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A Common Paper for Common People

J. R. Hall Elected President Donley Dairy Ass'n.

J. R. Hall, Hedley, was elected president of the Donley County Dairymen's Association at a meeting of the milk producers of Donley County at the Vocational Agriculture room last Thursday night. H. B. Patterson was selected to serve as vice-president and J. R. Gillham, local vocational agriculture instructor and chamber of commerce secretary was elected secretary-treasurer of the organization.

The group will meet on the second Wednesday night of each month.

President Hall announced the following committees:

By-Laws and Constitution—H. A. Ferguson, Ed Hawley, and H. B. Patterson.

Show Committee to arrange for annual dairy show—Ross Darby, F. C. Crofford, W. Mosley, E. Hawley, and Eiland.

Public Relations—J. R. Gillham, J. R. Hall, Ross Darby, and H. B. Patterson.

Executive Committee—Hall, Gillham, Cannon and A. P. Thomason.

Program Committee—Gillham, Ferguson, W. M. Jordan and J. A. Read.

The group will sponsor a herd improvement movement, the annual dairy show, junior shorts dairy work, and special short courses on various dairy problems.

A membership committee will be appointed at the next regular meeting to contact business men and other dairymen who might be interested in helping promote dairy work in Donley County. Business organizations will be offered an opportunity to become associate members of the organization at a small annual fee.

CITY LIBRARIAN FAILS TO OPEN LIBRARY 2ND TIME IN TWENTY-ONE YEARS

In commenting on the snow which fell here Monday night, Mrs. C. A. Burton, City Librarian, stated that she saw very little need in wading through the deep snow drifts to open the Library and just stayed at home. This was the second time in 21 years that Mrs. Burton failed to open the Library due to elements of the weather. The other time was when we received the big flood here a few years ago and the water was running down the streets several feet deep. All the way around this is a very good record for Mrs. Burton and there are very few who can equal it.

Two Stolen Cars Are Located This Week

Sheriff Guy Wright stated yesterday that he had reports on two cars stolen here several weeks ago. A 1934-V-8 coupe which was stolen October 27th from Billie Williams was found at San Jon, N. M. Officers there reported that the car had been completely stripped of every useable part and that no one was found with the car.

The other car, a 1931 Model A Ford was stolen from Clyde Wilson Nov. 11th and Leroy Smitherson is being held along with the car at Vernon. Sheriff Wright went down today to bring him back to Clarendon where he will be held for action of the grand jury. Smitherson was apprehended when he tried to sell the car and could not produce a certificate of title.

Sheriff Wright still extends his warrant to motorists not to leave their keys in their auto when they leave it.

RATIONING AT A GLANCE

By Peppy Blocker

Returning servicemen and others who are in need of sugar coupons may get application blanks at the local office; these applications must be filled in and sent to the Fort Worth District Office of Price Administration and sugar coupons will be received very promptly.

As was stated in last week's column, the local office is now solely a Price Control Board office and no applications can be filled for sugar. The local office now handles all the Price Control work for Armstrong, Hall and Donley Counties.

McAllen, Texas, December 21
A McAllen G.I., freshly returned from Europe and out of uniform for the first time in 3 years, was chatting with several friends about the wonders of civilian life which he is gradually rediscovering.

"What do people think about the OPA?" The returnee inquired. "Well," one of his listeners told him, "the OPA has been catching a lot of Hell from individual pressure groups which want ceiling prices raised on some particular commodity, but average citizens seem to realize that the OPA has been a valuable, if at times annoying, aid to the war effort."

The returnee snorted, "Is that the way people really feel in this (See RATIONING, page Eight)

MRS. W. D. VAN EATON RECEIVES BROKEN ARM IN FALL MONDAY

Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton was quite seriously injured Monday by a fall in her yard. It was reported that she broke her arm. She was taken to an Amarillo hospital for treatment.

MIKE LANDERS IN STATES

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Landers received word recently that their son, Mike Landers, had landed at San Pedro, Calif., and would be home some time in the latter part of this month. He has served duty in both the European and Pacific theaters for the past two years.

CHURCH COUNCIL TO SPONSOR CLOTHING DRIVE FOR NEEDY COUNTRIES

Mrs. Millard Word asks that the Leader announce that the Church Council will again sponsor the drive for clothes for war devastated countries. The patching of the clothes will be done at the clubroom. Clothing can be brought to the Library where Mrs. Burton will see that it is cared for.

P. T. A. MEETING POSTPONED

According to Mrs. Mike Thornberry, president, the P.T.A. meeting scheduled for this week will be postponed until next week. The postponement was made necessary due to unfavorable weather conditions.

CLYDE SLAVIN OPENS LAW OFFICE HERE

Clyde Slavin is back home again after serving with the Navy since 1942, and is opening his office for law practice in the Goldsmith building. He formerly practiced law here before entering the service. Mr. Slavin received his discharge from the Navy August 30th, 1945 and states that he is quite happy to be back practicing law again.

March of Dimes Campaign Drive In Full Swing

Monday morning marked the opening of the annual March of Dimes in Donley County. Coin collectors have been placed in a large number of places throughout the county and those interested in this Drive predict that it will likely be the most successful yet to be held. One-half of all the money collected in the county will remain here to finance the hospitalization, care and treatment of local sufferers. The other half goes to headquarters of the National Foundation and is used for continuing research, education and emergency aid in epidemics throughout the nation.

Mrs. Johnnie Blocker, County Chairman, said today, "We can hope that the children of our community will be spared in the year before us. We cannot be sure. No one can predict where, when or how severely the Great Gripper will strike. We may not always be as fortunate as we have been in the past so let us all give generously in order that we may be prepared. Let us make this March of Dimes the best ever."

MRS. FORREST McCRARY TO OPEN ACCESSORY SHOP SATURDAY

Mrs. Forrest McCrary has announced that she is opening a Ladies accessory shop in the balcony of the O.S. Grocery this Saturday, January 19th.

Mrs. McCrary stated that she would feature such items as ladies and childrens underwear, hats, handbags, etc.

The balcony where the shop will be located has been remodeled to fit the needs of the new business and Mrs. McCrary invites her friends and customers to come by and look over her stock.

PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICE MOVED TO MEMPHIS

The office of the Texas Department of Public Safety has been moved from Childress to Memphis, with two patrolmen being assigned to that office.

Noel D. Calloway has moved to Memphis, but the other man has not yet been assigned.

Offices will be in the Clark Hospital building, where the present offices of the ration board are located.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY TO MEET JANUARY 21

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday evening, January 21 at 3 o'clock in Ladies clubroom. All members and all eligible for membership are urged to be present.

Services Held Wednesday For E. E. McNeal

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church for Eliga E. McNeal with Rev. Jeff Moore of Memphis officiating.

Mr. McNeal passed away at his home here Tuesday. He had been a resident of the county for the past 14 years and was a retired farmer.

Besides his wife, he is survived by one son, Ray McNeal of Stratford and four daughters; Mrs. Neta Brinson of Ashtola, Mrs. Ruby Baten of Brice, Mrs. Stella Crawford and Mrs. Frances Clark of Clarendon and one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Tommie McNeal of Clarendon. Also 12 grandchildren.

Palbearers were Howard Stewart, Hugh Eldridge, Alvin Landers, Ben Nelson, Jim Helton and Sid Endsley.

Burial was in Citizens Cemetery with funeral arrangements under the direction of Womack Funeral Home.

REV. BEDFORD W. SMITH NEW PASTOR HERE

Rev. Bedford W. Smith, a recent Chaplain in the army, has accepted a call from the First Christian Church and has moved here with his family. He will hold his first service here Sunday, January 20th. The public is cordially invited to hear this fine speaker and welcome him to Clarendon.

MOTHER OF LOCAL MEN SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. J. W. McMurtry, mother of Charlie, Jim and Joe McMurtry, is seriously ill in a Wichita Falls hospital and her recovery is considered very doubtful. She is 88 years old.

Mrs. J. W. Bond Buried At Hedley

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at Hedley for Mrs. J. W. Bond with Rev. Hubert Thomson officiating.

Mrs. Bond, former Hedley pioneer, passed away at her home in Canyon Sunday. She lived at Hedley prior to her husband's death some 15 years ago and then moved to Canyon where she has made her home since.

She is survived by three children; Mrs. Bertha B. Latimer of Amarillo, Miss Ethel Bond of Canyon and Sam and E. L. Bond of Canyon.

Burial was in Rowe Cemetery at Hedley with funeral arrangements under the direction of Womack Funeral Home.

Rain And Snowfall Covers Panhandle



By Legion Reporter

NOTICE: Don't forget to pay your 1946 dues!

A very small group attended the meeting of the American Legion Tuesday night, and the business session was short. The acquisition of a pool table to be used by veterans and servicemen was the chief topic of discussion. A table will be purchased in the near future and put in the Legion Hall. Also, redecoration and improvement of facilities in the Hall will begin as soon as materials and workmen are available.

The district meeting which was scheduled to be held here January 22 has been postponed until Tuesday night, January 29th. See this column next week for further data in reference to the meeting.

SPENDING LEAVE WITH PARENTS

Lt. Sam King of the U. S. Marine Corps is spending terminal leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King of Lelia Lake. Lt. King has been stationed at the Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro, California since his return from overseas duty. He will resume his work in Vernon on January 20th as mathematics teacher and coach in the Vernon high school.

ANNUAL ACCOUNT OF COUNTY CLERK IN THIS ISSUE OF THE LEADER

The annual account of the County Clerk which is published in order that every citizen of the county might see the financial condition of the county is in this issue of your Leader. Turn to page seven and look it over so you will know more about the functioning of your county government.

Loans Now Being Made To Finance 1946 Crops

Loans are now being made to finance 1946 crop production in Donley County, according to Harold D. Himmelf, local Field Supervisor for the Dallas Emergency Crop Loan Office of the Farm Credit Administration.

Applications for these loans are being taken in Clarendon at AAA office on Wednesday, between 1:30 and 3:30 p. m. The security required is a first lien on the crops to be financed. The loans are available only to those farmers unable to secure loans from banks or other sources.

These loans, generally known as "The Seed Loans", have been made in Texas since 1931 and have proven of great benefit to farmers whose cash requirements are small. Repayment of the loans has been high. Borrowers are required to plant large gardens for home use and a balanced program of feed, food and cash crops is encouraged.

A loan to finance the purchase or production of feed is also made on livestock by this Agency. The maximum loan to an individual is \$400.00.

The seed and feed loans are administered in Texas under the direction of W. E. Farwell, manager of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office, 405 U. S. Terminal Annex Building, Dallas 2, Texas.

LIONS CLUB TO MEET IN NEW QUARTERS NEXT WEEK

The local Lions will officially come off their diet this coming week when they will gather at the new meeting place in the basement of the Antro Hotel for their regular meeting. The meetings were suspended the second week in December due to no meeting place and now that another place is in readiness, each and every Lion is urged to be present next Tuesday noon.

Several of the Lions that could be contacted in time met there this week and it was announced that the meeting would be held next week regardless of what came up. About 20 members were present to enjoy the sandwiches, potato chips, coffee and pie which was prepared in short notice in order that the meeting might be held.

JACK HAYES COMES HOME AGAIN

Serving in an ordnance company in training in this nation, then to England and through the campaign in Europe was a wonderful experience for Jack Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hayes. Jack saw service near the Belgian bulge in December of 1944 and saw bodies of both American and Germans scattered in the woods near there some four months after the battle had been decided.

"There simply wasn't enough men in the burial detail to bury the great number killed there," Jack stated.

After the European matter was settled pretty well, Jack was among those deployed to Japan, arriving there after hostilities had ceased. He saw Nagasaki first hand and marvels at the destruction the atomic bomb did. Like practically all of our boys, Jack has no liking for the Japs at all. He says Germany was the most forward nation he visited in his trip around the Globe, after he left the States.

Jack will go to Buffalo, N. Y. to meet his wife and baby, then try to find a place to live before taking up a job again as a civilian.

J. C. MAHAN, CHILDRESS ATTORNEY, IS DEAD

James C. Mahan, 52, Childress attorney and civic leader, died Sunday night after an illness of several weeks.

Mahan was president of the Turkey-Childress Water Conservation Association, past president and present director of Childress board of city development, and former district attorney. He was well known here in Donley County where he made many friends.

He was the father of Sheffy Mahan, candidate for the State Legislature.

Funeral services were held Tuesday.

RECEIVE DISCHARGES FROM THE NAVY

Donley County men recently discharged from the Navy are: Leon Taylor, Seaman 1/c; Franklin H. Rogers, Seaman 1/c, who served on Okinawa; Carl Edward Stobbs, Seaman 1/c, who was overseas 32 months; Hershel Wayne Thorne, Gunner's Mate 3/c, who has 18 months overseas service to his credit; John Francis Blocker, Jr., Seaman 1/c.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS TO HOLD CAKE SALE SATURDAY

The Camp Fire Girls will hold a cake sale Saturday morning beginning at 10 o'clock in the old Parker-Perkins building. This will be a good chance to get that delicious cake that you have been wanting—just the thing to top off that Sunday dinner.

In last week's issue of the Leader we stated that the drouth was broken and felt like we were sticking our neck out just a little in saying so, but this week we can easily say that the drouth has been definitely broken.

The rain and snow combined brought a total of 2 1/4 inches of moisture according to the official weather station at the airport, and was believed to be heavier in other sections of the county. The snow, the heaviest in several years, measured from eight to 12 inches over the county and has offered plenty of competition to motorists with cars being stuck all over town.

Schools all over the county were closed Tuesday and some of them are still not open today as some of the rural buses are still unable to operate through the snow and muddy roads. The local schools were in operation Wednesday but the attendance was very poor.

Through traffic on the highway came to a standstill early Tuesday morning when the drifts became too big to push through. Truckers who were able to make their way up from the south as far as Clarendon spent the night here Tuesday with some of the drivers having to sleep in the lobby of the Pastime Theatre, and in their trucks due to a scarcity of beds. All hotels and tourist courts were full up.

The snow was so wet and clinging that quite a bit of damage was done to trees with thick limb structure. Some were bent over to the ground and many limbs were broken under the weight of the snow.

The snow was very severe on cattle on the open range and most ranchers had plenty of trouble digging out to feed their stock, and in a number of cases the cattle had to wait until Wednesday to be fed. A survey of stock loss due to the snow and cold weather could not be learned at this time.

Besides the snow and rain, Clarendon was the cold spot of this entire section for the past two nights. The mercury dropped to 2 above Tuesday night and we had a low of 13 degrees Wednesday night.

Even though the snow is messy and disagreeable in lots of ways, it is worth thousands of dollars to farmers and ranchers in the way of putting sub moisture in the ground for the next growing season, and it also gives a much brighter outlook for the wheat grower who has watched his winter pasture dwindle to the ground.

SUFFERS STROKE

Mrs. Julia Beverly suffered a slight stroke Monday and is very ill at this time.

March of Dimes Benefit Dance January 25th

Mrs. Johnnie Blocker, chairman of the local March of Dimes campaign, announced today that a benefit dance would be held Friday night January 25th at the Jr. High Gym and would begin at 8:30. It is being held on that date due to basketball games being scheduled on other nights, and it is also better to hold the dance on a night other than a school night.

The admission will be \$1.50 per couple and \$1.00 for stags. Mrs. Katherine Bugbee is in charge of the music and states that complete arrangements have not been made at this time, but she promises plenty of good dance music when the time comes.

Make your plans now to attend the dance and help with the March of Dimes drive.



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NOTICE: Obituaries and poetry are published in this paper at the rate of 1 cent per word. A charge of \$1.00 is made on cards of thanks. Stories of deaths and funerals published in time to retain the news value are not rated as obituaries.

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LIBRARY NOTES

By Mrs. C. A. Burton

A few new books, some of which are for our small readers, such as: "Tarnish" by Osa Johnson; "Burlap" by Morgan Dennis; then "Cherry Ames, Army Nurse," Helen Wells; "Why the Chimes Rang," Alden; "The Birds' Christmas Carol," Kate Douglas Wiggon; "Christmas of Legend and Story," and "The Gauntlet" by James Street. The last named is being a leading best seller.

The Clare Tree Major Children's Theater production of "Rip Van Winkle" is to be given in Amarillo next week, under the sponsorship of the Association for Childhood Education. This Washington Irving story was first published in 1819—and is still a favorite. It was dramatized and has become a stage as well as a literary classic.

Thirty cubic tons of Bibles, hymnbooks, and other religious

books and supplies have been shipped to the Philippin Islands recently, and it is planned to send additional tons soon.

"Jane Eyre" is to be presented by the West Texas State College Speech department soon in Amarillo.

A new book on Lincoln is receiving much attention just now—"Lincoln the President: From Springfield to Gettysburg" by James G. Randall, in two volumes. It seems to be a very fine presentation of Lincoln, the man, as well as Lincoln, the president, and gives a very attractive picture of his home life.

The year 1945 had many literary prize winners. The sixth annual Constance Lindsey Skinner award to a woman in the book industry by the Woman's National Book Association went to Lillian Smith for "Strange Fruit."

The Annisfield-Wolf Awards went to Gwethalyn Graham for "Earth and High Heaven" and Gunnor Wyndal for "An American Dilemma"—these being considered the two best books on race relations.

Ben Lucien Burman won the fourth annual Thomas Jefferson Award for his "Rooster Crows For Day"—the best book by a southern author.

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The James Tait Black Memorial Prize for biography was awarded Cecily V. Wedgewood for "William the Silent."

The Limited Editions Club award went to E. B. White for "the book most likely to attain the stature of a classic—"One Man's Meat."

George K. Pratt, M. D., was awarded the Parents' Magazine Medal for "Soldier to Civilian."

Elizabeth Metzger Howard was the winner of the \$20,000 prize novel contest run by Double, Doran, and M.G.M. for her first novel, "Before the Sun Goes Down."

Dr. Carl Binger received the Neoton Medical award for "The Doctor's Job."

Grey-haired women don't worry about their husband's love. They know that hubby has loved them through three or four shades already.

Our clothes are getting so threadbare we expect to get them back from the cleaners one of these days, wound around a spool.

Every boy respects a woman with a strap in her hand. Yet, when he grows to manhood he will let her stand up in the street-car all the way to town.

The real name of the famous artist Tintoretto was Jacopo Robusti. He was called Tintoretto, meaning little dyer, because of his father's trade.

Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

Creomulsion blends beechwood creosote by special process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcotics.

No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

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TUMMY FISHING! A PADLOCK SWALLOWED BY THIS YOUNGSTER WAS FISHED OUT BY A TINY ALNICO MAGNET ATTACHED TO A STOMACH TUBE. ALNICO, MOST POWERFUL MAGNETIC MATERIAL KNOWN TO MAN, CAN LIFT MANY TIMES ITS OWN WEIGHT. ITS USE WAS DEVELOPED BY GENERAL ELECTRIC SCIENTISTS.

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Faulty Discharges May Be Corrected

Lieutenant Colonel Robert L. Hardy, West Texas District Recruiting Officer, today announced that information has been received whereby discharged veterans may have corrections made on incorrect discharges received.

To have a discharge corrected the original discharge certificate should be sent in a registered letter to:

Demobilized Personnel Records Branch
Records Administration Center,
AGO

4300 Goodfellow Blvd.,
St. Louis 20, Missouri.

A letter and documentary evidence should accompany the Discharge Certificate to prove that it is in error. It is recommended that photostatic copies of birth certificates, orders, etc. be sent if there are no duplicates available.

Since the certificate may remain with the Records Adminis-

tration Center office for some time, it is recommended that it be recorded at the County Clerk's office in the county in which the veteran resides even though it contains error—since the Veterans Administration or other agencies may request the original or certified copy. When the corrected discharge is returned, it is well to have it recorded again with the County Clerk.

The individual is not permitted to correct his own discharge certificate no matter how small or unimportant the change. Any change insertion or correction other than by The Adjutant General is unauthorized, and such a discharge will not be considered official.

Veterans who want information of any kind are urged to contact

local Recruiting Officers. Recruiting Stations are located throughout the West Texas Area. Permanent Army Recruiting Stations are located in the Post Office Buildings in Amarillo, Abilene, San Angelo, Lubbock and Big Spring, Texas. Temporary Army Recruiting Stations are located in Dalhart, Pampa, Borger, Wellington, Childress, Plainview, Lamesa, Odessa, Sweetwater and Ballinger, Texas.

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RICE Connet—2 lbs.	25c	OATS Mothers—3 lbs.	35c
MILK 3 LARGE CANS	29c	PEANUT BUTTER 2 lb. Jar	49c
PURE LARD 4 LBS.	65c	SPUDS 10 lb. Mesh Bag	45c
STEAK POUND	33c	COFFEE Maxwell House—3 lbs.	\$1.00
ORANGES California, nice size—Dozen	35c	TOMATO JUICE 46 oz. Can	45c
LEMONS Sunset, 3/4 size—Dozen	35c	SPAM CAN	35c
GRAPES Black, Beauty—No. 2 Can	10c	Chuck Roast POUND	26c
SARDINES Tul. Can—4 for	25c	CHEESE LONGHORN POUND	40c
SALT Morton—3 Boxes	25c	SPINACH NO. 2 CAN	15c
MEAT Canned	15c	BOLOGNA POUND	25c

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THE TEMPLE OF TRUTH
By the Apostle

MARCH O' DIMES.

Monday was the beginning of the infantile paralysis campaign that will continue for the remainder of the month. The drive is nation-wide. It is an opportunity for all people of all ages to contribute to the most worthy of all causes. The medical world has been unable to find an agent that will kill the virus that produces the disease. On the other hand, a valuable means have been found to combat the inroads of the disease that usually attacks victims under 20 years of age. In 1942, one out of seven victims died. In 1945 only one out of 20 died, all due to proper care and treatment

after the disease attacked. The money we give at this time is to aid the afflicted and to supply the means to seek a method of preventing an attack. Half of what we give remains in Texas. The other half goes to the National Foundation founded by President Roosevelt in 1938. As proof of the destructive inroads of infantile paralysis, every town and many of the smaller communities have crippled victims who narrowly escaped death. This disease, properly labeled the "Great Crippler," is one of the most dreaded of all calamities in the land. Should you ever visit the Shriner Hospital in Dallas, you will be a liberal contributor the remainder of your life. In that nationally known institution, hundreds have been helped back to practically a normal life. Those helpless little folks have no one to look to for help way out in the out-of-the-

way places except folks like you and me. And we won't fail them! Give a dime—give more if you can spare it.

This column is devoted to the serious side of life this issue. The Old Apostle is a strong believer in charity. He likes to give where help is needed most. So do you. There is only one answer to the problem when feelings are too deep for tears—just give till it hurts.

Members of Congress are called Solons after the Athenian named Solon, who was noted for his learning and wisdom. He was known as the law-giver of Athens, and it was he who revised the Athenian constitution.

Four animals change their fur or plumage to white in the winter time. They are the ermine, the ptarmigan, the Arctic Fox, and the polar hare.

A Duke ranks higher than an Earl in British peerage.

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Charlie Joins March of Dimes



Charlie McCarthy is no dummy, according to nine-year-old Hannah Toomey of 335 East 53th Street, New York City. At least, he is right there when it comes to a good cause such as the March of Dimes Campaign, January 14-31. While Edgar Bergen looks on, Hannah shows Charlie one of the new dime cards for school children. A victim of infantile paralysis, Hannah was aided by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis and wants to see other unfortunate children have the same care.

The alligator is the only saurian or reptile of the alligator group which is known to make a distinctive noise. It will roar or bellow when angered or disturbed.

Gilbert Stuart's Athenaeum portrait of Washington was never finished because he desired to keep it in his studio as a nest egg from which to make copies.

Your Income Taxes

By **J. A. WARREN**
INCOME TAX SERVICE
Clarendon, Texas
(Series 4)

THE 1946 WITHHOLDING TAX REQUIREMENTS

Briefly, we will consider this new, Election Year, Table, all figured by the Brasses in Washington, who take you for a ride each year on your tax payments, so please do not think we made this law, nor the one that has just passed. Some folks do think we did, from the way they gripe at us when we figure their taxes. Of course, this is not you, dear reader, it is your neighbor.

The new withholding rates effect salaried workers and all others who file estimated reports for 1946, for these new rates must be taken into consideration. They probably are not as much less than last year, as you have "heard".

Employers should avail themselves of Rate Table WT-Revised which gives all these 1946 withholdings.

Here is some information to paste in your scrap book:
An employee working for a salary, with 1 exemption, may earn

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Y.W.A. MEETING

The Y.W.A. met Monday evening in the home of Hazel Bingham for their regular meeting and a miscellaneous shower for Lorene Gunter.

The meeting opened with a prayer by Lorene Gunter. She also made her resignation as Program Chairman as she is moving away.

Hazel Bingham, president, then presided over the business meeting. The new business was to elect a new Secretary-Treasurer to replace Lois McCrary Underdown, whose resignation was accepted, and a Program Chairman was also elected to replace Lorene Gunter. Ethelyn Rattan was elected as the new Secretary-Treasurer; Wanda Cornell was elected as Program Chairman. Then the girls decided on a name for their Auxiliary which is to be the Lottie Moon Y.W.A.

The Program Chairman, Lorene Gunter, then took charge of the program. The theme of the program was the Witnessing of America. Hazel Bingham gave the first talk on "Who Witnesses for America?" Wanda Cornell then gave an inspiring talk and opened a discussion on "America's Witness by Movies and Radio." The next part was given by Ruby Jo Kidd on "America's Witness by Education?" Ethelyn Rattan gave

the final discussion on "America's Witness by Missionaries." Then Mrs. W. C. Gunter led in the closing prayer.

After the program, a farewell shower was given in the honor of Miss Lorene Gunter. She received many nice gifts.

Lovely refreshments of tea and cookies were then served to the following members: Lorene Gunter, Ethelyn Rattan, Nita Heath, Ruby Kidd, Violet Huckins, Wanda Cornell, and Hazel Bingham. The guests were Mrs. Gunter and Uil, Lloyd Hunt, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bingham.

—Ethelyn Rattan, Sec.

FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN FOR UIL GUNTER

The R. A. Boys of the First Baptist Church gave a farewell party Tuesday night, January 15, in honor of Uil Gunter, who is leaving soon. The party took place in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. DeShazo.

Games of flinch, sorry, rummy, checkers, and table-tennis were enjoyed by everyone. Pop corn and cokes were served as refreshments.

CLARENDON H. D. CLUB

The Clarendon H. D. Club will meet Friday, January 18 at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. G. A. Anderson.

YOUNG ADULT CLASS ENTERTAIN

Twenty-three members and guests were present in the Recreation Parlor of the First Methodist Church last Thursday night when the Young Adults Class entertained with their first social meeting since their reorganization. Homer Estlack is President of the class and Mrs. John Bass is the teacher. Johnnie Blocker is Vice-President and Mrs. Dock Yankee is Secretary-Treasurer.

After a series of games, coffee and sandwiches were served to Mrs. Bass, Rev. and Mrs. Hanks, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Yankee, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Blocker, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moore, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bass, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Skelton, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Estlack, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Toland, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bain and Misses Lucile Polk and Phoebe Ann Buntin.

PATHFINDER CLUB

The Pathfinder Club met at the Club room January 11, with Mrs. J. Gordon Stewart and Mrs. Lee Holland as hostesses.

This was the annual election of officers and the following were elected:

President—Mrs. Joe Ritter. Vice-Pres., Mrs. E. D. Landreth. Recording Sec.—Mrs. Curtis Mears.

Corresponding Sec.—Mrs. Oscar Thomas.

Mrs. R. Y. King — Federated Councilor, discussed "News of Interest Concerning Club Women."

A Parliamentary criticism was given by Mrs. C. E. Bairfield.

Impromptu music by Mrs. Millard Word and Mrs. E. D. Landreth was enjoyed during the social hour.

Hostesses served lovely refreshments to 23 attending members.

JUNIOR B.T.U. ENJOYS HAMBURGER SUPPER

The Jr. Adult Training Union enjoyed a hamburger supper and social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Estlack Friday evening.

After a supper of hamburgers and all the trimmings, a variety of games were played, including "42", Chinese Checkers, Bingo and others.

Those present were Messrs. and Mrs. Joe Jones, Bill Lane, Hal Upchurch, Dexter Todd, U. Z. Patterson, Ira Jenkins, Harold Phelps, Otto DeShazo, Bill Todd, Louis Youree, Bill Greene Jr., Jack Luckey, Alfred Estlack, and Misses Lorraine Gunter, Ira Jean, Patricia and Barbara Estlack, Juana DeShazo, and Wilson and Tommy Lane and Hal Rhea Upchurch.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Saye returned from Dallas Tuesday where they have been on business.

FRIENDSHIP MEETING POSTPONED

On account of bad weather and sickness, Mrs. J. L. Allison has called off the Friendship Club meeting which was scheduled for Tuesday, January 22nd.

KILL KARE KNEEDLE KLUB

Mrs. Frank White Sr. assisted by her daughter Dorothy, entertained the Needle Club at her home Thursday afternoon.

A musical program, also sewing and pleasant conversation were enjoyed until a lovely salad course was served by the hostesses Mrs. White and Mrs. Campbell to invited guest Mrs. Will Hayter, and club members, Mesdames Dawkins, Draffin, Speed, Noland,

Lowe, Bartlett, Sanford, Hudson, Rundell and Misses Ida and Etta Harned.

AUXILIARY CIRCLES MEET

The Auxiliary Circles of the Presbyterian Church met in the following homes Wednesday, January 9th:

Circle No. 1 met with Mrs. A. L. Chase. 13 members present. Mrs. Charley B. Robinson was leader. Circle No. 2 met in the home of Mrs. J. Fred Smith with 12 members present. Mrs. Clifford Davis was leader.

Lovely refreshments were served by each hostess at the social hour.

BUY VICTORY "E" BONDS

Mrs. Holmberg of Paducah is visiting her daughter, Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Landreth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Simpson visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green over the weekend.

W. S. Carlile, Seaman 2/c is home on leave from Camp Paul Jones, San Diego, Calif.

Leslie Butler left Saturday for San Antonio where he will receive his discharge.

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There will be a Quarterly Conference at the school house Sunday. Dinner will be served on the ground. Bro. Landreth will preach at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perdue and children and Harold Pierce of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley Sunday.

Those to visit in the Virgil Littlefield home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Blanton all of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Littlefield and children of Jericho and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger.

Mr. and Mrs. John Short and sons visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Duckett and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wallace Sunday.

Mrs. Neely Hudson and Dwayne visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger Friday.

Gilbert Stewart spent Sunday with Arvoss and Arden Guinn. Mr. Lloyd Reynolds spent one night last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Reynolds.

James Garland spent part of the week with L. M. Putman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blair visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Guinn Monday night.

Billy McElroy spent one night of last week with Eddy Reynolds.

Wilma Smith spent last week with Juanita Mooring of Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds and Edna spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Kootiz of Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale and family visited Mrs. Edridge and family Sunday.

Mrs. White-Grey spent last week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Yankee. Mrs. Dale visited Mrs. Edridge and family Sunday.

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Coxswain A. B. Stephens called his wife Mrs. Rachel Stephens Tuesday from Seattle, Washington. Stephens is enroute to Camp Wallace, Texas to receive his discharge.

Chester Williams returned from Lealand Tuesday night where he has been visiting his wife and her parents. His wife will come to Clarendon in a few days.

Jimmy Jenkins returned home Sunday night from a visit at Paducah with relatives.

Lt. and Mrs. Brondstatter and baby from Wichita Falls are visiting her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beard.

LELIA LAKE

Will M'Gee of Ft. Worth left Friday after a few days visit with his sister, Mrs. Laura Taylor.

Mrs. Melba House of our school faculty spent the weekend with relatives at Estelline.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams and Sharon spent Sunday in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lovelady of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Fletcher and children of Melrose, N. M. visited Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Seago Tuesday night.

Miss Edna Wood of Dumas spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mrs. Inez Robertson of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bain left Saturday to make their home in Las Vegas, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Grooms and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Espey and Don left Friday for California to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Howard were called back to Stonewall, Okla. by the illness of her brother.

O. L. Davis and family spent the weekend in Okla.

Rice Batson and W. R. Christal returned last Thursday after working several days in Matador.

Mrs. Laura Taylor honored her brother Will McGee Friday evening with a party in her home. After games of bridge and forty-two refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. John Gerner, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Cottingham, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tatum and children of Clarendon, Mrs. M. Tomlinson, Mrs. Jo Aten, A. B. Bynum, the hostess and honored guest, Mr. McGee.

Owen Neal who recently purchased W. W. Jones home moved last week.

Ross Hood and family moved to the Neal place which was recently bought by Clark Cook.

Proposed Ceiling Price On Cotton Vexing Problem

The chief drawback to the proposed OPA ceiling price on cotton will be the successful administration of the regulation, Dr. A. B. Cox, professor of cotton marketing at the University of Texas, pointed out this week.

"There are so many different qualities of cotton and uses for cotton that it will be difficult to enforce such a law," he explained. "Manufacturers may shift from one quality to another or from one product to another, with some slight variation, and thus create an entirely new problem.

"It was the opinion of the group of cotton experts on the committee of price ceilings and cotton research which met in Washington in '43 to place the ceiling on the goods rather than on cotton," said Dr. Cox, who was a member of that committee, "and thus effect control of cotton through that means and through the sale of Government-owned cotton when the price threatened to reduce consumption.

"It will be to the advantage of the Texas cotton producer in the long run if the Government will sell its stock of surplus cotton at a price which will induce maximum consumption in order to dispose of the cotton surplus at present high prices.

"The maximum consumption of cotton is needed to relieve the present scarcity of cotton goods. If the Government will turn loose its surplus, the maximum amount of cotton will be available and the carry-over will be reduced, which must be accomplished sooner or later," he pointed out.

"Such a policy would be the greatest possible curb on inflation. A policy of pushing sales of Government cotton to prevent excessive price advances of cotton will have the additional advantage of holding the maximum portion of the goods market for cotton. The price of American cotton is now about six cents above its world competitive level due to the Government loan and purchase programs.

"The Government buying price is now 22.46 per pound and the market price is 22.45, which means a \$10 per bale difference," the cotton expert continued. "The Government's buying price of 22.46 per pound and its high non-resource loans are undoubtedly encouraging speculation in cotton. The point is, there is nothing more important in the cotton situation, especially from the standpoint of the cotton growers, than getting the present surplus of cotton into consumption at, or near, present prices," Dr. Cox concluded.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Crain from Headrick, Okla. visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lane, Thursday of last week. They were enroute to Amarillo, taking their grandson, Richard Kelly to his mother, Mrs. Dorothy Kelly who is working there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lane and two sons Wilson and Tommy spent the week end with Mrs. Lane's brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Crain and family and Mr. and Mrs. Urriah Crain, at Headrick, Okla.

Rev. and Mrs. Hal Upchurch left Monday for Dallas where Mrs. Upchurch will go to the Baylor Hospital for a medical check-up.

Dean Moore of Wichita Falls is visiting his sister, Mrs. Johnny Beard.

Joyce Smith returned home Wednesday morning from a visit with relatives at Panhandle and friends at Clovis, N. M.

Miss Adams, the field director of the Red Cross in this area and from the central office at St. Louis, met with the local Red Cross Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Morris, Judge and Mrs. J. R. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Riney were dinner guests at the Molesworth ranch Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Butler of Borger spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Butler.

Jack Semrad, MM 3/c from Seattle, Washington is home on 30-days leave and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Semrad and family.

New Promotion Policy Announced For Officers Leaving Active Duty

Qualified officers who have served for long periods in the same grade will be promoted on the first day of their terminal leave period under a policy announced today by the War Department. This policy will benefit many officers who have been unable to secure promotion because of lack of authorized position vacancies.

The ruling applies to second and first lieutenants who have served in one grade 18 months, captains and majors who have been in grade 24 months, and lieutenant colonels in grade 30 months. In computing the necessary service, 50 per cent additional credit is given for time served overseas in grade.

In order to qualify for the promotion, officers must have an efficiency index of 40 or higher. This is an average of ratings given by commanding officers, a rating of superior having a numerical value of 50, excellent 40, very satisfactory 30, and satisfactory 20.

Officers who already have reverted to inactive status and who are eligible under the provisions will be promoted in the Officers Reserve Corps or the Army of the United States, or in the case of National Guard Officers, they will be given the option of commission in the ORC or the AUS. National Guard officers will be in-

formed that a selection of commission in the ORC will provide for automatic termination of commission in the National Guard; should they select commission in the AUS, they will be notified that such commission is temporary and terminates automatically at the end of the emergency plus six months and will not affect National Guard status. Officers presently on terminal leave will be promoted as quickly as promotions can be processed before reverting to inactive status.

All officers now on terminal leave and others who believe themselves eligible for promotion under the above provisions can contact local Army Recruiting Stations for additional information.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boren and Mrs. Martha Murphy of Amarillo spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Palmer.

Mrs. Carl Allmond, Mrs. Simmons Powell and Mrs. U. J. Boston were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson Jr. and family left Sunday morning for Perryton where they will make their home.

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Political Announcements

Political announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. All announcement fees must be paid in advance.

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Mr. John Molesworth left Monday for Ft. Worth where he entered the Harris Memorial hospital. His daughter, Miss Charlotte, accompanied him there.

Floyd Little of Plainview is visiting relatives here this week.

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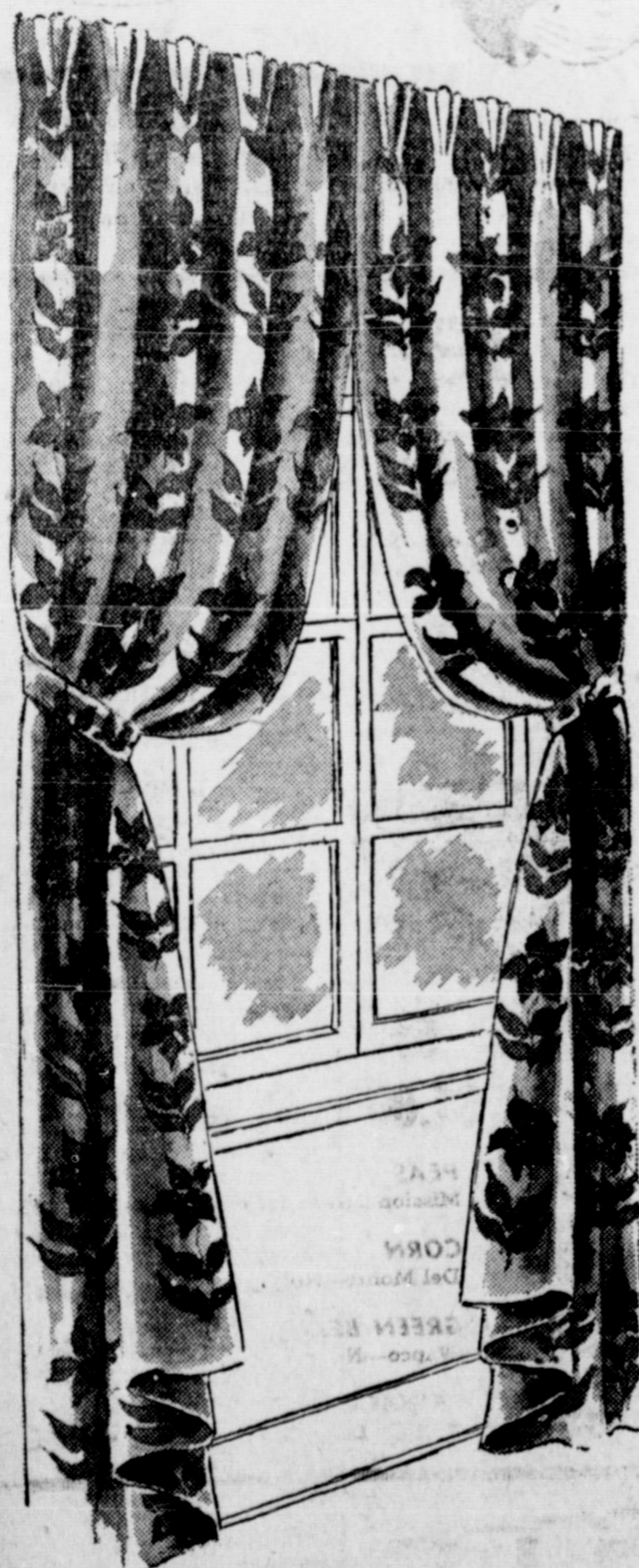
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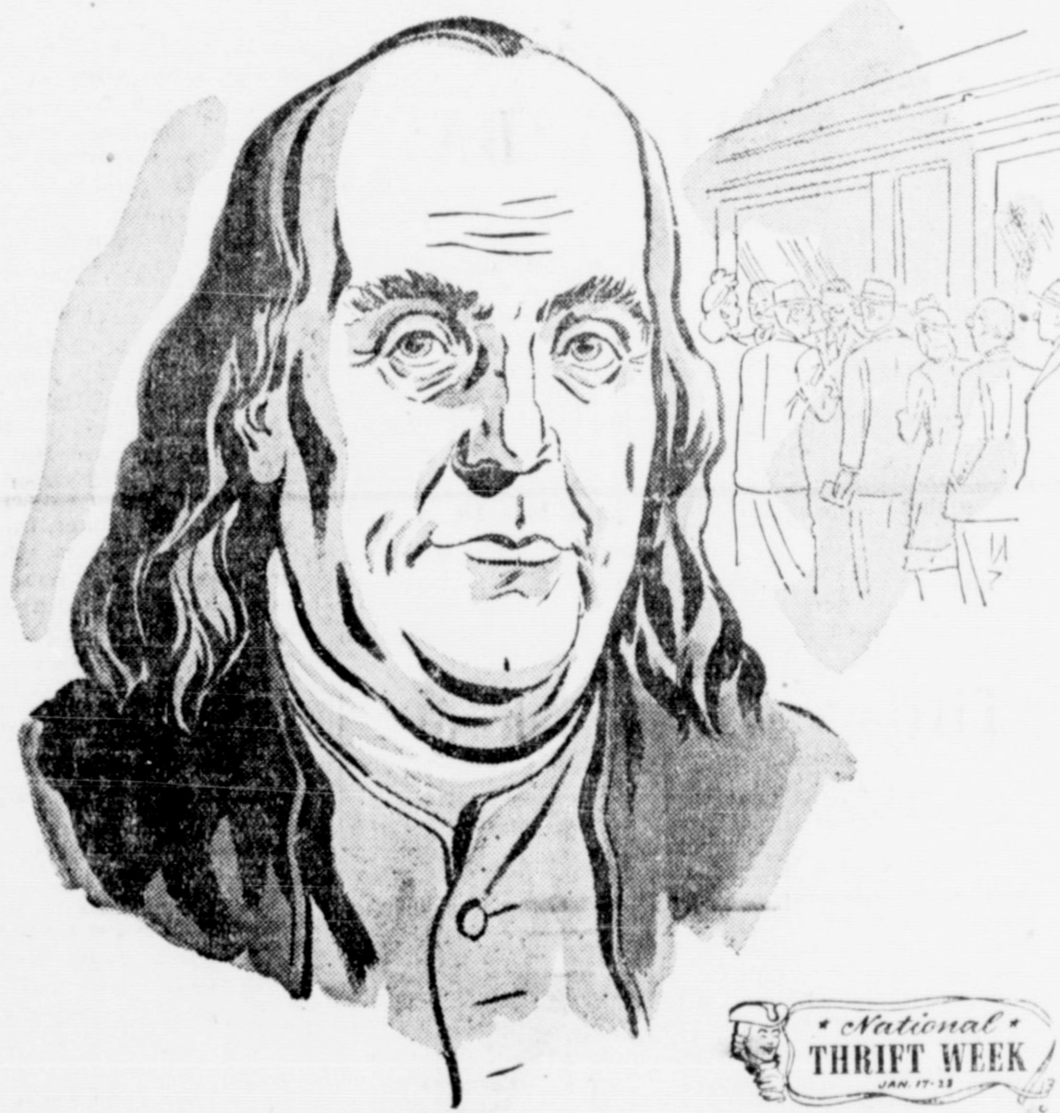
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FOR SALE—L. C. Smith typewriter. Fair condition. W. C. Larimer.
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MISCELLANEOUS
NOTICE—Let Penny Johnson do your hauling. Phone 129-R.
(51-p)

FOR MOVING or HAULING, call Snooks Andis, phone 340 or 931-F3. (46-2c)

PIANO LESSONS
Mrs. Page Harmon
5 blocks South of Junior College at old Condron place. Phone 480-R. (41tfc)

FOR EVERYTHING ELECTRICAL—It's Main St. Electrical Co., located in the Clarendon Hotel. Phone 189. (41tfc)

LOST & FOUND
LOST—Gold tie clasp in or near South Ward School. Return to Leader office for reward. 46-2c
LOST—Black leather mans glove, rabbit skin lining, size 9 1/2, lost near Clarendon hotel, belongs to G. M. 1/c Jack Sutton. Finder return to Mrs. Smith at hotel. (48-p)

Church News

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Robert D. Bankes, Minister
EVERY SUNDAY
Bible classes—10 a. m. (a class for every age under competent teachers)
Worship, with sermon by the minister—10:45 a. m.
Young People's class—6:15 p. m. Evening worship—7:00 p. m. (with sermon)
Ladies Bible class—3:00 p. m. on Wednesday.
Mid-week Bible study -- 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.
Mens Bible class—7:30 p. m. on Thursday.
You are cordially invited to attend our services.

METHODIST CHURCH
H. W. Hanks, Pastor
Let each one be at Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 10:50. The Intermediates meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:15. We are giving special interest to the music for

the evening hour. Our own Willard Skelton is leading this group of young people and the Intermediates. Come. You will enjoy their singing. Choir practice each Wednesday evening at 7 to 8.

Let me once again, call your attention to our pledges for the Crusade for Christ. Although this congregation has over paid its quota. We have not paid all our pledges. And since some of the congregation fell far short of their quota it is necessary to pay all our pledges so the church as a whole will meet the entire quota. Of course all of us know that every dollar of this fund is needed, and needed badly. The unpaid pledges of this congregation amounts to \$205.00. These range from five dollars to fifty dollars. So if you can possibly pay this please do so at the earliest possible moment. You can hand it to Mr. Jim Patman.

Next Sunday at eleven, brother Landreth will preach at Goldston and hold the quarterly conference for the Clarendon circuit in the afternoon. Brethren, please take notice and let it accordingly so be done. Thanks.

India and Afghanistan are connected by the Khyber Pass.

The wise woman looks before she marries and overlooks afterwards.

Saturday was named for Saturn.

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BY UNCLE BOB
of the Kraft Dairy Farm Service



New Job for Dairy Farmers in 1946—Help Broaden Markets

The dairy industry has squared away to another big job, not even pausing to pat itself on the back for the record breaking milk production in 1945.

In this brand New Year of 1946, this new job is to reach even higher standards of quality and to get even more milk and more milk products into the daily diet of more people.

In 1941, Americans consumed an average of slightly more than six pounds of cheese each year. During the war, consumption dropped to around four pounds, due to demand by the armed forces and for lend-lease. The job the industry has set for itself is not only to get back to that level but to go beyond it, to eight pounds or more per person.

We need to do this for some very important reasons. First, the consumer needs more cheese and other dairy products to get the great benefits of these best of all foods. Second, we need to build a greater market for milk from American farms . . . from your farm and your neighbor's farm.

Just take a look at what an extra two pounds of cheese would mean. It figures up to a total of about 280,000,000 pounds more cheese per year and that means a market for two and a half billion pounds more milk just to provide that increase in one dairy product.



The way to get it done is to produce high quality products, backed by a nationwide program of selling and promotion. A big help also in making markets for more milk will be new products such as ice cream mixes, processed whole milk, and new varieties of cheese. Kraft will have these and other items ready for the consumer.

That little word "quality" will be a big factor in getting the job done. The quality program starts on your farm. You can't get a milk price out of a cow's

ear, nor can you make high grade dairy products out of poor milk.

Your part of the program starts in your barn and in your herd. Right here at the beginning of this new year I want to review, in a few words, the things which make up a sanitation program on a dairy farm.

Clean barns, clean cows, clean utensils and clean workers; prompt and proper cooling; correct milking—these are the primary parts of your program to produce the kind of dairy product the consumer is going to demand.



Keeping ceilings, rafters, side-walls, mangers, stanchions and barn floors clean is vital. Brushing cows, clipping flanks and udders, washing udders with warm water are the important steps in animal cleanliness.

I imagine you have on hand some extension bulletins which tell the proper steps in clean milk production. If not see your county agent.

And be sure and study the articles on the proper handling of milk in the November-December issue of the Kraftman. If you do not receive it regularly, write me at 500 Peabody, Chicago 99, Ill., and I'll send you a free copy.

These practices are all matters of habit—getting started on a system of work and following through every day at each milking. Once you have set up this program you'll find it easy to follow. And you'll know you've done your part in the nationwide, long range program of building this great industry to new high levels.

All of us learned how working together during a war can bring miracles of production. The dairy industry, from farm to distributor, can show the rest of the business world how working together can accomplish still greater goals in times of peace.

Uncle Bob

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Let's plan our spending, plan our saving, hang on to our War Bonds, and keep on buying our country's Bonds add to our bank balance every payday. You know a dollar is only good until it is spent.

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CLARENDON, TEXAS

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Annual Account of County Clerk

FROM January 1, 1945, to and including December 31, 1945, showing receipts and Disbursements of County Funds from January 1, 1945, to and including December 31, 1945.

JURY FUND—1st Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$ 6,248.91
Receipts for Year	9,315.96
	\$15,564.87
DISBURSEMENTS	
Loaned to General Fund	\$ 2,000.00
Loaned to Road and Bridge Fund	5,000.00
County Court Juries and Jury Commission	171.00
District Court Juries and Jury Commissions	530.00
Grand Jury	216.00
Grand Jury Bailiffs	40.00
	\$ 7,957.00
Total Receipts	\$15,564.87
Total Disbursements	7,957.00

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—2nd Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$14,841.03
Receipts for Year	35,258.99
By Loan from Jury Fund	5,000.00
	\$55,100.62
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Precinct No. 1:	
Road Work	\$ 2,850.71
Gas, Oil and Diesel Fuel	490.92
Machinery and Repairs	2,164.12
Material and Supplies	315.29
Right-of-Way	3,365.14
Jury of View	45.00
Traveling Expense	300.00
	\$ 9,531.18
Precinct No. 2:	
Road Work	\$ 2,979.74
Gas, Oil and Diesel Fuel	734.58
Machinery and Repairs	4,617.88
Material and Supplies	469.90
Right-of-Way	7,436.03
Traveling Expense	300.00
Barn Rent	50.00
	\$16,588.13
Precinct No. 3:	
Road Work	\$ 3,327.23
Gas, Oil and Diesel Fuel	892.22
Machinery and Repairs	1,732.75
Material and Supplies	1,525.40
Right-of-Way	5,079.61
Jury-of-View	105.00
Traveling Expense	300.00
	\$12,962.21
Precinct No. 4:	
Road Work	\$ 2,186.05
Gas, Oil and Diesel Fuel	621.83
Machinery and Repairs	1,164.29
Material and Supplies	639.58
Right-of-Way	2,282.04
Traveling Expense	300.00
	\$ 7,193.79
Disbursements	\$46,275.31
Commissioners' Salaries	3,781.20
Withholding Tax	595.15
	\$50,651.66
Total Receipts	\$55,100.62
Total Disbursements	50,651.66
	\$ 4,448.96

GENERAL FUND—3rd Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$28,685.15
Receipts for Year	23,387.98
By Loan from Jury Fund	2,000.00
By Loan from Permanent Improvement Fund	5,000.00
	\$59,073.13
DISBURSEMENTS	
Co. Judge—Salary \$2100.00 less Withholding Tax	\$2,040.00
Co. Atty—Salary \$1065.00 less Withholding Tax	1,044.60
Sheriff—Salary \$1600.00 less Withholding Tax	1,571.20
Co. Treas.—Salary \$1687 less Withholding Tax	1,549.50
Co. and Dist. Clerk—Salary \$1200.00 less tax	1,066.80
Co. Agent—Salary \$1137.50 less Withholding Tax	1,121.50
Court Reporter—Salary \$642.80 less Tax	553.14
Janitor—Salary \$1020.00 less Withholding Tax	1,006.80
Auditor's Salary	375.00
County Service Officer Salary	75.00
Tax Assessor-Collector, Assessment Fees and Advance Ex-Officio	4,008.76
Pauper Account	721.26
Prisoners' Board Bill	704.70
Justice of Peace—Office Expense and Fees	651.00
Inquests	25.00
Western Union	7.19
Laundry (Court House and Jail)	23.35
Fuel, (Court House and Jail)	437.43
Lights (Court House, Jail and Donley Co. AAA)	524.58
Water (Court House, Jail and County Barn)	217.26
Telephone (Court House, Jail, Farm Security, County Agent and Rationing Board)	467.08
Insurance (Court House and Jail)	174.13
Office Rent (Farm Security and County Agent)	580.00
Expense of Rationing Board and County Agent	4.00
County Indigent Patients	880.01
Coyote Bounties	2,062.00
Criminal Fees of County Judge	210.00
Vital Statistics—Co. Clerk & Justice of Peace	162.50
Officers' Half Fees	26.30
Stationery and Printing	1,470.15
Expenses of Special Election	355.00
Disinfectants, Janitor Supplies, Court and Jail Repairs	1,291.75
Withholding Tax Payments	413.06
Assessment—9th Adm. Judicial District	20.00
Court Report, Traveling Expense	257.94
Waiting on County and Dist. Courts, Sheriff	164.00
Grand Jury Riding Bailiffs Expense	16.00
Lunacy Trial Expense	120.00
Rooms for Jurors	39.00
Miscellaneous Expense	794.82
Car Expense, Deputy Sheriff	286.50
Car Expense, Constable of Precinct No. 2	128.00
County School Board Trustees	155.00
Pro Rata Part of Commissioners' Salaries	1,437.60
	\$29,248.91
Total Receipts	\$59,073.13
Total Disbursements	29,248.91
	\$29,824.22

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND—4th Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$ 9,111.38
Receipts for Year	13,802.84
	\$22,914.22
By Loan to General Fund	5,000.00
	\$17,914.22
JAIL SINKING FUND—5th Class	
Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$ 180.56
Receipts for Year	95.00
	\$ 275.56
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935	
Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$ 3,198.04
Receipts for Year	1,863.14
	\$ 5,061.18
Disbursements for Year	1,272.01
	\$ 3,789.17
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS SERIES 1935A	
Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$ 2,354.22
Receipts for Year	3,105.30
	\$ 5,459.52
Disbursements for Year	2,476.25
	\$ 2,983.27
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS, SERIES 1935B	
Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$ 3,196.65
Receipts for Year	3,105.30
	\$ 6,301.95
Disbursements for Year	\$ 2,470.01
	\$ 3,831.94
LATERAL ROAD ACCOUNT	
Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$10,343.30
Receipts for Year	None
	\$10,343.30
LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS OUTSTANDING	
Road & Bridge Funding Bonds, Series 1935, dated 4-1-35	
Maturing 4-1-46 to 4-1-53, bearing 5 1/2% Interest	\$15,500.00
Road & Bridge Funding Bonds Series 1935A, dated 4-1-35	
Maturing 4-1-46 to 4-1-64, bearing 5 1/2% Interest	35,500.00
Road & Bridge Funding Bonds Series 1935B, dated 4-1-35	
Maturing 4-1-47 to 4-1-64, bearing 5 1/2% Interest	35,500.00
Total Amount Outstanding	\$86,500.00
Securities Owned by Jail Sinking Fund	
U. S. Government Bonds, Series G, dated 4-1-43, Maturing 1955, bearing 2 1/2% Interest, payable Semi-annually	\$ 3,800.00

THE STATE OF TEXAS } COUNTY OF DONLEY }	
I, HELEN WIEDMAN, County Clerk in and for Donley County, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing account is true and correct and correctly reflects the true condition of the County's Finances as disclosed by the records in my office.	
HELEN WIEDMAN County Clerk, Donley County, Texas.	
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO, Before me, by HELEN WIEDMAN, County Clerk in and for Donley County, Texas, this the 14th day of January, A. D., 1946.	
R. Y. KING County Judge, Donley County, Texas.	
EXAMINED AND APPROVED in open COMMISSIONERS' COURT, on this the 14th day of January, A. D., 1946.	
R. Y. KING Presiding Officer, Commissioners' Court, Donley County, Texas.	

Hot Dogs, Hamburgers And Grilled Cheese Sandwiches—By Electronics

SYRACUSE—During the war there was a lot of talk about the "blue-sky" nature of some electronics predictions for peacetime America. But here's another practical application of the new science which will use war-won knowledge. Now it's hot dogs, hamburgers or grilled cheese sandwiches heated by radio waves—something the public will soon be able to buy and not merely a laboratory stunt. The electronic tubes used in the machine which

makes this possible are the direct outgrowth of tube developments in the field of radar.

Engineers of General Electric collaborating with the Automatic Canteen Company of America, have developed an electronic canteen machine which will serve hot dogs, hamburgers, or grilled cheese sandwiches at the drop of a dime and the push of a button. The specialty division of the G.E. electronic department in Syracuse will build several thousands of the units for the canteen company. The first units are expected to be in production sometime during January.

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The machine resembles the soft drink or cigarette machine but is slightly larger. It plugs into the regular 110-volt outlet, has a decorative front door with mirror; push button selectors for your choice of food; a glass window behind which is the electronic unit and coil so the customer can see his food getting the heat—by radio; and below this glass door and compartment into which the hot dog or sandwich drops ready for the customer.

Inside the machine are individual trays on which the frankfurters, cheese and hamburgers are

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Lelia Lake Drug Store
Lelia Lake, Texas

placed, wrapped in buns and enclosed in sanitary containers. The frankfurters and hamburgers have been previously cooked in a sanitary kitchen, and all items inserted in the machine have been untouched by human hands.

To operate the machine, one drops in a dime and pushes the selection button. This trips one of the trays and down into the electronic oscillator coil, visible to the customer, falls one of the wrapped sandwiches. As it falls into place, high frequency radio waves are brought into play, heats the sandwich to proper temperature whereupon it falls into the glass door compartment ready to unwrap and eat. In the case of the hot dog, even the mustard has been applied but previously in the sanitary kitchen where the sandwiches are prepared.

The oscillator used to heat the sandwiches is operated by two specially developed high-frequency power oscillator tubes, designed and made by the G.E. tube division. More than a thousand different types of oscillators were built before the problem of heating rolls and meat uniformly, without burning, was overcome according to G.E. engineers. Some frequencies they explain, would heat the roll but not the frankfurter, for example. Other frequencies would heat the frankfurter but burn the roll. Then when it looked as though both bun and meat would heat uniformly, one end of the bun would burn. Finally the right frequency was found, tubes and a special coil developed which would deliver the right amount of heat uniformly over the packaged item. To cut down radiated heat the oscillator unit is cooled by a blower. Polystyrene, a special plastic used in radar and other high-frequency work, is used in the oscillator unit to cut down loss of the electronic energy.

It should not be construed from this development that the electronic stove is just around the corner, G.E. explained. The canteen grill and the electronic stove present two different kinds of problems and the accomplishments in the development of the former should not be interpreted as solving the problems yet to be overcome in the field of electronic cooking.

Electronic heating is not new to G.E. engineers. As early as 1921 they applied high frequency oscillators to the heating of internal elements in vacuum tubes, driving out minute amounts of gases. Equipments constructed in 1925 are still serving in the Schenectady works of G.E. Since then, and particularly during the war, the company has furnished many of these electronic heaters for various industrial applications.

OFFICERS MAY BE EMPLOYED WHILE ON TERMINAL LEAVE

The West Texas Army Recruiting Headquarters has received information which will be of importance to many commissioned officers now on terminal leave prior to separation from service. Lieutenant Colonel Robert L. Hardy, District Recruiting Officer stated today.

Of importance to many officers now on leave is the information that under provisions of Public Law 226 dated 21 November 1945, personnel of the Armed Forces who performed active service since 1 May 1940 may accept civilian employment with the U. S. Government while on terminal leave pending separation and receive pay for such leave in addition to pay for civilian position. If such persons have already relinquished all or part of authorized terminal leave in order to accept civilian employment, claim for terminal leave pay may be presented to disbursing officer for payment if proper. This is also applicable to individuals employed by State agencies, or political subdivisions thereof.

The Army Recruiting Service

receives information of this nature from time to time and veterans and other parties interested in acquiring any type of information concerning the Army are urged to contact the nearest Army Recruiting Station.

A wife with good horse sense never becomes a nag.

Eleanor Roosevelt's family name before her marriage was Roosevelt.

Great differences in interpretation of Article I, Sec. 8, Paragraph 18 of the Constitution, are because of the words "necessary and proper" which appear therein. As a consequence it is called the Elastic Clause.

Dr. Keith S. Lowell

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December 31, 1945

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts	Capital Stock
U. S. Bonds Owned	Surplus
Cotton; Certificates of Int.	Undivided Profits
School Warrants	Reserve for Dividend
Transit Account - bonds	Reserve for Contingencies
Overdrafts	DEPOSITS
Banking House	
Furniture & Fixtures	
CASH and EXCHANGE	
Total	Total

The above Statement is correct: W. Carroll Knorpp, Cashier
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MRS. HESTER ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR COUNTY TREASURER

Mrs. Florence Jones Hester is making her announcement this week as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer.

In making her announcement, Mrs. Hester stated that she had been a resident of Clarendon for the past 40 years and was fully qualified to hold the office of County Treasurer. She has taught school 9 years within the county and at the present time is teaching at Goldston. She is teaching on a temporary war-time certificate which is expiring, and has

done so for the past two years in order to help out while there was such a shortage of teachers.

This is the first time that Mrs. Hester has ever asked for a county office of any kind, and your vote and influence will be appreciated, added Mrs. Hester.

SOCIAL SECURITY FIELD REPRESENTATIVE TO BE HERE JANUARY 22

A representative of the Amarillo Field Office of the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance will be in Clarendon on Tuesday, January 22. He will receive applications for Social Security Ac-

count Number cards, or duplicates from wage earners, applications for Employer Identification numbers from employers, and claims applications from persons over age 65, or from survivors of deceased wage earners, who were covered by the Social Security Program.

Anyone desiring to see this representative may write the Social Security Board Field Office, Amarillo, Texas for an appointment, or leave word at the Department of Public Welfare Office, requesting the representative to call on him while in Clarendon.

WORTH WHILE COMMENTS

BY COUNTY AGENT H. M. Breedlove

TREAT COTTONSEED NOW
Cottonseed may be treated with fungicides at any time before planting. H. M. Breedlove, County Agent of the Texas A&M College Extension Service, has pointed out. After treatment the seed should be sacked and stored in a ventilated place.

Texas 1945 cotton crop was the shortest in 56 years and this has focussed attention on the treatment of seed for the 1946 crop as one phase of efficient production. Agricultural Experiment Station tests conducted over a four-year period showed an average increase in yield of 25 per cent at College Station, 14 per cent at Temple, 13 in the Brazos Bottom and 4 per cent at Lubbock. Increases of as much as 50 pounds of lint per acre have occurred at Temple in recent tests. The most favorable results followed planting of delinted seed which was also treated with a fungicide.

A number of chemical preparations have been tested, including ceresan, spergon, cuprocide and sanoseed, and gave approximately equal results. Cost of applications ranged from five to ten cents per bushel.

Breedlove recommends the use of the rotary type home mixer in treating seed, or custom-treating when this is available. Directions for application of the various chemicals are given on the containers and these should be carefully followed.

Rationing-

(Continued from Front page)


country? Why the Administrator of OPA ought to be a national hero. You don't know what inflation can do until you've seen it in Europe. You know what I did? I had an old pair of dress shoes, about 5 years old. They were shined and looked pretty good, of course, but the soles were thin and the heels were run down. Well, I didn't want to pack them home from France, so I sold them at Biarritz. How much do you suppose I got for them? Thirty bucks! My Aunt sent me 12 bars of kitchen soap. It arrived just before I was due to sail. I didn't have any use for it. The old woman who owned the little hotel where I was living said she would give me \$4.00 a bar so I sold those 12 bars of soap for 48 American dollars.

Over in England the people are strong for price control. You can go into some of those black market restaurants in London and buy a pretty good dinner with even a small piece of steak for about \$35.00 but you won't see many Englishmen in such places. The patrons are mostly American Army officers and foreigners. The English people don't approve of black markets and they won't patronize them.

See this suit I'm wearing? I bought it here in McAllen. When I bought it I didn't want to know the price. I signed a check and told the clerk to fill in the amount, then I wouldn't worry about how much I had paid for at least a little while. I thought the suit would cost at least \$50.00, but the price was only \$45.00—imagine! That's no more than I would have paid before the war.

Maybe it would be a good idea for some American civilians to take a trip to Europe like this G.I. did. Maybe a little first-hand experience would give them some idea of the situation on which rationing is based. I don't know about you, but I'm sure I'd be interested in the OPA.


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EDWARD ARNOLD
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ETHYLENE GLYCOL—PERMANENT TYPE

Anti-Freeze
\$2.65 per Gallon

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GRAPEFRUIT Pink (tree ripened)	10c
FLOUR LIGHT CRUST—5 lb. Box	39c
SUGAR 10 lb. Cane	65c
ORANGES Texas, sweet and juicy—Pound	10c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 46 oz.—3 for \$1.00 No. 2—2 for	25c
JERGENS LOTION (Tax included) \$1.00 size .85c 50c size	45c
OLD DUTCH 3 for	25c
CORN OUR DARLING—No. 1 Can	16c
PRESERVES Peach or Apricot—3 lbs.	49c
COFFEE GOLD BRAND—1 Jar	25c
PEANUT BUTTER	32c
WON	19c
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HYBRID CORN HAS BIG FUTURE IN TEXAS

Hybrid corn, in the opinion of H. M. Breedlove, county agent, is destined to replace most of the open-pollinated varieties native to Texas. This prophecy is based upon the greater yields of hybrids, especially in periods of dry weather. A good supply of planting seed is indicated for 1946. Although hybrids adapted to Texas have been available for only a few years, they have demonstrated yielding qualities averaging 20 to 40 per cent in excess of native corn, depending upon the sections where grown. The greater percentage increases were made in the drier regions. During the period of 1942-44 the increases of the best yielding hybrids over the best native varieties ranged from 40 per cent at College Station to 14 per cent at the Angleton Experiment stations.

Since choice of varieties is important, Breedlove recommends yellow hybrid No. 8 for this section.

GEORGE PRESTON ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4

George Preston had advised the Leader office to make his announcement as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct 4. Mr. Preston has lived in the county since 1921 and all of that time has been spent in that precinct. Mr. Preston stated that "he had worked for the county on the roads in Precinct 4 and was well acquainted with the duties of the commissioner in that district and that if elected, he would fulfill the obligations of the office to the best of his ability."

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LETTUCE POUND	10c	CAKE FLOUR LIGHTCRUST—Box	30c
CABBAGE POUND	5c	CLOROX Quart	19c
ORANGES CALIFORNIA POUND	10c	SCOURING CLEANSER GOLD DUST—6 Boxes	25c
YAMS POUND	8c	BABO 2 Cans	25c
CARROTS BUNCH	8c	FLOUR AMARYLLIS 25 LBS.	\$1.25
		SHORTENING CORNFIELD BRAND 4 LBS.	79c
		COFFEE Schillings or Admiration 3 LBS.	\$1.00
		SYRUP PEPSIN 60¢ SIZE	50c
		TOILET SOAP LIFEBUOY—3 Bars	21c

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KRAFT DINNER Box	10c	BEEF ROAST Pound	25c
FRESH LIVER Pound	15c	HAMBURGER MEAT Pound	23c
T-BONE STEAK Pound	40c	STEAK RIB—Pound	30c

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