

City Host to Grass Judging Contest Friday

Grass judging teams from the Greenbelt district will participate Friday, January 10, in the first grass judging contest sponsored by the Salt Fork Soil Conservation District for 4-H Boys and Future Farmers.

The event will be held at the National Guard Armory, beginning at 4 p. m.

The teams will be asked to identify 50 grasses of this area, tell if they are annual or perennial, how well cattle like them, and other points pertaining to each.

Each team will consist of three members, and scores of the group will be averaged to determine the team score. Four-H and Future Farmers will compete separately, Fred Squires, work unit conservationist for SCS said.

Banners will be awarded first, second and third place winners in each division, and the 10 high individual winners will receive ribbons.

Salt Fork SCD is holding this contest to create keener interest in grass improvement of the area composed of Collingsworth, Donley, Childress and Hall counties. The contest is organized by the three vocational agriculture teachers of the county, M. L. Burks, Wellington; Frank Kennedy, Quail; Jim Jacobs, Samnorwood; and assisted by supervisors of Salt Fork SCD and the SCS personnel.

Man Wanted Here Kills Self in Amarillo Monday

A. L. Wood, wanted in Wellington on a hot check charge, shot and killed himself in an Amarillo home Monday night, January 6, a few minutes after he had been served with a warrant for arrest in connection with the case by Potter County Deputy.

In the complaint filed December 31, Wood is alleged to have given a check November 16 for \$250 to the First National Bank in Wellington, drawn on the American National Bank, Amarillo. It was returned to the local bank.

The warrant for Wood's arrest was issued here by Judge Raymond Horton, justice of the peace. Tuesday evening Sheriff John Rainey said local officers had not been contacted by Potter county officers since Woods death.

Little is known of the man here. Sheriff Rainey received a warrant from the Amarillo police department in October for his arrest in connection with a traffic violation, and was told he lived north of Dozier, but officers were unable to locate him. He was reported to have worked for the Hugh Grogan ranch at one time.

Betty White for County Clerk

Betty White, who was appointed county clerk effective December 1, has authorized The Wellington Leader to announce her candidacy for that office, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

In asking election for the four-year term, Mrs. White made this announcement:

"I cannot ask for election to the office without first thanking all of you for your fine and friendly cooperation since I took office. You have made my work much easier."

"I am asking you to elect me to the 4-year term on the basis of my experience as a deputy in the county clerk's office for more than three years, in two periods. During this time I have become familiar with the many duties of the office, and I am aware of the care

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El Paso Completes Three Gas Wells

Three gas well completions, all by El Paso Natural Gas Co., were announced through the Texas Railroad Commission, this week.

These are the Baxter No. 3-A, section 66, block 16, pay 1918-2044 feet, potential 2,450 MCF, rock pressure 389 pounds.

Smith No. 3-B, section 16, block 16, pay 1944-2024 feet, potential 1,425 MCF, rock pressure 390 pounds; and

Smith No. 4-B, section 76, block 16, potential 1,570 MCF, rock pressure 413 pounds.



—Photo Courtesy Amarillo News

\$3,000 to College Fund

Troy Harrison Shows Odessa Champion

A Quail high school senior was owner and exhibitor of the grand champion steer at the Baby Beef Show in the Sand Hills Hereford and Quarterhorse Show at Odessa, which was sold at auction there Saturday, January 4, for \$3,000. This equals the all-time record.

The steer was owned by Troy Harrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis R. Harrison. The family lives in Donley county, but in the Quail school district. Troy exhibits as a member of the Donley County 4-H Club.

The 1086 pound Hereford which

placed second in its class in the Donley County Steer Show was bought by the Odessa Championship Club. The \$3,000 price equals the all-time record established last year.

The 18-year-old Harrison said at Odessa the money he received from the sale will be used to finance his college education.

The steer was bred by Bill Cooke of Three Cookes Ranch at Quail.

Harrison has shown the champion steer in the Donley County show for three of the last four years. This year he won it with an Angus steer.

Contract Approved Monday

Housing Project Work Begins Within Week

Approval of the construction of the low-rent housing project was received by the Wellington Housing Authority Monday, January 6, and the contractor, Barker Construction Company, Quanah, already is moving equipment onto the grounds.

N. M. Higdon, Housing Authority manager, said the telegram from Marshall W. Amis, regional director of the Public Housing Administration, Fort Worth, authorized the main construction contract for \$305,200.

The contract with Barker Construction Company will be signed this week.

Higdon estimated that construction will start next week.

Barker Construction Company will set up an office in a trailer on the Housing Project lots, in the Rude Addition near the southwest corner of town section.

Higdon reported S. P. Barker, owner of the construction company, told him he will hire as much local labor as he can.

Due to start immediately is work on sewer and water lines to the project, which lies west of Haskell Street in the 1100 and 1200 blocks.

City Manager Bura Handley was in Borger and Pampa Saturday to get material and equipment for the work.

The project calls for 30 housing

units, 24 for white occupancy and six for colored occupancy. These latter will be located in the colored section of Wellington in the north-east part of town.

Operation of New Road Set-up in County Begins

Gene Jenkins began work Wednesday, January 1, as county road administrator, and road maintainers to work with him were named by the Commissioners Court Saturday, January 4.

These are R. L. Johnson, Doyle Glazner, Albert Gollighugh and Merl Reynolds. They will run maintainers in each of the four precincts, and when they are not doing this they will work on bridges, County Judge R. L. Templeton said. The court hired them on a salary rather than an hourly basis of \$300 per month.

The court also authorized Judge Templeton to check into the purchase of lots at Samnorwood to which a county-owned metal building could be moved. It is adequate for storage of the road machinery, the Judge said.

Only Rain at Dodson

First Snow of Winter Measures Up to 5 Inches Near Marella

The county's first snow of the new year—first of the winter—measured up to 5 inches Sunday, January 5, in the areas of the west part of the county, but at Dodson, on the east edge, no snow fell at all, although rain measured from one-fourth to .4 inch.

As much as .6 moisture was estimated where snow was heaviest.

Snow began falling Saturday

Sunday morning, although fog continued until almost noon.

Wellington measured from two to three inches of snow and about .4 of moisture.

Quail had around four inches of snow, with up to five inches reported in the Marella community. This was the heaviest fall reported.

However, this proved to be little if any hazard to the highways and most country roads.

North of Salt Fork the snowfall

Sherman Man Named as New County Agent

Bob Lynch, assistant county agent of Grayson county, has been hired as county agent of Collingsworth county, to begin work January 15. He and his family live at Sherman.

Mr. Lynch was recommended to the commissioners court by Knox Parr, district agent, Judge R. L. Templeton said. He also was recommended by the Extension Service.

The commissioners court voted unanimously to hire him.

Lynch has been assistant agent in Grayson county three years. His work there has followed the general program of the extension service, but he also has had considerable experience in dairying, fruit growing, fertilizers and insect control.

The new county agent is married and has two children. He is a graduate of Texas A. & M. college and has completed his military service.

Dr. Orr Named To Board of Wellington State

Dr. J. M. Orr was elected to the board of directors of the Wellington State Bank in a stockholders meeting Monday, January 6, C. T. Hubbard, executive vice president, announced.

All other officials and directors were re-elected, including E. W. Blain, president; Mr. Hubbard; Paul Bell, vice president; Richard Bailey, cashier; Mrs. Estelle Glenn, assistant cashier; Mrs. Mae Castleberry, assistant cashier.

James Sullivan is chairman of the board, and members are Mr. Blain, Mr. Hubbard, D'Arcy McDowell of Shamrock, Lewis Morris, Dr. Orr, and John Henard.

Louise Fulcher Asks Tax Office

Miss Louise Fulcher has authorized The Wellington Leader to announce her candidacy for the office of Tax Assessor-Collector, with the following statement:

As you know, the people of Collingsworth County, Texas, recently voted to separate the Office of the Sheriff and Tax Collector. I hereby am authorizing the Wellington Leader to announce my candidacy for this office of Tax Assessor-Collector subject to the vote of the people in the regular election, the first of which will be the Primary Election in July of this year.

My entire life I have spent in Collingsworth County. During the early part of my life I lived with my parents on a farm in this county and assisted them in all of their farming operations. I attended the Wellington High School, from which I was graduated in 1946. During the past seven years I have been engaged as a Deputy in the office of the Tax Assessor and Collector and have had the pleasure and privilege of dealing with most of you in connection with this work. For the past six years I have been the Chief Deputy in charge of the tax work in the present Tax Assessor-Collector and Sheriff's office.

I take this means of soliciting your serious consideration of my candidacy for the above named office. I am thoroughly familiar with all of the tax records in the office at the present time and I feel that with the experience that I have had in my present line of duty that I can fulfill this office

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El Paso Buys Valuable Leases, Seeks Two Plants in Collingsworth

El Paso Natural Gas Company dominates the gas picture of the Panhandle this week with the purchase of valuable lease properties in the north part of Collingsworth county at a price believed to be above a million dollars, and with the announcement it is seeking to build a compressor plant and a dehydrating plant, also in north Collingsworth.

E. C. and R. C. Sidwell, independent oil operators at Pampa, have sold to El Paso Natural Gas Company the gas interests only in leases they hold on 8,485.5 acres in North Collingsworth County, according to an assignment filed recently in the office of Betty White, county clerk.

The assignment does not give the price paid for the properties, but revenue stamps affixed to the instrument indicate a price of \$1,090,500.

The property is known to contain a number of completed gas wells, and the Sidwells have been delivering gas to the United Carbon Company plant east of Shamrock.

The instrument specifies that only gas interests were sold, with the Sidwell Brothers retaining the oil and other mineral leases. El Paso also acquired rights only from the surface to a depth of 2,500 feet.

Most of the leases conveyed were subject to an overriding royalty interest, in most cases 1/16 of 7/8 interest, subject to an increase to 3/32 of 7/8 when gas is sold at the wellhead at more than 8¢ per MCF.

Part of the leases were taken originally by T. P. Cannon, Henderson, principal stockholder of Con Oil Company, and Ted Harris of Wichita Falls.

Part were taken by the Sidwell brothers.

Some of the leases were taken as far back as the late 1940's, while other places were leased only within the last year or two.

All of the leases are on land in Block 16, including sections 97-SE/4 section 77; W/2 section 97-N/2 section 53; section 68, 69; S/2 section 56; section 63; E/2 section 77; S/2 section 64; E/2 section 84; NE/4 section 64; section 82; S/2 section 81; section 62; section 80; section 79; N/2 section 43; and section 59.

El Paso Natural Gas Company officials have revealed a proposed expansion program, which if approved by the Federal Power Commission, will include construction of a new compressor station and dehydrating station in north Collingsworth county.

A hearing on the proposed expansion program has been set by the FPC in Washington, D. C. for Tuesday, January 28.

The two plants included in the proposed program would be located adjacent to each other approximately 20 miles north and five east of Wellington, in section 94, block 12.

The compressor station would be known as the Panoma Field Plant No. 2. Panoma Field Plant No. 1 is located in Gray county near McLean.

The new station would consist of three 660-horsepower engine-driven reciprocating compressors for a total of 1,980 horsepower.

It would compress the gas from a portion of the company's wells in the Eastern Panhandle field and certain wells of producing property in Beckham and Greer counties in Oklahoma. The plant would increase the pressure of the gas from 208 pounds per square inch to 343 pounds. After the gas was compressed, it would be put in the transmission line and sent to the Panoma Compression Station in Gray county, and from there it would enter the company's interstate system.

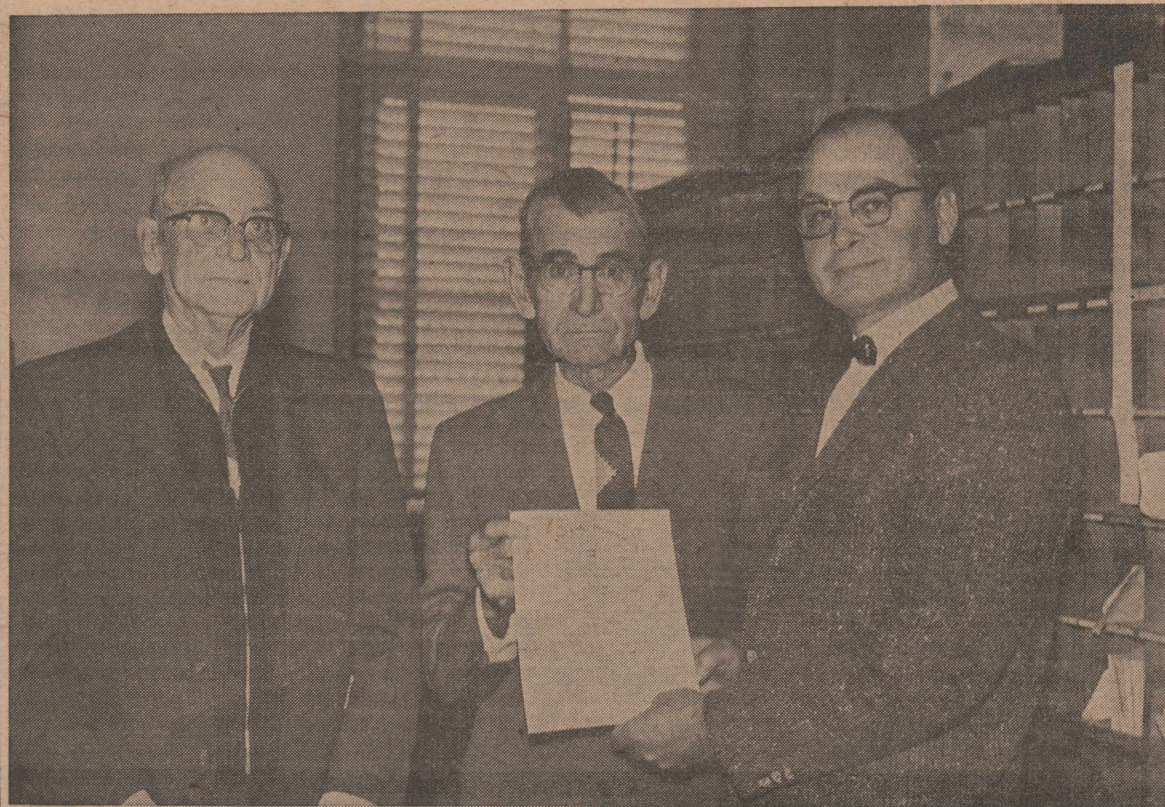
There would be built adjacent to the compressor station a dehydrating plant capable of processing 60,000 cubic feet of gas per day. The dehydrating station would be used to remove the water vapor from the gas before it goes into the transmission system.

The plants would be of a type

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TEMPERATURE IN WELLINGTON

Date	Low	High
January 1	18	60
January 2	18	64
January 3	22	62
January 4	38	44
January 5	28	46
January 6	28	58
January 7	22	56
January 8	22	



AWARD FOR 37 YEARS FAITHFUL SERVICE

E. C. Jackson, center, here receives an award of appreciation for honorable service with the United States Postal Service. R. T. Savage, postmaster, makes the presentation, and R. F. Curry, former postmaster, looks on. Postal employees witnessing the ceremony jokingly told Mr. Jackson he was too serious. "It's a serious occasion," he replied, "knowing that I'll never make my route again."

—Photo by Cooper Studio.

"People Have Been Good to Me"

Ernest Jackson Ends 37-Year Career with Postal Service

Ernest Jackson, who began and ended his career with the United States postal service at the Wellington office, has retired after 37 years service. During the time, however, he has served at three other states, Talmage, Nebraska, Goodland, Kansas, and Hull, Iowa. Eight years ago, he came back to Wellington.

"He is one of the most trusted employees the Post Office Department ever had, and he is highly respected by all his co-workers," Postmaster R. T. Savage declared

on Jackson's retirement.

In a short ceremony, a certificate of award for honorable service to the Post Office Department was presented Mr. Jackson, with Savage and former Postmaster R. F. Curry taking part. Employees of the postal service here presented him with a TV chair.

Mr. Jackson, although he was eligible to retire several years ago, preferred to continue work, but ill health during the last two years brought on his decision to retire now, "while I was still enjoying it and my patrons liked me," he said.

Many rural carriers speak proudly of starting with a horse and buggy and graduating to a car. It's the other way around for Mr. Jackson.

"When I started in 1920, my appointment was on Route 4, running around Rolla and Swearingen. I started out with a car, but the roads were just terrible and you couldn't get over them with a car."

Mrs. O. E. Dodson Asks Re-Election

Mrs. O. E. Dodson this week authorized The Wellington Leader to announce her candidacy for the office of District Clerk, subject to action of the Democratic Primary.

In announcing my candidacy for District Clerk of Collingsworth County, I first want to thank you for your most generous support in the past.

"If elected I shall continue to give to you sincere and efficient service. I will use my years of experience in the office to fulfill its duties more faithfully."

Wellington vs. Quail

March of Dimes Triple Header Set Monday

A March of Dimes Benefit Basketball Game is scheduled Monday night, January 13, between the Quail and Wellington teams, Supt. Herman Moseley and Coach E. W. Clement announced jointly this week.

This will be a triple-header, beginning at 7 p. m. in Quail Gym.

Playing will be the B team girls, Freshman boys and Sophomore boys.

I had bought a farming outfit and had several horses, so I got a two-wheel cart and that's what I carried the mail in. Later I traded for a buggy, used it a year, and by that time there were enough cars out that way that the roads were quite a lot better and you could get over them," he recalls.

His first route was 27 miles and

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Mrs. J. D. Aaron For Treasurer

Mrs. J. D. Aaron this week announced her candidacy for re-election as county treasurer, subject to action of the Democratic Primary.

Her statement follows: In making my announcement, I am deeply appreciative of the support you have given me in the past. I am aware that without this fine co-operation and your helpfulness, I could not have carried out the duties of the office.

I have tried to fulfill the duties of the office efficiently and courteously. The records of my office are always open for your inspection, and I invite you to come by and look at them or discuss with me any question you may have regarding the office.

As I am the only one in the office, I feel that I owe it to the people of the county to be here as much as possible, and I may not be able to make a county-wide campaign.

If you see fit to re-elect me, I will continue to carry out the work you have entrusted to me to the best of my ability. I will be grateful for your vote and your support.

These are all experienced teams who have appeared in both matched games and tournament play, and fast action can be expected.

Admission will be 20 and 40 cents, and all proceeds will go to the March of Dimes. A March of Dimes Collection will be taken during the evening, or contributions may be left at the door, Moseley said.

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CROSSROADS

* REPORT

Dear Editor:

On account of some objections they heard, the Census Bureau has decided not to ask us if we have got any religion when they come around to count us in 1960.

Now you wouldn't think anybody would mind telling what church they claim kin to, being as most of them are reputable enough institutions.

But my deaconish neighbor says you can't tell about this. Judging from how some members of his church dodge the place on Sundays, it does seem like they are trying to keep it a secret that they belong.

I see where the Governor of Kentucky got picked up for game law violating here the other day, but the case was hastily dismissed on the grounds that he didn't mean to.

And the eager game warden who put the charge on him suddenly come down with a bad case of non-ment.

Which is maybe just as well. Not much future in the officering business anyway for a man who is rank-blind, so that he goes around arresting big-shots and medium-shots on the strength of laws passed for the regulation of little-shots.

There was a long article in a magazine here a while back on the subject of "Why Bing Crosby Marries."

And after the writer had worried this mystery through a couple of thousand words the conclusion was come to that it was because he wanted to.

My non-nosy neighbor says there is at least one advantage to being no celebrity. You can get married, run a fever, or play golf without getting your motives and objectives publicly analyzed.

I see where a scientist by the name of Dr. Waksman says he don't believe there is any life after death on account of science hasn't proved the same.

My deep neighbor says it must be a plumb nuisance to have to prove everything before you can let yourself believe it.

Says a skeptical nature like that is no doubt a problem, even to a brilliant man like Dr. Waksman, being as he must have had at least a small struggle with his conscience before he decided to believe there is not any life after death, on account of he can't prove that either.

I note that a prominent doctor has now added coffee to his list of dangerous pleasures, along with cigarettes.

Which my old timer neighbor says is merely a continuation of the ancient theory that anything you like is bound to be bad for you.

Also, he says, it is a great boon to the doctors to discover coffee as a culprit. Now, when they don't know what's wrong with you, and you don't smoke, they can make you quit drinking coffee.

Couple of teen-age Oklahomans

OIL AND GAS NEWS

RELEASES

United Carbon Inc., to E. C. Sidwell and R. C. Sidwell, section 97, block 16; S/2 section 98, block 16; E/2 section 84, block 16 and S/2 section 81, block 16.

United Carbon Company Inc., to E. C. Sidwell et al, section 82 and 83, block 16.

T. P. Cannon to Edgar Wischkaemper — NE/4 section 59, block 16; and W/2 section 44, block 16 and S/2 section 56, block 16.

ASSIGNMENTS

M. E. McNally Jr. to General Crude Oil Company, W/2 section 31, block 19.

LEASES

John Allen Neece and wife, Rosamond; Ben A. Neece and wife, Dena; G. W. Jones and wife, Lizzie; Lawrence C. Neece and wife, Berkeley; Clifton Fryman and wife, Mildred; Jerry Hardin and wife, Georgia; and Sallie R. Neece to John H. Adger — N/2 of the SE/4 section 70, block 16.

Raymond Snider and wife, Jewell to Ruper C. Allen of Perryton, section 62, block OS.

I. C. Burnam and wife to Rupert C. Allen — Survey 58, block OS, 98.17 acres.

New Cars and Trucks

John C. Harper, Wellington, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

James H. Kelso, Wellington, Oldsmobile 4-door sedan.

C. O. Wilkerson, Wellington, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

W. E. Brashears, Route 3, Shamrock, Chevrolet pickup.

Leslie Wooldridge, Wellington, Pontiac 4-door sedan.

boys got caught setting fire to a barn and some folks claim it is society's fault for not furnishing them with something else interesting to do.

And many tender-hearted people, except maybe the man who owned the barn, will feel sorry for these poor loose-ended kids, and wish to start up more recreational centers for youth.

But my thrice-teen neighbor says he doubts that boys who select arson to amuse their little selves would be wholly content with just some more places to play supervised ping-pong.

D. E. SCOTT

Insurance Firm Promotes Towns

Bill Towns, with the Amarillo office of North American Insurance Company, has been promoted to manager of the claims department for the Southwestern District and placed in charge of the office in Lubbock. He and his family moved there during the week end.

He was an adjustor in the claims department of the Amarillo office.

Towns is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith.

Personal

At Baumgardner Farm for a holiday gathering were Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Baumgardner and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baumgardner and family of Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jacobson of Adrian; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gordon and children of Grapevine; Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Baumgardner and family of Tulsa. Hosts were Mrs. Joe Baumgardner and Mr. and Mrs. David Baumgardner.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson of Quail Christmas were their daughters, and families, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman, Tommy and Jimmy of Pecos; and Lt. and Mrs. Fred Barnes, Joe, Walter, and Sue, of San Antonio, and Mr. Wilson's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson of Dallas.

Wellington Lunch Room Menu

Monday, Jan. 13: Lima bean casserole, carrot and celery sticks buttered spinach, buttered corn bread, peach halves, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 14: barbequed hash, cabbage and apple salad, pink beans, hot rolls and butter, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 15: Hamburger patties on a bun, onion, mustard and pickles, buttered whole kernel corn, sliced tomatoes, cherry cobbler, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday, Jan. 16: cheese curls, beef stew with vegetables, crackers, fruit cocktail, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Friday, Jan. 17: fish sticks and ketchup, mashed potatoes, beet salad, buttered corn bread, apricot rice pudding, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jackson of Los Angeles were here recently to visit her father, W. H. West, her sister and brother, Willie West and Mrs. Harris Royal, and other relatives. Her son, Phil Cobb, returned to California with them. Other visitors with the West families here have been a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Montgomery of Venice, Calif. They also visited with Hugh West, in Veterans Hospital, Amarillo. Montgomery lived here as a youth and attended the local schools.

Wrestling

EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT
Friday, January 10, 8 p.m.

MAIN EVENT — TAG TEAM
IRON MIKE and RED FEATHER
—VS.—
LEO GARIBALDI and TINY ROWE
(Best Two Out of Three Falls)

SECOND EVENT
IRON MIKE vs. LEO GARIBALDI
(One Fall—30 Minutes)

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(One Fall—30 Minutes)

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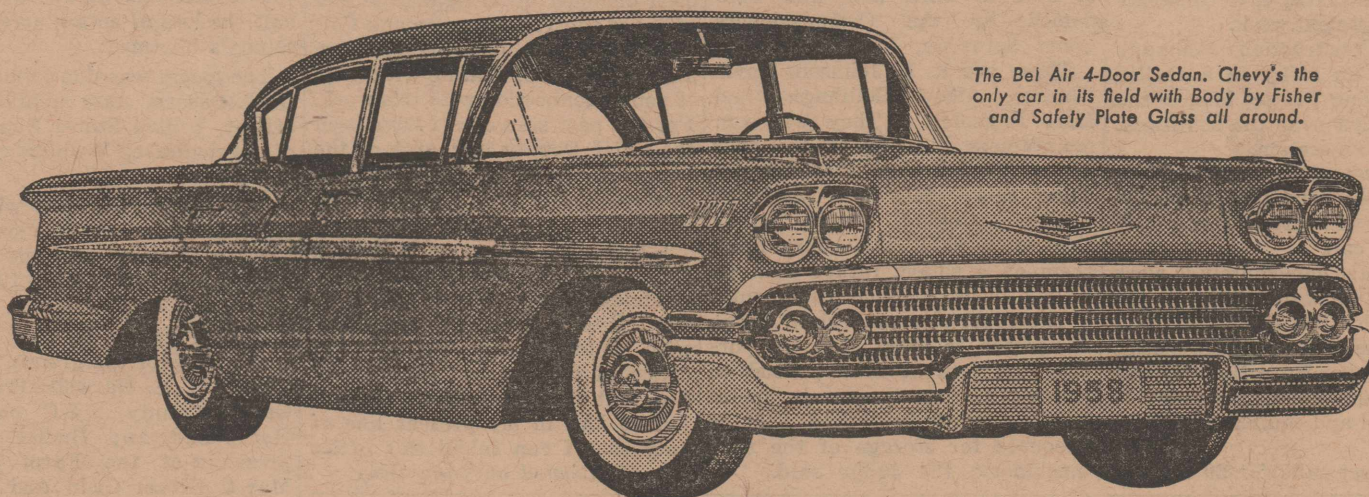
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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank

of Wellington, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1957. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	609,372.07
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	485,242.18
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	144,921.42
Other bonds, notes and debentures	340,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$739.73 overdrafts)	901,296.59
Bank premises owned 30,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$13,765.14	43,765.14
TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,503,597.40

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,942,065.98
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	13,769.85
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	11,032.22
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	277,116.03
Deposits of banks	15,396.17
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	182.34
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,259,562.59

TOTAL LIABILITIES

2,259,562.59

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	71,034.81
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	271,034.81

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

\$2,530,597.40

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	365,617.32
Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof	268,989.41
Total amount of Loans, Certificates of Interest and Obligations, or portions thereof which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	268,989.41
Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations, or portions thereof, which are fully backed by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	268,989.41

I, Durant McNinnis, Cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Durant McNinnis, Cashier

CORRECT—ATTEST:

R. D. WILEY
E. M. HUNTER
CHESTER FIRES

State of Texas, County of Collingsworth, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1958.
And I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

Lucille Wooldridge, Notary Public
My commission expires June 1, 1959

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Communities Cannot Stand Still
Sullivan Tells Business Group

A serious handicap of many farm towns like Shamrock and Wellington is that they are being run by older residents who have fought their battles, made their financial stakes, and are perfectly contented with everything in their home communities, said Henry Sullivan, Wellington automobile dealer, in a talk to the Shamrock Boosters Club recently.

"I am not criticizing these elder citizens but a community cannot stand still; it must either progress or regress, and in changing times such as these, towns need men of action, willing to step forward and battle for survival and progress.

"I was born in boom times in Wellington when there were more cotton gins there than any town its size in Texas, and now I am witnessing that town struggle in the throes of an agricultural revolution, the outcome of which is in doubt.

"I can well remember when farmers were changing from single to two-row horse-drawn equipment, from wagons to automobiles, from milk coolers to refrigerators. I have seen the population of our county twindle from 15,000 to 7,500 and I have seen more than a score of country schools in Collingsworth county consolidated into four.

"In 1936 I left Wellington and served as an engineer for a major oil company, living in a town of 100,000 people. And I returned to Wellington after a fairly successful hitch in my profession because I felt a small town offered something that seemed lacking in a larger city; a place to fulfill one's responsibilities to mankind; a place to be needed.

"Although six years of drouth in an agricultural recession made me question the wisdom of my decision I still maintain towns like Shamrock, Wellington and Memphis, are the best places on earth to live.

"Your problem and mine is to keep these places alive and wholesome, good places to rear our children and in which to retire in old age. It is with this problem in mind that I address you.

"Yearly, we see approximately 75 per cent of our high school graduating classes migrating to larger towns seeking jobs which will enable them to marry and find their places in life. As a result the average age of the population is increasing and our towns are becoming communities of old folks. They have fought their battles, have found their spot in the sun, and are content with situations as they are.

"Towns need enthusiasm among their citizens, and enthusiasm needs intelligence to drive it. Some one must lead. Most of the hot-rod towns have a banker or man of affluence who can command the confidence, talents, time and money of its citizens in its battle for betterment. But more often we see the people of wealth content to sit back and wait for a return of 'the good old days', not realizing



their town is dying on the vine, the victim of a different, faster changing economy than they knew in the 1920's. Arrogant display of wealth is merely the badge of a man who has made more money than he has sense. Our credit in Heaven is not determined by what we have but by what we have given in proportion to what we have had.

"Your town is like a wheelbarrow, it stands alone unless some one is pushing it. And leaders must have workers. E. E. Hale put it nicely when he said:

"I am only one but still I am one.

"I cannot do everything.

"But still I can do something.

"And because I cannot do everything.

"I will not refuse to do that something I can do.

"If you have the leaders, and the workers, then you must determine your problems and resolve them with a plan of action.

"In Wellington, for want of a better name, we shall call it the problem of vacant buildings. Approximately one-fourth of our buildings around the square are vacant. Each represents the loss of a tax-paying business. Each represents the loss of people who would carry on that business. The resulting loss in monetary contributions to our community means that if we wish to have the same services as previously, then it will become necessary that we who remain behind take on an additional load. Otherwise our city, our county, our schools, our churches, cannot supply the services to which we are accustomed. "Then our problem becomes simple. What caused businesses to go broke or to move to other towns?

"Under our present free enterprise system there will always be a case of survival of the strongest; however as weak businesses are eliminated others should take their places unless there were other causes of the failures.

"There is an old adage that the business man farms the farmer. If he fails to make money, then the business man fails to prosper. The time was when a family lived on

30 to 190 acres but now equipment has improved and we find one family to the section, meaning we have lost three-fourths of the customers who formerly traded with us. In 1947 alone, it is estimated 11% of the farmers left the farm to seek work in cities.

"Farmers in this section are faced with another problem: that of competition in the cotton industry from industrial products such as nylon, orlon, rayon and other plastics. In 1957 alone, it is estimated plastics will replace another 600,000 bales of cotton and in 1958 this is expected to increase. Cotton at a pegged price is finding it difficult to compete with products continually striving for improvement at lower cost.

"For instance, the November issue of Fortune reports the commercial production of new synthetic fiber far superior to nylon in strength which can be produced for much less than the \$1.00 a pound at which nylon is now being sold. It is evident that the main cash crop of farmers of this section is in for rough sledding in the near future.

"It becomes very evident that if our businesses are to remain healthy this lost farm income must be replaced or supplemented by other income. There seems little chance that farm production can change to other products than those now being produced since there seems at present no products which are not in over production.

"Our hopes then, it seems, must be in enticing some form of industry to locate in our towns. On the surface this sounds simple but the fact remains that every town and city in this land has the same idea, and competition is very keen for industry. For you and I to coax industry to our town would take a selling job. It means simply we must convince some one that our town is the best possible site for his plant. And plants and corporations which have survived the keen competition of the past few years are not manned by a bunch of fools. Our sales pitch must be backed by some cold facts that will prove beyond a shadow of a doubt our town is the best town for them.

"Too long we have dwelt on such things as freight rates, utility rates, raw materials, tax rates, wages, etc. We should ask ourselves this question, first, 'will a stranger want to live in my city?' "How are its schools, churches, parks, recreational facilities, the business and residential districts? Is the town clean? Are the people really friendly? Drive down your own streets. Are you proud of them?

"In Wellington we feel we are making some strides in improving the overall condition of our town. During 1957 we have spent \$238,500 on residential construction, \$137,650 on commercial construction, \$100,000 on church construction, and \$300,000 on our schools.

Our city's assessed valuation is \$3,299,556 and our bank deposits stand at \$5,162,935. Soon, through the efforts of our Chamber of Commerce, we will start a low-cost housing project. We hope to follow this with a program to remove many of the old, dilapidated buildings in our town. It looks like a long uphill battle but we feel that when the people are shown the need of it we can make our town attractive to outsiders.

"One thing I forgot to mention about what is helping cause so many of these vacant buildings, is that too many local people are spending their incomes out of town. It is a problem long recognized by our Chamber of Commerce as needing attention. As far as I know, no one has come up with a solution other than education of the people along the lines of home loyalty. I want to ask you, what do Sears Roebuck, Don McMillan, Neiman Marcus, and White & Kirk do for Shamrock or Wellington?

"In closing I would like to say that as we strive toward the goals

I have discussed, we must not overlook the most important aspect of town building. I cannot describe it or name it but I think you will understand what I mean with the following poem of unknown authorship:

What makes a city great and strong?
Not Architecture's graceful strength.
Not factories' extended length,
But men who see the civic wrong
And give their lives to make it right,
And turn its darkness into light.
What makes a city that man can love?
Not things that charm the outward sense,
Not gross display of opulence.
But right that wrong cannot remove,
And truth that faces civic fraud
And smites it in the name of God.
This is a city that shall stand,
A light upon a nation's hill,
A voice that evil cannot still,
A source of blessing to the land,
Its strength not brick, not stone,

nor wood
But justice, love and brotherhood."

Relatives Attend
Haralson Funeral

Out of town relatives and friends here to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. B. Haralson were Mr. and Mrs. Berbie Haralson, Watonga, Oklahoma; Mr. Cull Haralson, Electra; Mr. J. C. Haralson, Nocona; Mrs. Sallie Harris, Mobetie; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Strange, Altus, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Raburn, Carrollton; O. B. Raburn Jr., Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Raburn, Dumas; Don Raburn, Denton; Mrs. Delmer Shirley, Friona; John Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Peeples and Harold, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haralson, Greenville; Canyon; Mrs. Julius Haralson and Herman Haralson, Texarkana; Rex Peeples, Canyon; Mrs. Sam White and Gail, Childress; and Mrs. R. S. Ramage, and Mrs. Helen Gerhardt, Borger.

Mrs. G. L. Harrison and Cynthia or of San Diego, Calif., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cristy during Christmas. ned and daughter of Vernon. The dinner was for Miss Linda Dakl before her return to Texas Tech.

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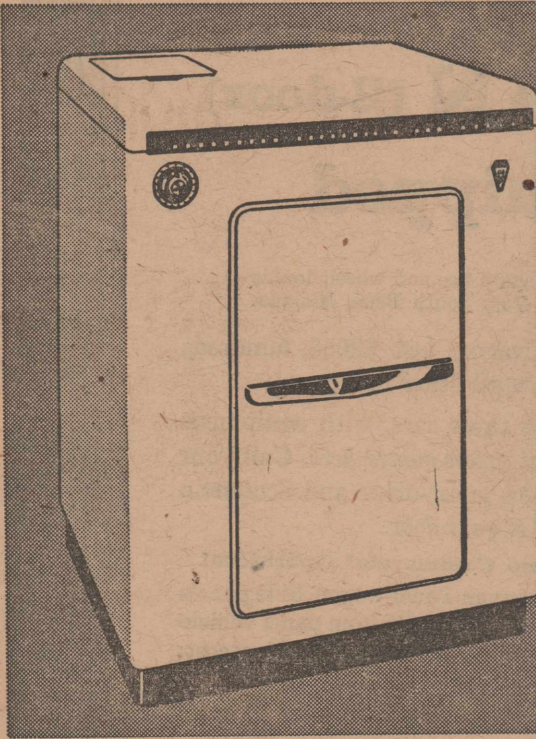
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Society News

City Federation Meets Saturday

The City Federation of Women's Clubs met Saturday, January 4, with Mrs. C. R. Fires presiding.

Mrs. John Justice appeared in regard to cataloging the library, a project the high school library club voted to adopt.

Judge R. L. Templeton explained to the City Federation members plans for the extension of the library, to begin in the near future. This extension will not be financed by the Katherine Boverie Memorial Book Fund, he pointed out.

Delegates attending were Mrs. Bob Stephenson, Garden Club; Mrs. John Coleman, Domestic Science Club; Miss Dorothy Robertson, Excelsior Club; Mrs. R. L. Templeton, 1954 Study Club; also Mrs. Fires, Mrs. Henry Vaugran, and Mrs. J. P. Cummings.

Smiths Are Hosts At Family Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith entertained with a supper in their home recently for a group of relatives, some visiting during the holidays and others living here.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Benny Karnes of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilbur, Chuck, Barbara and Paul of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Karnes, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith.

HD Council to Meet Monday

The Collingsworth County Home Demonstration Council will meet Monday, January 13, at 1:30 p. m. Miss Kathryn Potter, agent announced as she requested all old and new council chairmen and members to be present.

She stressed that this is an important meeting. The meeting will be in her office.

Bell Honored On Birthday

Andy Bell, long-time stock farmer and banker of the county, was honored with a 42 party on his birthday Thursday evening, January 2. Mrs. Bell was hostess at their home.

Cake and spiced tea were served. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Henard Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie White, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Temple Slay, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Bura Handley, Judge Luther Gribble, Ed Blain, Mrs. Claud McMullin, Mrs. J. D. Thomas, Mrs. Creed Hill, Mrs. Verna Light, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bell, Vada, Andy and Dana, the honor guest and hostess.

Party Honors 4-H Club

Mrs. Lonnie Neeley was hostess to a Junior 4-H Christmas party in her home recently. Gifts were exchanged and games were played.

Refreshments were served to Terry Brown, Rita Clay, Nancy Emmert, Carol Crooks, Sue Saunders, Dolores Messer, Margie DePaw, Alice Holliman, Rebecca Holliman, Peggy Gollighugh, Jackie DePaw, Kay Blevins, Lonette Neeley, Carrie Don Neeley, Miss Kathryn Potter, Mrs. Horace Holliman, Mrs. Darrell Crooks, Mrs. Howard Blevins, and the hostess, Mrs. Neeley.



—Photo Courtesy Amarillo News

Camal Dakil, Former City Man, Weds Nancy Adcock in Canyon Ceremony

First Methodist Church in Canyon was the setting for the wedding Sunday, December 29, of Miss Nancy Lois Adcock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Adcock of Canyon, and Camal Charles Dakil, of Shamrock.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Farris of Shamrock, who formerly lived here, and also the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied Sr.

The Rev. H. Doyle Ragle read the double ring ceremony. Candelabra and baskets of white chrysanthemums and pink pom poms were on either side of the altar, which was decorated with vases of white chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Glen Dowlen, organist, and Irene Moutos, vocalist, provided the wedding music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white rose point lace, tulle and satin, designed with a fitted bodice of the lace, long tapered sleeves and round neckline of tulle applied with lace motifs. The full skirt of tulle over satin had panels of lace and a shorter tulle overskirt. She carried a prayer book with a cascade of Stephanotis and white roses tied with white satin streamers.

Mrs. Martha Harmon of Odessa was matron of honor and Miss Gayle Dysart of Amarillo was bridesmaid. They wore identical pink velveteen sheath dresses with contrasting pink cummerbunds and sashes. Their headpieces were pink and they carried bouquets of pink pom-pom chrysanthemums.

Phil Handley of Wellington was best man, and groomsmen were Fred Saied of Wellington, uncle of the bridegroom. Ushers were Doolen Starkey and Guthrie Hiett of Wellington.

The reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the church. Mrs. Ernestine Kennedy registered the guests, while Mrs. Ruth Ann Kauffman and Miss Virginia Leake played piano selections.

The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with the bride's bouquet. Lighted candles were on either side. Mrs. Mary Dowell of Lubbock and Miss Winette Sykes of Amarillo presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Ruth Hill of Canyon and Mrs. J. T. Sykes of Amarillo, aunts of the bride, served the wedding cake. Assisting in the house party were Mrs. Otto Samuelson, Mrs. Iverson Leake, Mrs.

Garden Club Has Meeting

The Garden Club met in their regular meeting Wednesday morning, January 1, in the Methodist Church parlor with Mrs. S. B. Owens as hostess.

Mrs. Chas. Slay presided. The meeting opened by reading the Gardeners prayer in unison. Various committees were heard.

The nominating committee presented the following names to be voted on for the new officers for the next two years; Mrs. Henry Vaughan, president; Mrs. S. B. Owens, vice-president; Mrs. Woodrow Wood, recording secretary; Mrs. Bob Stephenson, corresponding secretary and treasurer; and Mrs. Walter Franks, historian. They were all elected unanimously. The committees are to be appointed by the president.

A round table discussion on the care of trees and shrubs followed.

Tea was served by the hostess to the following members: Mesdames John Henard, Vera Light, Franks, J. T. Slay, Stephenson, Chas. Slay, and the hostess, Mrs. Owens.

Club Hears of Famous Libraries

Famous libraries of the world were discussed by Mrs. J. B. Stevenson for members of the Domestic Science Club in the meeting Friday, January 3. Mrs. W. R. Orr was hostess and Mrs. Charles Caldwell directed the business session.

Mrs. Stevenson described the Public Library of New York City, largest in the United States; the British Museum; the Library of Congress and the United Nations Library.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Cameron Beam, John Coleman, Caldwell, L. C. Hill, E. N. Lewis, Stevenson, Woodrow Wodd, and the hostess, Mrs. Orr.

Marriage Is Announced

Mrs. Bertha Wilson, 201 East Ave., and C. N. Allison, 104 East Ave., were married in Childress Monday, January 6, at one o'clock. Justice of Peace Elliott of Childress performed the ceremony in his office.

Mrs. E. W. Jenkins, daughter of Mr. Allison, and Mrs. Ina Priest of Childress were the only attendants.

Personal

Mrs. Ellen Herring has been visiting her son, Rev. W. S. Herring, pastor of the Fundamental Baptist Church during the holidays. She left Wednesday for Tucson, Ariz. to visit another son, Albert Herring. After a few days she will go on to California to visit a daughter.

Mrs. E. G. Lacy of Vernon is the guest this week of her nephews and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Drury Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. Muriel Lacy, and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lacy. Mrs. Lacy lived here a number of years before moving to Vernon in 1922.

Visitors in the R. L. Karnes home during the holidays were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilburn, Chuck, Barbara and Paul, of Dallas. Their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Karnes of Breckenridge spent the week end here.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godbey during the holidays were their daughters and families, Mrs. Erma Riley and sons of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tipton and girls of Pampa. Also visiting was Jerry Don Godbey who is a student at Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gollighugh spent Sunday, December 29, visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Squyres of Lawton, Okla. Several brothers and sisters met them for a family reunion.

Health Discussed By Library Club

The Wellington High School Library Club met Monday night for their regular meeting.

The meeting was called to order by Bobby Harris, vice president. The theme of the program was Health.

Ethelda Floyd gave the introduction to the program and introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Dee Coleman.

Mrs. Coleman gave a speech on Health stressing that sign posts along the road of health are diet, exercise and recreation. She also discussed how to prevent diseases and the importance of vaccination against diseases.

Refreshments were served by Ernest Peach and Betty Patton.

Girls of Class Of '57 Honored

Mrs. Bob McAlister was hostess recently at a get-together for girls who were graduated from Wellington high school in 1957, and who were home for the holidays.

The girls spent the afternoon visiting and learning what their classmates were doing.

Attending were Cynthia Watkins, Wanda Shinn, and Elizabeth Hurst from Texas Tech; Molly Denley, Jonquin Cecil, and Anita Savage from North Texas State; Frankie Sue Campbell and Gwen Davis from West Texas State; Cecilia Cartwright and Glenda Epps of Draughton's Business College, Amarillo; Mary Beth Kelso of Abilene Christian College; Sandra Smith and Sally Murphy Busby of Wellington and Carolyn Coburn Sylvester and baby daughter, Peggy, of Corpus Christi.

Excelsior Studies English Churches

"Gothic and Cathedral Structures of Britain" was the study conducted by Miss Sara Jones for members of Excelsior Club Thursday evening, January 2, when Miss Kathryn Potter was hostess. Illustrating her talk on Gothic architecture especially related to England's churches, Miss Jones showed sketches of characteristic points of Gothic architecture by her nephew, Frank Jones.

A desert course was served to Mrs. Rudy Burquist, Mrs. Herbert Duncan, Miss Jones, Miss Inez Leach, Miss Dorothy Robinson, Miss Marie Shadid, Miss Rose Shadid, Mrs. I. G. Vaden, Mrs. Lawrence Warrick, Mrs. Bernice Welch, Miss Bonnie Willis and the hostess, Miss Potter.

Attend Golden Wedding Event

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Squyres and children, Newell and Nancy, were in Breckenridge during Christmas to visit with relatives.

A special holiday occasion was a golden wedding celebration for Mrs. Squyres' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith, long-time residents of that area.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Black of Hamlin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Buske Sunday.



MISS BARBARA FARHA, FIANCEE OF FRED SAIED

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Farha of Childress have announced the approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara Gaye, to Fred Saied, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied of Wellington. The couple will be married Sunday, February 9, at 3:30 p. m. in First Baptist Church, Childress. The Rev. Joe Allen, pastor, will officiate. Miss Farha was graduated from Childress high school in 1955 and attended North Texas State College, Denton, two years. Her fiancé, a graduate of Wellington high school, received his degree in business administration from the University of Texas in 1955 and served in the U. S. Army two years. He is now associated with his father and brother, Mack Saied Jr., in the Leader Department Store.

—Photo Courtesy Childress Index.

A Winter Bride, Mrs. James Lee, Honored With Shower in Nunnelley Home Monday

Mrs. James Lee, a winter bride, was honored at a shower Monday evening, January 6, in the country home of Mrs. Shelton Nunnelley. Mrs. Lee is the former Miss Patsy Flint.

Joining Mrs. Nunnelley as hostesses were Mesdames Paul Starr, Earl Hunter, Jimmie Kelso, Gordon Peters, Howard Elbert, Raymond Barton, Bob Stephenson, Millard Brown Jr., Harold Morrow, Lottie Brock and Miss Pauline Browning.

Mrs. Starr and Mrs. Brock greeted the guests and presented them to others of the receiving line, Mrs. Lee, her mother, Mrs. Hershel Francis, her grandmother, Mrs. E. C. Pease, and the mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. H. E. Lee.

Mrs. Morrow registered the

guests in the bride's book.

The serving table was laid with a white cutwork cloth and centered with an arrangement of pyreanthema and sprays of green leaves. Mrs. Peters was at the silver tea service.

Approximately 50 guests called between the hours of seven and nine o'clock.

WMU Circles Meet Monday

The WMU of the First Baptist Church met Monday, January 6, at the church for the Royal Service program, "The Golden Door".

Interest centers carried out the theme with each speaker entering the room through a golden door. Mrs. Charles Cason Sr., was in charge of the program. Mrs. Ben Wilhelm and Ed Miller presented the devotional.

Mrs. Noble Murray led a season of prayer for missionaries. Taking part on the program were Mesdames John Nash, Lynn Wright, Fred Squyres, Russell Pogue, Charles Cason Jr., J. G. Finley, Doshia Dix, J. L. Hays, and Leonard Karnes. Mrs. Charles Cason Sr., led the closing meditation.

After the program a short business session was held. Reports were given by the general chairmen. Mrs. Doshia Dix, chairman of the Blanch Groves Circle received the attendance pin for the circle. The goal of \$300 was set for the Annie Armstrong offering which will be taken the first week in March. The meeting was closed with prayer.

The next meeting of the WMU will be Monday, January 13, when the circle will meet for Bible study.

Dinner Is Held In Club Room

The Past Matrons and Past Patrons Club met December 31 in the club room of the Community Building. Mrs. Jennie Holcomb and Mrs. Ethel Strong were hostesses.

The dining table was centered with a wrought iron chandelier holding four red candles with a cut glass bowl of red and white carnations in the center.

Jack Davis gave the invocation and a fried chicken dinner was served.

Mrs. Mayme Somerville, president, called a short business session.

After the business session, the group visited and played forty-two. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Temple Slay, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilbert, Mrs. Josephine Birchfield, Mrs. Hattie Scott, Mrs. May Hix, Mrs. Holcomb, Mrs. Somerville, and Mrs. J. B.



A son, James Dennis, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee O'Hair in St. Joseph's Hospital December 23. He weighed eight pounds, nine and one-half ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Seale are the parents of a daughter, Cindy Lee, born in St. Joseph's Hospital December 23, weighing 7 pounds and 5 ounces.

Connie Sue is the name Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kendrick have chosen for their daughter born at St. Joseph's Hospital Christmas eve. She weighed seven pounds and four ounces.

Last baby born here in 1957 was Laurie Lynn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Wheeler. She was born in St. Joseph's Hospital December 29 and weighed eight pounds and nine ounces. The baby's father works at The Wellington Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holton are the parents of a girl, Dana Ann, born January 4, and weighing 9 pounds and 13 ounces. Mr. Holton is a CPA in San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Holton are grandparents of Dana Ann.

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By MRS. ALEX COLEMAN

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bentley returned with her parents, who have been spending the holidays with them and with another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Dee Bentley of the Abra community. They live in Vaden, Okla.

Herman Phillips of Plainview visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Phillips and family Saturday.

Mrs. W. W. Breeding is convalescent in Shamrock General Hospital.

Mrs. W. H. Riley, who is making her home with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massey, has been sick but is better at this time.

Adolphus Mannahan entered St. Joseph's Hospital a week ago but is able to be at his home at present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Woods had in their home Sunday their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vaden and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAnear of Shamrock.

Real Estate Transactions

Allie Martin and others to Monnie Gill — SE 1/4 section 10, block 17.

Carrie Roberts to Willie I. Smith, lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22, block 19, Wellington.

W. V. Lister and wife to K. E. Lister, covering the E/2 of SW 1/4 section 46, block 16.

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Crackerettes Win Over Clarendon

Wellington Firecrackers and Crackerettes split a pair of games with the Clarendon junior high teams Thursday night, January 2, with the girls winning 23 to 21 and the boys losing 23 to 18.

At the half, Wellington led 13 points, and it looked like they would walk off with the game. Then Mary Gibson fouled off and that hurt Crackerette strength. With about a minute left to play, and only two points ahead, they played the ball around until the clock ran out.

Elaine Yarbrough was high pointer with 12. Starters were Mary Gibson, Linda Millsap and Elaine Yarbrough, forwards; Judy Thompson, Charlotte Isaacs and Janice Wood, guards. Others playing were Judy Brown and Jennifer Singley.

The Firecrackers, who weren't hitting as they should have been anyway, were further hampered by the illness of John Roark, usually a high scorer. Jackie Daves was high with 7 points. Starters were Daves, and Richard Mauldin, guards; Leroy Prince, center; Dan Henard and Jerry Rainey, forwards. Others playing were James Branch, Lynn McLain and Gary West.

Junior High Plays Memphis Monday

The Wellington junior high basketball teams, Firecrackers and Crackerettes, will meet the Memphis teams here at 7 p. m. Monday, January 13, at Rocket Gym.

Both boys and girls will play. In a re-scheduled game, Lelia Lake will come here for a double-header Thursday, January 16, Coach Harvey Millsap said. The teams will not play this week due to the exhibition game Thursday evening.

St. Joseph's Hospital Notes

Mrs. Austin Deger, Lutie community, medical, Dec. 17 to 21.

Nellie Faye Lisle, Shamrock, medical, Dec. 17 and 18.

George T. Miller, Shamrock, Dec. 19-22, medical.

P. A. Mannahan, Loco community, Dec. 19 and 20, medical.

Joe Wilson, Dodson, medical, December 19 to 23.

Juanita Venegas, medical, Dec. 20 to 22. She is the 8-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Venegas.

Isabella Regalado, 7 months old daughter of Natividad Regalado, medical, Dec. 20 to 25.

Mrs. Ace Davis of Quail, medical, Dec. 22 to 24.

P. A. Manahan, Loco, Dec. 22 to 31, medical.

W. T. Bounds, has been a medical patient since Dec. 23.

Mrs. Ada Carter, Hollis, medical, Dec. 23 to 26.

L. H. Wolf of Loco community, Dec. 25 to Jan. 1, medical.

Mrs. R. L. Johnson, Dec. 26, medical.

W. L. Molton, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Molton, Golden, Colorado, Dec. 26 to 30, tonsilectomy.

Mrs. Louise Robinson, Irving, medical, Dec. 26.

Mrs. F. H. Kessler, surgical, has been a patient since Dec. 26.

Mrs. Guy Owens, medical, Dec. 26, to Jan. 2.

Mrs. Raymond McGill, surgical, Dec. 26 to 30.

Rommie Forbis, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Eron Forbis, surgical, Dec. 27 and 28.

Mrs. Dwayne Scott, surgical, Dec. 27 to 31.

Chester Fires, medical, Dec. 27 and 28.

Mrs. E. W. Poole, Shamrock, surgical, Dec. 27 to Jan. 4.

R. P. Scott, surgical, Dec. 27 to 31.

The Rev. Charles Knapp, Dec. 27 to 30, medical.

Joe Jones, has been a medical patient since Dec. 28.

S. K. Parsons Sr., surgical, Dec. 28, is still a patient.

Jim Bess, colored, medical, Dec. 28 and 29.

Mrs. Hattie Clifton, medical, Dec. 30, is still a patient.

Delores Heck, Monroe, Michigan, medical, Dec. 1 and 2.

L. R. Crisco, Dodson, medical, Jan. 1 and 2.

Mrs. A. C. Patterson, medical, Jan. 1 and 2.

Mrs. Hattie Scott, medical, Jan. 2 to 6.

Mrs. George Miller, Route 2, Shamrock, surgical, Jan. 3 to 5.

James Howard Jones, 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hezze Jones, Jan. 4 to 7.

Mrs. J. C. Emmert, surgical, Jan. 4 and 5.

Mrs. G. M. Owens, surgical, has been a patient since Jan. 5.

Mrs. Chester Wadley, who lives near Dodson, medical, admitted Jan. 5.

Mrs. Barney Walker, Samnorwood, medical, was admitted Jan. 6.

Mrs. James Ross, Quail, medical, admitted Jan. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Willoughby spent last week with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willoughby, Judy and Bobby, in Uvalde.

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Dun & Bradstreet Requests Out

Each January business concerns in all parts of the United States receive from Dun & Bradstreet requests for their annual financial statements. This year the number of requests going out nationwide will approximate three million, with over 1500 going to Collingsworth county businessmen.

The Collingsworth County section of the current issue of the Dun & Bradstreet Reference Book contains listings of 152 local names comprising manufacturers, wholesalers, and retailers. It does not include some of the service and "professional" businesses, such as barber and beauty shops, real estate and stock brokers. Thus the figure for businesses in Collingsworth County actually would be higher than the 152 quoted above.

Better than 95 per cent of all commercial transactions in the United States are made on credit terms and the buyer and the seller are brought together by means of credit information.

When the owner of a business or his accountant returns his financial statement to Dun & Bradstreet, the owner has taken the first step in establishing his responsibility as a seeker of credit.

The statement becomes a part of the credit report on his business, along with a financial analysis, a description of what the business does, and a record of how it pays its bills.

On the basis of the information in the report, a rating is assigned and the businessman is listed in the Dun & Bradstreet Reference Book. This makes it possible for his suppliers and insurance underwriters, who use the book, to look him up and in this way he is assisted in getting his goods and insurance.

In other words, should a manufacturer or wholesaler receive an order for merchandise from a merchant in Collingsworth County the listing and the rating of the merchant can be checked in the Reference Book. And it makes no difference where the seller is located. The listing of the Collingsworth County businessman appears in every issue of the Reference Book in the United States.

A Reference Book listing contains the name of the business and the rating. The rating consists of two symbols. The first, a letter of the alphabet, indicates financial strength or capital. It is the difference between what the business owes and what it owns. The second symbol, a numeral, reflects a composite of financial stability and payment record.

Attend State SCD Supervisors Meet

Two supervisors of Salt Fork Soil Conservation District, accompanied by their wives, will attend the 17th annual state meeting of the Texas Soil Conservation District supervisors at Corpus Christi January 15, 16 and 17.

Going will be Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman of Quail and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Henard of Wellington. The keynote address, at the opening session, will be delivered by Grady Halbert, supervisor of the Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District, while president of the Association is W. C. Howard, also of the Pease River SCD. Both men have been in Wellington in connection with soil conservation work a number of times.

Among the convention speakers will be Governor Price Daniel, Merritt D. Hill, general manager of the tractor and implement division of Ford Motor Company; and Marion Monk, vice president of the National Association of Soil Conservation districts.

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SOCIAL MEETING—
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American Legion

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

Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

M. W. STINGEL, W. M.
JOHN T. FORBIS, Sec'y

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FOR SALE — 1953 GMC half-ton pickup, and 10-foot IHC one-way. See H. L. Duncan at Henard Bros. Equipment Co. 28-tfc

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FOR SALE—Palomino saddle and roping horse. See Wade Welch or call 467-M. 29-1-p

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POLITICAL CALENDAR

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BETTY WHITE

Tax Assessor-Collector
LOUISE FULCHER

County Treasurer
MRS. J. D. AARON

County Superintendent
B. W. BEAIRD

District Clerk
MRS. O. E. DODSON

CARD OF THANKS

IN APPRECIATION

Our HEAVENLY FATHER, possessing power and wisdom over all, has seen fit to remove from our midst the life of a most devoted husband, a thoughtful and loving Father, an honorable kinsman, and a loyal and sincere friend to his community.

We take this opportunity to express our gratitude to this ALMIGHTY ONE for having given us this life and spared it to us for these limited number of years, and for the influence that it has manifested upon our lives.

To the doctors, to the staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, and to the nurses who so gently, so efficiently and so tirelessly administered to him during his illness, we will ever have a heart full of love.

To the innumerable friends who by their words, their acts and their deeds expressed to us their love, their respect, and their sympathy, we have no words to express adequately our true feeling for each of you. We can only hope that at some time in some manner we will be able to repay at least a portion of our debt of gratitude to you.

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NOTICE ON SCHOOL TAXES

1957 School Taxes are now due and must be paid before the first day of February, 1958, in order to avoid penalty and interest.

Your co-operation in paying them before the last minute will be greatly appreciated.

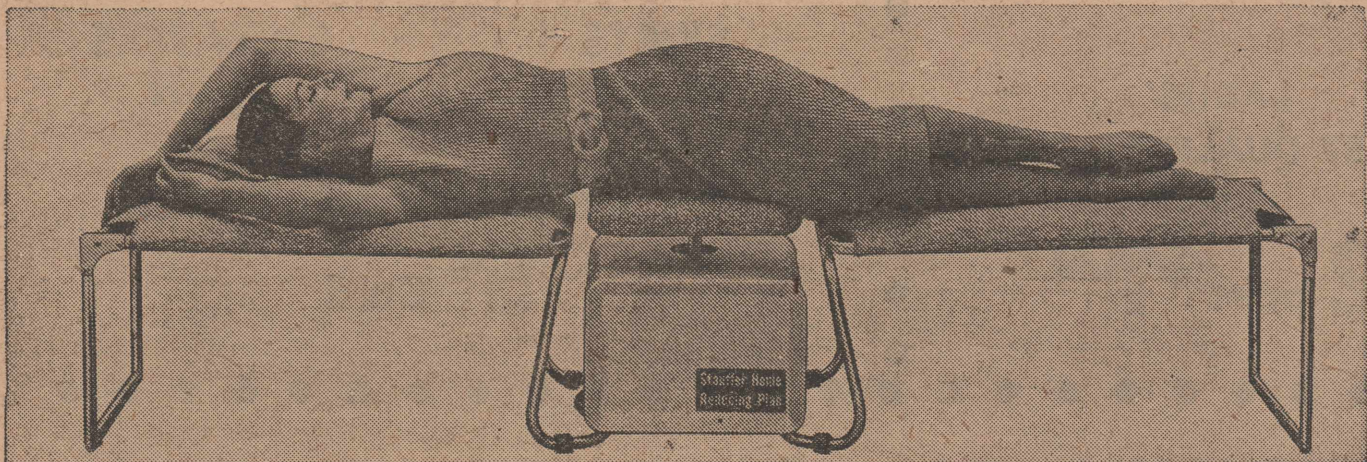
The School Tax Office is now located in the High School Building, with office hours from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Monday through Friday, and 8 a. m. until Noon Saturday.

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Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

Wellington State Bank

of Wellington, Texas, at the close of business Dec. 31, 1957, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	620,469.97
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	364,310.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	63,588.72
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$11,634.48 overdrafts)	1,084,099.30
Bank premises owned \$500.00 furniture and fixtures \$7,500.00	8,000.00
Other Assets	1,019.00
TOTAL ASSETS	2,144,436.99

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,653,873.60
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	234,648.93
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	76,982.19
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	8,932.27
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,974,436.99
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,974,436.99

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	20,000.00
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	50,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	170,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	2,144,436.99
Common stock with total par value of \$100.00	50,000.00

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	160,000.00
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I, Richard Bailey, Cashier of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
Directors
LEWIS MORRIS
JAMES W. SULLIVAN
J. M. ORR

RICHARD BAILEY,
Cashier

State of Texas, County of Collingsworth ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1958.

SEAL

Bessie Langford, Notary Public

Charter No. 1668

BANK'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

City State Bank

IN WELLINGTON

at Wellington, Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1957, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$ 480,934.33
(After deduction of no valuation allowance or bad debt reserve)	
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	290,000.00
Other bonds, notes, debentures, C.C.C. notes & certificates	240,007.88
Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	274,941.33
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	1.00
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	1.00
Other real estate owned	1.00
Total Resources	\$1,285,886.54

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common Capital Stock	50,000.00
Surplus: Certified	50,000.00
Undivided profits	12,023.46
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	923,343.98
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	131,099.36
Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	116,291.53
Total all deposits	\$1,170,734.92
Other liabilities	3,128.16
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$1,285,886.54

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH I, Jack Aaron, being Assistant Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

[Signed] JACK AARON

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Jan. A. D. 1958.

[Signed] MARY HAYS, Notary Public, Collingsworth Co., Texas

CORRECT—ATTEST

Joe Terry, Zook Thomas, John Nash, Directors.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers and grandson of Prescott, Arizona, visited with his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Longino and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Riggs.

Jim Starr of Crosbytown is visiting this week with John Alvin Horton. They are students at North Texas State at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Caison and son, David, left this week for Port Aransas to spend the remainder of the winter. They plan a considerable amount of fishing.

George Shadid, Miss Rose Shadid and Mack Saied Sr., attended the funeral of Tommy Naifeh in Woodward New Years. A brother of Mrs. John Shadid of Memphis, Mr. Naifeh was killed in a car accident in northern Oklahoma the preceding day. Following the Woodward service, his body was taken to Wichita, Kansas, for other services and burial.

Leaving Tuesday for their home at Tulare, Calif., after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McClure were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick McClure and sons, Cecil, Lynn and Paul. Joining them for the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Billy McClure and Marilyn of Panhandle. The Dick McClures came by Seguin to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walker, and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Macie Walker. The Walker family formerly lived here. With them during the Christmas holidays were another daughter and son-in-law, Sgt. and Mrs. Don Smith and children. Mrs. McClure is the former Wilma Walker Brewer and Mrs. Smith the former Connie Walker. The Smiths live in San Antonio, where he is serving at Lackland AFB.

Morrows Called to Bedside of Daughter In Lubbock Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morrow and son, Harold Morrow, went to Lubbock Sunday, January 6, to be with their daughter, Mrs. J. T. Clement of Brownfield, a patient in St. Mary's Hospital. Mrs. Morrow remained with her daughter.

T. C. Clement, Mrs. Lester Harwell, father-in-law and sister-in-law of Mrs. J. T. Clement also have been with her.

Mrs. Clement has been ill for about two months and was hospitalized at Brownfield from Christmas night until Saturday, when she was moved to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs and Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Combs and baby of Memphis visited with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dickey and other relatives Friday night. Mrs. Combs is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dickey.



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Nunnelley Moved To Plainview

Donald Nunnelley, with the Texas Liquor Control Board, has been transferred from El Paso to Plainview.

He will be the only agent for the Liquor Control Board in Plainview, and works under the Lubbock office.

Mr. and Mrs. Nunnelley and their small daughter, Tina Marie, moved to Plainview last week. The little girl also spent the week end here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nunnelley.

Singers to Use New Books Sunday at Trinity Methodist

The Second Sunday Singing Convention will be held at Trinity Methodist Sunday, January 12 beginning at 2 p. m.

The new books, regular convention song books are due to be here on that date and will be used.

Ring

By Ruby Thomas

Bro. and Mrs. William Brooks, Billy, Larry and Gary and Tommy Oatman were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oatman.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thomas Sr. and Ruby. Others visiting Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thomas Jr. and girls of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Oatman and Lenora and Jean Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. French and family of California have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clay.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Thomas of Amarillo and Bro. and Mrs. William Brooks and family ate Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thomas and Ruby.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hartman spent Christmas Day in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilkinson.

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Top Bracket

Wellington Boys, Shamrock Girls Win Local Tournament

Wellington, Shamrock, Quail, Samnorwood and Mangum teams won trophies in Wellington's annual invitational basketball tournament Thursday through Saturday, January 2 to 4.

Wellington boys and Shamrock girls were tournament champions in their divisions. Quail boys won second and Samnorwood won the consolation bracket. In the girls division Wellington was second and Mangum, Oklahoma was consolation winner.

Handsome trophies were awarded these winners at the end of the tournament Saturday night. Making the presentations were officers

of the Wellington student council, Glen Reeves, president, Theda Martin, Tommy Akin and Dickie Elbert.

Wellington boys won the title by defeating the Quail team 65 to 49, with the Rockets leading all the way. Fans who have followed the winning team are of the opinion the boys looked better in this game than they have during the entire year.

Wellington had defeated Shamrock 55 to 38 in the first game and Clarendon 55 to 45 in the next go-round.

Quail had won over Samnorwood 40 to 38 in the first round in what was one of the better games of the entire tournament, then defeated Childress 50 to 45 in another close game.

In other first round play, Clarendon defeated Lelia Lake 41 to 24 and Childress won from Mangum 42 to 24.

In the consolation bracket, Samnorwood won from Mangum 48 to 35 and Lelia Lake from Shamrock 47 to 30. Samnorwood defeated Lelia Lake 52 to 34 to win the consolation finals.

Shamrock girls won their division of the tournament by defeating Wellington Rockettes 38 to 27.

Mrs. A. V. Lowrie To Supervise Commodity Program

Mrs. A. V. Lowrie, who lives near Dodson, was named by the commissioners court Saturday to have charge of distributing the surplus commodities under the program reinstated under joint city-county sponsorship. The program is set up to serve as many as 1,000 persons.

The commissioners court also has set up the standard of eligibility for persons receiving the surplus commodities.

That person must be a citizen of the United States and must have resided in the state and the county at least six months.

If employed, the applicant must have an income of less than \$60 per month per person in the family, but a family of four must draw less than \$140 in wages, a family of six less than \$165; a family of 8, less than \$180 per month. Farmers without a fixed income will have eligibility determined by dividing the total income by twelve (for the 12 months of the year).

No applicant will be approved who has more than \$300 per person in available cash resources over and above the homestead, necessary household goods, essential transportation, or cash or loan value of life insurance in excess of \$1,000.

Recipients of old age assistance, aid to the blind, aid to dependent children and to permanently and totally disabled shall be eligible for commodities if otherwise eligible.

A 12-man screening committee, with a quorum of six, will be appointed by the county judge.

County Clerk Betty White was authorized to issue a warrant against the general fund for \$200 to secure a cashiers check payable to the commodity distribution division of the State Department of Public Welfare in Austin.

Distribution of the surplus commodities will be twice a month, approximately two weeks apart.

Ernest Jackson—

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and 77 patrons. When he retired, Route 1, which he was carrying, is 71 miles long and serves 196 families, but about 30 of these, he points out, are at the edge of Wellington. Mr. Jackson has carried on every rural route out of Wellington.

When he started carrying the mail, it was hard to get the 5,000 pieces per month (he had to count it) required to keep the route. Only 26 families took daily papers, and these were mostly the Fort Worth Star Telegram and Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News.

Mr. Jackson later transferred to the Wellington office and worked 11 years, part of it as assistant postmaster, before trading places with the late A. T. Lentz in 1937, and with Mrs. Jackson he moved to Talmage, Nebraska. In 1940 they moved to Goodland, Kansas, where he was again assistant postmaster, and in 1944 they went to Hull, Iowa, one of the richest farm counties in America, where he again was a rural carrier.

Mr. Jackson is interested in the different peoples in these places.

"In Nebraska most of the people were of German descent, and they had a heart big enough to take you in," he recalls.

At Goodland, part of his patrons were French and others the children of Russian emigrants who settled northwestern Kansas.

The Jacksons recall the friendly people at Hull, whose parents and grandparents came from Holland, who in their festivals preserved many customs of that land. Jackson recalls, too, that it was near the Minnesota and South Dakota state lines, with an abundance of good fishing spots.

Jackson insists that nothing exciting happened to him during the years, but "a lot of little things that were funny at the time".

Mr. Jackson was born on Washington's birthday, 1892 in Sidney, Comanche County. When he was

Mrs. Jett Roberts, Former Swearingen Resident, Dies

Mrs. Jett Roberts, who lived for many years in the Swearingen community before moving to Memphis to make her home a few months ago, died in the hospital there Thursday, January 2.

Funeral services were at First Methodist Church, Memphis, Friday, with the Rev. David W. Brinkley, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, Memphis.

Mrs. Roberts was the former Bessie Lee George, and was born at Denton January 1, 1892. She attended North Texas State College, Denton, and taught at Electra, Newlin, Lakeview and Parnell before and after her marriage.

She and Mr. Roberts were married at Electra December 22, 1920, and they moved to Memphis a short time later.

For many years Mr. and Mrs. Roberts farmed at Swearingen where they were active in community affairs.

After Mr. Roberts' death, February 22, 1954, she divided her time between her farm and Memphis, and several months ago returned to Memphis to live.

A son, Jett Roberts Jr., also preceded her in death.

Surviving are four sisters, Mrs. Lillie Thomason of Abilene, Mrs. Nellie Gerlach of Memphis, Mrs. Dovie White of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Mollie Griffith of Waco; two brothers, T. H. George of Ada, and W. E. George of Dallas. There are two half brothers and three half sisters.

Mrs. Hattie Scott Injured in Fall

Mrs. Hattie Scott, one of the early settlers of this area, was painfully injured when she stumbled against a box and fell in C&H Pharmacy Thursday, January 1.

She remained in St. Joseph's Hospital until early this week for treatment of a dislocated right shoulder and sprained wrist.

With her at the time of the accident was a daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. A. Scott.

nine, the family moved to near Stamford, where he grew up. Mr. Jackson now owns part of the farm on which his father settled in 1901, and which has never gone out of the family. He and Mrs. Jackson the former Lenore Sessions, were married at Stamford in 1912 and came here in 1919. He worked in a grocery store a year before joining the postal service.

They have six children: Mrs. R. L. Dillard (Minta) of Muleshoe; Mrs. Gabe Wright, (Alene) of Wellington; Mrs. Leo Teague (Bernice) of Tucumcari, N. M.; C. E. Jackson of Clarendon; R. Wayne Jackson of Worland, Wyoming; and John W. Jackson of Lakewood, Calif. There are five grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson are members of Bowie Street Church of Christ, and he is a member of the Rural Letter Carriers Association. He served as its secretary in Nebraska.

"People on my routes have been awfully good," he commented a few days ago. "They have pulled me out of the mud and hauled me in. They've given me something of everything they raised. I'd like to get the idea over that I appreciate those things. I feel an obligation to everyone on the route, and I've enjoyed the whole thing."

Former Wellington Negro Killed

Matiga Washington, 51, well known Wellington Negro who moved to Pampa five years ago, was shot to death Saturday about 6 p.m. in the Negro American Legion Club in that town. Charges of murder with malice have been filed against Eugene (Little Possum) Grice Jr. in connection with the killing.

According to witnesses, Grice walked into the club and began shooting at Washington. A few minutes later he walked into the sheriff's office and surrendered.

Members of Washington's family here said the men had fought a short time earlier.

Washington was hit by four bullets, one in the upper right chest, one going through his belt, one slightly lower to the left, and the fleshy part of his left thigh. He was a smelter worker.

His body was brought to Wellington and funeral services were at Mount Zion Baptist Church Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. Burial was in Wellington Cemetery by Kelso Funeral Home.

Washington was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Washington. Other survivors are a son, Matiga Washington Jr., of Pampa; three brothers and five sisters: Luddie of Wellington; Carl, Limel and Erlene of Pampa; Annie and Ami of Fort Worth; Mrs. Vera Rohers of Dallas and Mrs. Verma Ingram of Wellington.

Fire Destroys Gin at Vinson Early Saturday

Vinson Gin was destroyed by fire of unknown origin early Saturday, January 4, and Parker Smith, manager, reported the sheet metal building and all machinery were a complete loss, along with 17 bales of cotton loaded on a company-owned truck parked near the south gin entrance. The cotton belonged to various patrons.

An estimate of the loss has not been made.

The gin was owned by the Farmers Union Co-op, and a meeting of that group will be held this week to discuss rebuilding. R. L. Sherrill is president and W. Shipp secretary-treasurer.

The fire was discovered at 6:30 a. m. by B. F. Bailey, farmer living near the gin, and by that time the wall had burned and toppled over.

The chemical truck of the Mangum fire department was called, but the fire was too far along to save anything, and the truck is not equipped to fight big fires.

First Methodist Lists Services

Dr. E. E. White, superintendent of the Childress District of the Methodist Church, will preach at First Methodist Church Sunday, January 12, at the 11 a. m. service, the Rev. Frank Weir, pastor, has announced.

A 30-minute film, "Homecoming" will be featured at the evening service and the senior youth will make up the music. Services are at 7 p. m.

This film has as the theme "No man who works for the betterment of humanity does so in vain, even though his deeds may appear to have no immediate effect," Rev. Weir said.

Widen Block on West Avenue

Widening one block of the west side of West Avenue was begun by the City of Wellington Monday, January 6. This is from the southwest corner of the square south one block to 10th street.

Eight feet will be taken from the sidewalk, leaving a walk of equal width, Bura Handley, city manager, said.

This will be the same width as the new sidewalk along the Small building, giving a 64-foot street for that half block.

This is part of the city's program for widening all streets leading off the square, Handley explained.

This block being widened has long been regarded as a traffic bottleneck, since both sides are lined with businesses; the post-office is at the corner of 10th Street and West Avenue, and it is the street leading from the square to the high school.

Father of Mrs. J. C. Yeary Dies

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Yeary and children were called to LaGrange Wednesday night, January 1, by the unexpected death of her father, H. T. McCollum.

The Yeary family had returned only Monday after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. McCollum. He had not been ill and his death was attributed to a heart attack.

C-C Committee Chairmen Named To Serve in '58

Chairmen of the Chamber of Commerce committees to function during 1958 were announced Monday, January 6, by Fred Squyres, who took over the office of president the first of the year, succeeding C. T. Hubbard.

Taking office also were Paul Bell, vice president, and Durant McInnis, who was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Chairmen of the committees will name other members and each committee, co-operating with the officers and directors, will work out the objectives for the year.

Chairmen of civic improvement is Mrs. James Sullivan; community beautification, Mrs. A. J. Fires; highway and transportation, Judge R. L. Templeton; agriculture and livestock, Zook Thomas; water resources, George Shadid; retail and wholesale development, Bobo Castleberry; public relations, Paul Spillman; industrial development, Henry Sullivan and Charles Allen; and membership, Dr. Chas. B. Jones.

Betty White—

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that must be taken in handling the records.

I tried to perform the duties as deputy efficiently and faithfully, and if you see fit to elect me, I will continue to do my work with this same attitude.

"I am the wife of Elvis White, and we live on our farm in Rolla community. My parents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson of Kelley community. Most of my life has been spent here.

"Before election, I will try to see all of you, but in the meantime I am asking your support and your vote. Thank you."

El Paso—

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described by company officials as semi-attended, requiring little personnel to operate.

Also in the company's building program is the office building now under construction in Shamrock, which includes a small laboratory, office for gas engineers, laboratory office, chart room and distillation laboratory, an office for field superintendents, a small warehouse office and a communications office.

Louise Fulcher—

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in an efficient and creditable manner.

It is my plan to try and see each of you before the July election and discuss with you in detail the matters pertaining to this office and my qualifications for handling such matters.

In the meantime I will consider it a great favor if you will keep my name in mind and give me your earnest consideration.

Play at Home

Rockets Meet Phillips, Ron During Next Week

Two of the better home games of the entire season are slated during the coming week, Coach E. W. Clement has announced. These will bring the Rockets against the Ron boys, winners of the Goodwell, Oklahoma, tournament, and Phillips Blackhawks, former state basketball champions in their class.

The game with Ron begins at 7 p. m. and the girls also will play.

Little is known of this team, ex-

cept they have some of the better players of western Oklahoma. Virgil Francis, whom many Wellington baseball fans will remember from Dukes of Wellington days, is coach of the Ron teams.

The game with Phillips starts at 6:30 p. m. The Rockets defeated the Blackhawks at Phillips 66 to 62 recently, and it is anticipated this will be one of the hardest fought games of the season, Clement said.

Funeral Services Held Tuesday for Roy Dockins

Roy Dockins, 55, died at his home at 411 Dalhart Street Sunday, January 5, at 2:15 p. m. He was a retired farmer who moved here two years ago from Childress.

Funeral services were held at West Avenue Church of Christ Tuesday afternoon, with Minister Howard Mitchell officiating. Pall bearers were Loys Johnson, James Havron, Marvin Sasser, Bill Black, Frank Johnson and Cecil Morrison. Burial was in West Wellington cemetery under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Mr. Dockins was born December 24, 1902, in Calico Rock, Ark., where his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Smith Dockins had been born. He and Mrs. Dockins were married May 12, 1926, at Milburn, Ark.

Survivors are his wife and 10 children: Gordon L. Dockins, Albert S. Dockins, Hollis E. Dockins, Leon C. Dockins, L. Ray Dockins, Mrs. Catherine Clifton, Kathleen Dockins, Carolyn Dockins and Sharon Dockins all of Wellington, and Mrs. Hansel Reger of Waco. Other survivors are three sisters and a brother: Mrs. Ozro Reynolds of Apache, Ark.; Mrs. Georgia

Hunt and Mrs. Clem Waters of Sylmar, Ark.; and Sylvester Dockins of Widman, Ark. There are six grandchildren.

Accident Sunday On Icy Bridge

Edward Voelkel, Miami, Fla., man en route to his Army base at Camp Carson, Colorado, escaped injury when his car skidded on icy Salt Fork Bridge Sunday, January 5, about 5:30 a. m., but damage to the vehicle was estimated at around \$300, Sheriff John Rainey reported.

Voelkel, traveling north, was about three-fourths across the bridge before his car began skidding, and went into the bridge railing, he told the sheriff.

He was able to get emergency repair on his car, a 1956 Chevrolet 2-door sedan, to go on to Colorado.

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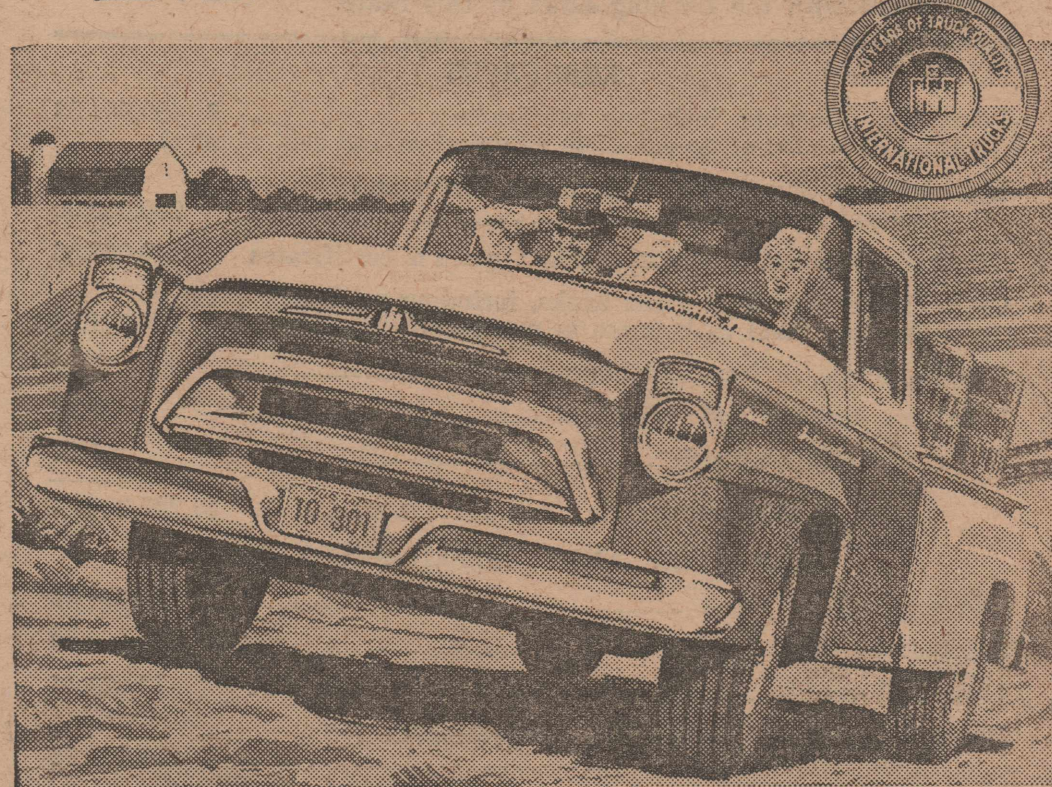


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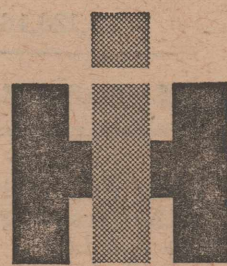
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