournament, thus barely missing the highest pinnacle of that branch of sport. The Tornado, last spring placed fifth in the Texas University track meet, thus being among the best in the state. These achievements are winning for the school a reputation that is envied by schools much larger than the Lamesa High School.

The University Interscholastic League membership lists for Texas schools will close on January 15th. Most of the Dawson County schools have already joined for the current school year. Plans are now underway for the annual spring meeting of the League member schools to be held in March at a place yet to be determined.

School enrollment in the League has grown from 28 schools in 1911 to 5760 schools in 1934. Dawson county schools have lacked only one or two schools having perfect enrollment in years past.

The contests sponsored among the schools by the League are as follows: Arithmetic, Art, Baseball, basketball, Choral Singing, Debate, Declamation Ready Writers Contest, Extemporaneous Speech, Football, Journalism, Spelling and Plain Writing, Music Memory, One-act Play, Picture Memory, Playground Ball, Rural Pentathlon, Story Telling, Tennis, Three-R, Track and Field, Typewriting, Volley Ball and Wild Flower Contests.

The school meets sponsored by the League are the County, District, Regional, and State meets. Winners from school contests appear for the county contests, county winners compete for district honors, and district winners compete in the regional meet for the privilege of attending the State meet held annually in Austin the first week in May.

The League is a voluntary organization of schools sponsored by the University of Texas. The response has been such that its has come to be the largest organization of its kind in the world.

Mrs. F. C. Warnick and Mrs. Lee Billingsley and daughter were in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mrs. Gooch of Big Spring is visiting here with her sister, Mrs. R. L. Westerman.

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In SOCIETY

MRS. CALLOWAY HUFFAKER COMPLIMENTED WEDNESDAY

Complimenting Mrs. Calloway Huffaker, formerly Miss Nina Scott, Mrs. Ralph Stuart and Miss Inez Paulk entertained with a 42 party last Wednesday evening at Mrs. Stuart's home.

As each guest arrived she signed in a bride's book, presided over by Miss Mary Cameron. Following the games the honoree was given a letter in rhyme directing her to a treasure, which she found to be a shower of gifts from her friends. Miniature brides were favors. Twenty-five guests attended and others sent gifts

1931 SEWING CLUB IN SOCIAL MEETING

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. H. B. Glover was hostess to members of the 1931 Sewing Club at a social meeting. Games of 84 were played throughout the afternoon.

At tea time a delicious plate consisting of sandwiches, cake, and hot chocolate was served to Mesdames A. S. Alsobrook, T. A. Harris, Marvin Morris, Guthrie Allen, M. E. Smart, Cleve Austin, Carl Aycock, L. O. Steele, J. F. Smith, Jesse Paulk, Ross Gibson, Sam Bockman, and W. K. Crawley.

The club will meet with Mrs. Bockman this week.

BURLESON'S ENTERTAIN MONDAY EVENING

On Monday evening at their home on North First Street, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Burleson entertained a few friends with a bridge party. In the games Mrs. Truman Campbell won high score.

Guests for the evening were Messrs. and Mesdames J. H. Harp, Louis B. Reed, Truman Campbell, J. E. Haynes, Mrs. W. A. Wallace, Miss Marie McDonald, Mr. Cecil Speck and Dr. S. Z. Frazier.

MRS. JOHN VICKERY HONORED FRIDAY EVENING

Honoring Mrs. John Vickery the former Miss Jessie Hastings, Mrs. F. J. Barkhurst and Mrs. Carl Cox entertained in the former's home on Friday evening.

As the bride arrived Mrs. J. E. Hardesty played on the violin "Lohengrin's Wedding March," and continued softly with "Traumeri" by Schumann as little Avalyn Barkhurst drove in a little car loaded with gifts and presented them to the bride.

Following the presentation of the gifts Miss Billy Ruth King gave delightful readings. The bride was then ushered into the candlelight din-

ing room, where she cut the wedding cake, which was the centerpiece for the lace covered table. A tiny bride and groom decorated the cake, and other members of the miniature wedding party were placed as favors on the plates.

Guests were Mesdames J. R. Hastings, the bride's mother, S. J. Bailey, Jesse Walker, J. E. Hardesty, O. Lambeth, Ross McDonald, Nellie Mae Smith and Misses Minnie Cope, Opal Wortham, Merle Shipp, Mailee Bedwell, Audrey Faye Bailey, Prudence Grant, Bernice Ragan, Ethel Iris Simpson, Edna Bedwell, Katie Lee Clement, Addie Ruth Fulkerson, Opal McNew, and Rhoda Lou Clark.

G. A. GIRLS RECEIVE PROMOTION CERTIFICATES

At a tea given last Sunday afternoon from 4:00 to 5:00 o'clock at the Baptist parsonage by their new sponsor, Mrs. J. D. Dyer, eleven Junior G. A. Girls received promotion certificates to the Intermediate G. A. An interesting program was given, opened with prayer by Rev. Cole, and followed by "History of the Junior G. A." by Elmerine Barron; music by Virginia Lindsey; a reading by Nina Faye Bennett, presentation of promotion certificates by Mrs. Elmer Barron, the former counselor; welcome to the Intermediate G. A. by Mrs. E. C. Nix, counselor of that group; and the G. A. hymn by all the girls.

In the dining room, Carol Cole and Louise Earnest presided over the punch bowl, while Lorna Williams and Pauline Key served the cakes. Green and white colors, the G. A. colors, were featured in the appointments, and ribbon streamers of these colors were worn by each girl on her arm.

About fifty guests attended, including the girls' mothers, the Mother Circle of the Junior G. A., officers of the W. M. U., and Junior G. A. girls.

TENTH WEDDING ANNIVERSAR CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. Hollin Kinnison entertained with five table of 42 on their tenth wedding anniversary. The holiday motif was carried throughout in the tallies and score cards as well as house decorations.

Upon the arrival of the guests, and as a surprise to the host and hostess they were hurried from the room to be returned to the tune of the wedding march played by Mrs. Odie Frier, sister of Mrs. Kinnison, with Miss Agnes McLendon acting as bridesmaid and Mr. J. B. Boling as best man. Upon their entrance to the room they were required to renew

some of their wedding vows with F. M. McLendon officiating as Mrs. Kinnison's sister sang "I Love You Truly." A great red Santa sock, which was filled with "tinned" fruit was brought in and presented to the host and hostess with congratulations from the following: Messrs. and Mesdames C. C. Roberts, F. M. McLendon, Cicero Arnett, Odie Frier, Jim Key, Johnnie Banta, Sid Key; Mrs. Edd Eoff, Miss Agnes McLendon and Travis Key.

FIRST CHRISTIAN LADIES MEET WITH MRS. BURLESON

The Woman's study group of the First Christian Church met with Mrs. Elzie Burleson on Monday afternoon beginning at 3:00 o'clock. Part of the program consisted of studying together the Sunday School lesson for next Sunday: "Peter's Great Confession." Then followed a discussion of a chapter from the regular study course. Mr. Massie, the pastor was a visitor.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Fred Sanders, Mrs. Lee Billingsley, Mrs. J. T. Broughton, Mrs. R. J. Boardman, Mrs. A. N. Randle, Mrs. J. S. Little, Mrs. H. A. Gilliam, Mr. Massie and the hostess.

The next meeting is scheduled for next Monday afternoon with Mrs. Broughton.

PRESBYTERIAN W. M. S. MET WITH MRS. MURPHY

The Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society met in their last regular meeting at the home of Mrs. O. T. Murphy, Monday at 2:30 P. M. This being the first program of the New Year, an appropriate program was had as follows:

Hymn: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

Devotional: Mrs. Hardy Morgan, along the line, that we should pattern our lives after those whom we love, and suggesting that we should love the highest, even Jesus Christ, our Lord. Ways were suggested by means of which we can learn to know and to love Him more and better.

Prayer.

Brief Business Meeting: Each

member answered the roll call by telling what particular meeting during the past year had been most helpful to her, and suggested any thing which she would like to have changed or added during the meetings of the coming year. These forward and backward looks proved not only interesting, but also encouraging and inspiring.

The meeting was closed by a brief prayer.

Social Fellowship followed.

The meeting Monday at the same time will be at the home of Mrs. Webb Randle.

I. M. BENNETT GIVEN BIRTHDAY DINNER

As a surprise to her son, I. M., Mrs. A. M. Bennett entertained with a dinner honoring him on last Tuesday evening. A basket filled with silver spray centered the dining table, and on either side red candles were lighted carrying out the table appointments of red and silver. A three course dinner was served.

Places were marked for Misses Sybil Mitchell, Mary Dean Shepard, Margaret Ruth Burleson, Mary Helen Abbott, and Messrs. Raymond Moore, Donald Burdine, George Gordon and I. M. Bennett.

MISS MORGAN HONORED AT DINNER PARTY

On Wednesday evening, Miss Maurine Morgan, who is leaving this week for Altus, Oklahoma, was honored with a dinner party given by Miss Marie McDonald.

The dinner was served at eight at the Green Hut Cafe. Places were marked for fourteen guests at a long table centered with bowls of sweet peas in pastel shades. Games of bridge followed the dinner. At the close of the evening Miss Morgan was presented with a guest prize by hostess and a shower of handkerchiefs from her friends.

Guests were Misses Bernice Ragan, Thelma Riddle, Ethel Iris Simpson, Audrey Faye Bailey, Grace Weaver, Connie Zell Barnes, Prudence Grant, Rhoda Lou Clark, Assie Key, Elizabeth Rice, Beverly

Wells of O'Donnell, Mrs. Jack McLaughlin, Mrs. Ross McDonald, and the honoree

LITTLE SLAM CLUB MET AT TARLETON HOME

Members of the Little Slam Club were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tarleton when they entertained the club at their home on South First Street Tuesday evening. In the bridge games of the evening Mrs. Ruppert Austin scored high for the ladies and Harmon Daffern high for the men. Both were presented with linen handkerchiefs. Refreshments of pimento cheese sandwiches, peaches topped with whipped cream, and hot chocolate were served to the guests.

Members present were Messrs and Mesdames H. E. Baldrige, W. E. Cox Jr., Harmon Daffern, Johnnie Boyd, Rufus Pruitt, Ruppert Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mitchell were special guests.

MR. AND MRS. PIERCE ENTERTAIN WITH SUPPER

On last Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierce entertained with a waffle supper. Guests were the employees at the Toggery and their dates. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beuschausen, Misses Minnie Cope, Katie Lee Clements, Opal McNew, and Messrs. Bruce Boyd, Paul Rothermal, and Clyde Bailey.

MRS. BARNARD ENTERTAINS WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

On last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. A. G. Barnard entertained members of the Wednesday Bridge Club.

Mrs. Louis B. Reed won high score during the games of the afternoon. A delicious plate of shrimp salad, toasted wafers, and coffee were served to the following: Mesdames W. D. Arnett, Philip Yonge, Lou Randal, Gus Ragsdale, Cecil Bryant, Truman Campbell, J. H. Harp, Audrey Cowy Bob Lavendar, and W. E. Collins.

TWO CELEBRATE SUNDAY WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. John Nooncaster and Thad Reeves celebrated their birthdays jointly Sunday the 6th with a dinner at the home of Thad Reeves. A delicious chicken dinner was served. During the afternoon games, jokes, and pranks were played. All stayed until a late hour and each one left declaring that he had spent a wonderful day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Grisham, W. O. Reeves, Paul Reeves, Thad Reeves, John Nooncaster, Mrs. James Reeves and daughter, Francis. Mrs. Sutton and daughters, Leona, Alta, Artie, and Gladys.

Messrs. V. Z. Rogers, Carl Rountree, and Eugene Yates left Friday to attend to business in Austin.

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Tankage, Meat and Bone Scraps for your poultry
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Lambeth Feed Mill

NEW CHEVROLET PRICES ARE ANNOUNCED THIS WEEK

Chevrolet's prices for the 1935 New Standard and Master De Luxe models were announced by William E. Holler, general sales manager of the Chevrolet Motor Co., just before the opening of the New York automobile show. The prices are as follows:

New Standard models—Coupe \$475; coach, \$485; sedan, \$550; phaeton, \$495; sport roadster \$465; sedan delivery, \$515.

Master De Luxe Models—Coupe, \$560; coach, \$580; sedan, \$640; sport coupe, \$600; town sedan \$615; sport sedan, \$675; commercial panel, \$560; de luxe panel, \$580.

The prices on the New Standard coupe, coach and phaeton are \$10 under those of the corresponding 1934 models. On the Master De Luxe prices are exactly the same as in 1934.

Knee action continues as one of the outstanding features of the Master De Luxe cars, Mr. Holler stated, and is available to any customer on order at slight additional cost. Master De Luxe cars also feature the new Fisher turret top all steel roof construction and a much larger body with corresponding increase in interior dimensions.

"Chevrolet was able to reduce its Standard model prices and to maintain its price levels on the Master De Luxe series in the face of substantially increased material and manufacturing costs because of the greatly increased volume scheduled for 1935, as indicated by the thousands of orders we now have on hand for the immediate delivery of the 1935 lines of cars from our organization of dealers," Mr. Holler said in announcing the prices. "Last year Chevrolet built 870,000 passenger cars and trucks, which made it the

leading manufacturer of motor cars in the world for the sixth time in the last eight years. With the establishing of our 1935 prices, we are in a position to secure our share of the low-priced car business this year.

"Both lines of cars are greatly improved. The New Standard is now powered with the Master motor, and has an entirely new X-type frame which is 15 times more rigid than its predecessor. The Master De Luxe is a completely new and much larger car than the 1934 Master. To increase the comfort of the passengers and procure more body room, the wheelbase has been increased to 113 inches. This line now features, in addition to the new Fisher turret top all steel roof construction, the latest in 'tear drop' design, with dual windshield, no-draft ventilation, and all the comfort and convenience features found in the much higher priced cars."

Mrs. J. M. Blakey underwent an appendectomy in a local hospital Monday.

A baby boy S. T. Jr. was born to Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Boss of the Pride Monday morning.

Mrs. Hollis Smith left Saturday for a visit with her husband in Jal, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin and children returned to their home in Artesia, New Mexico Sunday.

After an absence of about two months, Mr. and Mrs. John Barron have returned to Lamesa to make their home.

Mrs. W. V. P. Baker spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Pickle in Big Spring.

Interscholastic League News

INFORMATION GIVEN ON SPELLING AND WRITING

Teachers who are training entrants for the Spelling and Plain Writing contest of the Interscholastic League are hereby notified that lists, if not already obtained, may be had for 5 cents a copy, 25 cents a dozen or \$1.00 per hundred, from the Bureau of Public School Interests, Division of Extension, Austin, Texas. The list is known as the University of Texas Bulletin No. 3433 and is entitled "Words for Spelling and Plain Writing Contest."

Special attention of teachers who have charge of this work is called to the fact that this is a "plain writing" as well as a spelling contest and rules for grading, as stated on page 44 of the Constitution and Rules of the University Interscholastic League, will be closely followed.

Mrs. Tom Woods County Director of Spelling.

ESSAY CONTEST CHANGED TO "READY WRITERS"

"The name of the Essay Writing Contest of the Interscholastic League has been changed to 'Ready Writers' Contest," according to Mrs. Jack McLaughlin, who has been elected director of the contest for this county.

"The old name suggested a more formal composition than the rules of the contest contemplate, and hence it has been deemed wise to change the name to make it conform more closely to the composition that is required.

"The topics that are issued for use

are all within the range of the average pupil's study, observation and experience, and hence no preparation of the subject matter is necessary. The preparation required is practice in writing and writing readily, that is, organizing and presenting a subject in the most effective way. Punctuation, spelling, paragraphing and other items on the formal side are, of course, taken into consideration in grading the papers. Some of the topics call for narrative, some for argument, others for exposition, and so on. The pupil is given five topics from which he may choose one as the subject of his composition.

"Winners in the county meet are qualified for participation in the district meet, and winners in the district meet go to the regional meet for further competition and for qualification to the State meet."

THE MOVIES: PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE

What do you know about the movies? Did you know that 200,000,000 lives are touched by them every week? The Young People's Society of the First Christian church are studying about the movies and their influence, during the month of January, and would like to have all the young people who are interested to make the study with them. Next Sunday, Mr. Audrey Cox of the local theatre will be our guest speaker at 6:15 p. m. On the evening of January 20 at 7:15 four of the young people will debate on the subject: "Resolved that the movies are doing more good than harm." This will be an

open meeting and the public will be invited. Then on January 23rd the group will have a theatre party and see the picture, "What Every Woman Knows," which is based on James M. Barrie's famous play of the same name. The Sunday evening following we shall discuss the good and bad points of this picture.



Robert Koger, George Gabie and Herbert Rule, all Tech students, spent the week end here.

Mrs. M. C. Medley of Santa Rosa New Mexico, is here for a few days visiting with friends and relatives. Her niece, little Miss Jimmie Lee Cotten, is planning to return home with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vickery left Sunday for Sweetwater where they will make their home.

Mrs. J. M. Harrington and son, Howard Joe, returned Saturday from Waco, where they had been visiting for about a week.

Homer Cozzens had his tonsils removed on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beushausen left Tuesday for Oklahoma, where they will spend several weeks visiting with their parents.

Miss Barbara Maddox, Tom Burnside, W. R. Taylor, and Carl Cox attended a district meeting of the Relief Commission in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mesdames Hardy Parker, J. C. Loveless and A. G. Waugh spent Wednesday in Big Spring; guests of

Mrs. C. T. Watson, who is moving Monday to Austin to make her home.

Mrs. Jack Young, who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson, returned to her home in Crane Saturday.

Misses Evelyn Burnside, Elizabeth Arnett and Roberta Lee Hanson spent the past week end in Lubbock where they were special guests at the annual dance given Friday night by the San Souci, a social club at Tech, and were honor guests at several affairs during the week end.

Messrs. Ford Kennedy, Paul Burrus, and Andy Hubbard of Fort Worth and Midland are working here this week with the Texas Electric Service Company.

Jarvis Zeeck, who has been doing government work for the past two years in Panama Canal Zone returned home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hatch visited in Tahoka Sunday.

Misses Lavina Estes, Marjorie Ferguson, and Jewel Towns visited in Big Spring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miley Powers, and daughters, Neiva and Marcille, and Miss Katie Lee Clements were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Culver of Hobbs. Mrs. Culver and daughter, Edwina, returned home with them to spend this week here.

Mesdames Truman Campbell, J. H. Harp and Elzie Barleson visited Mrs. Campbell's mother in Lubbock Saturday.



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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
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 THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DEC. 31, 1934

ASSETS	
Loans and Discounts	\$189,581.93
Overdrafts	100.67
United States Government obligations, direct and-or fully guaranteed	500.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	46,759.33
Banking house, \$17,000.00 Furniture & fixtures \$5,500.00	22,500.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	18,626.97
Cash in vault and balances with other banks	62,676.59
Outside checks and other cash items	1,086.64
Other assets	485.81
TOTAL ASSETS	\$342,317.94
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits, except United States Government deposits public funds, and deposits of other banks	\$236,897.15
Time deposits, except postal savings, public funds, and deposits of other banks	7,674.19
Public funds of States, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	20,404.98
United States Government and postal saving deposits	5,000.00
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	131.11
Total of items 15 to 19:	
(a) Secured by pledge of loans and-or investments	\$ 20,404.93
(b) Not secured by pledge of loans and-or investments	249,702.45
(c) TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$270,107.38
Capital Stock:	
Class A preferred stock, 250 shares par \$100	\$50,000.00
Common stock, 250 shares, par \$100 per share	15,000.00
Surplus	7,210.56
Undivided profits—net	72,210.56
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT	\$144,421.12
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$342,317.94
MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities	
United States Government obligations, direct and-or fully guaranteed	\$ 500.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	14,475.52
TOTAL PLEDGED (excluding rediscounts)	\$14,975.52
Pledged:	
Against public funds of States, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	\$ 14,975.52
(i) TOTAL PLEDGED	\$14,975.52

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DAWSON, ss:
 I, B. L. Hamilton, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 B. L. Hamilton, Cashier.
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1935.
 CORRECT—Attest:
 C. A. Hollingsworth
 W. V. P. Baker
 Carl Rountree
 Directors
 (SEAL) M. Q. Martin, Notary Public

RECAPITULATION	
RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 89,869.71
Stock in Federal Deposit Ins. Corp.	485.81
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	2,700.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	22,500.00
Bills of Exchange	\$ 2,236.84
Commercial Paper	17,625.00
Bonds & Warrants	44,559.33
Gov. Loan Cotton	79,951.05
Cash	82,390.20
Total Cash Quickly Available	226,762.42
TOTAL	\$342,317.94
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock (Preferred)	\$ 25,000.00
(Common)	25,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	22,210.56
Deposits	270,107.38
TOTAL	\$342,317.94

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Lynn County Will Have Received Nearly \$1,000,000

Lynn county has received or will receive in the near future almost one million dollars for Government Agricultural Adjustment Programs for the year 1934, according to V. F. Jones, County Agent.

Below is given a portion of the county agent's report to headquarters: "Lynn county will receive approximately one million dollars from all sources of the Government reduction program, other than the crop itself for the year 1934. This amount is divided as follows:

Cotton Rental Checks	\$286,000.00
Cotton Parity Checks	69,600.00
Option Cotton Profits	186,661.00
Survival Tax Exemption certificates, (conservative estimate)	250,000.00
Cattle Program	107,000.00
Corn-Hog Program	48,768.00
TOTAL	\$925,029.00

FIRES AND COMMUNICABLE DISEASES VERY SIMILAR

Austin, Jan. 8.—"The analogy between fires and communicable diseases is a very close one, observes the Texas Department of Health. Every fire has a definite cause and usually a small beginning, just as every epidemic of disease has its origin in a single case. The flames of

conflagration increase in height, heat, and destructive power to a maximum and then gradually recede. In like manner, every outbreak of infectious disease increases to a peak when the most cases are reported, and then subsides. No fire can rage



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without combustible material; no epidemic can get under way without susceptible persons. A fire may smoulder and break out anew unless checked; similarly, infectious disease may be very subtle and insidious in its manner of spread until investigated and brought under control.

"The practice of disease prevention is beginning to effect public opinion. Certain well known diseases like diphtheria and smallpox are absolutely preventable. Others will soon come under the same category. Dr. Herman Biggs, former Health Commissioner of New York, said: 'Within certain limits, it is possible for any community to determine its own death rate.' This statement applies without a doubt to diphtheria, but unless local health agencies are adequately supported, this scourge and other preventable conditions as well, will continue to spread and demand measures to curb and control them, which are similar to those used against typhoid fever or tuberculosis.

"Retrenchment is necessary all along the line and it is not incompatible with progress. Let us retrench, but let us not burn down the bridges which lead to better health of our present and future citizens."

Lynn County Sells 10,656 Head of Cattle

The Government cattle purchasing campaign closed Saturday afternoon with a total of 10,656 head of cattle were sold in Lynn county according to county agent, V. F. Jones, of which 4,526 were condemned and killed and 6,130 were accepted alive.

This brought to the people of Lynn county approximately \$107,000, Mr. Jones said.

Joe Poindexter, chairman of the hog reduction committee, reports that about \$50,000 was paid to the hog raisers of Lynn county during the past year—a sum of money not to be sneezed at these stressful times. A nice sum indeed to be paid for hogs that were never raised.

Drilling Operations Resumed on Test Well

We are informed this week that drilling operations have been resumed on Lynn county's oil test in the Three Lakes neighborhood, on the Cass O. Edwards land.

After drilling down to more than one hundred feet at the spudding in shortly before the holidays, the well was shut down because of lack of water. Water was piped three miles so the well could be spudded in before the expiration of the time limit but this supply of water was insufficient for continued drilling.

A water well has been drilled near the location of the oil test, we are told, so that operations may now be continued without interruption.

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

Mr. J. H. Cornelius spent Sunday in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Westerman and children.

Mr. H. V. Williams, superintendent of Woody school, with his brother-in-law, Mr. Truitt Rivers, returned from Waco Saturday. Mrs. Williams, who is ill, remained in Waco, and her brother, Mr. Rivers, will teach in her place.

Miss Willie McMurtrey spent the week end in O'Donnell with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McMurtrey.

It has been most interesting to observe the fluctuation of temperature among the various New Dealers. Prior to the last election they were very low in spirit. Many of them were saying, in private at least, that Mr. Roosevelt was getting out of hand as far as they were concerned and was turning certainly toward the conservative school of thought. At the same time among conservative members of the administration and in congress and to a considerable extent among business leaders, there was a growing feeling that they had witnessed the phenomena of having their own ears pinned back just when they thought they were on the upgrade.

Following this change of trends, along comes the mass of White House legislation, some of which pleases the New Dealers and some of which pleases the conservatives. Each finds fault with that portion of the program that is reasonably satisfactory to the other. This contrariety of opinion extends into the ranks of members of the house and senate. Consequently, the question to which the observers are now seeking an answer is whether Majority Leader Robinson in the senate and the Democratic wheel-horses in the house are going to be able to keep their tremendous numbers in line. Thus far, there has been no word from the majority leaders either in the house or the senate indicating any doubt on their part that the administration whip will fall to drive recalcitrant members into the proper alleys. Unbiased observers are taking the position, however, that time alone will tell. And it may be added with some emphasis that if the wild horses break loose from the hitching post once, the current session of congress may provide much more action than results.

Geraldine Barrett, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barrett, who has been very ill is said to be greatly improved this week. Her twin sister Ernestine, who has been visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Barrett of Key, returned home Saturday.

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"I heard that. Real bad, Emory?"
Emory Sweet nodded gravely.
"Heart's like a sponge. He can't last long. . . . Nick was all for sending him back to Hemlock but I told him it would be murder to move him now."
"Oh, Nick showed up, did he?"
"Came right from here. Said he'd been providing for Don for these last years and wanted him with somebody or other in Hemlock who'd see he didn't get hold of hush again. Was quite provoked when I opposed moving him."
"Nicholas doesn't like the notion of Don's being in this vicinity."
"It's about as popular with him as smallpox. When I'd prevailed on him to let Don alone I told him the truth: that he can't last more than a few weeks and Nick looked like a man who . . . well, like one who's heard good news."
Able nodded. "Safer for Brandon to have him in his grave. But when old Don goes, seems like the last chance of ever clearing the thing up's gone too."
"Looks that way. Unless he'll talk before he dies."
"Even so, it wouldn't amount to much. He's an old bum; he was a known drunkard at the time. It happened so long ago, and with the courts controlled by who they are . . ."
"All but yours."
"And mine without any jurisdiction in sure-enough trouble."
The doctor started out but halted in the doorway.
"Hear Harrington's gone."
"Yes. The Bull ran him out of town."
"Brandon?"
"Don't be simple, Emory. Who else?"
"He certainly can't forget the Hoot Owl, can he? What are you going to do now, Able?"
The other shook his head gravely.
"I wish I could give you an answer . . . or myself an answer. All forenoon I've had a feeling in that palm,"—extending his creased right hand, "as if the end of a rope were slipping through it."
"Tough," muttered the doctor as he went out.
An hour later Able Armitage left his office. He moved with great alacrity for one of his years and stopped only once and that was to draw Bird-Eye Blaine from the throng of onlookers that lined the sidewalk.
"Got your car in town, Bird-Eye?" he asked. "Have? Will it still run?"
"Rub!"—as though insulted. "Say, Able, that car may not be so foxy looking as some, but she's got a heart of gold 'nd—"
"All right. Run her around by the jail, will you? Might need you; again, I might not. Best to be prepared, though."
Bird-Eye nodded assent and the old justice went on.
Ben Elliott, solitary prisoner in the county jail, lay on the least objectionable of the bunks he found there, smoking and staring at the dingy ceiling. His hands were clasped beneath his head and his feet were crossed; an attitude of relaxation, surely, but his one foot twisted on its ankle around and around, most restlessly. A man of action, this, not accustomed to idleness or restraint.
He raised his head sharply when a key grated in the big steel door leading to the cell block and stopped puffing on his pipe when the opening barrier revealed Able Armitage.
"Hello, Judge?" Elliott cried and grinned.
Able wasted no time.
"I've just been talking with Bridger."
"Bridger! He here?"
"Oh, no. I called him on long distance." Able smiled as the other gave a puzzled frown. "Bridger and I are old friends. We fought Spain together . . . and malaria when we had Spain whipped. I think a lot of Bridger. I've a great respect for him and his opinions."
"So've I. Everybody has."
"Hum-m. He says you're no good."
Elliott started. "Wha-n-sif-Why . . . That's funny. Do you mean he wouldn't stake me to the money I asked for?"
"Oh . . . That! I don't know. I didn't ask; I forgot it. I wasn't interested in your fine. We can take care of that. I was interested in finding out about you . . . what kind of a nut-cracker you are."
The young gray eyes were studying the old blue ones closely, now.
"I found out," Able continued. "He says you're 'no good.' In the pause the justice chuckled softly. "He says you're absolutely no good to yourself anybody else. He tells me that you know more about logging and sawmills than any man your age has a right to know and he's seen a lot of men. He says you can make the worst crew

that ever infested a shanty eat out of your hand. He says you don't know what it is to be tired or afraid. . . . And then he says again that you're no use on earth, so far as he can tell!"
Elliott was grinning a bit foolishly now and rubbed his chin.
Able went on:
"He told me that before the war—your war, not ours—they'd figured you as one of the prize young men in their organization but that since you've come home there's nothing you'll do. You can do anything, he says, but you won't. I asked him why and he said he guessed it was because everything they had to offer you was too simple, which I translated to mean that they haven't a good, tough hickory nut to offer you."
The other's rather embarrassed smile faded.
"Was he . . . mad?" he asked.
"Was he really sore at me?"
"Mad like anybody else would be. I take it, if they saw a young man they thought a lot of wasting his time."
"I'm sorry! I think a lot of Mr. Bridger. He certainly has been white with me. I've tried, Judge. Honest, I've tried to give 'em all I had but . . . But he's right. The war upset me, like a lot of others. I haven't got my feet on the ground yet. After the big show everything else seems too d—d easy!"
"Likely. You haven't tried my job yet," Able said gravely.
"Being a justice in Tincup?"
"No. Not that. My real job—my real, tough nut—is being administrator for an estate. The McManus estate, which is nothing more than as pretty a piece of hardwood as ever stood outdoors. The Hoot Owl stuff, we call it. Trying to operate it to a profit and hang on as administrator so some other man won't step in and give that stuff away is my particular hard nut. And it's a chore, Elliott."
He eyed the younger man a brief interval and caught his breath quickly.
"I like the way you looked at Nick Brandon in court this afternoon. No young man has looked at him that way since I can remember. That's why I telephoned Bridger; because I liked the way you looked at Brandon and because I'm about worn out trying to crack a hard nut. That's why I'm here."
"Maybe, from what Bridger told me, and from what I've seen of you, you might maybe, perhaps, like to take a crack at this nut. . . ."
After a moment he repeated:
"You might, possibly. The fact is, I'm through, Elliott. I've given the job all I had. I'm at my wit's end and the estate's at its rope's end. We're hickled, as we stand now, and the truth is that maybe, perhaps, possibly I might do a right fair job of begging you to come and help me!"
Elliott did not speak but watched Able as he fumbled in his pocket for a sketch map. Able paused for a moment, and then continued:
"Come over by the window. Now, here's the lay-out,"—spreading the map on the sill. "Here's the railroad, main line. This is Hoot Owl siding with my mill. Twenty men, there, some living in shanties and the boarding house taking care of the rest. It's a long, narrow strip, you see; seventy-six tortles' nent. Four miles of slash to north of the mill. Our railroad goes up through the chopping, so. We've an old coffee-pot of twenty-ton red engine and freight cars, all more or less ready for junk. Here's the camp now and here's cutting on the second forty north. Got thirty-odd hands there that pass for men."
"Harrington was handling it for me. Man named Buller's millwright and a fellow named Ruppert's boss at camp. Harrington's gone—driven out—and we're in the soup!"
He paused and looked at Elliott, whose keen eyes were studying the detail of the map.
"It's a haywire outfit. The locomotive broke down yesterday and unless the boys get her working, the mill will be out of logs in a week. The mill itself is a grand old run-but saws, after a fashion. The lumber in the yards is mortgaged up to the last cull piece, there's not enough in the bank to meet interest and pay-roll and there's no boss on the job."
Elliott looked at the old man.
"You said it was as pretty a piece of hardwood as ever stood outdoors. If so, why's it in this jam?"
Able Armitage lifted a hand in gesture and whispered sharply one word: "Brandon!"
Ben put down the map, replaced the pipe stem between his teeth and shoved his hands deep into pockets.
"Brandon, eh?" He nodded. "Checks out on the stories I'd heard. . . . So Brandon's put you on the toboggan! Why?"
Able shrugged. "Probably because it's kept itself out of his hands for so long. And, besides, there are other reasons."

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"Six years ago I was made administrator of this estate and to keep the carrying charges from eating it up, I started to operate. There wasn't a chance to sell the stumpage to anybody but Brandon. Nobody's going to put their money into a devil-ridden county like this! There are too many stories going round of what's happened to others who have tried to work alongside Nick. We had to cut and mill or sell the stumpage to Brandon at his own price. Maybe, if it had been mine, I'd have sold; but the owner of this timber is an orphan girl and . . . a man doesn't like to quit under those circumstances."
"But every man I've put on to run the thing has been beaten, and I've had some good ones there. They can't get decent crews in the first place. Buller, the millwright, Thomas, the camp cook, and a crazy Irishman named Bird-Eye Blaine, who's hard boss, are the only three men you can count on. Brandon spies the good men who come along and if they don't work for him he sees to it that his Bull Duval drives 'em out of the country. And this matter of labor is only one item that he makes hard to supply."
"Until now he hasn't been able to touch me. I've managed to hold out against him politically. But he's watching and the probate court is watching and unless I show some progress by the first of the year I'm going to be booted out as administrator. With another administrator in control he'll buy this timber for a song, a girl will be robbed and the shame of this community will be complete!"
"And what makes you think," Elliott asked, "that I've got a chance to put it over when other men have failed?"
Able did not hesitate:
"Because you have youth and a liking for tough nuts!" He did not smile; his eyes snapped and his voice rose. "You've had experience in timber operations and you aren't afraid of Nick Brandon, and, last and most important of all, you came to Tincup hunting trouble."
"Son"—putting a hand on his shoulder—"I'd take Bridger's word on men quicker than I'd take the word of any man I know. He says you can do it if you will. I'm asking you, now, as an old man with his back to the wall, will you help me on this?"
Ben Elliott did not reply at once. He was staring at the floor as one will when debating with himself and preparing for argument with another. He

twisted his head gravely and smiled. Then he looked into Able's face.
"When do we start?" he asked.
"The justice swallowed."
"You ready now? Without knowing any more about it?"
"I know enough. It's good timber and it's Brandon who's messing up the detail. . . . Let's go, Judge!"
It was just before whistle time next morning at the Hoot Owl mill.
"Who's th' young feller with Able?" the trimmerman asked the flier.
"New boss."
"Him?" The trimmerman spat and leaned further forward for a better look at Ben Elliott as he stood talking to the sawyer in the gloom of early day.
"Say . . . Ain't he the lad that ducked th' Bull? 'Nd took a poke at Brandon?"
"Th' same."
"Well I'll be d—d! Only a kid. He may be a good hand on a birlin' log but won't Nick Brandon find him sweet pickin'! He likes 'em young, Nick does . . . and specially after this one took such pains to make himself unpopular with Mister Nick!"
"Yup. He'll be duck soup for Brandon all right!"
The hand of the millwright's watch pulled the signal cord. The sawyer commenced to turn and from machine to machine went Buller while Able and Ben watched, examining belting, grease cups, seeing that live rollers ran steadily and true. The pulleys turned slowly for a full five minutes and then as the cracked whistle atop the boiler house cackled its message that another working day had begun, the carriage swept forward and the saw snarled its way into a good maple log.
Elliott stirred on his feet. It was the way a mill should start, anyhow.
But after that beginning the procedure was not so good. The sawyer was not quick in making decisions. Twice in a half dozen logs his slabs were thick to the point of waste; he did not turn one particularly good piece as soon as he should to grade his lumber to the highest point.
The setter, too, was mediocre. The deck man loafed and let the bull chain fill up and stop even when his deck was half empty.
The mill crew was not happy. They appeared to be men working for a cause they felt was lost.
Ben went with Buller, then, from man to man and watched each do his work.

NOTICE

POULTRY RAISERS

Lamesa, Texas, January 6th, 1935

Test your flock against Pullorum Disease (formerly called bacillary white diarrhea). In baby chicks it is more than a diarrhea. It is a systemic disease that affects the bowels, lungs, liver, kidneys, in fact all the vital organs become involved. Pullorum disease becomes localized in mature birds making the most effective means of combating pullorum disease to remove the carrier or spreader from the parent flock producing hatching eggs.

Such control measure should be carried out by testing the parent stock with the agglutination test, and removing all reactor birds from flock, and by setting eggs in incubators where all eggs set are from Pullorum tested free flocks.

Cooperate with your local hatcheryman in controlling this menace to Baby Chicks and it will save you many dollars during the coming brooder season.

Since finishing a course on poultry diseases, where I learned to control various poultry diseases, including chick sexing, poultry surgery, culling birds by head points, body measurements, etc., my time has been pretty well taken in culling and doing blood testing work, all of which I appreciate very much, and hope to serve you better during this new year.

Dewey H. Davis

Manager

DAWSON COUNTY POULTRY FARM

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(Continued next week)

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Friday Morning, January 11, at 9 A. M.

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Correspondence From Rural Communities of County

MIDWAY

Sunday school was well attended Sunday.

There will be a play at Mullins Wednesday night.

Mr. W. M. Ledbetter and family of Hancock have moved here. We welcome them to our community.

Mrs. Tom Musick of Key visited here Saturday.

T. L. Shults and family spent Sunday with Mr. Deathridge and family of Mt. Olive.

Bill Pearson and family have moved to Key.

Granval and Claude Ledbetter spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee have taken over the store again.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dean and son have moved to Key.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe May of El Paso spent last week with Claud Dean and family. Miss Della Dean returned home with them and will go to Alpine to school.

Jeff Dean has traded cars. Otis Peterson also has a car.

Bertha Nell Dean has been ill.

Mrs. Vera Weir has been ill with a cold.

Mrs. Berry Maxwell of Shumake visited here Thursday.

LOYOLA

Mr. Lee Curry of O'Donnell visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Looney last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis, Mrs. Bonnie Tate and daughter Frances Phenetta, and Mrs. Lola Duke attended church at Sparenberg Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Benton and family have moved to the place formerly occupied by George Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Corbin visited Paul Bulsterbaum last Thursday.

We are glad to have Miss Maxine back teaching since her illness.

Several from here attended the ball tournament at Klondike Friday night.

Hubert Looney of San Angelo visited his brother, Claude Looney and wife last Friday.

H. A. Duke made a business trip

to Hobbs Monday. Herman and Wilma Sprabery of Brownfield visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Duke Sunday.

HIGGINBOTHAM

Sunday school was well attended also singing after Sunday school.

Mrs. O'Neal and family of Wilson spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Horn.

Lorene and Dorothy House were dinner guests of Marie House Sunday.

Faye Cozart returned home from visiting her sister Mrs. Luther Lee of Sunset for several weeks.

Bill Huddleston spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Milliken and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delaney are moving this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch and family are going to live on his place. We welcome our new neighbors and invite them to Sunday school and church.

HANCOCK

Sunday school and prayer meeting were attended by a good number Sunday, so the new year is starting off grand in religion in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hodge, Mrs. G. M. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Ward and family attended Quarterly Conference at Welch Sunday, and report a good time spiritually.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stephens and son have moved to Lamesa. Their son has started to grammar school there.

Paul Harrell, Hassie Lisenbee and Melvin Miller left Sunday to join the C. C. C. They went to Big Spring Monday morning and from there they will be sent to a camp in New Mexico or Arizona.

Mrs. Oscar McLendon recently injured her foot, and is able now to walk only with the aid of a crutch.

Misses Geneva Hancock, Gladys Lisenbee and Mrs. Paul Edgmon, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Weaver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hancock are moving to Patricia community.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Duncan and family are now occupying the Hancock store, which was recently vacated by Mr. W. L. Stephens and family.

Mrs. W. A. Edgmon has returned to her home in Levelland after a visit with her mother, Mr. N. C. Hancock.

SHUMAKE

Brother Leroy Smith will fill his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Speck visited on the Flying W Ranch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cox of McCarty spent last Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lauderdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and family of Lamesa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sproles and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Skeen of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Plew visited Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Callahan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Houchin spent Sunday with Mr. Guinn and family.

Mrs. Roy Week and children attended singing at Key Sunday.

MT. OLIVE

Bro. Carmack filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

The McCarty League presented a program here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pierson moved to the place formerly occupied by the Atterbury family.

Mr. Earl Esmond's parents and sisters moved here this week from Ballinger. We welcome them to our community.

The Mt. Olive Junior boys basketball team played Liberty Junior boys Friday. Mt. Olive won by a score of 18 to 13.

Miss Ila Bartlett visited Mrs. Maye Adcock Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bush Herndon, Mrs. Bartlett and daughter, Ila, visited in the Atterbury home Sunday afternoon.

Dennis Nix visited Vernon Bartlett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Godman, Lorene and Buck Norfleet visited relatives in Gorman last week.

LOU

Sunday school was well attended Sunday with 46 present. Everyone is invited to attend.

Holidays are over now and the children are back at their school work again.

Next Sunday is regular preaching Sunday. All are invited to attend.

Mrs. Bert King entertained the Junior Sunday school class with a party last Friday night. Cake and hot chocolate were served. All had an enjoyable time.

The Lou boys played basketball with the Seminole boys last Friday. The scores were 24-20 in favor of the Lou team.

PATRICIA

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cox's little daughter has been reported very ill, but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dodd and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Applegate have returned from Oklahoma City where they have been visiting relatives.

Mr. Harvey Smith and family have moved to the Liberty community, where they will make their home.

There was a party at Miss Opal McReynold's Saturday night, which was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Wren Beam are the proud parents of a baby girl. They have named her Emma Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cline gave a lovely party on New Year's Eve.

There was a Christmas tree at the Methodist church which was enjoyed by both young and old.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Farley spent last Wednesday in Snyder.

RICHARDSON

The meeting held by the Rev. House was well attended.

The Senior boys played Liberty Friday defeating them 15-13. The Junior boys defeated the Liberty Juniors 19 to 7.

Ross Morris' baby has been quite ill this last week, but is now showing a little improvement.

Joyce Dean Warren, who has been quite ill this last week, is showing a small improvement.

WOODY

Sunday school is improving every Sunday. We cordially invite everyone.

The First Sunday Singing Convention met here Sunday at 2:30. A large crowd attended and some very good singing was enjoyed.

Our school opened Monday after a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Leatherwood, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Holt, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Waldrop moved from our midst last week. We are very sorry to have these good people leave our community.

The W. M. S. met January 8 in the home of Mrs. Homer Green. Twenty members were present with two new members. A very interesting program was enjoyed, and a bounteous luncheon was served at noon. The society will meet next time with Mrs. D. L. Adcock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark are the proud parents of a fine boy born January 8. Mother and baby are doing fine.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. H. V. Williams is still ill and unable to resume her teaching.

The H. D. Club will meet Tuesday Jan. 15, in the home of Mrs. G. C. Clift.

WEAVER

The girls' basketball team played Ballard Friday and defeated them by a score of 27-24.

The boys' playground ball team went to Ballard Friday and defeated the "Old Men" 15 to 14.

Oleta Scitern visited school at Weaver Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb and

children returned to their home Friday.

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Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted
by William Bruckart

Washington.—It will be remembered that prior to America's entrance into the World war, the then President Woodrow Wilson pursued an announced policy of "watchful waiting."

We are seeing a simulation of that course at present although the country is at peace and not at war. The policy of watchful waiting, adopted by President Roosevelt, has reference not to international relations but to domestic affairs. To be specific, it relates solely to the political situation in the new congress. The President is confronted, as everyone knows, with a huge bloc of extremely radical members in the house and senate and he has his hands full in compelling the congress to rubber stamp administration legislation.

Recent developments, White House pronouncements and other straws tending to show which way the wind blows indicate definitely that Mr. Roosevelt is going to avoid open clashes as far as possible. He is not going to test the mettle of the radical group too far without being sure of his ground.

Therefore, we may expect to see considerable delay in enactment of new banking legislation and in dealing with highly controversial questions centering in section 7 (a) of the national recovery act. Likewise, there will be hesitancy on the part of the administration to push forward a program of revision for the Agricultural Adjustment Administration and the policy of waiting may be expected to be disclosed in some other phases of legislation such as the unemployment insurance scheme.

I do not mean to convey the impression that there will be an entire abeyance of bills—some of them already in the congressional hopper—dealing with these various questions. But definitely, it can be said at this time that the White House is watching congressional developments to determine just how far to the radical side it must go in order to avoid a wide open split between the ultra-radicals and the New Deal contingent. Just where the conservatives will figure in this picture is yet too early to determine except that certainly they can prove themselves to be thorns in the sides of the Democratic leaders at most inopportune times.

To better indicate problems confronting the President with respect to his relationship with congress, it is necessary only to call attention to that most controversial of all questions—section (a) of the recovery act. This provision has had numerous interpretations placed upon it and its effect generally has been to assist the international unions in strengthening their organizations throughout American industry. Section 7 (a) specifies, in effect, that the union in any factory is the most votes speaks for all the employees in their dealings with the plant management. This provision is what the American Federation of Labor describes as collective bargaining. It has resulted in many cases in disruption of the so-called company unions, organizations having no affiliation with any other union but usually fostered by the corporation of which the workers are employees.

The consensus among unbiased observers here seems to be that the Federation of Labor overplayed its hand last winter in enforcing such a far-reaching interpretation of section 7 (a) as to give the larger union the voice of all employees. At that time NRA, with Donald R. Richberg guiding the policy, committed itself definitely in favor of such a construction. Current developments are generally accepted as showing that either the NRA administration or union labor failed to look far enough into the future to foresee the reaction that is now taking place.

As a matter of fact, tremendous pressure is being exerted on individual members of the house and senate for revision of this section, and something will come of it before congress adjourns. Of course, when union labor acts in concert, it usually turns the gazards of politicians very white from fear, but in the present instance, the politicians are torn between the devil and the deep blue sea.

Industrialists after all, are the boys who usually contribute to campaign funds. The politicians do not dare ignore that segment of political strength, either. Consequently, it is apparent now that there will be an attempt to rewrite section 7 (a) in a manner that will eliminate its ambiguity and take away from Mr. Richberg, now the policy director of NRA, the authority to do so much interpreting.

At the same time, the President has a problem of some consequence on his hands in the AAA.

Another problem, Chester Davis, the administrator, is generally regarded as a man with both feet on the ground. Such is not their view, however, with respect to some of the other individuals in the department. Take H. R. Tolley, for example. Mr.

Tolley has the title of director of planning for the Agricultural Adjustment administration. His relationship with Mr. Davis is almost identical with that between Undersecretary Rexford Guy Tugwell and Secretary Wallace of the Department of Agriculture. Mr. Davis is known to lean upon Mr. Tolley, but Tolley and Professor Tugwell do not always see eye to eye. So there is a personnel problem that may or may not become acute.

But as regards the congressional situation Mr. Tolley carries much more water on his shoulders than does Professor Tugwell. Readers will recall efforts made in the last session of congress to "strengthen" the agricultural adjustment act. Professor Tugwell supported those amendments and, having his head out of water, he became the target. Actually, the best information available is that while the voice was that of Tugwell, the hand was the hand of Tolley.

The common gossip now is that Mr. Tolley is preparing, rather than preparing proposals for "strengthening" the act and that he has not taken Mr. Tugwell into his plans. This being true, the suggestion is frequently heard that Mr. Tolley may commit the administration in certain directions toward regimentation of the farmers to an extent which Mr. Roosevelt does not desire to go.

Mr. Tolley is said to favor inclusion of the fruit and berry and specialty crops under federal control. This is believed to come from his California background, but regardless of its root it must be admitted its sponsor is making headway with the plans.

None can tell, however, until the details of the Tolley program are out in the open exactly what congressional reaction will be. Suffice it to say at this time that there are numerous Democrats, important Democrats at that, who do not go along with Tolley or with Tugwell, and the prediction is frequently made that Tolley's name may receive treatment as rough in congressional debate as did the name of Professor Tugwell last winter.

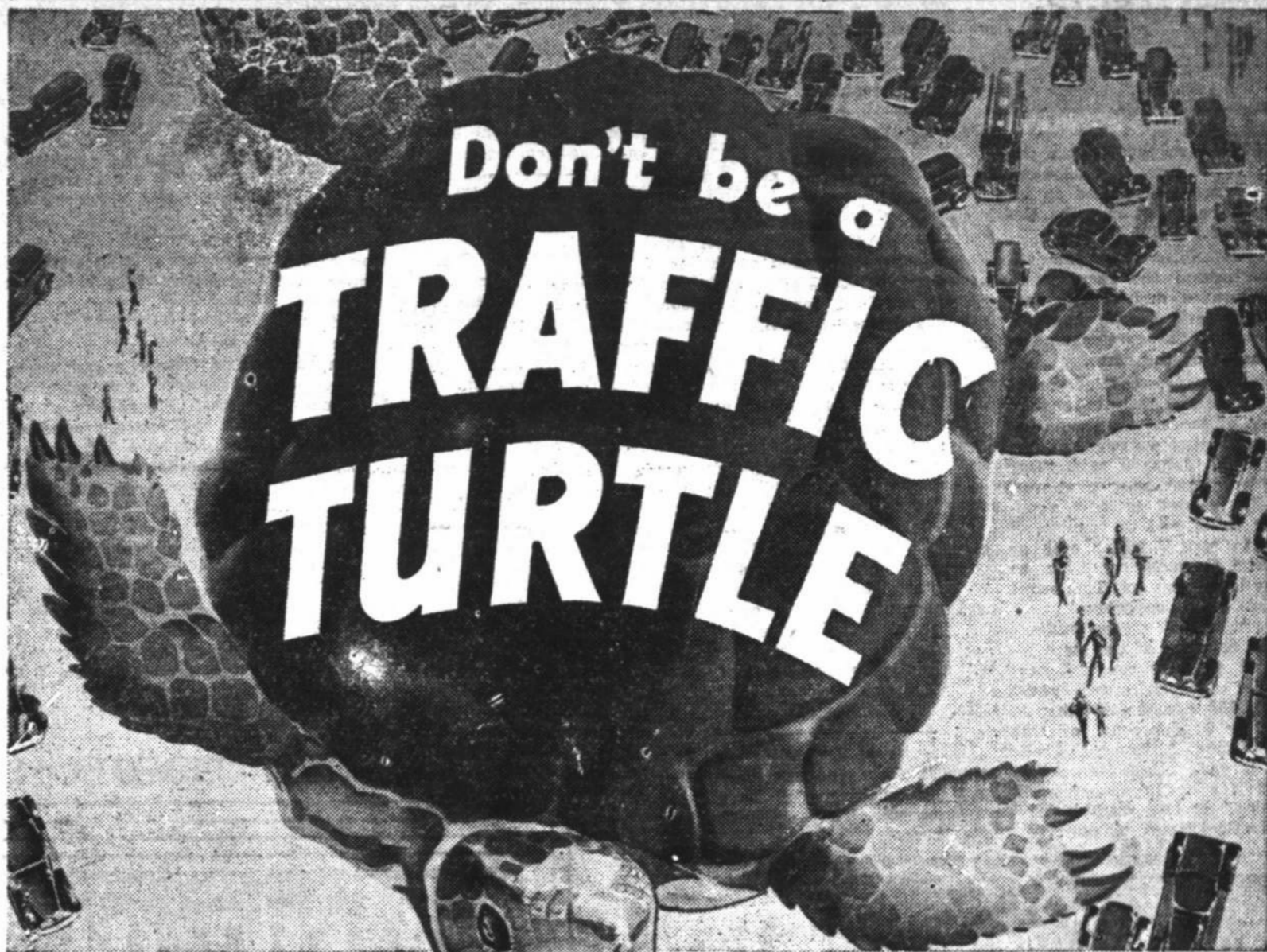
With respect to banking legislation radicals and conservatives likewise are at each other's throats, only this fight has become bitter already. Governor Eccles of the Federal Reserve board has been made the target of a vicious attack by Senator Glass of Virginia, recognized everywhere as the outstanding financial authority among Democrats at the Capitol. Senator Glass openly charged Governor Eccles with exceeding his authority in a recent ruling requiring state banks that are not members of the Federal Reserve board to reduce their interest rate paid on time and savings deposits. These banks were reached through the Federal Deposit Insurance corporation of which they are members and with whose regulations they must comply. The Virginia senator holds that the Federal Reserve board under the guidance of Governor Eccles was responsible for this action and he was not careful in tearing off the bark in a letter stating his views. Senator Glass has forced a temporary halt in the order.

While the Eccles-Glass row may be regarded as purely a controversy between two individuals in positions of high authority, it is much more than that. It presages trouble on any banking legislation that goes farther afield than has occurred heretofore because Senator Glass is an unequivocal fighter for retention of the independence of the Federal Reserve system from treasury domination.

It is not difficult to see why Senator Glass fears such policy as the interest rate reduction. He thinks that the Federal Deposit Insurance corporation already has been figuratively swallowed by the treasury and he believes that the administration also desires the treasury to swallow the Federal Reserve board. The next logical step if the latter is accomplished, is for the treasury to seek establishment of a central bank where the currency would be under control of politicians instead of responsive to business needs as it is now with the twelve regional Federal Reserve banks in operation.

Too much attention should not be paid, in the opinion of astute observers here, to the mass of radical bills now flowing through the routine channels of introduction and reference to committees. Some of them, it is true, will become the basis of legislation later on but every house member of senator with an idea drafts it into the form of a bill and presents it in order that at sometime or other his name may be attached to the legislation. But it must be remembered that with the radical strength existing in both houses of congress some of these bills may get further through the legislative mill than they ordinarily would reach. This fact apparently justifies Mr. Roosevelt's waiting policy. But at the same time, I hear, it is subjecting the administration to a fresh outburst of criticism among that segment of the population which would like to know what the administration policy is.

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KLONDIKE

Sunday school and church were not so well attended as usual Sunday. There is quite a bit of sickness among the children.

Walter Brown and family and J. H. Foster and family visited Mrs. R. T. Spencer Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Woodie Smith, who has been in a hospital at Lamesa for some time was able to come home Sunday.

Clarence Day and family of Big Spring visited her father and mother Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Day, Sunday.

Most all the farmers are through gathering their crops and are waiting for it to rain so they can plow and prepare their land for another year.

Joe Matthews, who has been ill for quite a while, is still confined to his bed.

FIVE MILE

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Applegate visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Earnest Sunday.

Bernice Applegate visited Glen Cornett Sunday.

Mrs. Terell of Mexico is visiting her sister Mrs. Howard Wright.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Earnest Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cowger are the proud parents of a son born Tuesday.

Geraldine and Modesta Wright spent the week end with Clovis Wright.

FAIRVIEW

Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. were well attended Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. Mancil Barton and Miss Ethel Robinson were married Tuesday night. Everyone wishes them much happiness.

Mr. Wayne Dickson is now manager of the Pumpkin Center store.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Darmon gave the young people a party Saturday night and everyone reported a nice time.

Little Doris Raney has been very ill for the past few days.

Historic Texas Trails To Be Marked

Austin, January 1.—The four historic trails of Texas, the Old San Antonio Road, the Old Spanish Trail the Butterfield Trail and the Chisholm Trail, will be intergraded and uniformly marked for the benefit of tourists in the State for the Texas Centennial celebrations of 1935, according to plans of the State Highway Department and the State Parks Board.

The Old San Antonio Road, (or Camino Real), extending from Eagle Pass to Pendletons Ferry on the Sabine River will be unified and marked first and a score of State tourist parks will be built along its route.

PROCALLS

Mrs. J. A. Harris of Anson is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. A. Wilson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Creighton, who are now making their home in Fort Worth, where Mr. Creighton is house representative for Williamson-Dickie Company, were here for a few days last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Newsom and little daughter, who have been visiting with Mrs. Newsoms parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Forrest visited and Mrs. Dixie Lattimore, left Sunday for their home in Ore City. They plan to stop in Dallas for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Forrest visited in Slaton Sunday.

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20 Per Cent of State's Population On Relief

Austin, Jan. 8.—Officials of the Texas Relief Commission were confronted last week by a relief case load of 300,667 as they began the new year's battle against unemployment. The figure represented an increase of 8.9 per cent over the December total of 270,595.

State Relief Director Adam R. Johnson attributed the increase to the winter season and to the fact that last summer's drouth has left little opportunity for employment in the rural areas of the state.

"In view of the fact that our relief load now includes slightly more than 20 per cent of the state's population we are hopeful that we have reached the peak load," Johnson said. "Our administrators have been cautioned to carefully inspect all new applications for relief and to require all applicants to testify under oath as to their true financial condition, as directed by legislative act. This ought to take care of all imposters."

Officials were calculating budgets for the 253 counties of the state today based on their reported case loads. Relief authorities will assist about 1,325,000 persons this month, approximately 21 per cent of the state's population. Although the rolls are much larger, it is believed that the budgets for individual cases will be maintained at last month's level because the legislature allowed \$1.

500,000 for relief purposes this month against only \$1,000,000 last month. The state's contribution is matched dollar for dollar by the federal government.

\$3,674,695 Federal Relief For Texas

Austin, Jan. 9.—Federal authorities have notified State Relief Director Adam R. Johnson of the allocation of \$3,674,695 of federal funds for the relief of dependent persons in Texas during the month of January.

The allotment includes sums for various purposes as follows: General relief \$1,500,000 (to match a similar sum made available by the state); drouth relief \$1,609,200; cattle program, \$250,000; transient bureaus, \$125,000; student aid \$63,195; emergency education, \$127,300.

Mr. Johnson had not received a reply to applications for \$779,046.98 for rural rehabilitation and \$6,132 for workers' education programs. If total amounts of these applications are granted, the January total of Federal grants to Texas would exceed slightly those of December when \$4,304,395 was made available to the state.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ridgway have returned from Indiana where they have been visiting with Mrs. Ridgway's parents. They will make their home here.

TAKE OVER FILLING STATION

Rev. J. P. Ashin and E. B. Honeycutt have recently taken over the Sinclair Filling Station, formerly operated by John T. Sanders. The station is located one block north of the northeast corner of the square.

T. E. L. CLASS IN BUSINESS MEETING

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church met in a business meeting and social at the home of Mrs. Heffernan on Tuesday afternoon. After the business session New Year's gifts were exchanged and dainty refreshments were served to fourteen members by Meses G. C. Wilkes, E. V. Wilkes, and Mrs. Veasey, who acted as hostess. Then all members visited Mrs. L. B. Stuart and daughter, Nancy Marrial.

ON TEXAS FARMS

Because the work done by the farm demonstration agent in terracing proved so valuable to farmers in Montgomery county, the County Court has employed a terracing assistant for a period of 50 days and invested in a crawler type of tractor and a grader to be used only in terracing.

In the drouth emergency of 1934, D. G. Vick, Young county rancher, found cotton to be the cheapest and best feed he could raise for his 17000 head of sheep. As used by him the cotton was stripped and stored for winter feeding which he values at four cents per pound. In 1934 his plantings averaged 250 pounds per acre. No other lands planted in feed stuffs produced so much, Mr. Vick states.

Tanning has taken firm hold in Runnels county according to Elmo V. Cook, farm demonstration agent. More than 700 pounds of hide were tanned and cattle producers in the county still have 500 hides being held for tanning leather. The work was introduced by Mr. Cook with a home leather tanning school. This was so useful that he plans to follow it with several additional schools.

Keeping records on her garden enables Annie Piwetz, Fort Bend county 4-H club girl, to report for 1934 that her seeds and plants cost \$5.39; that her family consumed 588 lbs. of fresh vegetables valued at \$46.08; and that she canned 38 quarts of

Child, 4, Loses Dollar And Tells Detective

Billy Juanita Vail, 4, knew what to do in the case of a theft. She went immediately to the city detective department and reported the loss of \$1 Wednesday afternoon.

Detective Johnston investigated the case and learned that the bill had been buried while Billy was playing "hide and seek" with a 12-year-old neighbor boy. Billy said that the boy suggested that she bury it in a safe place so that she would not lose it. The two dug a hole behind the Miller Mutual Fire Insurance Company at 307 West Tenth Street and put the money in it.

Billy became suspicious and went back shortly afterward to get the bill. It was missing. Johnston went to the residence at 917 Taylor Street where he learned that Billy's mother did not know that her daughter had taken the money from the house. Johnston suggested that she take the matter up with juvenile officers.

—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.
food from the garden which were valued at \$7.00.

Mr. D. Burns of Lubbock was here Wednesday on business.

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Tuesday, January 15

If Hatching Eggs are from a flock, tested for Pollorum disease, (formerly called Bacillary White Diarrhea) bring them to the DAWSON COUNTY POULTRY FARM. ALL eggs entering this hatchery must be from Pollorum tested flocks.

If your flock has not been tested, you may bring your hatching to the Kelly Building, just back of Baldwin's Dry Goods Company, building faces east, first door north of Chrysler Garage.

This is a convenient location for all my customers. Here I will maintain a Sanitary Hatchery, Feed Store, Poultry Drugs, and Supplies.

I hope to meet my old friends and customers, as well as many new ones in this new location.

Do you have a poultry problem? If so lets talk it over. Listen I have learned a new way of ventilating brooder and laying houses that will apply to any building used to house poultry.

I have a few of those early hatched cockerels. Mr. Payne hatched them from his Star mating that would be a credit to any flock of White Leghorns. I will close these out worth the money.

Dewey H. Davis

Owner and Manager

DAWSON COUNTY POULTRY FARM

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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

The First National Bank

LAMESA, TEXAS

As made to the Comptroller of Currency at Close of Business

December 31st, 1934

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$130,808.01
Government Cotton Loans	152,269.27
Bill of Exchange Cotton and Grain	35,027.58
U. S. Bonds Secure Circulation	6,250.00
Warrants, County, School and State	38,143.70
Bonds, H. O. L. C., Municipal and Federal Land	48,953.11
Other Real Estate (clear)	3,063.10
Other Assets, F. D. L. C.	1,116.45
Overdrafts	582.20
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	2,400.00
Banking House and Fixtures	25,000.00
Cash and Exchange	144,192.76
	\$587,801.18

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock, Common	\$25,000.00	
Preferred	\$25,000.00	\$50,000.00
Surplus		10,000.00
Undivided Profits		13,556.92
Reserve for Depreciation		650.00
Dividend, Preferred Stock		500.00
Circulation		6,250.00
Deposits		506,844.26
		\$587,801.18

The above statement is correct.

W. K. CRAWLEY, Cashier.

A LOT OF TIRES OWE JIMMY DURANTE

an apology

STUPENDOUS

GIGANTIC

COLOSSAL

"Stupendous! Gigantic! Colossal!" murmurs Jimmy Durante, humorous star of moving pictures, radio and the stage.

"Our tires are absolutely burst-proof!" "Our tires outwear all other tires!" "Our tires are made by a super method that dwarfs all other tire-making methods!" shout one tire advertisement after another.

Motorists laugh at the flow of Durante adjectives. They're good fun. But there is no humor in a blown-out tire that was supposed to be burst-proof, as many car owners are finding out.

That is why many motorists are turning to Seiberling. They prefer to ride on facts, not claims. They know that F. A. Seiberling has been building good tires since 1898 and has more major tire inventions to his name than any other man.

If you are tired of riding on adjectives, come in and get the FACTS on Seiberling Tires. Learn about air-cooling and vapor-curing. Find out what experience and simple manufacturing honesty can mean in tire mileage, safety and economy.

SEIBERLING Air Cooled TIRES

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Tire Company

Frank Stanley, Mgr.

WHOLESALE - RETAIL

East of Tatum Hatchery