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Mrs. C. C. Rolls, County Pioneer, Dies Saturday

Mrs. C. C. Rolls, one of the early settlers of the county died Saturday, January 27, following an illness of only two days. Only the day before was stricken, Mrs. Rolls had made a trip to Oklahoma to attend to business, and she had also gone about her usual affairs at Wellington, so that a majority of her friends were not even aware of her illness.

She was 82 years of age.

Mrs. Rolls was a native Texan, having been born in Grimes county July 13, 1869. She was before her marriage Zoeda Rachel Coleman, the daughter of the late Alec and Sallie Foster Coleman, who later helped to settle the Dozier area. Mr. Coleman was a veteran of the Mexican War, and served as a Captain in the Civil War.

Mrs. Rolls grew up in Falls county, and moved with her family to Montague County in 1881. She was married there to Christopher C. Rolls February 14, 1888. Later they moved to Motley county, and in 1893 they followed members of her family to Collingsworth County where she and Mr. Rolls engaged in farming and ranching.

They had made their home at Wellington for a number of years, with the exception of winters spent on the Texas Gulf coast.

Mrs. Rolls was a devoted member of the First Christian Church for sixty-four years, having joined in 1886 in Montague County.

Funeral services were held at the First Christian Church Sunday, January 28, at 2:00 o'clock, with the Rev. J. F. Matthews of Lubbock, a former pastor, in charge, assisted by the Rev. Archie Gray.

Pall bearers were nephews and included Aler Coleman, Frank Coleman, Dee Coleman and Leon Coleman of this county; J. C. Rolls of Abilene, Otis Rolls of Odessa; Foster Simmons and Bonny Simmons of Channing.

Burial was in the Dozier cemetery under the direction of the Kelso Funeral Home.

Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Dea Allison of San Antonio, Mrs. Julia Mue of San Angelo, and Mrs. Mattie Simmons of Freer. A large number of nieces and nephews also survive. Those living here include Alex Coleman, Frank Coleman, J. D. Coleman, Wood Coleman, Leon Coleman, Mrs. N. E. Childers and Mrs. Ola Wall. Other relatives are a sister-in-law, Mrs. S. L. Coleman; brother-in-law, Ira Rolls.

Dodson Junior Play Tuesday

Dodson Juniors will give their annual play "Dotty and Daffy" Tuesday evening, February 6. The program begins at 7:30 p. m.

Story of the comedy concerns Phyllis, mother of Dotty and Daffy, who has lost all her money and decides to hunt a rich husband. "The comic situations which develop around her efforts will keep you laughing all evening" the juniors said.

The cast includes Dotty, played by Lavanda Hudson; Daffy, Mary Bogle; Phyllis, Peggy Tipton; Aunt Hester, Nellie Underwood; Molly, the cook, Jeanette Swift; Hilda, the housemaid, Pauline Musick.

Paxton Belmont, who thinks Phyllis is as rich as he is broke, Buddy Cornelius; Jack, his son, Gerald King; Hugh Rand, a real millionaire A. B. Smith; Jimmy and Freddy Rand, his nephews, Jimmy Rippetoe and Ted Crownover; and Hopkins, the butler, Chester Lemons.

Not a Fine, But a Reminder

JUNIOR POLICE GIVE COURTESY TICKETS TO TRAFFIC OFFENDERS

The junior police, who do patrol duty at the schools, are giving courtesy tickets, calling attention to infraction of rules to motorists who disobey traffic regulations, Lee Plante, who is in charge of the boys, has announced.

These tickets do not impose fines, but they do call attention to the person's infraction of traffic regulations.

The courtesy tickets bear the following wording, calling attention to the infraction:

Dear Driver: You have violated the following traffic regulations:

1. Turning around in the middle of the street.

N. Y. C. AA-Gunners Blast Soviet Aircraft



Or at least that's the way it looks in this picture combining photographs of three new Russian planes with a view of New York City's recently installed anti-aircraft battery at Fort Totten. The Russian planes, zooming over the Army's 120-millimeter guns, are: at upper left, a TU-4, the four-engine bomber closely resembling in performance and appearance America's B-29 Superfort; directly below it, an MIG-15, the jet job which has been taking a beating in Korean border fights with U. S. Shooting Stars; at left, a Lavochkin jet that is reported to be faster than Russia's Yak. Although the Red ships appear formidable, the cocky gunners guarding New York gave 100-to-1 odds that they could knock anything out of the sky with their radar-controlled weapons.

Ten Norwood Students Made Ill By Escaping Gas Monday

Ten Samnorwood eighth grade students were made ill by escaping gas in their room Monday, January 29, but a majority of these had returned to their classes Tuesday morning, Supt. Orville Cunningham said.

Children who became ill were

Funeral for C. A. Barton, Hollis, Held at Quail

Funeral services for Curtis Albert Barton, 56, were held at the Church of Christ at Quail Friday afternoon, January, with Minister B. M. Litton of Memphis officiating.

Mr. Barton died at his home at Hollis, Okla., where he had lived for the last 10 years, Thursday morning. He was alone at the time Joyce Amerson, Jerry Reynolds, Alice Payne, Sherry Grogan, Odesa Kidwell, Doug Thompson, Neva (Continued on Page Twelve)

Childress Has Million Dollar Fire Tuesday

The Wellington fire department, and those of five other neighboring towns were called to Childress early Tuesday morning to fight a fire which destroyed six buildings and brought a \$1,000,000 loss to that city.

The fire burnt out approximately one-fourth of a block on the east side of Commerce Street at the intersection of Avenue B. Destroyed were the Prather-Williams Drug Store, where the fire is be-

lieved to have started; the First State Bank, Western Auto Store, the Gem Theatre, Hood's News Stand and the Fashion Shop.

The Childress telephone office is located across the alley from the destroyed buildings, and telephone communications were cut off and aid had to be summoned by driving to Kirkland. The blaze was finally brought under control about 9:00 a. m., five hours after it was discovered.

Alarm on the fire was flashed to the Childress fire department about 3:50 a. m. by a telephone operator, just across the alley from the rear of the drug store. Fire Chief John Belev said the fire was well under way, but firemen were beating it down when an explosion occurred which blew firemen across the street and "really set things off."

A second explosion occurred in Western Auto Store but it did not have the force of the first one. W. C. Harp, executive vice-president of the First State Bank, said he believed all records of the bank were safe inside the vaults.

In addition to the Wellington fire department, units came from Memphis, Paducah, Quanah, Estelina, Vernon, Crowell, Chillicothe, Electra and Hollis.

Taking the Wellington equipment was Bura Handley, Hiram Cudd and Jake Leach.

plained. "As soon as the students stepped into the cool hall at the noon hour, they became ill."

None of the more than 30 students, nor Mr. Mounger detected any odor of escaping gas, Mr. Cunningham said.

"The students sitting farthest from the stove were the ones made ill. Apparently the gas rose to the ceiling, traveled across the room, and down the opposite wall," the superintendent continued.

As soon as emergency measures were taken, the children who were ill were taken to their homes, and a number of the parents later took the youngsters to be checked by doctors. The four receiving artificial respiration were Joyce Amerson, Wilma Cornell, Alice Payne and Jerry Reynolds.

"The stove was re-adjusted immediately, and we can assure parents that this thing will not happen again," Mr. Cunningham said.

Mrs. P. M. Simpson Of Lutie Dies Unexpectedly Wed.

Mrs. P. M. Simpson, Lutie resident for the past 37 years, died at her home Wednesday evening, January 24, at 7:30 p. m. She had suffered from a heart ailment for the past four or five years, and this condition had grown worse during the last two months. However she was believed to be improving, and her unexpected death followed a critical illness of only an hour.

Mrs. Simpson was born near Little Rock, Ark., February 25, 1883, and at the time of her death she was 67 years, 10 months and (Continued on Page Twelve)

Childress Man Sues Greenbelt for \$26,000

James Duke of Childress has filed a suit in the 100th District Court asking \$26,000 damages from the Greenbelt Rural Electric Co-operative for injuries allegedly received while he was employed by a firm doing work for the defendant.

The suit was filed with Mrs. O. E. Dodson here Wednesday, January 24, by the defendant's lawyers, Marchant, Fitzgerald and Pope of Amarillo.

Orval Couch, superintendent of the Greenbelt Rural Electric Co-operative, said that liability insurance company attorneys would be in charge of the case for the defendant.

In instruments filed with Mrs. Dodson, the plaintiff says he was employed by the Basanda Con-

G. C. Wright, Prominent Salt Fork Farmer, Dies

G. C. Wright, 79-year-old grocer and farmer of the Salt Fork community, died Sunday, January 28, at 11:25 a. m., after having been critically ill for nearly three weeks. He was stricken while at the bedside of a brother, Richard Wright, of Mangum, who died last week.

Mr. Wright had been a Collingsworth County resident since 1915. He operated a grocery store in Wellington for several years, and after selling it, moved to his farm in the Salt Fork community. He continued to operate it until only a few years ago, and since retiring he and Mrs. Wright had made their home with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Isbell, on his home farm.

Mr. Wright was a native of Paris, Tenn., where he was born March 6, 1871. He had lived in Texas for many years.

He was for many years one of the most active community workers of the Salt Fork area, and did much for the development of the schools and church of the section. He was a member of the Salt Fork Methodist Church and the Woodmen of the World.

Funeral services for Mr. Wright were held Tuesday, January 30, at the Methodist Church in Wellington, with the Rev. Vernon Willard, pastor of the Methodist Church at Mobeetie, and Mr. Wright's former pastor, in charge, assisted by the Rev. H. E. Long, Wellington circuit pastor.

Pall bearers were Ernest Maxwell, Zook Thomas, G. B. Bruce, J. P. Cummings, Fred Cummings and Jack Brewer. Honorary pall bearers were S. R. Pinkston, Dave Thomas, E. A. Singley, E. L. Wilson Sr., Ira B. Morrow, T. B. Starkey, J. B. Castleberry, Hugh Longino, S. B. Jackson, Pink Sullivan and John Forbis.

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

Surviving Mr. Wright are his wife, Mrs. G. C. Wright of Wellington; four daughters and a son, Mrs. R. H. Isbell, Mrs. Bill Clifton of Vinson, Mrs. Frank Gillespie of Roaring Springs, Mrs. U. S. Bolton of Elida, N. M., and G. C. Wright of Wellington. Surviving grandchildren are Mrs. Lee Sanders of Whitesboro, G. C. Isbell and Billy Leon Isbell of Wellington, Mrs. Bob J. Spears of Lubbock, Charles Wright and Edna Ellen Wright of Wellington, Elena Nell Bolton and Richard Clyde Bolton of Elida, N. M.

Levoy Musick to Preach at Dodson

Levoy Musick of Dodson, a student in the Southwestern Bible Institute at Waxahachie, will hold week-end services there under the auspices of the Assembly of God. There will be three night services, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, all beginning at 7:30 p. m.

More Study Due

Parents Point to Plant, Teacher And Students Problems in Meeting

Parents, school board members, and teachers met together Monday night, January 29, in the first citizens education conference ever

County Gets First Zero Weather, More Moisture



REPAYING A DEBT—One of the first New Yorkers to answer a Red Cross appeal for blood donors was 21-year-old Sgt. Martinez of Brooklyn. Wounded in the Korean fighting last September, Martinez told nurse Madge D'Alessandro, as she accepted his blood, "I got blood at the front and I saw how blood saved the lives of boys in Korea. I think I ought to give some back."

Wildcat Test Planned

New Oil Block Announced Northeast of Wellington

M. E. Conkling, Arlington, and Elton E. Flake, Plainview, reported January 24 they have taken a block of approximately 6,500 acres in Collingsworth County, one mile east and four miles north of Wellington, and plan to drill a wildcat to 6,000 feet, or production. The Cisco will be the primary goal of the wildcat, Conkling reported.

Bob Stephenson assisted with the work locally.

The block comprises sections 31, 32, 33, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52 and 53, block 11, H&GN survey, and section 41, block 15, H&GN survey. The north boundary of the block is the south bank of the

Loco Club Plans Bake Sale Set

The Loco Home Demonstration Club will hold a bake sale at the A. T. Smith building at the southwest corner of the square Saturday, February 3, Mrs. R. H. Lacy, who is helping with plans, has announced.

The women will sell cakes, pies, dressed chickens, country eggs, and probably whipping cream.

Mrs. L. M. Bartlett is president of the club.

Salt Fork of the Red River.

The spread is believed to cover a magnetometer high. Location for the wildcat is expected to be announced within the next week. The test is reported as being drilled on the strength of Cisco oil shows in a wildcat drilled some years ago by the United Southern Company in section 60, block 15, HxGN survey.

No Special No. Car Tags Saved

No car and truck license tags with special numbers will be saved for Collingsworth County drivers this year, Hubert Mauldin, sheriff, tax assessor and collector, said this week.

"Due to the amount of bookkeeping involved, and the amount of

Excitement Guaranteed

CLOSE GAME PREDICTED WHEN QUAILS AND ROCKETS MEET

The Quail Quails and Bobwhites will come to Wellington Monday night, February 5 to play the Wellington Rockets and Rockettes in

Farmers Welcome Cold to Cut Insect Menace

A coldwave reaching this area during the week end brought Collingsworth its first zero weather of the winter, and snow falling early Wednesday, January 31, added a small amount of badly needed moisture.

Farmers especially welcomed the cold, since it was generally conceded that unless the county got some extremely cold weather the area was likely to witness a repetition of the 1950 insect damage to crops that cost county farmers, and in turn business men, millions of dollars during the past season.

Several Wellington residents reported their thermometers registered as low as three degrees below zero Monday morning, and numerous others reported from over the county were from one below to two and three above.

Moisture added by snow Wednesday will give more than ideal weather combination for killing out the insects—cold wet that gets down in the ground to the point where the insect eggs are found during the winter months.

While considerable more of this kind of weather is needed, farmers agree that this is a start.

Approximately an inch of snow fell around Wellington Wednesday morning. The fall was heavier in the north part of the county, although it was drifting more than in the Wellington section. The snow was also reported a little heavier in the Loco area.

More snow was predicted for the area during the day and following night.

business the office must handle, we find that it will be impossible for us to render this service we have given in past years," Mr. Mauldin pointed out.

In past years, some county residents have asked for specific numbers for one reason or another, ranging from superstition to an effort to get an easily remembered number, or the number that the driver has held for several years.

Mr. Mauldin reminded that the 1951 tags may be put on the vehicle February 1, and they must be on by April 1.

what is expected to be two of the most exciting games of the season, Coach Maxey McKnight has announced.

This will be the fifth time the boys have met this year and the fourth time the girls have played.

The Rockets have won three of the four games, but by margins far too close for comfort. The Quails took the first game of the season by 7 points then the Rockets victory narrowed down to two points twice and one point in the remaining games. Quail girls have won all three games.

"You can see what kind of games you've been missing when these teams play. We can't guarantee who'll win this game between the Quails and Rockets, but we can guarantee you excitement, McKnight declared.

A large crowd of Quail basketball fans is expected in to cheer their teams. The games begin at 7:30.

The Rockets and Rockettes will go to Clarendon Tuesday night, February 5. The teams have met twice previously, with the boys splitting the pair and Clarendon girls winning both times.

Revival Planned At Needwood

A revival meeting will be held at the Needwood School beginning Monday, January 29, and continuing for ten days. This revival is under the direction of the Assembly of God, and the Rev. Austin Joliff, pastor of the Wellington church, will conduct the services.

Services will begin at 7:30 each evening, and the public is invited.

Two years of vocational agriculture are not enough, in view (Continued on Page Twelve)



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Pound —

Coffee

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Lb. Can —

84c

SUGAR

Cane
10 Lb. —

89c

Orange Juice

46 Oz.
Can —

29c

Grape Fruit Juice

Can —
46 Oz.

29c

ORANGES

5

Lb.—
Why Pay More

19c

SALAD DRESSING

Bestyett
Quart Jar —

49c

CRACKERS

Sunshine
Lb Box —

29c

PERK DOG FOOD

Can —

15c

Spare Ribs

Fresh Young Lean
Meaty, Lb. —

49c



JOWLS

Smoked, Lb. —

33c

BOLOGNA

ALL
MEAT

Good Grade
Pound —

49c

Chops Pork

First cut tender-
loin or rib end cuts
Pound —

49c

Peanut Butter

PETER PAN
Smooth, 12 Oz. Jar —

37c

PETER PAN
Crunchy, 12 Oz. Jar —

37c

SPINACH

Del Month
No. 2 Can —

17c

BAB-O 2 CANS 25c

BLEACH PUREX

1 1/2 GAL, 29c

Grapefruit

5

Lb. —
9 1/2 Size —

19c

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50

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Tomato Soup

Campbells

2

Cans —

19c

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A Community Asset

February, a month of notable birthdays, sees the celebration of a "birthday" in which all Americans can properly join. Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6 to 12, reminds us that one of America's largest youth organizations has reached another milestone.

Locally, interest in Boy Scout work is increasing, and much valuable work is being done by the Boy Scout Troops, the Cubs and Explorers. With a well-rounded program, Scouting is offered boys of all ages, from the little youngsters who get th primary concepts of Scouting in their Cub dens, to the older boys who find it only one step from Explorer leadership to leadership in the community.

Emphasis is being put on Explorers—Scouting for the older boys—just now, with the organization of a new troop under way. Earlier in the winter, reactivation of the Cub troops brought more interest from youngsters than there were dens to take care of them.

And while the Boy Scouts are taking a salute next week, tribute is also due the men and women of Wellington who are making Scouting possible. They are doing a job because they want to, because they are intrested. Most of them do this at the expense of already heavy schedules of work. That they do, makes their efforts

more commendable.

The Boy Scouts of America has reached its forty-first anniversary. Since Feb. 8, 1910, more than 17,750,000 American boys and men have been influenced by the Scout Oath and Law. They have benefitted by using their leisure-time energies in outdoor living and activities of cultural and practical values which lead boys to become dependable men.

Today over 2,750,000 boys and men are actively enrolled in over 75,000 different units. Fortunate indeed are communities where Scouting flourishes. American adults of good character give generously of their time to give leadership. Others help by raising funds and are members of Local Boy Scout Councils which in turn provide training for leaders, camp facilities, worthwhile year-round activities, personal advancement and opportunities for Scouts to render community service.

In celebration of this birthday, the Boy Scouts are engaged in a nationwide clothing collection to meet emergency needs abroad, are stepping up their training for Civil Defense and are promoting greater interest in conserving the nation's natural resources.

May you have many more happy birthdays, Boy Scouts!

Bible Comment FOR FEB. 4

All History Moves to the Crucifixion

Although historians are still chronicling the events of World War II and the eyes of the world are focused upon those events that have placed us on the threshold of still another international conflict, the crucifixion of Jesus will long be considered the greatest event in history.

To the cross of Christ all previous history moves. Whether men believe in Christ or not, they cannot escape the dominating influence that He has exercised over the lives of men and the course of history.

The poet Tennyson wrote of the "one far-off divine event toward which the whole creation moves." Those words perfectly describe the significance of the Christ's death.

Why does the cross mean so much? Its meaning is found in the great fact of salvation and redemption through sacrifice. We realize this today as we see how our very security and safety as a nation is jeopardized by an unwillingness to make sacrifices, and endure privations and sufferings.

For Jesus, no sacrifice was too great, no task too exacting, no hardship too exhausting. The man who died on Calvary prophesied, "I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto Me."

The second great significance of the Cross is its place in Christian fellowship. Those who regard the Cross only as something borne for them, can never discover its full meaning; they are too engrossed in their own selfish search for profits and salvation.

The events of this tempestuous age are dwarfed by the shadow of the Cross that stood on Calvary. For it was on that Cross that Jesus gave Himself that others might be saved, saying, "He that loath his life shall find it."

Only when mankind looks back to that day for an answer to the eternal question, "Why are we here and what is our mission," can his own age begin to achieve a degree of greatness.

Sam Bass, famous Texas outlaw is buried at Round Rock, Texas.

The Governor's Mansion in Austin was built in 1855.

The San Antonio Public Library owns the greatest collection of circus mementos in the world.

Falfurriass, Texas, was so named from an Indian word meaning "the land of heart's delight."

Texas' Treaty Oak in Austin, now between 500 and 600 years old, may live for several centuries yet, with proper care.

Gainesville, Texas, is called the "City of 100,000 trees."

Denison Dam, north of Denison, Texas, is the world's largest earthen roll fill dam.

Longview, Texas, is the southern terminus of the "big inch" pipe line extending into Illinois.

Most of the world's supply of helium is produced around Amarillo, Texas.

The world's largest walled, outdoor swimming pool is in Balmorhea State Park near Balmorhea, Texas.

There are 409 rooms in the capitol building.

The corner stone in the Texas capitol building weighs about 16,000 pounds.

Watching Democracy at Work



Ticklers

By George



"I've just gotta get a different doctor; feathers aggravate my hay fever!"

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LOOKING AHEAD
BY GEORGE S. BENSON
President—Harding College
Scary, Arkansas

LETTER FROM A VETERAN
Surveys have been made which show that the various phases of the Harding College National Education Program are reaching a combined audience of about 25,000,000 people every week. A heartening compensation for those of us who work in directing and operating this widespread effort on behalf of maintaining the American way of life is the contents of the mail that flows in from all sections of the nation and from all kinds of people.

More and more people are beginning to put their minds to work on the national issues which once seemed so remote but which now have begun to be recognized, properly, as affecting the future life, liberty and happiness of everyone. Nothing gives me greater encouragement than a letter from someone who is sincerely struggling with these national problems, or who has arrived at a personal conviction and is willing to back up that conviction with high moral courage.

YES OR NO,

Such a letter recently came to my desk. Whatever we may think of the writer's expressed convictions, the fact that he is actually grappling with problems that concern us all and the high moral quality of his citizenship, ought to be a strengthening tonic for everyone. That's the chief reason I'm passing it along.

"This morning, while working about the house," he wrote, "I heard your radio program—the story about the Lebanon Immigrant who found opportunity and happiness in this country, and I decided to write to you concerning my views on this economic struggle which is approaching. I am a school teacher and coach, having a very modest income. Recently we teachers received a communication on which were a series of questions we were asked to answer. One question asked whether we would like to have a substantial increase in salary. An amount was mentioned that would make any teacher's heart flutter. If we were opposed to this nice salary increase, we were asked to register our opposition.

MAKING HIS POINT

"The State Legislature was to convene soon and the survey going throughout the state to all teachers was to accumulate their opinions on the matter and seek to justify a request for additional funds. The fear is that teachers will again begin to leave for war work in war industries. Such a possibility is not in my mind as I am a member of the Air Force Reserve and probably will have another tour of duty. But I was opposed to the salary increase and as far as I know I have been the only teacher in our system who is opposed.

"The point, now, of my letter is to make the suggestion that somewhere, some place, the people of the U. S. should face reality and realize that if our ruinous spending continues we are apt to end up as the Roman Empire, victorious in every war but a decadent civilization, ruined economically. In your position you have a voice and perhaps if enough people voice their feelings to you your voice or pen can do something in high places that I, as an individual, can't.

BOTHERSOME QUESTIONS
"Why doesn't the government conscript labor and pay the same as to service men, Why not begin to roll back some prices? Why not begin to roll back Army and other pay, especially in the officer rank (I am commissioned officer)? Why can't the American people be made to feel that war is not the time to make money or live as usual? Why not get us all mobilized, pull in our belts and realize that Democratic victories are not apt to continue forever unless we all sacrifice? How, in the face of pictures and releases coming from Korea, showing and telling of hapless millions of starving, migrating, freezing people, can conscious and conscientious Americans who profess to be Christians, demand more and more.

"Let's pull in our belts and go to work—sensibly."

This is the kind of soul-searching and willingness to sacrifice that our country can stand a lot of. And his act of writing the letter, however debatable may be its contents, is fulfillment of one of the truly important demands of American citizenship. As an individual he can be influential in "high places." Such sober thoughtful letters are the kind that influence the acts of our elected public officials.

Misses Helen Caldwell and Marianne Daw are at home spending the mid-semester holidays. The young ladies are students at Stephen F. Austin College at Nacogdoches.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Smith were in Pampa Sunday to visit their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Roberts.



RADIATION DETECTORS—Wave Lt. Rosemary Lafferty of Utica, N. Y., now on duty in Washington, displays two types of radiation detectors developed by Navy research. One type uses salt crystals which turn blue when exposed to gamma rays; the other uses a glass sensitive to gammas. Both detectors, which measure the degree of an individual's exposure to harmful radiation, can be easily worn or carried.

DOZIER

By MRS. E. L. RANKIN

(Intended for Last Week)

The members of the Church of Christ have put a new roof on the church building, and are repairing the windows and redecorating the interior.

Ronnie Gooch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gooch, had the misfortune to get his arm broken while playing basketball in Canadian Saturday night. Ronnie is a student at Samnorwood High School.

John Van Huss, Jr., left Sunday night to be inducted into the service. He is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Van Huss who live near Abra.

Mrs. Gregg of Lubbock spent two days last week in the Pat Bradley home.

James Murry lost a good milk cow last week from poisoning. It seems a good many cattle have died from eating feed that was poisoned last summer. So much poison was used here on the cotton. A. F. Wischkaemper lost two cows poisoned in this manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Riley, who moved from west of Lutie to Hale Center a short time ago, are operating a filling station and grocery store there. Mr. Riley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Riley of Dozier.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayo and family, who have lived in this part of the county for the past 15 years, moved to Whitesboro last week.

NEW CARS AND TRUCKS

Purchasing new cars and trucks this week were: E. S. Hale, City, Lincoln Sport Sedan; Tiffin Young, Loco, Pontiac deluxe sedan; George Scott, City, Buick 4-door sedan; J. F. Moody, City, Chevrolet 4-door sedan; Mrs. Tom Campbell, City, Chevrolet special coupe; Edward L. Poole, City, Dodge 4-door sedan; J. B. Stevenson, City, Pontiac, 4-door sedan; I. E. Pennington, Phillips, Plymouth club coupe; A. R. Nelson, Route One, City, Buick deluxe 4-door; Bob Glenn, City, Plymouth 4-door sedan; Billy Mac Sims, Rt. Five, City, Buick 4-door sedan; Bill Hill, Route Six, City, Chevrolet deluxe 2-door sedan; Sandown Smith, City, Willys pickup; Dick Wiles, City, Willys pickup; L. A. Sparlin, Shamrock, Dodge 1-2 ton pickup; and I. H. Wood, City, Chevrolet ton pickup.



Mr. and Mrs. Elton Knox are the parents of a son, Ricky Allen, born January 19 in St. Joseph's Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Oford King are the parents of a daughter, Brenda Gail, born January 19 in St. Joseph's Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cummings are the parents of a son, Leslie Joe, born January 22 in St. Joseph's Hospital. He weighed 5 pounds, 14 1-2 ounces.

Mrs. J. L. Burt is in Dallas to attend the market this week.



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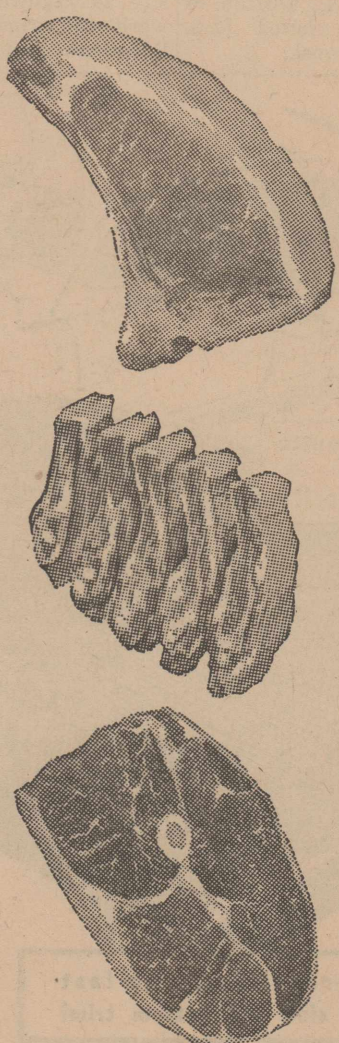
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Society

Mrs. Glenn Ketchum is Bridal Shower Honoree

The home of Mrs. Ernest Nunnelley was the scene of a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Glenn Ketchum, Thursday, January 25, from 7 to 9 p.m. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Nunnelley were Mmes. Elvise Crawley, J. B. Killian, John Sechrist, Bill Jones, Denzil Deger, S. E. Elmore, and Earl Reynolds.

Mrs. Nunnelley greeted the guests and introduced them to Mrs. Ketchum, her mother, Mrs. C. K. Laycock of Wheeler, and Mrs. Wilton Ketchum.

Mrs. Crawley registered the guests in a white satin bride's book, and Mrs. Elmore and Mrs. Reynolds displayed the gifts in a bedroom.

Mrs. Ketchum was presented with a corsage of red roses, while Mrs. Laycock and Mrs. Ketchum wore white carnations. Other members of the house party wore corsages of white carnations.

The refreshment table was laid with a white lace cloth which touched the floor. At intervals around the table, the cloth was gathered, making the edge scalloped. In each of the scallops was placed a miniature bouquet of red rose buds.

A bride and groom standing in a miniature garden of red rose buds centered the table. Clear punch was served from a crystal service, with roses frozen in cubes of ice placed in the bowl, by Mrs. Deger. Mrs. Crawley served individual angel food cakes topped with white icing and a red rose bud to the guests.

Attending were Mmes. Donald Reeves, Carrel Laycock, Ervel Darrow, J. W. Sechrist, Ernest Smith, John Cain, Wilton Ketchum, Tommy Lewis, Carthel Lewis, L. O. Tyson, Joe Terry, Jess Deger, Jack L. Wood, J. H. Wood, G. W. Laycock, Bob Hightower, Wayne Reynolds, Elbert Warren, Mmes. C. B. Nunnelley, Hayden Williams, Raymond Ford, Heber Brantley, Pink Sullivan, W. A. Morrow, D. F. Roberts, J. L. Black, W. H. Culwell, Denzil Deger, Elvise Crawley, S. E. Elmore, Boots Sechrist, Ernest Nunnelley.

Miss Hazel Adams Has Birthday

The Crochet Club met in the home of Mrs. O. O. Adams Thursday, January 11, for their regular meeting, and to honor Miss Hazel Adams with a surprise birthday party.

A lovely birthday cake baked by Misses Inez and Mable Clement was served to the guests with hot tea and coffee.

Attending were Mmes. Marie Rountree, Homer Holton, Margaret Rountree, Cora Haralson, Alva Cristy, Ellie Love, Millard P. Brown, George Clark, A. R. Pepper, J. G. Gardner, W. D. Alldridge, J. H. Rainer, E. G. Pierce, J. H. Birchfield, Miss Virde Rarburn, the honoree, Miss Hazel Adams, and the hostess, Mrs. O. O. Adams.

Abra H. D. Club Meets January 24

The Abra Home Demonstration Club met for its regular meeting Wednesday, January 24, in the home of Mrs. Joe Laycock.

The meeting was opened with the singing of the club song, followed by a prayer given by Mrs. D. A. Kincannon. Mrs. A. L. Honeycutt, president, was in charge of the business session in which the club colors and motto were chosen.

The demonstration was given on cleaning and mending clothes.

Present were Mmes. Jewel Childers, Wayne Yawcock, Roy Billingsley, Leroy Bell, A. L. Honeycutt, D. A. Kincannon, Phil Bentley, W. W. Breeding, A. J. Laycock, Pat Bradley, W. R. Breeding, Gus Gooch, Roberts, and the hostess, Mrs. Joe Laycock.

Fresno H. D. Club Meets Recently

The Fresno Home Demonstration Club held its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. H. B. Lowrie, Tuesday, January 16. The standing club committees were named, and the rules for the council were read and adopted by the club during the business meeting.

Plans were made to help with the dinner for the Texas Home Demonstration Association Meeting.

A demonstration on keeping up with styles and colors was given by Miss Jo Wylie, agent.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. A. B. Hicks, W. A. Morrow, D. F. Roberts, E. C. Clement, Misses Jo Wylie, Mable Clement, Inez Clement, and the hostess, Mrs. H. B. Lowrie.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. A. Morrow on February 6.

Bill Jones, J. B. Killian, and Miss Betty Jo Laycock.

Sending gifts were Mmes. Shelton Nunnelley, Barney Cook, T. W. Devenport, E. M. Strickland, Calvin Aaron, W. R. Crawley, George Lewis, H. B. Lowrie, J. D. Aaron, Homer Holton, J. W. Holder, R. L. Tenison, Jim Wood, R. L. Wood, Earl Hunter, R. H. Crane, Woody Wood, Elbert Watts,

Mmes. Fred Williams, J. L. Burt, J. F. Lawrence, Ray Barton, E. E. Jones, Vera Hester, G. E. Van Pelt, George Farris, R. L. Templeton, E. C. Clement, Guy Brown, Dodson Jones, A. V. Coker, Sid Sessions, Barney Glenn, Guy W. Owens, Robert Posey, O. A. Kiker, R. R. Crawley, Walter Franks, Raymond Patton, Lee Roark.

Mmes. Cal Sugg, Vernon Eisenberg, Ervin Tyson, Albert Fulcher, Durant McInnis, Mack Saled, Sr., Earl Alexander, George Ketchum, Vernon Newton, Mae Harris, Bob Stephens, J. M. Wattam, Roy M. Horn, Earl Smith, Alvin Horton, Lester Hunter, L. T. Sullivan,

Mmes. J. A. Killian, J. H. Williams, Sandy Parsons, Jr., Ansel McDowell, B. Hamman, John D. King, J. C. Ford, Ernest Harwell, Claude McKinney, J. M. Orr, Pearl Hamman, Pearl Parker, A. L. Cochran, Joe Rountree, Walter Deger, A. R. Pepper, E. Wynn, Denny Judd, John Reynolds, Green Hodges, J. W. White, and Cortez Barnett.

Misses Lennie Lou Coleman, Jo Ann Bumpas, Inez Clement, Mable Clement, Diane Van, Lucille Bennett, Messrs. John Ed Roark, Donald Nunnelley, Bill Jones, Earle Jones, Joe Bob Wyrick, and Luther Sullivan.

Mrs. Strong Gives Talk on Plants

"Growing Potted Plants" was the subject of the leader training meeting conducted by Mrs. J. M. Strong in the home demonstration agents' office Monday afternoon, January 29.

The local leaders, to whom the lesson on planting and caring for potted plants was given, will give this training back to their clubs at the second meeting in February.

Present for the meeting were Mmes. Walter Franks, W. D. Alldridge, Fred Johnson, Gus Gooch, Marvin Wynn, T. J. Bowling, Ben Brewer, Jack Lowry, Odie Bradley, J. M. Strong, Misses Inez and Mable Clement, and Jo Wylie.

H. D. Officers Have Training Course

Presidents and vice presidents of the Collingsworth County Home Demonstration Clubs attended the Officers' Training School, held in the county court room Saturday, January 27.

Miss Bonnie Cox, organization specialist from College Station, was in charge of the meeting.

Present were Mrs. Thurman Crowner and Mrs. Elbert Warren of Dodson, Mrs. M. C. Cleveland, Council chairman from the Midway club, Mrs. J. L. Alexander of Samnorwood, Mrs. Jess Deger of Lutie, Mrs. Andrew Honeycutt of Abra, Mrs. Walter Franks of Wellington, Mrs. Charles Cason, Sr. of Midway, Mrs. H. B. Lowrie and Mrs. Hubert Mauldin of Fresno, and the agent, Miss Jo Wylie.

Domestic Science Club Meets

The Domestic Science Club met for its regular meeting in the home of Dr. Darlene Hunter January 18. An interesting program under the direction of Mrs. John Lee was given.

Mrs. Lee gave the life of Fritz Kriester, his aim and accomplishments in life.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Pink Sullivan, Cleo Templeton, J. M. Orr, W. R. Orr, J. B. Stevenson, Gene Lewis, J. Frank Johnson, Deskins Wells, Jim Llorente, Harold Watkins, L. C. Hill, John Lee, Henry Sullivan, and the hostess, Dr. Darlene Hunter.

Mrs. J. H. Henderson visited in Vernon over the week end with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Kelley, and children, Doris Ann and Don.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Beam were their son, Louie Beam, and his guest, J. Posey. Both are students in Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Jack Ward, accompanied by Jerry Barber and Warren Jones of Pampa, returned a few days ago from a week's trip to Monterrey, Mexico.



Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ketchum

Pictured above are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ketchum, who are shown cutting their wedding cake at a reception given for them in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Ketchum. Before her marriage of January 13, Mrs. Ketchum was the former Miss Glenda Laycock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Laycock of Wheeler.

Buck Creek

(Intended for Last Week)

Mrs. D. F. Lacy is home after several days in the hospital. Last Monday she was able to be up for the first time.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Duckworth have been with their daughter, Mrs. Billy Joe Seale, who has been in the hospital. Other visitors with Mrs. Seale from this community have been Elder and Mrs. L. Stonecipher, and Mrs. J. L. Sounder, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hartman of Wichita Falls recently visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hartman and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Sparlin visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thomas in Wellington Tuesday.

Friends and relatives of Grandma Tow helped her celebrate her 76th birthday Saturday, January 13. She received many lovely gifts. Those who spent the day with her were Eder and Mrs. L. Stonecipher, Mrs. J. L. Dollar, Bettie Dollar, William Dollar of Amarillo; Mrs. T. M. Lamb of Quail, and Mrs. Homer Duckworth.

We want to welcome all the people that have moved into our community, although we regret to lose those who have moved away. Jimmy Hartman recently bought a nice looking car.

Baptist Mission Holds Services

The Pilgrim's Baptist Mission is holding Bible study each night this week at the Church at 11th and Arlington streets. The book of Revelations is being taught.

Services start at 7:00 p.m., and everyone interested in studying the Bible is invited to attend, those in charge said.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Dufton of Venice, California, visited Mrs. Orabell Brown last week.

Farm Bureau Members Attend State Meeting

The Texas Farm Bureau Federation's legislative committee meeting held in Waco January 18 at the call of J. Walter Hammond, president of the organization, was attended by 241 county Farm Bureau presidents and legislative committee members from 37 counties. This is evidence that the Farm Bureau organization is not only growing in numbers, Hammond said, but that it means business.

Attending the meeting from the Collingsworth County Farm Bureau were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Breeding and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knoll.

Farmers from the grassroots gathered to hear reports from committees delegated by the federation president to investigate and determine the action necessary to effectively carry out the resolutions adopted by voting delegates at the state convention last November. "Discussion following the reports indicated that the delegates did not pass these resolutions as a matter of course," Hammond declared, "but that it is the intent of the members of this organization to get action on the proposals embodied in the resolutions which formulate the Texas Farm Bureau Federation's program of work for 1951."

Resolutions taking precedence at the meeting concerned rural roads, rural telephones, the truck load limit law, and taxing of gasoline used in non-highway vehicles. The entire group was enthusiastic about recommended amendments to the law that would assure adequate safeguards in preventing overloading of trucks that cause millions of dollars of damage to highways annually. They were concerned about the child labor law that prevents transient

Mexican families from plying the trade that for many years has enabled them to follow the cotton fields and accumulate funds to furnish food and clothing until the next season. "Broom corn producers want a uniform system of grading on their product as well as a support price," E. M. Delevan, president of Medina County Farm Bureau, said. "Other groups are looking to the Farm Bureau for a rural road program," Julian B. Smith, president of Hale County Farm Bureau, told the group.

The legislative committee of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation was instructed to act on these and many other resolutions that require appropriations and enactment of legislation.

Davis Trains at Great Lakes

Bill R. Davis, seaman recruit, USN, of Route 1, Quail, Texas, is undergoing recruit training at the world's largest Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois.

Recruit training is the sharp break between civilian and Naval life in which the new Navy man learns the fundamental principles of the Naval service.

In the course of his training the recruit is taught seamanship, Navy customs, terms, basic ordnance, gunnery, signaling and navigation. Upon completion of his training the recruit is assigned either to units of the Fleet or to a service school for specialized training.

Quail Defeats Memphis, Lela

The Quail Juniors won from the Memphis Juniors two hard-fought games Friday afternoon, January 27.

The girl's team won with a score of 14-10 as Marge Robertson sunk 10 points. They took an early lead and were never headed. June Russell played a good defensive game for Quail.

Coach Bill Phillips' boys team won their 14th game in 15 starts by defeating Memphis 29-19. Memphis took an early lead and led 7-6 at the end of the quarter. The halftime score was 13-13. Then using a pressing defense all over the court they enjoyed a 24-15 lead at the end of the third quarter. It was a rough game which saw Memphis lose two players from fouls and three from Quail. Quail finished the game with four players.

Quail Junior girls and Junior boys entertained the Junior teams from Lela Monday night and won their games with a 22-5 and 46-26 score respectively.

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To all of our friends who were so kind and thoughtful of us at the time of our life's greatest loss and sorrow, we take this means of expressing our deepest appreciation. To all of you who came, and for the food and flowers, for every prayer, kind thought and deed, we are deeply grateful.

The family of John Aaron

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks and sincere appreciation to the many friends and neighbors who were so kind and thoughtful during the sickness and death of our loved one, Mrs. P. M. Simpson.

Especially do we thank those who sent the lovely flowers and brought the nice food to the home. Also our thanks to Dr. Charles B. Jones for his kindness in caring for Mrs. Simpson.

May God's richest blessing rest with each of you is our prayer.

The Simpson family

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks and great appreciation for sympathy and kindness to us in our bereavement by the death of our beloved husband, father and grandfather, B. C. Umfress.

We thank every one for the

beautiful flowers and especially we thank the officiating minister of the Church of Christ, and the Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. B. C. Umfress
Riley Lavay Umfress
Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Umfress and children
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barnes and children
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stroud and son
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Shuway and children
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hayles and son
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Umfress and children

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our deepest appreciation to our many friends for their sympathy and kindness during the illness and at the death of our wife, mother and daughter. We especially thank the Sisters and nurses of the hospital for their efforts, and the ladies who served lunch for us. The things you have done for us at this time have brought consolation.

May God bless each of you.
Lloyd Woolridge and Sandra Kay Woolridge
Mrs. J. P. James and family
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Woolridge and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to express our deep and heartfelt thanks to our many friends for the many wonderful things you did for us at the death of our father, grandfather, and brother, Curt Barton.

The beautiful flowers and expressions of sincere sympathy made our sorrow easier to bear. May God bless every one of you.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Valance and Jeane, Harold Burton
Mrs. Dick Jones and family
Mrs. L. L. Quarles
Mrs. Bessie Connally
Mrs. A. E. Owens
R. M. Barton

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rountree and Mr. and Mrs. Winston of Littlefield visited Mrs. C. C. Taylor and Mrs. M. E. Rountree this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Castleberry visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gillette at Hereford Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ward and family visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Francis of Pampa this week end.

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FOR SALE: Three chair barber shop, also brick building. J. M. Lynn, Hedley, Texas. 30-2p

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WANTED: Lady to keep house for elderly couple at Kirkland. Work light. No washing or ironing. Room, board, and salary. Mrs. Oscar Payne, Samnorwood, Phone 306W3, Shamrock. 30-2c

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LOST: Masonic Ring; believed lost between Dakil's Store and post office. Reward. Call 456, Arthur Dakil. 24-tfc

Stated meeting of Wellington Lodge No. 763; A F & A M second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

The disastrous fire in Childress should be a lesson to us. We should make sure that we have an adequate supply of water: that our efficient fire department is kept at full strength at all times and that fire prevention week be made something of which all of us are constantly aware.

A couple of ads inserted in the paper by Morris Wells and Clark Anderson each October won't get the job done for fire prevention. We need to keep our individual firms clean. Matches in metal containers—inspection of wiring and gas outlets, all inflammable materials in containers and all liquids tightly closed, and many other precautions. (Note to printers—printers ink burns like hell once it gets on fire).

There is a grim warning that comes from the Childress fire; but there was something about it that lifted my spirit. It was the manner in which the fire departments from every town in this area rallied to the call for assistance. They were there from Wellington of course — Bura Handley, Hiram Cudd, Jake Leach and perhaps others with our brand new truck. But they were not all. The telephone service in Childress was destroyed. Officials had to drive to Kirklund to put in a telephone call for help. Fire Departments from all neighboring towns answered the call.

What is so heartening about that you might ask. It is nothing more than the old Panhandle custom of helping a farmer who is sick get his crop out of the weeds. It is the business of the ranchers who swarm together and risk life and limb to help a neighbor put out a grass fire. It is tradition in the Panhandle. Yes, but it warms my heart. They have the same thing in Maine and many states known as a barn raising. There they meet and build back a neighbors burned down barn in a single day. The men do the carpentering and the women cook up three times as much food as anybody could eat. It is just like a log rolling in Mississippi where my father and my wife's father were born.

What is inspiring about this talk of other days you might ask. Well, can't you see it and get a toe hold for the fight that is ahead. We fight and fume and compete and cuss as individuals and communities. Let disaster strike and we are as one. It works. It is a part of us. The fire in Childress or the fire on the Mill Iron are small examples. Russia should take note of the little things that happen in America. In the final test those small incidents may be the determining factor in the larger events. It is the devotion, character, heritage, courage and intelligence of a people that decides their destiny.

An effort will be made to re-

activate the Childress Army Air Field. During the last war Wellington received considerable overflow business as a result of the field being located only thirty miles away, and I presume a number of other towns did also.

Have been reading the story of the meeting to discuss school problems. Most interesting. Wish I had gone but it was my only chance to spend an evening with my daughter and I stayed at home. I would like to have seen tennis suggested as one of the sports. If the school will build the courts and there are no tennis players on the faculty I think I could line up a group of town coaches like Donald Curry and others who would coach free of charge. Need four courts and a concrete practice board. It is that practice board that makes the skilled players.

I also think the school should teach at least one language such as Spanish or Latin. But you can see from reading the story that everybody's pet hobbies, such as mine, could not be included in any school program. For instance, I do not agree at all with those who think that folk dancing should be eliminated. Actually, this is not dancing at all as far as most people understand it. It should be called folk games. I think it is wholesome for the youngsters; yet nine people at the meeting disagree with that viewpoint emphatically.

If the war keeps rolling along, we may have to put up with considerable less in teaching than we are now enjoying.

Judge Clark of Shamrock Dies Here Wednesday

Judge J. B. Clark, prominent Shamrock attorney who was widely known throughout the Panhandle, died in St. Joseph's Hospital here Wednesday afternoon, January 24, on his 61st birthday. Judge Clark had been receiving treatment at St. Joseph's Hospital for the last two months.

Funeral services were held Saturday at the Methodist Church at Shamrock with the Rev. S. M. Dunnam, pastor, officiating. Burial was at Shamrock.

Clark was born in Missouri and was graduated from the University of Missouri. He came to Shamrock in 1915. He helped organize the Boosters Club and was its first president. He served as mayor of Shamrock and for many years was president of the school board.

He was instrumental in building Clark Auditorium, named for him, and promoted the establishment of Denver Field. He was Wheeler County attorney for many years. He was a Methodist and Shriner.

Surviving are his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Matthew J. Taylor, Shamrock high school teacher; two sons, Bill of Shamrock and Bennett Clark, professor at the University of Houston; a sister, Mrs. H. B. Hill of Shamrock, and two grandchildren.

Read the Want Ads



TEST ROAD FOR TRUCKS—U. S. highway engineers recently subjected a section of a heavily traveled state highway in Maryland to extensive tests in an effort to determine whether trucks damage the nation's roads. At left, an engineer measures a "typical crack pattern" caused by the multi-axled behemoths. After the equivalent of 98,000 trucks rumbled over the concrete test stretch, measurements (right) indicated the road had sunk almost three inches below its original level. As a result, highway officials recommended a maximum axle weight limit of 18,000 pounds for the cargo carriers.

LILLIE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

Because of the cold weather the attendance at Lillie church was small Sunday.

Rev. A. L. Roberts filled his regular appointment.

He was a dinner guest in the H. L. Tollett home.

The telephone line has been completed to the Zook Thomas farm. Their new telephone box was put in last Friday and gives excellent service.

Mrs. Joe Jett, Mrs. H. L. Tollett and Mrs. G. D. Thomas visited Mr. Scott Monday, who is ill at his home.

They also visited in the Cochran home.

Mrs. Elmer Haralson and Mrs. G. B. Thomas visited in the Charley Little home Friday evening.

Mrs. Preston Paskel returned to her home in Amarillo Sunday after spending two weeks with her parents, the C. E. Littles.

Tom Harwell is still in the hospital in about the same condition he was.

Rev. A. L. Roberts visited in the Audrey Needham home Sunday evening.

Orrin Lackey City Visitor

Judge Orrin Lackey, who grew up here, was a Wellington visitor Wednesday, January 24. He now lives at Gainesville.

A member of a pioneer county family, he is the son of Judge J. L. Lackey, an early-day county judge.

He left here in 1917, to attend New Mexico Military Institute, and has not made his home here since. Before going to Gainesville, he lived at Borger a number of years.

Mrs. Luther McPherson and Joyce attended the wedding of her niece Margaret Ann Duke of Amarillo to Mr. Bill Rallings of Amarillo Saturday night.

Lloyd Robertson Buys Cactus Cafe

Sale of the Cactus Cafe to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Robertson was announced this week by Ernest Harwell and Alvin Horton, owners.

Mr. Robertson, who has been operating Lloyd's Cafe in a small building on the same block, announced that he is closing that business and will operate in his new business as Lloyd's Cafe.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Robertson have had a number of years experience in cafe business and are widely known through the Wellington area.

"We are happy to be able to give you better service because of our larger quarters, and we extend a cordial invitation to our friends and the friends of the cafe we have bought to come by and see us," Mr. and Mrs. Robertson said.

J. C. Rogers Dies At Houston Jan. 12

Mrs. Lena Rogers and her daughters, Mrs. Judge Holton and Mrs. A. J. Bickerstaff, were called to Houston recently to the bedside of their son and brother, J. C. Rogers.

Mr. Rogers died January 12, and was buried at Kosse.

Mr. Rogers formerly lived at Wellington, where he was employed by the Holton Auto Store. Altogether, he lived here about 10 years, leaving around 1937 or 1938. He had made his home in Houston for the last year.

Surviving are two sons, Walter Glenn Rogers, in Germany, and Billy Rogers, Dallas; his mother, Mrs. Lena Rogers; two sisters and a brother, Mrs. Holton and Mrs. Bickerstaff of Wellington, and Blake Rogers of Olney.

DODSON

By MRS. Z. O. McKINNEY

Well, we are having some winter at this time, hoping to get some moisture even if it snows.

Mrs. Joe Wilson is reported recovering nicely from surgery she underwent in an Amarillo hospital.

Mrs. Van Bonneau and Vencil were in Amarillo Thursday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Painter and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hunt were shopping in Amarillo last Wednesday; Mr. and Mrs. Painter buying new bathroom fixtures.

Don Stewart spent the week end in Childress with his grandmother, Mrs. Betty Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stewart were in Memphis last Tuesday to visit Lester Phillip, who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Smith of Electra spent last week here visiting Mrs. Margaret Baker in the home of Mrs. T. R. Whisenant.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hudson and Lovanda were shopping in Alton last Saturday.

The high school students are practicing on the Junior play "Dotty and Daffy," which they will put on soon.

Mrs. Cotton Vandiver and son Bill spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stewart visited Amarillo over the last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wynn and Mrs. Wayne Darnell and family of Borger last Sunday.

Edwin Bonneau of Lubbock, was home for a short visit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crow and boys were in Borger Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Davis announce the birth of a daughter, Marsh Ann, born in Hollis Jan. 27, 1951. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Mrs. Van Bonneau was in Lubbock Sunday where she took her daughter Vencil, who is entering Texas Tech there.

Mrs. T. R. Whisenant spent last week visiting in Amarillo.

Miss Peggy Stanley who has been working in Odessa has returned home.

Mrs. L. Bratten In Hospital

Mrs. L. Bratten of McLoud, Oklahoma, is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, where she underwent surgery about 10 days ago.

Her condition still is regarded as serious, her son, L. B. Bratten, said, due to complications that have developed.

Sandy Parsons III of Lubbock spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons, Jr.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rinehart of Grandfield, Oklahoma, visited in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Norman of Dozier over the week end.

Mrs. Van Bonneau of Dodson took her daughter Vencil to Lubbock to enter Texas Tech as a freshman. Her son, Edwin, who is a student there returned to take up his studies after the mid-semester vacation.

Mrs. Jimmy Cochran visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Neal of Fort Worth over the week end.

George Shadid attended the funeral of Mrs. Mack Shadid of Sayre, Oklahoma, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vaughn and Mrs. Tony Elza and daughters of Amarillo visited in the Lee Scarberry home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Robinson of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson of Quail and Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Feemster of Lillie last week.

Mrs. Frances McCaskill and son Danny of Pampa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevenson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caldwell Jr. and daughter Sheri visited her mother, Mrs. R. Y. Darnell at Hollis Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hughes and family of Warrenton, Oregon, visited the Kenneth Hodge home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McDaniel and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Malone of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Austin Williams Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Marion Hix visited her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Draper in Hereford over the week end.

Denzil Bevers is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bevers, between semesters at Texas University Law School.

Miss Mildred Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Harris Royal visited friends in Amarillo Wednesday of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Porter Sr. of Mountain Park, Oklahoma, visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Porter Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Porter, and Mr. and Mrs. Drury Lacy Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Mack Said Jr. is visiting in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. S. McKay at Lubbock this week.

V. C. Said and a friend, Darrell Williams of Texas University, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mack Said Sr. between semesters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deahl of Dodson returned recently from a 10-day business trip to La Junta, Colorado. They also stopped in Amarillo, Dalhart, Boise City, Oklahoma, Springfield and Trinidad, Colo., and Clayton, N. M.

Donald Joe Terry is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Terry between semesters at Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorcie Pollock are in Ada, Oklahoma, taking treatment from their family doctor there.

Vera Gholson of Quanah was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gholson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris and son Alan of Carlsbad, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ryan of Tulsa visited their mother, Mrs. Dora Ryan, over the week end.

Mrs. Edward Boverie of Athens was here for the week end with her sisters-in-law, Miss Katherine Boverie and Mrs. A. C. Boverie.

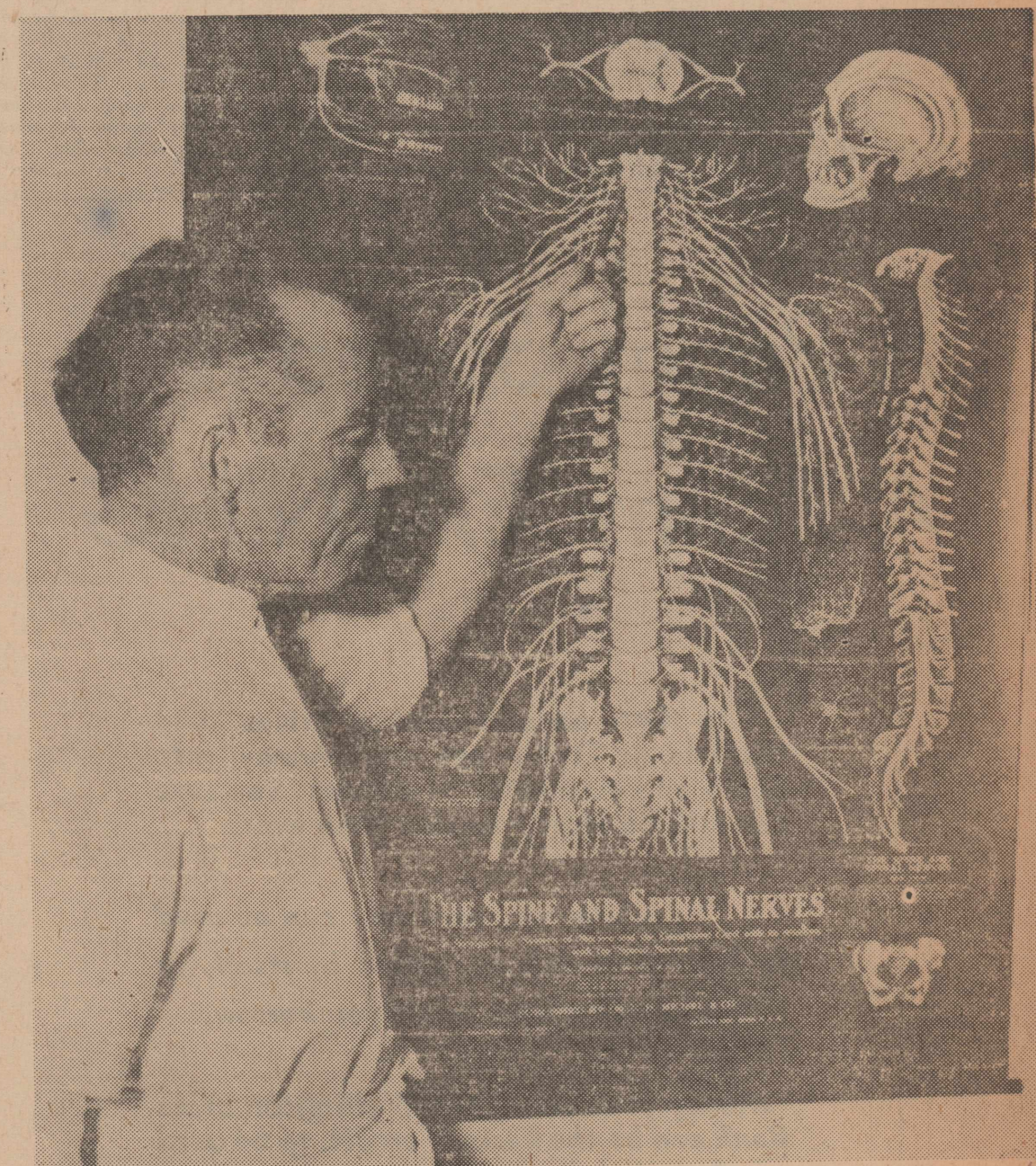
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tiner and children, Wayne and Ann, of Memphis, were guests of her brother and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Orr and daughters Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Deskins Wells and son, Henry, were in Austin during the week end to attend the mid-winter meeting of the Texas Press Association, and to visit with friends and relatives. Miss Diane Wells returned with them for the between-semester holiday of the University of Texas, where she is a student. Miss Wells remained here until Tuesday.

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FEEMALE TROUBLE

CASE NO. 1216: A lady, 39, complained of irregular periods, right side pains, bad cramps for several days each month, severe headaches before and after periods, dizzy spells, low back pains, bladder pains, neuritis in shoulder and sinus inflammation. She went to a Chiropractor for headaches because a friend had recommended Chiropractic for that condition. Spinal analysis and X-rays indicated defective energization of the Pelvic area and a subluxated (misaligned) vertebra in the neck, causing spinal cord interference. After a few months she was amazed to discover her female trouble and other symptoms had vanished with her headaches. An operation had been recommended. It is not necessary now for she feels fine, thanks to Chiropractic.

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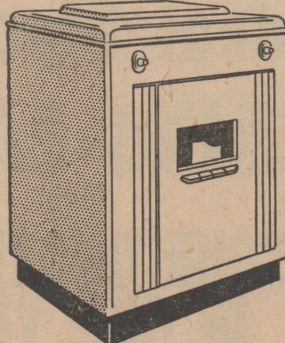
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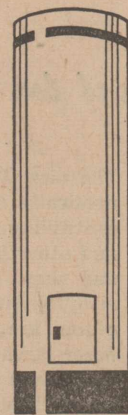
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The Buck Creek Philosopher



Editor's note. The Buck Creek Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Buck Creek is misinterpreting the latest word from Washington, his letter this week reveals.

Dear editor:

I took a copy of the Wellington Leader away from one of my steers yesterday, they must be using a saltier brand of paper these days or it may be the ink, and sat down on the sunny side of the barn and read where Washington has put a stop to lots of kinds of construction, to save materials for the defense effort.

Part of the article the steer already had beaten me to, but as I understand it new construction has been banned for numerous kinds of businesses, and I want you to know Washington and I see eye to eye on this.

For years I been puttin off a lot of construction around my farm, for example there ain't a gate but what ought to be torn down and burned and a new one put up, the back porch needs a new floor or an old one would do, somebody who ain't used to it is gonna get hurt steppin on my back step, the front porch could stand replacin, although it's safe enough for me as I know which boards won't hold me up, the barn needs a new roof and new siding, in fact there ain't much about it that couldn't stand re-buildin.

To tell the truth, the whole place could stand re-buildin, but I've been puttin it off for years, you know how it is, you get busy doin something else, or it's too cold to do carpenter work, or the sun

Oil Lease News

James Doneghy and wife, Livonia N., to E. K. Caperton of Shamrock, all of the northeast one-fourth of section 9, block 15.

James Doneghy and wife, Livonia N., to E. K. Caperton of Shamrock, all of that certain tract of land out of section 76, block 14.

Robert L. Keller and wife, Ella Mae, to J. F. Roark of Dallas, all of the north one-half of the northeast one-fourth of section 25, block 15.

comes out and warms things up to where no thinkin man would waste the day workin on a barn roof when fish may be bitin, etc.

But up to now, I've had to withstand a lot of naggin from my wife, which over the years I've learned is easier than actually gettin out and puttin on a new roof, but I had no idea my refusal to start any construction was nationally important, and I will appreciate you informin Washington that I'm for this new program one hundred percent.

I had no idea I was so far ahead of my time, but if more people had saved materials like I have over the past twenty-five years things might be different today.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

SWEARINGEN

By MRS. JOHN W. MESSER

Jimmy Turner of Pampa was the week end guest of Leroy Brown.

Mrs. Benton Shields was ill the past week.

On the sick list this week were Travis McGuire, Jr., Bonnie and Lonnie Shields, George Creed, and Bill Paschal.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown attended the funeral of Bill Snider in Wellington Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stout spent Sunday in Farnell with Mr. and Mrs. Cap Orcutt.

Mrs. Ethel Favor was an Amarillo visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Farrar and Bonnie of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. George Creed were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. John Farrar of Memphis.

The Barney Batens have moved to Memphis.

Mrs. J. L. Souder, Sr. and children made a business trip to Rush Springs, Oklahoma, last week end.

George Creed, Sr. of Quail spent Tuesday night in the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. George Creed, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Gibson and children of Alanreed were guests in the John Messer home last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Biffle and



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grandson, John Robert Nash, of Hedley spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Box and children of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis McGuire and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wells and daughter of Memphis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hill Wells and family.

Rev. Rollo Davidson of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Jett E. Roberts Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pitts and Janice visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Travis McGuire was hostess to the Busy Bee Club Wednesday. Present were Mesdames Hill Wells, L. G. Yarbrough, Jett E. Roberts, C. E. Pitts, Elvis Pitts, John Messer, Clyde Brown, Ethans Gleaton, Edd Favor, Frank Boyles, Carl Seout, D. M. Jarrell, George Creed, J. L. Souder, Sr., and the hostess, Mrs. McGuire.

Mike Capp left Saturday for Fort Worth, where he will be with his daughter, Mrs. Rebecca Knowles. Later he will go to the Rio Grande Valley. This is the first time in a number of years that he hasn't spent the entire winter in the valley, Mr. Capp said.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage license issued by County Clerk J. M. Moore this week are as follows:

Edward Glenn Cleveland and Miss Charlene Joyce Fike, Collingsworth County, January 26.

Joe Lynn Moore of Lubbock is spending the mid-term holidays here with relatives.

James Stevenson of Lubbock is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Starr were Amarillo visitors during the week end.

E. M. Byrd, and Hugh Medcalf of Hollis were business visitors in the Harold Boyd home here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Raburn and Tony of Canyon spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Raburn.

Mrs. Nina Johnson has returned from Oklahoma City, where she has been employed for the past few months.

Mrs. Dona Lane of Memphis came Tuesday for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Mellie Foster.



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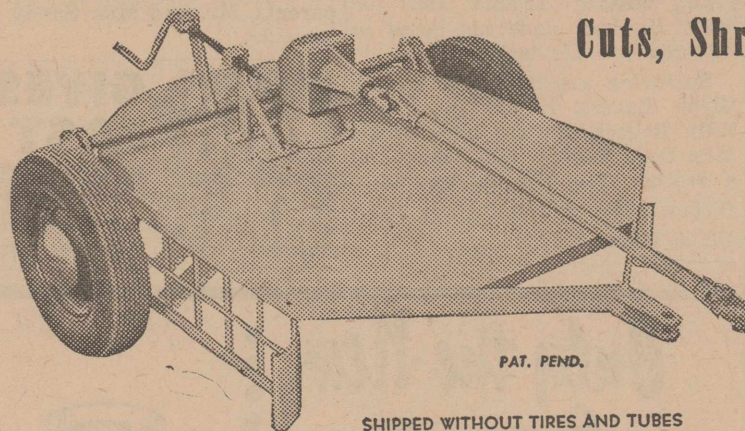
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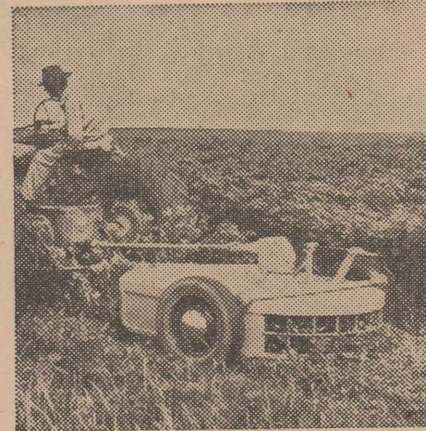
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Gable-Stanwyck Romance Gives Racing Thrills

The roaring excitement of mid-get auto-racing and daredevil stunts in an auto thrill circus, climaxed by the 500-mile classic race of the regular-sized speedsters at Indianapolis, furnishes the background for "To Please a Lady," which brings Clark Gable and Barbara Stanwyck to the Ritz Wednesday and Thursday, February 7-8.

This pulse-pounding new drama offers Gable the type of hard-hitting, high-romancing role which first brought him into the limelight and which subsequently shot him into Number One place at the boxoffice. Here he plays Mike Brannan, ex-Marine hero who has

fought his way to the top as an auto-racing driver but whose ruthless determination always to come out first costs the lives of two of his competitors in crashes and brings him the enmity of Regina Ford, famous syndicated newspaper columnist and radio commentator. Regina's hounding publicity gets Brannan disbarred from the country's midget auto-racing tracks and he is forced to become one of Chitwood's Hell Drivers where his fearless, daredevil stunts again attract the attention of Regina, who by now realizes that she has fallen in love with the man whose career she has tried to ruin. The conflict between these two high-powered personalities, neither of whom will give an inch, is resolved when circumstances enable Brannan to enter the spectacular Indianapolis event and he makes a decisive choice between winning the race or the girl he loves.

The thrills of this last event, photographed by Director Clarence

Group to Farm Bureau Clinic

A group representing Collingsworth County Farm Bureau was in Amarillo Friday, January 26, attending an area Farm Bureau clinic.

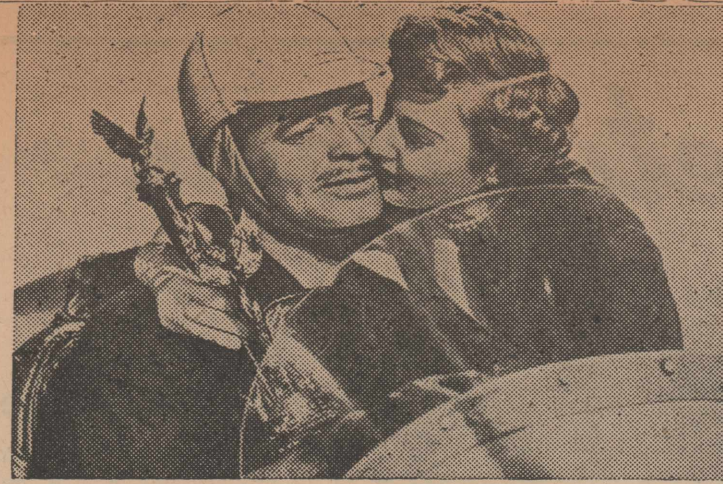
This was altogether a business meeting, with Marvin Carter, state Farm Bureau organizer, as one of the principal speakers. Such things as Farm Bureau insurance, membership, and plans for the summer school of instruction and the National Farm Bureau convention at Biloxi, Miss., in March were discussed.

Going from here were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Breeding, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bess Owens, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, Miss Camilla Coleman and Karen Breeding.

Brown on location at the famous Indianapolis Speedway, are among the most exciting moments ever caught by a motion picture camera and keep the spectator on the edge of his seat. The midget auto-races in the earlier sequences of the picture are similarly suspense-packed, with another high spot in this story, which never lets up on its excitement, being the Hell Drivers sequences showing the drivers in such death-defying stunts as smashing into rival cars, jumping over racers and crashing into a wall at 50 miles per hour.

The role of Mike Brannan is made to order for Gable, who gives his characterization not only the necessary hard-hitting, virile quality but also a sympathetic understanding of the motives which make him what he is. Barbara Stanwyck is a brilliant choice as the uncompromising Regina who eventually discovers that she has a heart as well as a head, and there are other fine performances by Adolphe Menjou as Regina's snobbish and cynical manager, Will Geer as a racing-car mechanic who befriends Brannan, Frank Jenks as a press agent, and Roland Winters as a speculator who is driven to suicide by Regina's expose.

Clarence Brown who has given the screen some of its most distinguished achievements, produced and directed "To Please a Lady" and again proves himself one of Hollywood's most discerning craftsmen. In his latest offering he has come up with a picture that packs thrill after thrill in an absorbing story that unfolds an unusual romance against thunderous auto-racing spectacles.



TROPHY

Clark Gable wins a trophy, plus a kiss from Barbara Stanwyck, in this scene from "To Please a Lady" which comes to the Ritz scene Wednesday and Thursday, February 7 and 8.

Legal Notices

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: E. J. Deacey, if living, and if dead, his unknown heirs; N. A. McMillan, if living and if dead, his unknown heirs; Mrs. N. A. McMillan, if living, and if dead her unknown heirs; defendants, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 26th day of February, A. D., 1951, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Collingsworth County, at the Court House in Wellington, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 8th day of January, 1951.

The file number of said suit being No. 3486, and Styled, W. M. Tucker vs. E. J. Deacey et al.

The names of the parties in said suit are: W. M. Tucker as Plaintiff, and E. J. Deacey, if living, and if dead, his unknown heirs, N. A. McMillan, if living, and if dead, his unknown heirs; Mrs. N. A. McMillan, if living, and if dead, her unknown heirs, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

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Issued this the 8th day of January A. D., 1951.

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D&M Machinery Has Annual Show

Farmers of this community, their families and friends, were in town Thursday to attend a program sponsored by D&M Farm Machinery, local farm implement dealer.

Main event on the program was the showing of two feature films in color. One of the films, entitled "Havens of Peace," was a tour of several small nations where peace has existed for centuries. They were mainly agricultural nations that managed to make a little go a long way.

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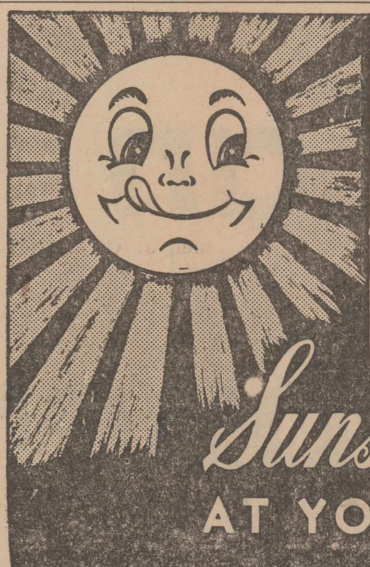
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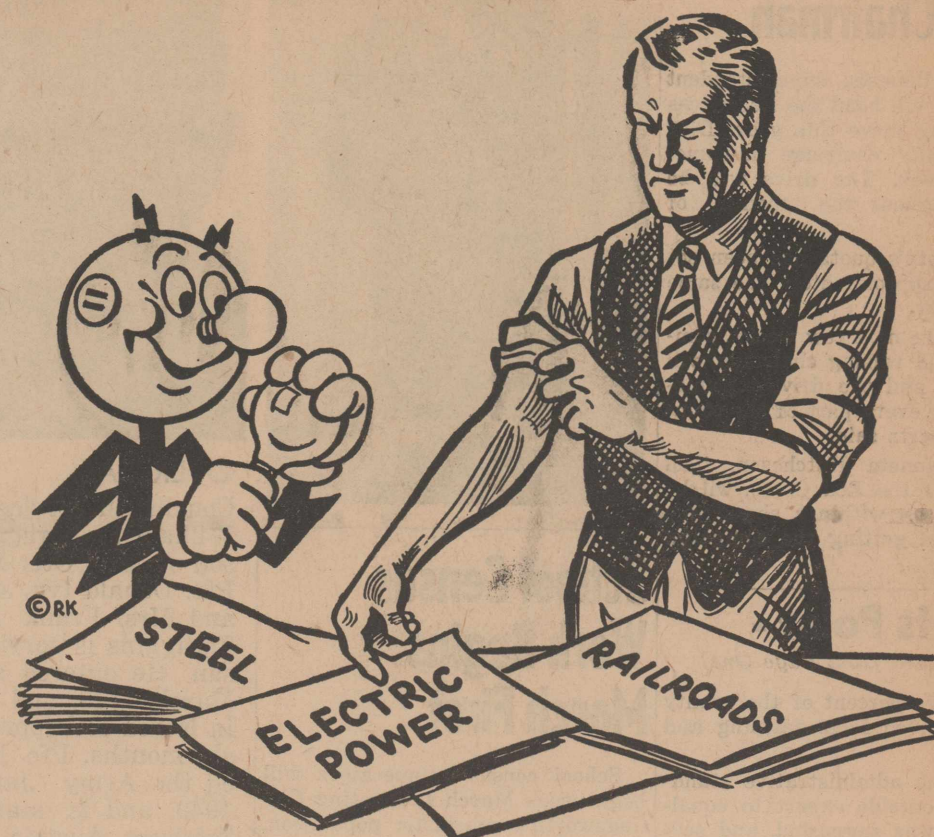
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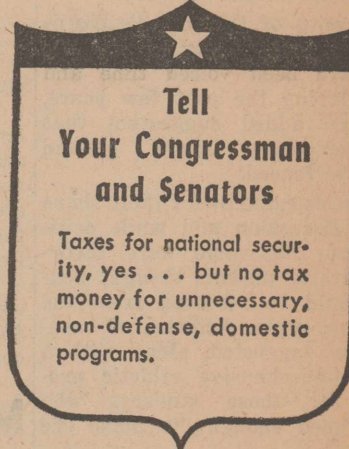


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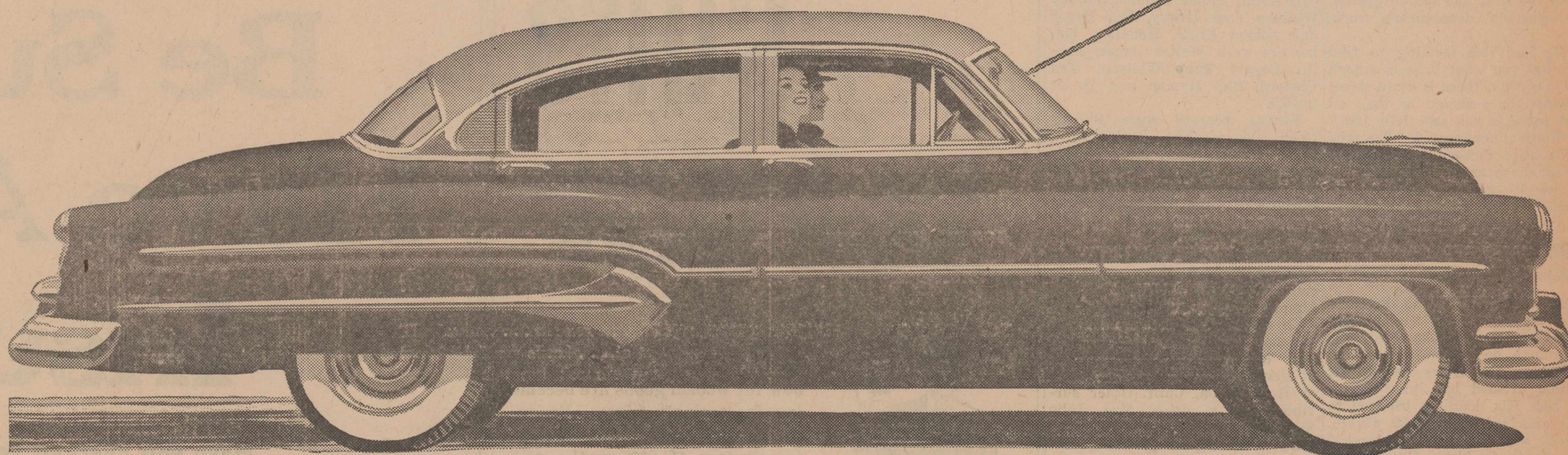


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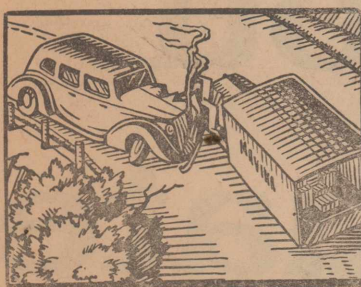
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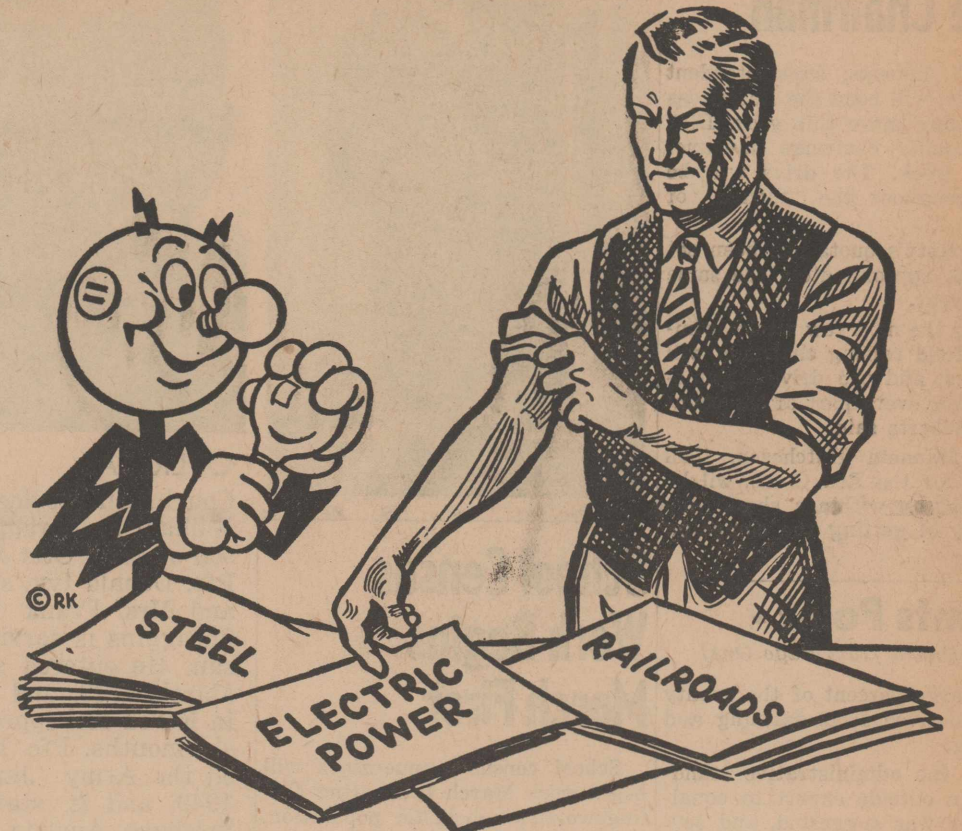
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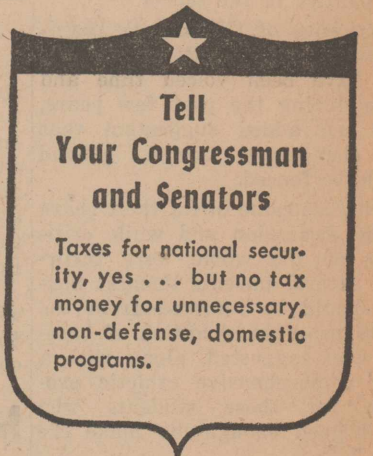
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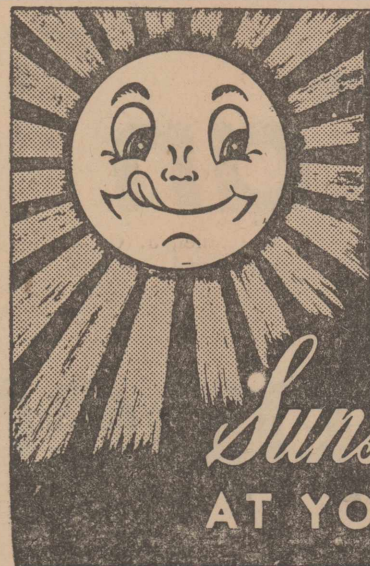
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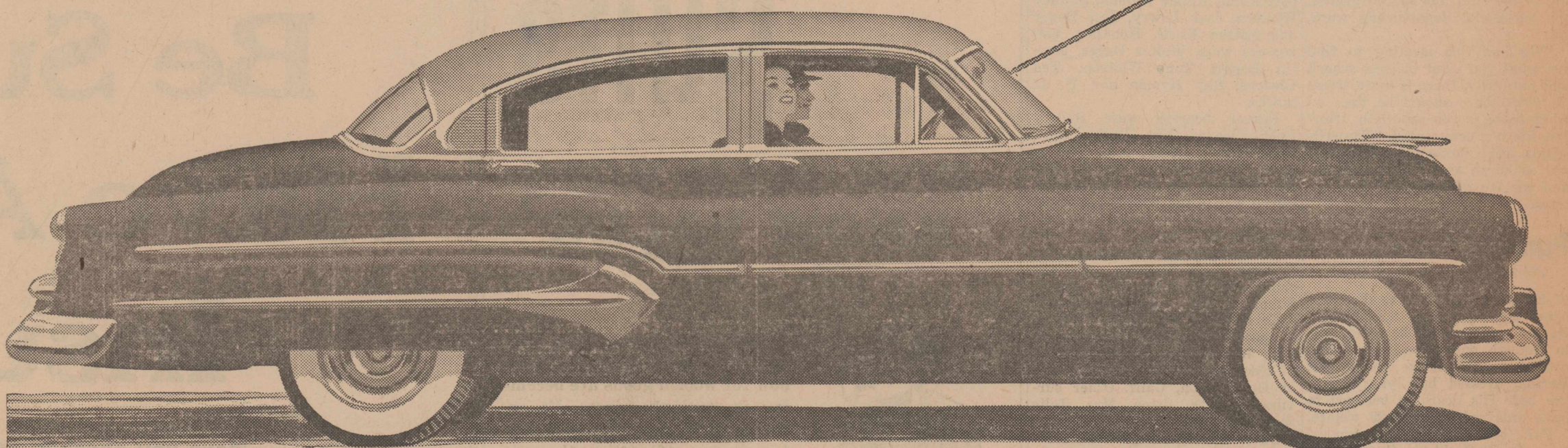
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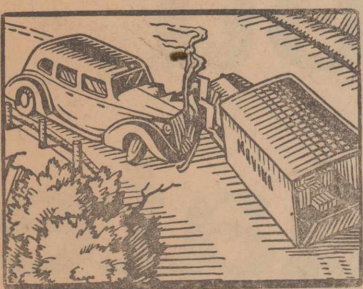
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The county's quota has been set at \$2,486, approximately the same as last year.

During the next few weeks, community fund raising chairmen will be named, and the drive organized to cover every part of the county, Mr. Roberts said.

Mrs. Mauneta Hutcheson, field director for the Red Cross, will be in Wellington within a short time to assist in getting the campaign set up.

Parents Point -

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of the large percent of the county income derived from farming and ranching.

From the administrative standpoint, an outside expert to equalize taxes was suggested, and several parents believe the money paid for secretaries should be spent for additional teachers, that the teachers should teach in the field of their preparation, and that the principals and superintendents should also teach. Better business methods were recommended, and less politics in the school.

Criticisms of the school's physical plant were pretty much those that have been voiced time and again during the past few years, with the added suggestion that the elementary school ground should be fenced.

Athletics came in for their share of the discussion and while criticisms on the whole were favorable, several parents thought boxing should be removed from the sports program. Addition of baseball was suggested, along with a more comprehensive athletic program for those students who aren't good enough "to make the team."

Attitude of the students was criticized by several, who felt the children attended mainly for the association with other children. Others felt they should not be allowed to leave the school ground as often as they do, and compulsory chapel was recommended.

That the students need to find out more about the meaning of sportsmanship was stressed.

Better co-operation between parents and teachers was urged.

On the credit side of the ledger, a large number thought much good could come out of the type of conference which was then being held. Others expressed appreciation for the work of the teachers, the coaches, and their interest in the pupils. There were a number who praised the health and physical education program, school harmony, attitudes of the students, the grading system, traffic control around the school grounds, teaching in the first and second grades, the vocational departments work, etc.

"We had this meeting to find out what you want in your school, and naturally, there is more stress on what there should be than on what there is especially like," Mr. Roberts commented. "The criticisms were neither as numerous nor as harsh as we had expected, and we are grateful for your interest."

Funeral for -

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of his death, which was due to a heart attack, as his son, Harold Barton, with whom he lived, was in Quanah on business. A friend coming to the house found Mr. Barton, dressed but lying across the bed. His death is believed to have occurred about 9:30 o'clock.

Pall bearers for the funeral were T. C. Crabtree, George Stephens, Clarence Blevins, Carroll Blevins, Z. J. Neeley and Osa Black. Burial was in the Quail cemetery by the side of his wife, who preceded him in death in 1934, and a child, who died a number of years ago.

Mr. Barton was a member of one of the first families to settle in the Quail area. He was born near Monroe, Louisiana, but came with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Barton, to Quail in 1900. Only a few other families were in the area, and the Barton family helped to name the town of Quail, and to establish the school and the Church of Christ.

He and Miss Molly Cockrell were married at Quail on November 30, 1918, by Alvin Atkinson, then justice of the peace. Mr. Barton made his home in the Quail area from childhood until he moved to Hollis.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Herman Vallance of Memphis; a son, Harold Barton of Hollis; four sisters and a brother, Mrs. A. E. Owens of Quail, Mrs. Bessie Connelly of Amarillo, Mrs. R. C. Jones of Memphis, Mrs. L. L. Quarrels of Pampa and Martin Barton of Canyon.



School Census Work Begins March First

School census enumerators will begin work March 1, counting Collingsworth's scholastic population, B. W. Beard, county superintendent, said this week.

Mrs. S. B. Jackson and Miss Effie Lee Richards will take the census in the Wellington district. Others in charge are:

Quail, Supt. Herman Moseley. Samnorwood, Supt. Orville Cunningham.

Lone Mound: E. E. Darrow. Needwood, Fred Walker.

All children from six to 18, inclusive, will be counted.

Mr. Beard urged that all parents see that his children are included, and if for some reason they are not contacted by the enumerator, they should get in touch with the enumerator or with Mr. Beard's office.

"Every student we fail to count will mean the loss of more than \$50 to his school district," the county superintendent pointed out.

Mrs. P. M. Simpson-

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29 days of age. She was before her marriage Miss Amy E. Gilkeyson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gilkeyson.

She grew up in Arkansas and moved with her family to Texas, settling near Paris. She was married there to P. M. Simpson on October 25, 1899.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson came to Collingsworth County in 1914, settling in the Lutie community, which had been their home since then.

She had been a member of the Christian Church since 1908.

During the time she had lived in this county, Mrs. Simpson had been active in community affairs, and had a wide circle of friends throughout the area.

Funeral services for Mrs. Simpson were held at the Church of Christ in Wellington Friday afternoon, with Min. Paul Lusby officiating. Pall bearers were Herbert Knoll, Archie Hyman, Stanley Whitson, Jack Lowry, Jess Deger and Alfred Knoll. Honorary pall bearers were Walter Deger, Austin Deger, Tom Whitson, Ted Gleaves, Ray Hyman and H. L. Lowry.

Flower bearers were Shirley Ruth Gleaves, Mrs. Ruth Deger, Mrs. Walter Deger, Mrs. Wesley Terry, Mrs. Andrew Poteet, Mrs. Joe Rountree and Mrs. Jess Deger. Burial was in the Wellington cemetery under the directions of the Ellis Funeral Home.

Surviving Mrs. Simpson are her husband, P. M. Simpson, and eight children: Claude Simpson, William Simpson; Mrs. Riley Garner and John Simpson of Lutie, Homer Simpson and Audry Simpson of Fort Worth; Mrs. Thelma Crouch of Keene, and Mrs. Cordie Foster of Hammonton, Calif. Other survivors are a sister, Mrs. Julie Stanford of Cisco; thirteen grandchildren three great grandchildren.

Two Doctors in Draft Registration

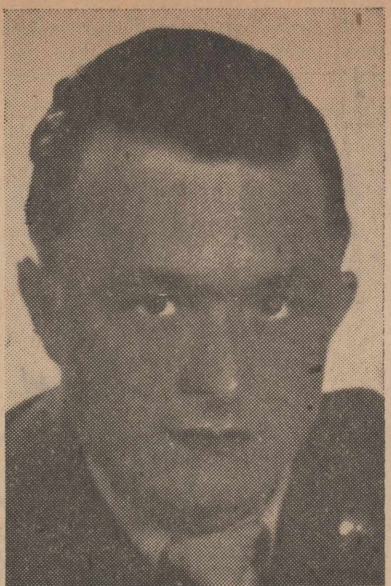
Nine doctors, including two Wellington men registered Monday, January 15, with the local Selective Service Board, Childress.

Registering from here were Dr. Elmer Knox Jones and Dr. James Milton Orr. Others registering were Dr. Robert Headlee and Dr. Lester Storh of Childress; Dr. Jack Thompson Baldwin, Dr. Benjamin Ruben Risch and Dr. Charles Ballard Dryden Jr. of Memphis; Dr. William Emmett Harrison of Paducah; and Dr. Milton Theodore Blume of Turkey.

Four doctors, none from this county, had registered with the October 16 registration.

At the present time all medical men in the five-county area under 50 years of age, and who are not members of the regular or reserve components of the armed services, are registered with the draft.

Mrs. Bernice Welch and son, John Charles, spent the week end with her parents of Decatur.



OVERSEAS

Cousins in service are Pfc. William J. Spraggins, left, son of Mrs. Otis Jesse, and Pfc. Donald Ivy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ivy. Pfc. Spraggins is serving in Pusan. He entered service in March 1949, and has been in Korea for approximately six months. Pfc. Ivy entered the Army January 7, 1949, and is stationed at Salzburg, Austria, where he arrived April 29, 1949.

Teen Age Revival Planned at Dodson

A Teen-Age Revival meeting opens at the Church of the Nazarene in Dodson Friday night, February 2, and continues through Sunday, February 4, the Rev. Charles Montandon, pastor, has reported.

This is in observance of National Youth Week by all protestant denominations, Rev. Montandon said.

Darrell Moore, Phoenix, Arizona, a student in Bethany Peniel College, Bethany, Okla., will be the guest speaker. Moore is himself a teen-age student preacher. Student church officers will be Buddy Cornelius, preacher; Jack Lennon, Sunday School superintendent; Bobby Young, NYPS president; Jtaun Orr, choir director; and Johnny Aaron, pianist.

The services will begin at 7:00 p.m. each evening, and the public is cordially invited to attend, Rev. Montandon said.

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Funeral for Mrs. Lloyd Wooldridge Held Thursday

Funeral services for Mrs. Lloyd Wooldridge, 33, widely known young Wellington woman, were held at the Methodist Church here Thursday afternoon, with the Rev. L. L. Hill, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Wooldridge died at 12:45 p.m. Wednesday afternoon after an illness of two weeks. Her condition was believed to be improving until a short time before her death, and her passing came as a shock to her friends throughout the area.

Pall bearers for the service were Ernest Nunneley, Shelton Nunneley, John Holton, Elvis Crawley, Elbert Watts and Virgil Estes. Honorary pall bearers were Tom Bryant, Alvin Horton, Francis Roberts, Lowell Wells, L. B. Bratten and Jack Gibson. Flower bearers were Mrs. Tom Bryant, Mrs. Ernest Nunneley, Mrs. Shelton Nunneley, Mrs. Cecil Shanks, Mrs. Francis Roberts and Mrs. W. P. Holliman.

Burial was in the Wellington cemetery by the side of an infant daughter who died two weeks ago, with the Kelso Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Wooldridge was a lifelong resident of the county. She was born February 26, 1917, and before her marriage she was Miss Alleen James, the daughter of Mrs. J. P. James and the late Mr. James.

She attended school at Shinnery and Wellington, graduating from high school here.

She was married to Lloyd Wooldridge March 23, 1938, and they had made their home here since then, residing on their farm south of Wellington.

Mrs. Wooldridge had been an active member of the Methodist Church for the past 10 years.

Surviving are her husband; a daughter, Sandra Kay; her mother, Mrs. James; two sisters and three brothers: Mrs. W. A. Bettis, Mrs. Virgie Peeks, Owen James and Elmer James of Wellington, and W. J. James of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Strader of Colorado Springs, Colo., were guests in the Raymond Patton home Monday night. They were en route home from Anadarko, Okla., where they had attended the funeral of Mrs. J. M. Patton, mother of Mr. Patton and an aunt of Mr. and Mrs. Strader.

Norwood Host to Basketball Tourney This Week End

Samnorwood high school will be host this week end at a basketball tournament to decide the winners of the eastern half of district 2-B in both boys and girls divisions, Supt. Orville Cunningham has announced.

The tournament will begin Thursday night and continue through Saturday night, when the winner will be announced.

Four teams will participate in the girls division, Quail, Samnorwood, Lelia Lake and Alanreed. Five teams are listed in the boys section, Samnorwood, Quail, Lelia Lake, Alanreed and Hadley. Winners of each division will meet the winners of the western half of the district in a series of three games, with the winner of two declared district champion. No individual or team awards will be made at the Samnorwood tournament, but the district winner will receive an award.

Officials will be Bobby Hill of Shamrock and Howard Oliphint of Wellington.

Willard Ethridge, Samnorwood high school principal and basketball chairman of district 2-B, is in charge of arrangements, while Purl Tippie is coach of the host teams.

The tournament opens Thursday at 6:00 p.m., when the Samnorwood and Quail boys meet. At 7:00 p.m. the Alanreed girls meet the Lelia Lake girls; 8:00 p.m., Alanreed vs. Lelia Lake boys; and 9:00 p.m., Samnorwood vs. Quail girls.

Friday afternoon session begins at 3:00 p.m. with three games scheduled, and the Friday night session at 7:00 p.m. with three more games. The Saturday afternoon session starts at 1:00 p.m., and two games will be played. The finals will be played Saturday night, starting at 7:30.

The tournament is expected to draw some of the largest crowds of any games this year.

Nazarene Youth Revival Planned

A youth revival will begin Wednesday night, January 31, at the Church of the Nazarene, continuing through Sunday night, the Rev. Austin Moore, pastor, has announced.

The Rev. Don Owens of Bethany Peniel College, Bethany, Oklahoma, will be in charge of the preaching.

Services will be held at 7:00 p.m. each evening and the public is cordially invited to attend, Rev. Moore said.

Mother of R. Patton Dies Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Patton and daughters were called to anadarko, Okla., Wednesday, January 25, by the unexpected death of his mother, Mrs. J. M. Patton. Her death was due to a heart attack.

Mrs. Patton was 71 years of age. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist church in Anadarko, and burial was there.

Surviving are her husband, J. M. Patton; nine sons and one daughter; Miss Vera Patton, Raleigh Patton, Charley Patton, Carroll Patton, Elmer Patton, and Marvin Patton of Anadarko; Raymond Patton of Wellington; Homer Patton and Ralph Patton of Pittsburg, Calif.; and Bert Patton of Singer, Calif.

Miss Effie Lee Richards was in Amarillo last week for medical treatment and observation.

Missionary To Speak Sunday

The Rev. R. B. Suhl, a missionary to the White River, Arizona, Indian Reservation for the last six years, will be at the Assembly of God in Wellington Sunday, January 28, the Rev. Austin Jolliff, pastor, has announced.

He will preach at the morning service and will show colored slides of the reservation at the evening hour.

"Rev. Suhl has built a church on the reservation and has had quite a successful ministry among the Apache Indians on the reservation," Rev. Jolliff said in extending an invitation to the public to attend.

The services will be held at 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Keith McMillin of Lubbock is spending the mid-semester holidays here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stinnett of Oklahoma City spent the week end in Dodson with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deahl. Mrs. Stinnett is the former Miss Rachel Deahl of Dodson.

THIS Can Happen Here

Childress Suffers
\$1,000,000. Fire
Tuesday Morning

CHILDRESS, Jan. 30 (Sp.)—Fire, which destroyed several business houses here early Tuesday, entailed an estimated loss of \$1,000,000 and left the city virtually without local telephone service.

Although the telephone exchange was not damaged, cables were burned through and service may not be restored until late Wednesday, Southwestern Bell telephone officials said.

For about an hour Childress was cut off when smoke forced telephone operators to leave their switchboards. They returned and restored long distance service at 6 a. m.

The telephone exchange is separated only by an alley from the two-story First State Bank, which was gutted by the flames.

The first started in the Prather-Williams Drug Store on Commerce St., just south of the bank building, at the corner of Ave. B, but Fire Chief John Ballew said Tuesday night its cause had not been determined.

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