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County Goes Over Top On Drive For Aluminum

With pots and pans and old tea kettles, with gifts no larger than a folding aluminum cup up to the size of an engine head for a gin engine, the people of Collingsworth rallied last week to put the defense aluminum drive over the top. Approximately 900 pounds of the vital defense metal were brought to Wellington Saturday.

Judge C. C. Bishop said Monday that, as far as could be learned, every community had made a contribution. Dodson, under the direction of Tobe Deahl, sent up a pickup nearly full of old aluminum. One of the county's largest trucks will be required to haul the aluminum to Amarillo, which has been designated as the concentration point for this district. This will be sent this week, Judge Bishop said.

In commenting on the success of the drive, Judge Bishop said he wanted to express his thanks to every community chairman, every worker and everyone who had contributed.

Reports on the drive as a whole indicate that the plan will provide far more aluminum than was expected. Originally it was estimated that the campaign would provide 10 million to 20 million pounds of aluminum over the entire nation. From the first reports, national officials raised their estimates and stated that it was probable that the drive would raise between 30 and 40 million pounds of the metal.

Mrs. T. T. Fain, Mrs. Bob Oldham Move To Canyon

Mrs. T. T. Fain, for 49 years a resident of Collingsworth County, her daughter, Mrs. Bob Oldham and small daughters, are leaving the first part of August to make their home in Canyon. They will join Bob Oldham, who is supervisor of the N.Y.A. construction work for boys at West Texas State College. Oldham has been in Canyon since June 17.

Mrs. Fain, with her husband, the late T. T. Fain, has seen Collingsworth County grow from vast sweeping ranchlands into smaller profitable farms. Although ranching was the late Mr. Fain's chief interest he also contributed a great deal to the development and improvement of farming. The couple moved to Wellington from their ranch in the northeast corner of the county later on to allow their children to attend school.

The family has always been active in work of the First Baptist Church, attending not only church

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Cotton Stamp Plan Opening Set Back

Opening of operation of the Cotton Stamp Plan in Collingsworth County has been postponed for at least three weeks. The August 1 date was cancelled by district officials in order that the plan might be put into operation in all counties at approximately the same time. The decision to postpone the date was made after it was learned that it would require from 20 to 30 days to complete the crop measurements in various counties.



RUSSIA IS VAST GRANARY AND ARSENAL

Vast resources of Russia would prove a rich plum for her would-be Nazi conquerors. Approximate percentages of world's supply of important resources owned by Russia are: Iron ores 20-25 percent, manganese ore 65-70 percent, petroleum 15-20 percent, coal 10-12 percent, copper 8-10 percent, gold 13-15 percent, wheat 25-30 percent, phosphates 35-40 percent, and zinc, lead and nickel 3-5 percent.

Samnorwood Opens Aug. 11

Old Settlers To Meet In Wellington Aug. 14

Admittance to the Old Settlers Reunion at the LaHue Grove on August 14 will be limited strictly to people who have lived in Collingsworth for 30 years or who lived here 30 years ago or more.

This announcement was made this week by Dave Thomas, president of the Old Settlers Association. There will be no admittance except to those wearing a badge, Mr. Thomas said. Registration will be in the office of The Wellington Leader and at the gate of the grove.

The program will be confined to one day, August 14, but Mr. Thomas says that he understands that a number of the old settlers intend to spend the night before at the grove. This will simply be a time of visiting, he pointed out.

Invitations have been sent to those pioneers living outside of the county, but none will be sent to those residing here. Each family is asked to bring their own basket lunch for the dinner at noon.

The committee in charge of sending out the invitations consists of Mrs. Dolly C. Gardner, Mrs. J. D. Thomas, Mrs. Rolly Fisher and Mrs. Earl Hunter. One of these

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Painting, Repairs Being Made On 4 City Offices

Extensive improvements have been made and started in the buildings housing the Palace Drug, the West Texas Utilities Company, the Hughes Estate offices and the Palace Drug have been painted, and painting on the interior office of the former started this week. Roof repairs have also been made.

Painting has already been done on the offices of Dr. Johnson, and he is adding additional improvements in a new rug for his reception room and venetian blinds throughout his office.

It is expected that further improvements and remodeling will be made.

Both buildings are the property of Senator and Mrs. C. C. Small of Austin, and are located on the southwest corner of the square.

Revival Services To Open Aug. 25

Plans for the First Christian Church revival are in progress now, according to a statement issued this week by Rev. H. H. Neeley, pastor. Services will begin August 25 and are to continue for two weeks.

Rev. Harold Sheets of the First Christian Church at Austin will be the evangelist, and Mrs. Sheets will have charge of the music throughout the meeting.

"Both the evangelist and his wife were here last summer to conduct our meeting, and therefore are well acquainted not only with our membership but also with other people in Wellington. We extend a cordial invitation to you to make your plans now to attend the revival. Rev. Sheets is an able speaker, and his messages will be found helpful and inspiring."

Complete plans will be announced later, Rev. Neeley said.

Jack W. Sutton To Get B. S. Degree In Aug.

COMMERCE.—Jack W. Sutton, who has taught in Gilpin for the last two years, is enrolled in East Texas State Teachers College for the summer session. He will complete the requirements for the bachelor of science degree in August.

Wellington Boy Now In Iceland

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Brown received word this week that their son, Johnnie Brown, was stationed with the U. S. Marines in Iceland. It was the first that they had heard from him since he wrote from Charleston, S. C., where he embarked.

He wrote:

"Will write you a line to let you know I am o. k. We are now in Iceland. I don't know how long we will stay. Anyway I am glad to get off the boat. It stays light 24 hours a day here during the summer and it is not as cold as the name sounds. I will write again as soon as I get a chance."

Twin Boys Grow First Cotton Bolls Brought To Town

The first cotton bolls of the season were brought to The Leader office this week. They were grown by Billy Fred and Bobby Ted Thomas, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thomas, who live on the Quail school campus.

The boys have been working a small patch of cotton, which was planted May 1. The bolls were brought to The Leader office by their uncle, R. O. Thomas.

The second bolls brought in were raised by Joe Sanders, who is farming on the J. D. Graves place.

Classes at the Samnorwood Rural High School will start August 11 for approximately a two month term, Superintendent E. G. Sanders announced this week. The length of the first term will be determined by the opening of the cotton picking season, Mr. Sanders said.

Three new teachers for the current year have been employed by the school board. The new teachers are: Mrs. Zena Daugherty, primary, Miss Helen Eoff, home economics and Miss Lela Louders, music in the upper grades.

Old teachers who will teach in the high school include: E. G. Sanders, Supt.; Paul Morris, principal and coach; Mrs. Erolene Bednorz, English; Earl Breeding, vocational agriculture; and R. W. Bingham, mathematics and science.

The position of commercial arts teacher has not been filled, but this vacancy is expected to be filled at the next meeting of the trustees, according to Tom Cunningham, president of the board.

Teachers in the grades include: Alvie Redden, art and physical education; Beth Kayser, English; Mrs. Annie Laurie Matthews, 3rd grade; Elizabeth Kurfees, 4th grade; and Maymie Ruth Clark, primary teacher at Dozier.

Holland, Skaggs Fill Draft Call

Frank M. Skaggs and Truett F. Holland have been called to the colors. They are the two men Collingsworth will send to the army on August 14 under the selective service act. Skaggs is the son of Mrs. H. O. Skaggs, Route 2, Wellington, and Holland is the son of R. J. Holland, Route 1, Dodson. Both young men will be inducted into the army at Fort Bliss, Texas.

These two young men will make a total of 49, including both volunteers and draftees, to be sent to the army from Collingsworth County. Actual induction will depend on their passing final physi-

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Samnorwood Goes Without Phone Service For Month

Collingsworth's fourth largest town has a post office, railroad, several good stores, and one of the finest rural high schools in the state, but it has no phone service. Residents of the Samnorwood community now have to drive to Wellington or to Shamrock to place a phone call. The exchange was closed about a month ago, and thus far no announcement has been made about a resumption of service.

Crop Prospects Bright As Critical Season Nears

Farmers are fighting the weeds, but hopes are high for an above the average yield in this year of good prices. While it is acknowledged that either unusually dry weather or too long a spell of wet cloudy weather in August and September could play havoc with all present prospects, indications at this time of the year point to the best yield since 1933.

The promise of a good crop becomes doubly important to cotton growers in the view of some observers due to the fact that the national production will be far below normal.

Conservative cotton and gin men estimate that Collingsworth County could easily produce 30,000 or more bales this season. Even as they do so they are quick to add that three or four weeks of dry weather could change the picture completely. In the same breath they will suggest that too many wet cloudy days in August and September with the danger of worms and insects could be equally disastrous. In short the main money crop is nearing the critical stage in this county.

This is a perfect "next fall" country, but even some of the most pessimistic admit that this fall may be "the" fall.

W. A. Anthony, Leader correspondent from Swearingen, summed up the conditions by saying, "Farmers are all very busy trying to kill the weed crop that infests most of the fields. However, with one or two more weeks of fair weather most everyone will be out of the weeds and ready to lay by their crops. Cotton has started blooming in some fields and in a few more days blooms will be on most all cotton except in a few extremely late patches."

Conditions were considered to be much the same in other sections of the county. Some farmers were complaining over their inability to get hands to chop cotton while others either chopped it themselves or else tried to cut down the danger by intensive plowing.

Reports indicate that feed crops are uniformly good over the county, which added to the excellent price of beef, pork, cream, poultry and eggs is considered to be an additional index of better basic conditions this fall.

In contrast with the prospects in this section of the state, cotton production in the nation is expected to be the lowest in many years. Dry weather east of the Mississippi river and unusually wet weather west of that section has materially cut down the expected yield. The same conditions prevail in other sections of Texas. The Rio Grande Valley, that normally averages 100,000 bales of cotton will harvest about 55,000 bales due to heavy weevil in-

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Floyd Alexander Dies In Amarillo Hospital Monday

Floyd Wilson Alexander, member of one of Collingsworth County's oldest pioneer families, died Monday, July 28, at the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Death was attributed to peritonitis which resulted from a chronic stomach ulcer.

His fatal illness developed after July 17 when he helped move and brand a herd of cattle. Relatives believe that his chronic ailment was aggravated by some injury suffered at that time.

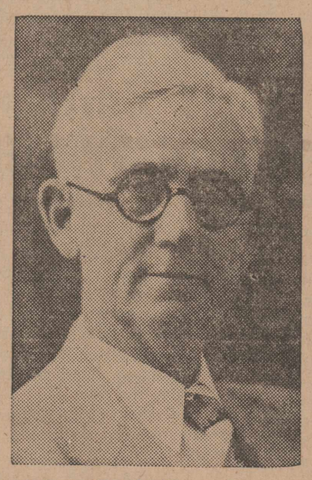
Mr. Alexander was born in Osage, Colorado County, Texas, on March 31, 1885. He was the son of O. W. Alexander and Nannie Wilson Alexander. His father was a native Texan, while his mother was born in Mississippi. He moved to Wilbarger County with his parents at the age of 4, and in the spring of 1890, they moved to Collingsworth County, settling in the Blain section northeast of town. In 1907, they moved to their present home in the Bean Hill community. His father was licensed as a surveyor for the state of Texas after moving to this county.

Mr. Alexander had been a member of the Methodist Church since early childhood, having joined the Wellington church in the summer of 1891, at which time he was six years old. Rev. C. S. McCarver was pastor.

Although he was of a modest and retiring nature, Mr. Alexander was actively interested in the school of his community, and was a school trustee up until the time of his death. He was elected on the original agricultural committee but declined to serve.

Floyd Alexander had many friends, because he was a friend to many people. Cheerful, confident and strong, he was always ready to assist a neighbor or a friend. He would be the first to gather at the home of a sick neighbor to assist in plowing the fields or caring for the stock. He did this simply as a heritage from his pioneer father and mother, because it was the accepted thing

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XIT SPEAKER

Dr. J. A. Hill, born near Moody, Texas, and president of West Texas State College, Canyon, since 1918 will be the principal speaker at the Memorial Service Sunday night, Aug. 3, prefacing the Sixth Annual XIT Ranch Reunion in Dalhart Aug. 4-5.

Mrs. Eads Dies Suddenly At Her Home Thursday

Mrs. Susan Clementine Eads, who has lived in Collingsworth County for the past 33 years, died Thursday, July 24, at 7:00 A. M. at her home 1 mile north and 1-2 west of Wellington. She had obviously dropped dead in the yard. She was 84 years, 6 months and 3 days of age.

Services were held from the First Christian Church on Friday, July 25, at 3:00 p. m., with Rev. H. H. Neeley, pastor, officiating. "The Old Rugged Cross," "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be," and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," were sung.

Pall bearers were Earnest Eads, Alph Eads, Ralph Eads, Harvey Eads, John Kelsey, Jr., of Tulsa, Okla., and E. J. Chambliss.

Born in Carter, Arkansas, on January 21, 1857, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mills. Mrs. Mills was the former Miss Susan Robinson. She was named Susan Clementine Mills. On January 8, 1880, she married W. M. Eads in Carter. He preceded her in death in 1933, having died in Wellington.

The couple then moved to Fayetteville, Arkansas, and in 1900 moved to Oklahoma, where they lived until moving to Collings-

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School Officials To Meet Thursday In Childress

School officials of Collingsworth County are notified of an important meeting to discuss changes in the equalization law. The meeting will be held in the District Courtroom of the Childress County courthouse on Thursday, July 31 at 2 p. m.

At that time Anthony Hunt, Deputy State Superintendent will discuss the changes.

All county school officials, trustees and others who may be interested are urged to attend the meeting, according to B. W. Beaird, county superintendent.

Revival Meeting Begins August 5

That the Church of Christ revival meeting will begin Tuesday, August 5, was the announcement made this week by members of the church. Minister Melvin J. Wise of Dallas will be in charge of the preaching, and the revival will continue through Tuesday, August 12.

"We wish to issue a cordial invitation to each of you to attend this meeting," members of the church said Wednesday. "Minister Wise will bring inspirational messages, and we want you to be present to hear them. Just as your presence is necessary to the minister, so do we think that you should be present to hear these interesting and inspiring sermons."

Minister James W. Reynolds, pastor of the local church, is conducting a series of revivals throughout Texas at the present time.

V. P. Robertson, member of the local church, will be in charge of the singing.

Local Firemen Attend School

Bill McDonald and Alford Cross represented the Wellington Fire Department at the State Firemen's training school held at College Station from Monday, July 21, to Friday, July 25. The local firemen were well pleased with the course and will make a report on their studies at the next regular meeting of the fire department. Wellington has sent various members of the department to the training school each summer for a number of years, and the practices put into effect as a result of the training have saved the city thousands of dollars in both insurance rates and actual damage.

Kiwanis Club Buys Defense Bond As Service Project

Members of the Wellington Kiwanis Club at their regular meeting Friday voted to instruct Joe Terry, treasurer, to buy a $25 defense bond. Dewey Ellis, acting president in the absence of Supt. J. L. Beard, said that other bonds would be purchased in the future as the finances of the club permitted. Mr. Ellis pointed out that some Kiwanis clubs had purchased defense bonds to the extent of $1,000.

Sure Cure For Bagworms In Picking And Burning

That the only sure cure to end the bagworm pestilence in and around Wellington is to pick the insects from the trees and burn them, was learned this week from Kelly Cottingame, county agent.

Cedar bagworms, which are now destroying arborvitae, cedar and cypress, should have been sprayed when first hatched with lead arsenate, using two or three level teaspoons to one gallon of water and being sure the spray reaches all parts of the plant.

But, says Cottingame, as it perhaps is a little late to control the pest by poisoning, the bags should be picked off and burned. Better still, place them in a box covered with screen wire to keep young worms from crawling out next year. As the bagworm grows older it seems to develop resistance to poison.

There is a parasite which lives with the pest and destroys it. By putting the bags in a screened box protected from rain, the newly hatched larvae will be prevented from escaping, but the parasite, which is very small, will escape through the meshes and attack bagworms outside.

The pest is easily recognized. It makes a strong bag of soft waterproof silk, which is covered on the outside with bits of leaves and twigs. The worm lives inside during its life and at death leaves behind in the bag a large number of eggs which hatch out the next year.

Dodson Schools Open Aug. 4

Approximately 240 students, the same number enrolled in the Dodson Schools in 1940, are expected to register for the opening day, according to a statement by Jack Davis, superintendent, given Wednesday. The schools are to begin their 1941 session on Monday, Aug. 4, and will continue for six or eight weeks, at which time they will turn out for the cotton picking season.

Mrs. Blake Lyde, of Dodson will teach English in the high school this year, it was announced. She has taught in Childress County, and received her college education at West Texas State College in Canyon.

"We are expecting to have an exceptionally good year," Mr. Davis said. We also want to urgently request that those students planning to attend school at Dodson start now so that their year's work will be no more profitable both to them and to us, their teachers."

The faculty of the high school and primary school in Dodson is made up of Jack Davis, superintendent; Blake Lyde, principal, instructor in mathematics, and athletic coach; Mrs. Blake Lyde, English: Miss Elois Duggans, home economics; Mrs. Katherine Shivers, commercial arts; Mrs. Elsie Young, Mrs. Hal Vaughn, Mrs. Edna Burdine and Mrs. Woodson Wilson, all of whom teach in the primary school.

Tommie McCarver Funeral Held Last Wednesday

Funeral rites for Tommie Jean McCarver, daughter of Mrs. Maurine Edgar McCarver of Dallas and Leon McCarver of Harlingen, were held Wednesday afternoon, July 23, at 4:30 at the Church of the Nazarene.

Tommie Jean McCarver was born in Wellington on November 17, 1934. At the time of her death she was six years, eight months and five days old.

Rev. Hadley A. Hall, pastor, was in charge of the services, and he was assisted by Rev. J. R. Plant, pastor of the Wellington Methodist circuit.

The child died in a local hospital, following an illness of about five days. During the latter part of her illness, she was unconscious.

Songs given were "Farther Along," by the choir, and "Gathering Buds," a duet by Bob Spears and Miss Mary Gibbs.

Pall bearers were Buck Love, Ervin Brewer, Luther Edwards, Bob Alexander. Flower bearers were Donna Armstrong, Jeanetta Duke, Margaret Ann Duke, Jewell Edwards, Lamerlas Berryman, Inez Gillespie and Irene Chambliss.

Surviving besides the father and mother, are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Edgar, Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCarver, Harlingen.

Burial was in a Wellington cemetery. The Ellis Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Quitaque Rodeo To Be Held Wed. Through Thursday

Plans have been completed and the program formulated for Quitaque's big second annual amateur rodeo to be held Wednesday and Thursday, July 30-31.

Pens, corrals and chutes have been erected and the arena fenced-in at the spacious lighted athletic field where afternoon and night performances will be given each of the two days.

There will be a big street parade each day at 1:00 p. m. with performances each afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and each evening at 8:00 o'clock.

The show this year will be much larger than that of last year, with a number of new features added to each program giving a different variety of entertainment at each performance.

Quitaque's first rodeo, held last year, was considered by cowboys and fans alike as one of the biggest and best they had attended. It was set up as a one-day and night affair, which proved inadequate due to the large number of entrants wishing to participate in the various events. Several who had entered were refunded their entrance fees due to the fact that it was impossible to run off all the events. Many others wanted to enter but the registrants were forced to close their books because the show already had more scheduled contestants than could be taken care of.

Kill Lice On Cattle By Dipping, Cottingame Warns

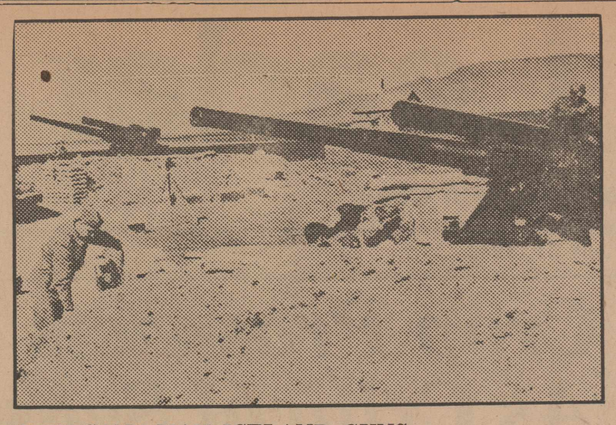
Eradication of lice on range cattle will not only help their condition now, but will take them into the winter in much better condition, W. K. Cottingame, county agent, reminded ranchers and stock-farmers this week.

Pointing to the experience of S. W. Norwood of Samnorwood last year, Mr. Cottingame reported that cattle dipped twice in wettable sulphur and Cube not only started to gain weight immediately, but entered the winter with twenty per cent more flesh on them than in previous years.

Prior to their dipping, Mr. Norwood's 75 head of cattle had been losing weight, although they were fed daily.

"Every other farmer can have the same good results that Mr. Norwood had. With the outlook for beef prices good, this simple precaution will mean money in the pocket of the range cattle owner," Mr. Cottingame said.

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AMERICANS MAN ICELAND GUNS
Big guns set up by the British on the coast of Iceland are now manned by forces of the U. S. Navy, which have landed to take over the duties of British soldiers.

Last Year's Experience Good Argument For Silos

With the feed acreage of Collingsworth County unusually high this year, an almost certain increase in the number of trench silos can be predicted, W. K. Cottingame, county agent, believes.

Mr. Cottingame is viewing this situation, not only from the standpoint of increased feed production, but from the fact that last year, the interest in trench silos was greater than at any time in this section.

Fifteen farmers filled 21 silos that had never been filled prior to 1940. This made a total of 73 silos in the county, holding approximately 8,000 tons of feed.

"And one bright side of the picture is that the estimated cost of the ensilage from the preparation of the land in the spring to placing it in the silos in the fall is $2.50 per ton," he remarked enthusiastically.

"It's just about time for feed growers to start preparing their silos, too," he continued. "For this work can be done during the slack period after the crops are laid by and before harvesting begins."

The experiences of three farmers in the northwestern part of the county were given by Mr. Cottingame as examples of how local farmers may benefit themselves by the use of silos.

"Pat Bradley of the Abra community placed all feed, both grain and sweet sorghum, produced on his farm in trench silos. He had eight silos on his farm, all of them filled except two. He would have filled the others, but he 'just happened to run out of feed.' He had approximately 1,000 tons of ensilage in these silos, and the total cost, he reports was 78 cents per ton, as compared to $2.33 per ton for dry bundles had he put it up in stacks on top of the ground," Mr. Cottingame said.

He also told Mr. Cottingame that his ensilage had enabled him to prolong the productive life of his range cattle. Fifty-five head of aged cows were cut from his herd early last fall to put on the market, but no buyers were found. These cattle were then put on ensilage. Two that were in poor condition died, and a little later, 16 others that were undesirable were sold. The remaining 37 cattle were put in good shape on the ensilage, when Mr. Bradley decided to keep them in his herd as producing cows for at least another year.

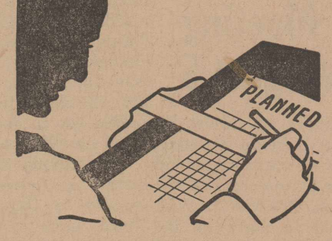
"I get about 100 per cent more feed per acre where it is placed in the silo than when it is stacked on top of the ground in the bundles," Mr. Bradley told the county agent. Another advantage he claims for the silo is that he does not have to rush to get his bundles off the land in order to start early plowing.

"T. R. Cunningham of Samnorwood tells me that if he had not made more money per acre from his feed placed in a trench silo than he did from his cotton crop last year he would be away behind insofar as showing profits on his farm is concerned. He also says that his feed put in a silo will go twice as far as dry bundle feed," Mr. Cottingame said.

W. R. Breeding of the Enterprise community says, "Another man is sold on ensilage," in explaining to the county agent the good results when he started feeding his calves ensilage. He built his first trench silo last fall, and is well pleased with the results, since his cattle not only eat the ensilage well, but they eat all the stalk; whereas, in past years, if the stalks of the dry feed were too large, only the fodder would be eaten.

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$100,000 Addition To Museum

Celebrating a $56,000 W.P.A. grant, a $10,000 grant from the state legislature and climaxing a "brick-kreig" campaign, a gigantic victory celegration was held at West Texas State College Sunday afternoon, July 27.

As a result of these grants, the campaign and private donations totaling $10,000, there will be an addition to the college museum which will probably be worth $100,000, according to Boone McClure, who is connected with the museum. The City of Canyon donated all the sand that is to be used. Work started Monday, July 28, on the new addition.

The large crowd heard Judge Marvin Jones of Washington, D. C., speak during the afternoon. Grady Hazlewood, state legislator, also spoke. Concerts were given by the municipal band of Amarillo, as well as a program given by the band from W.T.S.C.

Although the "brick-krieg" campaign has closed, contributions will be welcomed, and may be made either through The Wellington Leader or sent directly to museum officials. All donors will be listed in a book bound especially for that purpose.

Millions Of Pieces Of Aluminum Are Collected In Drive

Millions of pieces of aluminum ware have been collected by the Office of Civilian Defense since the nationwide collection of this valuable material started on July 21, but according to Mr. R. W. Lindsey, of United Gas Corporation, those homemakers who use gas for cooking will suffer no inconvenience even though they have patriotically given up one or more of their aluminum cooking utensils.

"This is because any kind of cooking utensil can be used on a gas range, whereas this is unfortunately not the case with certain other types of ranges which call for the use of special types and shapes of aluminum ware," said Mr. R. W. Lindsey.

CHINA GROVE
By MRS. CHARLES GRAVES

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Todd and Billy Gene Rhunson visited Mr. Todd's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Elder.

Noble Elder and wife visited Mr. Elder's sister, Mrs. Dave Walker.

J. D. Graves, Jr., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Sanders visited her mother's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Webb.

Jodie Sanders has cotton bolls of a good size on 25 acres of his cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brashears had visiting them one day last week, Mr. and Mrs. Rome Cody and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graves and family, and Miss Reba Cleveland and Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gay Irwin and family visited his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Irwin.

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Relative Of Local People Dies Wed.

Funeral services for Mrs. Aileene Ragsdale of Groom, granddaughter of W. J. Slay of Wellington, were held Thursday, July 24, at the First Baptist Church in Groom. Rev. Guy Newman, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Temple, and pastor at Groom in 1937, was in charge of the services.

She was the wife of B. A. Ragsdale of Groom.

She was born in Groom in February, 1914, and died Wednesday morning, July 23, following a serious illness of several months. Burial was made in a Claude cemetery.

Mrs. Ragsdale was the daughter of Mrs. W. A. Cornett of Groom, and the sister of Billy Cornett of Groom, who lived in Wellington until about three years ago. She is survived by another brother, Bobby Cornett.

She had visited here often, and was well known by Collingsworth County residents.

Wellington relatives are: Temple Slay, uncle; W. J. Slay, grandfather; Charlie Slay, great uncle, and Earl Slay, uncle.

Attending from here were: Mr. and Mrs. Temple Slay and family, W. J. Slay, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Slay and Earl Slay.

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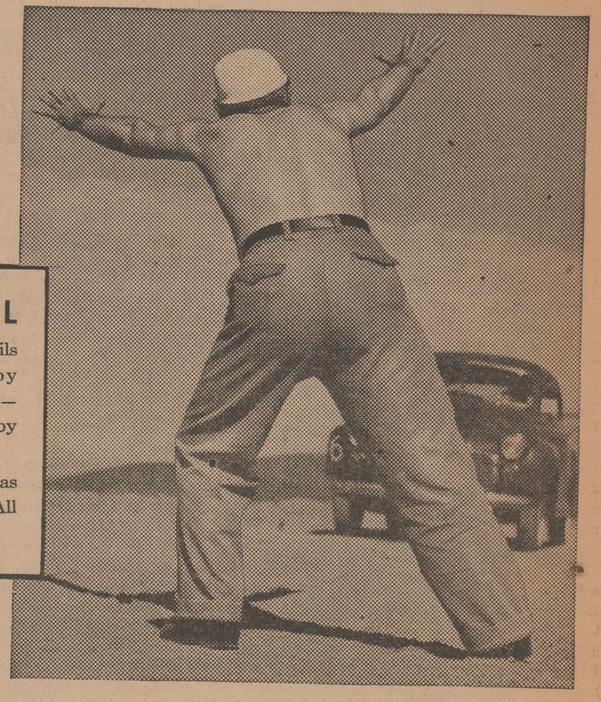
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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Phillips attended the opening of the Womack Funeral Home in Memphis Sunday. Mrs. Womack is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips. Many out of town visitors from Amarillo Clarendon and Wellington attended the opening.

Kenneth Fink of Childress was a business visitor in Wellington Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mount and daughter, Harriett Ann of Amarillo were week end guests in the home of Mrs. Mount's mother, Mrs. E. H. Small.

Mrs. Annie Bird returned Saturday from Hereford where she visited her son, George Bird, who is in the hospital following an automobile accident last Tuesday. Mr. Bird's condition is serious although Mrs. Bird reported him to be improving at the time she left him.

Miss Alegra Gibbs returned Sunday from College Station where she attended a two weeks short course. The first week she took training as a group leader for 4-H club work. During the second week she studied methods in home demonstration agent's work.

Guests Sunday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatch, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatch, Jr., were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gribble and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Clonts and daughter, Jo Karow, all of Eldorado, Okla., and G. K. Wade of Bethel, Okla.

Jodie Higdon of Canadian was a guest Sunday of relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Mahan of Munday were guests during the week end of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mahan.

Miss Diane Wells spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Temple Atkins of Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Curry and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Curry, Mrs. Rena Gholson and daughter, Vera Faye, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curry's and Mrs. Gholson's children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gholson, of Quanah, and twin daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Finley were Childress visitors Sunday.

Miss Opal Martin and her uncle, Billy Phy, left last week for Wheeler, where they will be guests of relatives.

Mrs. Lee O'Neil left during the week end for Austin where she will visit with her daughter, Miss Beth O'Neil, who is attending school at the summer session of the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred LeDerer and son left Wednesday of last week for Manitou Springs, Colorado, where they were to spend a short vacation. They are expected home the first part of this week.

Bettye Evelyn and June Curry are in Quanah this week as guests of their aunts, Mrs. C. G. White, and Mrs. Sam Gholson.

Denzil Ingram and Junior Cason, both of whom are employed in Gem, Texas, are here this week to visit with relatives. Ingram is a guest of his mother, Mrs. Grady Finley, while Cason is visiting with his parents.

Mrs. J. N. Whitson of north Lutie is reported to be improving following an operation in a Fort Worth hospital. While there, she was a guest of her son, John Whitson. J. M. Whitson, who has been ill at his home, is also reported to be recovering nicely. Mrs. Hattie Lollar, a daughter who lives in Amarillo, is here this week to visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. V. Betts of Pampa were here Sunday to visit with friends. Betts is a former Wellington resident, having supervised WPA projects here.

Miss VaRue Dyson of Pampa was here Saturday and Sunday to visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Massey of St. Louis, Mo., arrived Friday for a week's visit in the home of Mrs. Massey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rainer, of Loco.

Miss June Jarrell, who has been visiting in Pampa, returned to her home here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Denley and daughter, Molly Ann, left Tuesday to attend a family reunion of Mr. Denley's family. The reunion will be held near Mangum, Okla.

Miss Jewell Polk of Pampa was here over the week end to visit with her sister, Mrs. Bill James, and family. She left Sunday for San Angelo where she will visit also.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Starkey and daughter of Goodnight were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Starkey.

Mrs. Beulah Pearl, home advisor for the United Gas Company, was a business visitor in Wellington Monday.

Lee O'Neil left Monday for the plains, where he will transact business on his farms near Levelland.

Mrs. Carroll Jones returned Sunday to her home in Brownfield after visiting here with her mother, Mrs. T. C. Cass, of Lillie and her sister, Mrs. Velma Aaron.

Miss Cleta Jo Keller left Wednesday for Lawton, Okla., where she will make an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Barton, and Mr. Barton.

Mrs. Frank Boyd of Oklahoma is here this week to visit with relatives. She is visiting in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Bartlett and her cousin, Mrs. Calvin Aaron.

Mrs. J. B. Castleberry left Sunday for Decatur, where she will visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Carl Christian. Mr. Castleberry and Bob Williams took her to Wichita Falls, from where she continued to Decatur. Mrs. Castleberry and Mrs. Christian plan to take a trip to Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Johnnie French and son, J. W. French, were week end visitors in Lefors. They returned to their home here Sunday, visiting Lake McClellan enroute.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Starr were in Vernon Sunday to attend a family reunion of Mr. Starr's family. Miss Virginia Crane, who has been a guest of theirs, returned to her home in Wichita Falls at the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Graham were in Amarillo Sunday to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Leslie Ledbetter, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waller of Sedan, New Mexico, are visitors this week in the home of Mrs. Waller's sister, Mrs. W. T. Duke, and family. Mrs. Waller is the former Miss Lorene Hall.

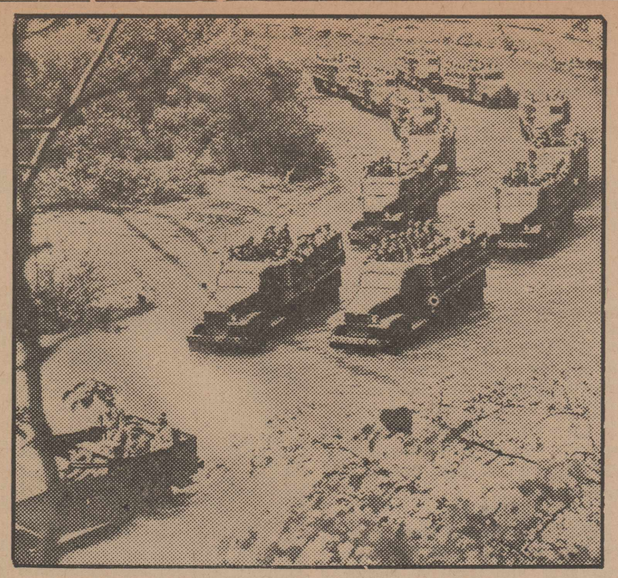
Tom Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fires and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Campbell returned Saturday from a short business trip near Fort Sumner, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tindall and daughter, Lorene, of Shamrock were Wellington visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel McDowell and sons of Wheeler were Sunday guests of Mrs. McDowell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons, Sr.

Mrs. Sam White returned to Duncan, Okla., Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Roy Duncum, for a visit. Mrs. Duncum was a guest in the home of Mrs. White several days last week.

Billy Rainer of Vernon left Monday after a few days visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rainer.



READY FOR MANEUVERS

Uncle Sam's first armored division, which recently celebrated its first anniversary, is getting ready for August maneuvers. Here troop-laden trucks use a creek bed for a highway, at Fort Knox, Ky.

Mary Lou, Erma Sue and Patsy Watts, all of Lubbock are guests this week of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts.

Misses Minnie Leigh Edmiston, Alta Kesler, Verda Thompson and Ina Mae Yarbrough were Sunday guests of Miss Kesler's sister, Mrs. Dick Rapp, of Borger. The group also visited in Pampa and Amarillo.

Eddie Sam Henard was a Sunday visitor in Pampa, Borger and Amarillo.

Miss Rose Shadid and Mr. and Mrs. N. Shadid were in Mangum, Okla., Sunday as guests of relatives.

Monroe Owens is in Chickasha, Okla., this week to visit with relatives. Owens, who is on his vacation, will also visit in other points before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell of Lubbock, former Wellington residents, were here Saturday for a short visit with friends.

Mrs. W. V. Whitley of Memphis was a Wellington visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Cummings of Patton Springs, Dickens County, were here Monday to visit with relatives and friends and transact business.

Mrs. R. W. Duke and Miss Lucille Gilley, who have been visiting in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Gilley and Cad Duke, returned Friday. They were met in Shamrock by W. T. Duke, Mrs. Duke's son, who brought them on to Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Nassif Schaded were in Canadian Sunday to visit with relatives.

Misses Margaret Hix of Lubbock and Argen Hix of Levelland are guests this week of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hix, during their vacations.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Newton and son, Norman Nix, and daughter, Betty Jane, are guests this week of Mrs. Newton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Richerson. Mr. and Mrs. Newton and family live in Dimmitt.

Mary Beth McClaskey, Wynona Smith, Idell Smith, Geraldine Graham, Sarah Love and Nancy Sullivan were Shamrock visitors Sunday.

Billie Louise Richards of Olton was a guest last week of her aunt, Mrs. R. F. Curry.

Mrs. Kenneth Babbs and daughter, Barbara, of Bridgetown, Ill., are here as guests of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Strickland, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Crawley of Amarillo are here to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crawley.

Mrs. G. N. Terry and children, Winifred, Mary Elsie and Don, of Kilgore, are here this week to visit with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Cocke.

Mrs. J. O. Short and son, Hoyt Short, returned Monday from Fort Worth, where they had been the guests of relatives for the past two weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Harper were in Dalhart Sunday to visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ransom, and Mariann. Mariann Ransom returned with Dr. and Mrs. Harper for a week's visit.

Mrs. Esdle Bartlett and son, Mrs. T. C. Fuller, Mrs. Bryan Denley and daughter and Miss Elizabeth Shannon of Munday returned Sunday from Denver, Colorado, where they had been guests of Mrs. J. A. Graham for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Sullivan and daughters, Miss Nancy Sullivan and Miss Patricia Sullivan, returned Saturday from a vacation trip to Santa Fe, and Albuquerque, New Mexico. They had been gone since Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. J. E. Cooper and son, Beryl Dean, left Sunday for Marlow, Oklahoma, where they will visit Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cook, for two weeks.

W. W. Forbis of Childress was in Wellington Monday visiting with his son, John Forbis, and family.

Mrs. Jimmie Gillentine of Hereford spent from Thursday until Sunday of last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Castleberry. Mr. Gillentine joined her here Saturday and visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gillentine.

Rev. Archie Woodward, pastor and evangelist of the Nazarene Church at Iola, Kansas, was in charge of the services at the local Church of the Nazarene Sunday in the absence of the regular pastor, Rev. Hadley Hall, who is conducting a revival in Hollis, Okla. Rev. Woodward, with his family, was en route to the Pacific coast where he will hold meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Worley of Parker, Arizona, visited with Mrs. Worley's father, W. T. Poff, and step-mother, Mrs. Poff. They arrived Tuesday and visited until last Saturday. While here they visited with Mrs. Maggie Donnell, Mrs. Worley's aunt, and W. E. Poff, a cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie McKinney, who left a few weeks ago on a trip to California, will remain there, it has been learned by relatives in Wellington. McKinney is employed as a guard for the North American Airplane Company in Inglewood.

Visiting here for the first time in ten years, Mrs. Ralph Cattell and daughter, "Nicky," of Cleveland, Ohio, arrived Thursday for a visit with her father, "Fatty" Hite, and family. Mrs. Cattell will be remembered as Miss Selma Hite. She plans to be here about three weeks.

Hayden Goodnight of Amarillo visited Sunday afternoon with his father, I. T. Goodnight, and other relatives.

Mrs. Foster Peterson of Amarillo spent Wednesday of last week with her grandmother, Mrs. A. C. Muncie.

Mrs. M. A. Sewell of Cleburne was a guest Tuesday of last week of her daughter, Mrs. Orval Couch, and family. Mrs. J. R. Darrow and daughter, Jimmie Lee, aunt and niece of Mrs. Couch, who had been visiting with Mrs. Sewell, returned to their home here at that time.

Spending the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lindsey were: Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vaughan and family of Pampa, Mrs. Fred Smart and daughters, Bertha Frances and Nelda, of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Lindsey and son of San Angelo, and Sam L. Lindsey. Sam Lindsey has been transferred from Fort Bliss to San Antonio, and will remain here for several days.

Lee Harris, who has been living at Spearman for the last few months, has returned to live here. He is making his home on Route 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs and children, Billy, Patsy and Adrian, returned Saturday from a vacation trip spent at Deming, New Mexico, with an uncle, Homer Franks. Enroute home, they visited over night with Mr. and Mrs. Odell Holley of Muleshoe.

J. M. Bishop, long time resident of Wellington, is seriously ill in St. Anthony's Hospital at Amarillo. Latest reports indicate that he was resting very well. At his bedside are Mrs. J. M. Bishop, and Eva and Oral Bishop, his children.

Mrs. Paige Wilson of Dallas is here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Admire. She will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Sunday Bill Smith and friends in Shamrock while here.

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LOST—Billfold Saturday evening in Wellington. Reward if returned to Wellington Leader. 3-1-p

STRAYED—Jersey heifer, brand RS on left hip, from pasture 5 miles south town on old Russell place. Robert Simpson. 2-2-p

LOST—Springfield Automatic .22 rifle. Between Wellington and home 18 mi. N. E. See T. C. Raper, Route 6. 1-3-p

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DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

This is not the community where the owls roost with the chickens. It is the place where the chickens ride to town to see the bright lights. Perhaps this old hen just went along for the ride. At least two county women were observed driving around the square with a hen sound asleep on the bumper. Their attention was called to the fact and they stopped the car. The hen let out a loud squawk when aroused from her pleasant slumber. She was deposited in the back of the car and given another nice ride home.

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Who does the pet raccoon belong to that was seen on the post office lawn Sunday morning?

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Next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, The Leader will give a theatre pass to each boy and girl who will bring in a half gallon fruit jar full of bagworms to this office. You can bring them in a sack if you wish, but we will measure them in a fruit jar. There is only one thing that we ask of you: please ask the property owners if you can pick their bagworms for them. Some people would resent it if you started monkeying around their shrubs and plants unless they are there to watch you. And then there are some people like Ralph Ball. Whether he meant it or not, I heard him say that he wanted his bagworms to grow so that they would crawl down and get on Bert Starkey's evergreens.

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This is an opportunity for the future business getters and money makers to distinguish themselves from those who will merely get by. The "get-byers" will simply go out in perhaps their best clothes or perhaps their worst, pick the bagworms and bring them down to The Leader office and get their free pass to the show—go to see the show and think that it was a good show and that he has had a pleasant day.

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The future business man or woman will do some thinking. He or she will get up early on the first morning. He will scrub his face until it shines. Then he will brush his teeth until they are gleaming white. After that he will put on some old clothes that are suitable to work in, but which are spotlessly clean. After making sure that his hair is combed neat and nice, he will put a breakfast under his belt and start out.

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First he will round up a number of his friends. He will get them interested in the proposition The Leader is offering. They will decide that picking a few bagworms is a small price to pay to get to go to see Gene Autry in "Back In The Saddle Again." Next he will present himself at the home of some lady where the bagworms are hanging on the trees thicker than Christmas lights.

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When the lady comes to the door he will take off his hat and smile confidently and cheerfully. His hair is parted, his teeth are white, his clothes are clean. Everything is o. k. for an approach, and he will say:

"Good morning Mrs. Pureblood. I know that you know of Wellington Leader's effort to rid the town of bagworms. I would like to pick the bagworms for you."

Mrs. Pureblood: "Young man, I have read the Wellington Leader and I think it is a silly idea. Furthermore, you can go back and tell your father or Mr. Wells or whoever put you up to this trick that the Pureblood family is perfectly able to pick its own bagworms or stamp out any other insects."

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The future joint openers and store keepers will do either one of two things. They will either shut up and back off embarrassed or else anger will overcome them and they will make an enemy. The future business leader will do neither. He will rally from the shock and the disappointment of seeing his perfectly laid plans ground into the dust, and he will smile and say:

"Well, thank you Mrs. Pureblood, for your time. I am glad to know that you are interested in the campaign enough to do the work yourself. I think it is better when people do their own work. I would like to stay longer and talk with you, but I have several other calls to make."

Mrs. Pureblood may call the future business man back, but the chances are she won't. However, that particular young man won't have much trouble in selling her on other things later on.

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Next the young business man calls at the home of Mrs. Bigdough. There he again makes the same approach, and he is told in no uncertain terms that other boys were by earlier and picked her bagworms free. At that point the future business man explains that he and his boys wanted to pick all the bagworms. Graciously he points out that the free pickers only secured enough to get a pass to the show. He makes it clear that his boys would not work free, but that they would have picked all of the worms. Quickly he leaves without giving Mrs. Bigdough a chance to take him up or turn him down, but just as quickly he instructs a lieutenant to go by with a ladder and get the job. The lieutenant takes half the men and goes back to get the money as well as the bagworms that will entitle them to a free pass.

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Having passed his first two tests, the future business man came to the home of Mrs. Trueheart. She is the sort of person that every conscientious salesman and workman dreams about. She knew about the proposition. She was glad to have somebody work for her who was interested in doing a better job, but she wanted her money's worth. She told the boys that they could make a deal, but that she would go out and help find the worms while they did the work. Actually, she went out to see that her plants were protected, and that all the worms were found.

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Well, boys and girls, that is just a make believe story that has something to do with salesmanship. As far as I am concerned, all you need to do is to bring a half gallon jar of bagworms to The Leader office to get a free pass to the show. Only one pass will be given to each boy or each girl.

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Congratulations to Dave Thomas, C. W. Roberts, Pink Sullivan and other prime movers as well as to all of those who worked and donated to improve the looks of the two cemeteries in Wellington. It was a worthwhile job well done. The good thing about it is that this is only the beginning of the permanent work.

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It is the guess of Vertrees Langford that this county will make over 30,000 bales of cotton from this crop. Paul Starr is highly optimistic over the prospects for better business. Fatty Watkins says that unless something happens—dry weather through August and September or too many rainy cloudy days—that the county can make the biggest crop since 1933.

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I don't know anything about crop prospects, but the Russians are holding out better than anybody expected. If they can hold out until fall, things will be brighter than they have been since France fell.

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J. S. Dorn stopped by to pass a friendly word on his way home. Knowing what I had written avout crop prospects in the absence of Virginia Robey, I asked him what he thought. Bear in mind that I had just written that barring too much drouth, too much wet weather and too early a frost, the prospects were the best since 1933. Mr. Dorn flatly told me that the prospects at this time of the year were the worst he had seen in the last ten years. Now that is what I call a difference of opinion.

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Furthermore I found out this week that H. W. Thaten of Childress is trying to buy a 160-acre farm at something over $80 an acre, and the owners turned him down flat. Mr. Dorn also told me that he is figuring on selling his 160-acre farm for something over $31 an acre to the government. There is a difference in the farms, but there is also quite a difference in the viewpoints of all these men. Personally, I would not say which one is right, but I told my friend Mr. Dorn that I would not worry if the government turned down his proposal of $31 an acre. In six months he can sell it for more than that.

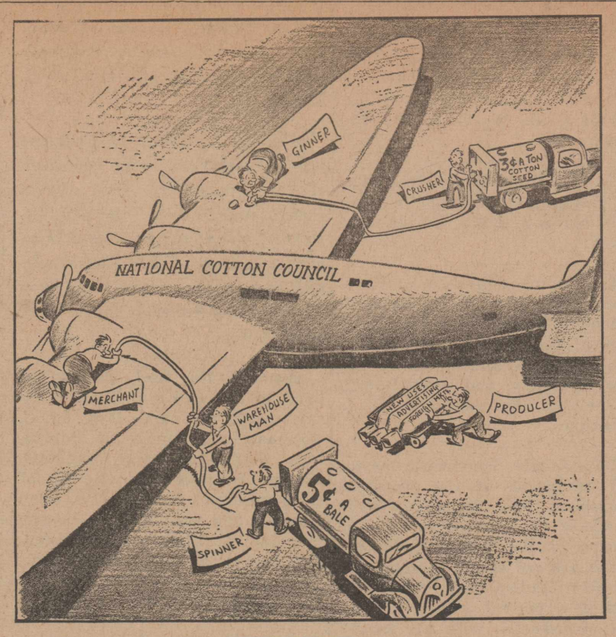
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The real low down is that people are getting jittery over the uncertainty of the present times. They want to own real property, a home, a farm, something they can see. This rise in land prices may make farmers feel good, but the actual history has been that too high land prices spell future hardships for the average farmer. The actual truth happens to be this. If your country does not stay solvent and free, your land won't be of much more value to you than some of the fancy oil stocks that were bought in former years. Your future is the future of America.

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Thanks to Earl Nipper, Fatty Hite and the rest for saying that you like it better when I write more. For your entertainment, I am filling up the rest of the page with jokes I borrowed from Duard Scott of Dodson.

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COTTON ON THE OFFENSIVE

The cotton industry prepares for the third year of its nationwide campaign to increase the consumption of American cotton through advertising, scientific research, and resistance to discriminatory legislation. Through its three-fold attack the industry expects to attain the goal of parity consumption and parity income as well as parity prices.

Setting the Stage

"Are you the new life guard here?"

"Why, yes; and who are you?"

"Oh, I'm just the girl who's about to drown."

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Let's Hear It

Husband: "Brown got up and left the table when Jones started to tell a dirty story."

Wife: "How noble of Mr. Brown; and what was the story, John?"

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Use Limited

"This tonic is no good."

"Why, it's a very good brand."

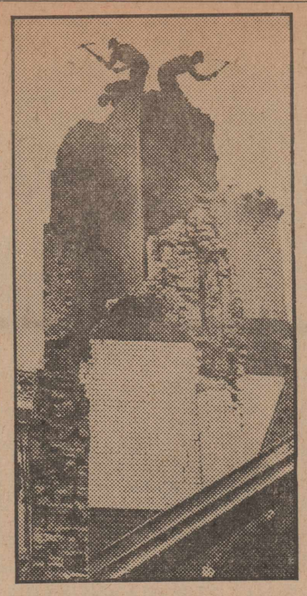
"Well, all the directions it gives are for adults, and I've never had them."

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Preferred Kind

Chemistry Prof.: "What is the outstanding contribution that chemistry has given to the world?"

Student: "Blondes."



STEEPLEJACKS

Most dangerous part of demolition work after London air raids is the work of knocking down walls, almost from under their feet. These steeplejacks are at work on a blitzed building in Fetter Lane.

Cutting His Loss

"I don't see why you spend so much time arguing with the hardware man about the price of that hammer. You'll never pay him anyhow."

"But I'm conscientious. I don't want him to lose any more than is necessary."

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He Was Particular, Too

"Hey, waiter, I can't eat this stuff. Call the manager!"

"No use to call him, sir; he won't eat it either."

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Patience Brings Success

Husband: "You will never succeed in making that dog obey you."

Wife: "Nonsense. It's only a matter of patience. I had difficulty with you at first."

Good Business

"The average woman has a vocabulary of only 500 words."

"It's a small stock, but think of the turn-over."

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The Great Awakening

Excited Man: "Doctor, my wife is sick. It's her appendix. You'd better come around and see her at once!"

Doctor (calmly): Give her some bicarbonate or ginger ale, and I'll look in tomorrow. She hasn't got appendicitis."

"I tell you, she's got appendicitis!"

"Well, she can't have! I took her appendix out two years ago. I never heard of anyone having two appendices."

"Say, did you ever hear of anyone having two wives?"

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Worth an A

A small boy was asked to write an essay in as few words as possible on two of life's greatest problems. He wrote:

"Twins."

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Desperation

"Where's the cashier?"

"Gone to the races."

"Gone to the races during business hours?"

"Yes; it's his last chance to make the books balance."

No Great Loss

"Mr. Chairman," complained the speaker, "I have been on my feet for nearly ten minutes, but there is so much interference I can hardly hear myself speak."

"Cheer up, my friend," came a voice from the audience, "you ain't missing much."

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Experience

Doctor: "What you need is an electric bath."

Patient: "Nothing doing; I had an uncle drown that way up at Sing Sing."

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Where It Belonged

Judge (to amateur yegg): So they caught you with this bundle of silverware. Whom did you plunder?

Burglar: Two fraternity houses, Your Honor.

Judge (to sergeant,: Call up the downtown hotels and distribute this stuff.

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Scratch Ended

Diogenes met a Civil War veteran.

"What were you in the war," he asked.

"A private," said the old soldier.

So Diogenes blew out his lantern and went home.

Attention! Mr. Business Man



DON'T WAIT UNTIL YOU'RE COMPLETELY OUT OF OFFICE SUPPLIES

Why not check up right now while you think about it? Remember, by placing your new order well in advance, you avoid all possibility of running short on some necessary items. Let us figure on your next job—No matter how small or how big.

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The expenditure of a few cents in needed equipment or supplies has often meant added profit for many offices. Doing without small things you need may be false economy in YOUR office. Why not make a check-up today and visit our office supply department?

Check These Items

- Ledgers, Journals, Day Books
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- Typewriter Erasers
- Typewriter Paper
- Carbon Paper
- Second Sheets
- Onion Skin Paper
- Adding Machine Paper
- Stapling Machines
- Mimeograph Paper
- Box Letter Files
- Sales Pads
- Small Filing Cards
- Paper Clips
- Stamp Pad Ink
- Mimeograph Ink
- Order Books
- Pencils
- Third Cut Folders
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- Loose Leaf Fillers
- Office Paste
- Thumb Tacks
- Rubber Bands
- Remington Typewriters
- AND MANY OTHERS

Wellington Leader

OFFICE SUPPLY DEPARTMENT



Lend An EAR!

To what others are saying about Steve Owens Grocery. You will hear them say: "I find, that by shopping regularly at Steven Owens, I save greatly on my grocery bill without making a sacrifice on the quality of foods I buy." Visit Steve Owens this week and see if you don't notice that difference.

ORANGES	Sunkist Juicy Valencias, 200 size—doz.	**25¢**
Grapefruit	New crop Calif., thin skin—6 for	**19¢**
LIMES	Fancy Mexican per doz.	**10¢**
NEW **POTATOES**	No. 1 Reds, washed, 6 lbs.	**10¢**
CELERY	Large Crisp Stalks	**10¢**
GRAPE JUICE	Nelson's full quart	**19¢**
CATSUP	I.G.A. Deluxe, 14 oz. bottle	**12¢**
PEAS	Sailor Man 3 No. 2 cans	**27¢**
Sugar	10 lb. cloth bag	**52c**
COCOA	Hershey's, 1 lb. can	**14¢**
SOAP	Sally Mae, Toilet—3 bars	**14¢**
COFFEE	Sunny Morn, 1 lb. bag	**15¢**
TOMATOES	No. 2 can 2 for	**15¢**
Hominy	No. 2 can	**5c**
WHEATIES	per package	**11¢**
FISH	Whiting, 2 lbs.	**25¢**
BACON	Sugar cured squares per lb.	**17¢**
Pork Chops	Per lb.	**19c**

Steve Owens

West of Farmers Co-Op Gin Wellington, Texas

Prices Good for Wellington and Dodson

Parity Income Ultimate Goal Says Johnson

Calling on every member of the cotton industry in Collingsworth County and the surrounding area to pledge anew his allegiance to the drive for cotton markets, President Oscar Johnson of the National Cotton Council said today that the assurance of parity prices for cotton is only the beginning of the cotton farmer's fight for parity income.

"Only through the attainment of parity consumption can the farmer be assured that his income will be on a par with that of other workers," Mr. Johnson declared. "For that reason we must not slacken for a moment our efforts to increase the consumption of American cotton products; rather, we must intensify and redouble those efforts.

"During the parity period, 1909 to 1914, the consumption of American cotton averaged nearly 13,500,000 bales. We must reach at least this level of consumption to give us parity income. We must go far beyond it if we are to achieve real prosperity for the Cotton Belt.

"The only way we can hope to reach the parity consumption mark is through a continuation of the program of advertising, scientific research, efforts to regain foreign markets, and resistance to discriminatory legislation, which the cotton industry has carried on for the past two years.

"In the end, it will avail us little to have parity prices if cotton consumption is cut down. A parity price means nothing unless we can sell a sufficient number of pounds of our product at that price to insure us a living wage and a decent return for our efforts.

"That's the cotton industry's program to secure increased consumption is aimed in the right direction is proved by the gratifying results which have been achieved thus far. A gain of almost 2,500,000 bales in domestic cotton consumption over last year is already in sight.

"Again on the 1941 crop cotton producers, ginners, warehousemen, merchants, crushers and spinners are being called upon to contribute their pro rata share toward a continuation of the domestic consumption campaign on an expanded scale and for a program to regain our foreign markets at the end of the war.

"As a cotton farmer speaking for the producers, I call upon every member of the six raw cotton interests and every individual dependent upon cotton for a livelihood to join us in our efforts to strengthen the program to attain parity consumption."

FRESNO

By CORRESPONDENT

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holland of Pampa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Elmore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wood and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood Tuesday night.

Junior and Jimmie Dabney of Tipton, Okla., are visiting their sister, Miss Doris Dabney, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hicks.

Pvt. Earl Wayne Roberts left Thursday for Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., after several days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Roberts.

Mrs. Oran Reddock of Amarillo spent Wednesday night with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Black, and daughters.

Eli Clement visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clement, last week end.

Randolph Darnell and family, formerly lived in Pampa, visited his brother, Ernest Darnell, for several days. Mr. Darnell, with his family, is moving to Houston, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Hodges had as their guests over the week end, Mrs. Volley Martin and children, Mrs. Dick Hodges and children and Mrs. Janeway of Nocona.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Newton of Dimmitt visited relatives and friends over the week end.

Misses Betty Jane Newton of Dimmitt and Virginia Ann Williams were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Juanita Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Crawley of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crawley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Roberts have as guests Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Embree and son of Hobart, Okla., and Mrs. Fred Smart and children of Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hurd and son, Don, all of Antlers, Oklahoma, were guests Monday night of Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Neeley. The group was on the way home from a vacation trip spent in Colorado.



AW, POOR BUNNY

True to the tradition of the St. Bernards, Hecka, 18-month-old dog of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Kirchenbauer, Cleveland, O., is always rescuing something. This time it's a tiny rabbit, found in the woods and brought home by the 125-pound dog.

Personal

Mrs. H. C. Gray of Quail was dismissed from the Collingsworth Hospital recently after receiving medical treatment there.

Mrs. Mollie Kelso of Vernon is here this week as a guest of her sons, Leslie and Jimmie Kelso, and their families.

Mrs. Jerry DePauw of Quail is confined this week to St. Joseph's Hospital, where she is receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hunt and two children of Atlanta, Ga., are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hunt, and his sister, Mrs. Frank Pope. Raymond Hunt is sales manager for Campbell-Taggert Baking Company.

Mrs. D. M. Henard is confined this week to St. Joseph's Hospital for medical treatment. Mrs. Henard's condition was considered as serious although she had been ill for only a day or two, but at the present time she is thought by hospital attendants to be improving.

Mrs. Charlie Neese was returned to her home Saturday from St. Joseph's Hospital, where she had been receiving medical treatment.

Shelterbelts Are Air Conditioners

COLLEGE STATION.—On hot, sunny days following rainy spells the interior of a green shelterbelt may vary as much as 20 yards away, says W. E. Webb, state director of the Prarie States Forestry Project, whose headquarters are in Northwest Texas.

"When the thermometer reads 90 degrees in th sun, the green canopy often cools the temperature 70 degrees under the trees," he explains. Many of the belts planted in 1936, 1937 and 1938 make ideal picnic spots. Cottonwoods and some Chinese elms are now 15 to 30 feet high and provide excellent shade, while the green protective walls of shrubs and field rows keep the hot wind out.

Kathleen Hodge Honoree At Somerville Home

Miss Kathleen Hodge of Floydada was honoree Friday morning at a breakfast given by Miss Jewell Frances Somerville. Miss Hodge is a house guest in the Somerville home.

Yellow and white colors were used in the floral arrangements and individual corsages given each guest. Bouquets of Shasta daisies were used in the entertaining rooms.

Those attending were Mmes. Cliff Campbell, John Holton, Miss Bessie Rainer, Miss Vernene Franks, Miss Alla Mae Moore, Miss Hodges and hostess.

Mrs. J. B. Floyd Hostess At Swimming Party

Mrs. J. B. Floyd was hostess Saturday evening of last week at a swimming party at Childress. Refreshments were served following a swim.

The party was given in honor of Miss Kathleen Hodge of Floydada, who is visiting Miss Jewell Frances Somerville.

Those attending were Mrs. John Holton, Misses Alla Mae Moore, Kathleen Hodge, Jewell F. Somerville and hostess.

Black Cats To Play Team From Mangum Sunday

The Wellington Black Cats will meet the Hard Hitters from Mangum, Okla., Sunday, August 3 on the home diamond of the local nine, it was announced this week by Earl Shamblee, who is again managing the colored team.

"I've watched the Mangum boys play," Shamblee said, "and they really do 'hit hard.' They're all young, and seem to play a good game of baseball."

Shamblee also announced the outcome of the only other two games which his team has played. The Black Cats first met Burkburnett on Sunday, July 20, and won with a score of 8-6. In their second game, the Black Cats trounced the team from Sayre, Okla., 8-5, on Sunday, July 27.

"We want to invite all white fans to attend the game Sunday, Aug. 3. Good order will be kept at all times, and you can be sure of an interesting game."

SHINNERY

By NOMA LEE HIVELY

Rev. Scott Crawford of the Buck Creek community preached here over the week end. Services were held Friday night, Saturday night, and Sunday. These services were enjoyed by all those who attended them.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adkins had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jack White.

Asa Reeves of the army training camp at Fort Sill, Okla., visited over the week end with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Lacy of Buck Creek visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Lacy.

Rev. and Mrs. Scott Crawford and children and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Porter and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hively. On Friday night, Rev. and Mrs. Jess Blassingame and children of Needwood visited with the Hivelys.

ROUNDUP

By THELMA W. JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson and family and Clifford Pitcock visited Sunday at Kelton. A birthday dinner was given in honor of Mrs. Frank Pitcock. Mrs. Pitcock was celebrating her 65th birthday.

Clifford Pitcock of Kelton has been visiting his cousin, Doug Johnson, for the past week.

Ocie, Thelma and Dorothy Raper attended Sunday school at New Hope Sunday.

Mrs. Theresa Johnson visited Saturday and Sunday in the Wayne Johnson home.

Marjorie Willard and Elton Gulley visited in the Snooks Judd home Sunday.



HEADED FOR MOVIES

Billy (The Kid) Conn and his bride, the former Mary Louise Smith, arrive in Hollywood, where Billy will star in a film, "The Pittsburgh Kid," based on his fighting career.

Who's New In Collingsworth



Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ledbetter of Amarillo announce the recent birth of a daughter, Phyllis Jean. Mrs. Ledbetter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Graham of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Loven of Dodson announce the birth of a son on Sunday, July 27. The baby was born in a Hollis hospital.

Sammie Alva Anglin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Anglin, was born in St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday, July 28. The baby weighed seven pounds and eleven ounces.

Donald Eugene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ople White of Quail, was born Friday, July 25, in the Collingsworth Hospital. The baby weighed eight and one-half pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cummings are the parents of a daughter who was born in St. Joseph's Hospital on Tuesday, July 29. The baby weighed eight pounds and nine ounces.

Of Swedish invention is a device for recovering lubricating oils from ship's bilge water.

REVIVAL MEETING

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You Are Cordially Invited

Blue Stamp Foods Listed For Month Of August

The list of foods available during August for purchase with Blue Stamps by families taking part in the Food Stamp Plan in Wellington, Collingsworth County, area, was announced today by Robert M. Moss, local stamp plan Representative. These foods are obtainable in local stores throughout the month of August.

Fresh pears, plums, prunes, apples and enriched wheat flour have been added to the list of foods which will be available nationally during August while pork and pork lard, obtainable during July in all areas, are not included in the August list. Also, vegetable shortening available during July in the Stamp Plan areas of Dallas, Texas, and all of Dallas County; Houston, Texas, and all of Harris County; Memphis, Tennessee, and all of Shelby County; and New Orleans, La., and all of Orleans Parish, is not included in the August list.

With these revisions, the complete list of "Blue Stamp Foods" for the period of August 1 through 31 in all Stamp Plan areas, is as follows: Fresh pears, plums, prunes, apples, oranges, and peaches; fresh vegetables (including potatoes) corn meal, shell eggs; raisins, dried prunes; hominy (corn) grits; dry edible beans; wheat flour; enriched wheat flour; self-raising flour; enriched self-rising flour; and whole wheat (graham) flour.

Dr. E. W. Jones was dismissed and returned to his home Tuesday, July 29, from St. Joseph's Hospital, where he had undergone a major operation.



HE'S NAVY ARTIST

On assignment from Uncle Sam, Navy Lieut. McClelland Barclay, famed illustrator, is painting a series of pictures of life with the fleet.

Mr. And Mrs. F. Hatch Go To Market At Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatch, Sr., and son, Tim, are in Dallas this week to buy fall merchandise for Hatch Drygoods Store, of which he is owner.

Mr. Hatch, Sr., will buy complete selections in ready-to-wear, piece goods and other stock necessary.

Miss Donnitta Blain and Mrs. Darvin Nix left Tuesday for Wichita Falls, where they will visit for a few days.

W. W. Baxter of Shamrock was a visitor here Monday.

Tech Experiments With Growing Seed Potatoes

LUBBOCK.—First Texas experiment in growing potatoes for seed was started this spring on the high plains, Dr. A. W. Young, head professor of plant industry at Texas Tech, said today. Plans for seven growers to begin seed potato growing were approved at the West Texas meeting of certified seed growers on Texas Tech campus several weeks ago.

Test plots will be planted at Hereford, Texline, Olton and Plainview, Young said. Standards for growers have been written to comply with the field seed certification law in Texas.

"Although 50,000 acres of potatoes were grown in Texas for table use last year," he explained, "this is the state's first experiment in growing them for seed. Seed for stock will be brought from other approved states—Montana, Idaho, and possibly the Dakotas.

The high plains were chosen by the state seed and plant board for the tests because it is a high, dry, relatively cool region, which means potatoes may be raised here freer from disease than in wetter areas. Irrigation is a necessary part of the plan.

"Average yield ought to be around 200 bags per acre," Young said. "Average price per 100-pound bag for potatoes sold as food is $1.25. Seed potatoes that are certified bring more than double this price."

John Lee Tye, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Tye of Wellington, was confined to the Collingsworth Hospital Tuesday, July 29, for a minor operation.

Notice Taxpayers

House Bill No. 76, passed recently by the Legislature, releases interest as well as part of the penalty on State and County Taxes which were delinquent on or before July 1, 1940. The Bill was approved May 22, 1941 and became effective when signed by the Governor on May 26.

If you have any delinquent State and County Taxes you may take advantage of this remission NOW by paying

All Taxes Due

. . as, if you have two or more years delinquent all must be paid to get the benefits of this law.

The Law Expires November 1, 1941

This law does not affect 1940 taxes and the usual penalty will be collected on delinquent taxes for 1940.

AS AN EXAMPLE

Year	Amount	Usual Penalty	Present Penalty	Saving
1934	$100	44%–$44	6%–$6	$38
1938	$100	20%–$20	6%–$6	$14

to show your savings under this law suppose a person has delinquent taxes for two years, as follows:

Penalties that are usual and would be collected customarily at this time were, 1934 and all prior years 44 per cent; 1935—38 per cent; 1936—32 per cent; 1937—26 per cent; 1938—20 per cent; 1939—16 per cent. Under the penalty remission bill, only 6 per cent will be collected for each year. 1940 taxes carry the usual penalty which at this time amounts to 10 1-2 per cent.

Please note that you must pay ALL years delinquent, and that they must be paid before November 1, 1941, to get the above discount.
For further information see or write your County Tax Collector

Howard S. Riggs

Tax Collector, Collingsworth County

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Editorial

THE SURPLUS PEACHES

Texas has one of the largest peach crops in its history this year and doesn't know what to do with it. Usually nature is whimsical enough to prevent any surplus of the fruit. By an untimely freeze, a drouth, hail storms or hot winds, the yield is held down, in most years, to a figure that presents no difficult marketing problem. This year there was no late freeze, no drouth, no hail. The trees everywhere are laden to the breaking point and the fruit is ripening fast. Because of the uncertainties that attend fruit-raising in Texas, there are no facilities for handling a surplus, either by shipping or by canning. Much of the yield will be wasted, therefore, unless Texas housewives unite to dispose of it, by canning and preserving. If each household were to provide for its own needs in this respect, the problem presented by the surplus would soon disappear. The fruit can be bought cheaply enough to make preserving and canning worth while. Texas should make the most of this opportunity. —Wichita Daily Times.

Six rabbits will eat as much as one sheep, 32 rabbits will eat as much as 1 cow. 300 rabbits to one section of land is not unusual.

Twenty-two thousand Red Cedar, Austrian Pine, and Western Yellow Pine were planted in Collingsworth County this year.

It is estimated that more than 98 percent of shelterbelt failures has been caused by lack of cultivation or care.

One Cottonwood tree in a 1937 Lakeview shelterbelt is 35 feet tall and 10 inches in diameter at the base.

Game birds such as quail and dove have been found in shelterbelts on 100 county farms, whereas before few had ever been seen.

Trees in shelterbelt plantings were planted by WPA crews at an average rate of one tree per minute per man.

Did you know that successful, non-irrigated gardens are grown in the lee of windbreaks such as shelterbelts?

OTHER EDITORS SAY--

• Our Flag

At this time in the nation's history, when respect and allegiance to the flag are more important than ever before, it would be a splendid idea for the average citizen to brush up on the Oath of Allegiance to the flag and renew his memory to the correct flag etiquette. Many people, through carelessness and downright laziness, fail to show the U. S. flag the proper degree of respect at patriotic celebrations.—The Scurry County Times.

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• He Lives On

A bust of Will Rogers was donated to the Texas Cowboy Reunion Association to be placed in the Will Rogers bunkhouse and a place of honor was arranged for it on the west side of the building, beneath a picture of Rogers, who visited this Reunion in 1935, shortly before his tragic death. The bust was donated by Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Douglass and Chas. H. Featherstone of Wichita Falls.—Stamford American.

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• Hospital Strikes

And now we have strikes in hospitals. Strike leaders hold nothing sacred, it seems. Hospitals are not part of industry and should not be unionized to the extent that lives would be endangered by interfercence from strikers.—McLean News.

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• Traffic Safety

With the harvest season and its days of haste and may we add waste, we always have a bunch of accidents, some of them serious. So let's slow down a little, quit our rushing around like mad men, just take a moment or two longer for safety's sake and we won't have so many accidents. One little accident is oftentimes much more costly than all the time you think you are saving. Haste makes for waste and inefficiency. Take just a little more time and do the job right and you will be well repaid for the extra effort.—Ochiltree County Herald.

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• Bush-Whacking

The rumor is, that farmers, who are not eligible for wheat selling cards, have a move on foot to process their own wheat. The supposition prevails that there is still an open market on flour. This method of fighting the New Deal smacks of bush-whacking tactics.—Friona Star.

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• The Other Side

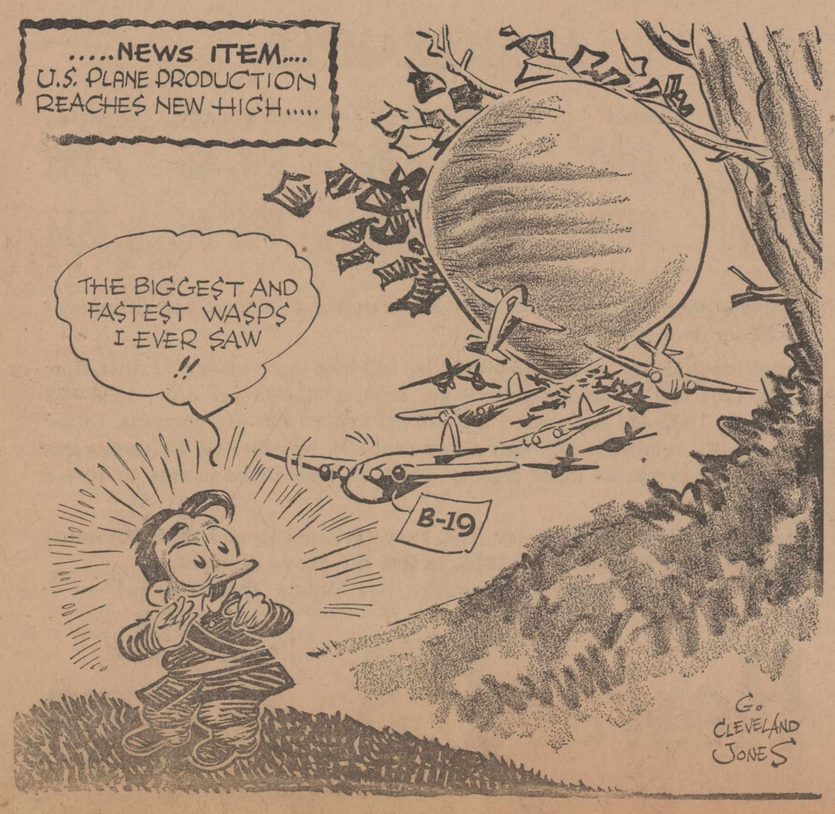
You are lucky to live in a county that voted down that last highway bond issue. Counties like Floyd, Briscoe and several other West Texas counties that voted bonds and got busy with their road building, are now to pay the bill. The law was not extended. That means much higher taxes, too, at a time when taxes will be plenty high otherwise. The gas tax should build the highways. The federal funds will be used to construct military highways.—Donley County Leader.

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• What Of Russia's Power?

It is an ironical commentary on government-in-business that the country's first power shortage is occurring in a region where a government bureau is the dominant factor. And it is an extremely important commentary that the government, when a crisis appears, must turn to private industry to pull its chestnuts out of a fire.—Ben Ezzell in The Sudan News.

Look Who's Getting Stung



That Reminds Me - - -

By RALPH HERBERT

To the American grain farmer, who finds his fortunes affected by adverse conditions in the world market due to the war, it may be a sort of Job's comfort, but recent reports show that the tillers of the land in other countries are in like plight. And perhaps worse off.

Argentina, one of the great cereal rivals of the United States, does not make parity payments to farmers as does the American government, but it does seek to mitigate their situation by purchasing certain amounts of corn. But great quantities of unsold corn are being spoiled, partly by weevils and partly because the grain is getting moldy or is decaying from other causes.

Omitting this spoiled corn and considerable quantities which have been utilized for various purposes within the country, Argentina, nevertheless, has a surplus available for export amounting to about $475,000,000 bushels. A mere trickle of 200,000 bushels was shipped out in April, May and June of this year compared with about 30,000,000 bushels in the same period last year and over 52,000,000 bushels in 1936.

The deadly influence of war has ravaged the European market badly so far as Argentine exports of corn are concerned. Most European countries, doubtless, wanted and needed the corn. Some, like Germany and Italy, were blocked off the seas by the British navy and a like fate later befell customers like Denmark, Holland, Belgium, France and Norway.

In the years 1930-1934, Great Britain's average yearly imports of corn from Argentina were 91,922,000 bushels. Last year they were only 3,487,000.

Germany in previous years averaged 13,687,000 bushels. Last year it got none. Italy averaged 13,339,000 bushels. Last year it got 2,043,000.

Now under German domination, Holland, Denmark, Belgium, Norway and occupied France can be counted as completely lost as markets for Argentine grain. The British blockade will stop any grain going to Hitler-ruled countries.

Odd Bits Of News

Miss Annie Cook of Austin, Tex., for over 30 years lobbied for a sum of money she claimed the state owed her because the University of Texas forced out of business a correspondence school she operated.

Police who found John L. Jones lying on a railroad track near Los Angeles, thought he was dead, and started for the morgue. On the way, Jones raised up and asked what was happening.

Claiming her husband deserted her because she was "too skinny," Mrs. Rita Usatuck won a divorce in domestic relations court in Chicago.

Mrs. M. L. Friedlander of Los Angeles has a contract with a taxi driver that whenever he finds her dog, "Murphy," too far away from home he is to drive him back in his cab.

Eddy Larivee of Montreal received as a wedding present from 90 of his friends a check for $150 made of wallpaper. It was 5 feet long and 21 inches wide, and was honored by a local bank.

Two hitch-hikers who kidnaped him in his own automobile broke Frank Roller's wooden leg and left him on a road near Camden, N. J.

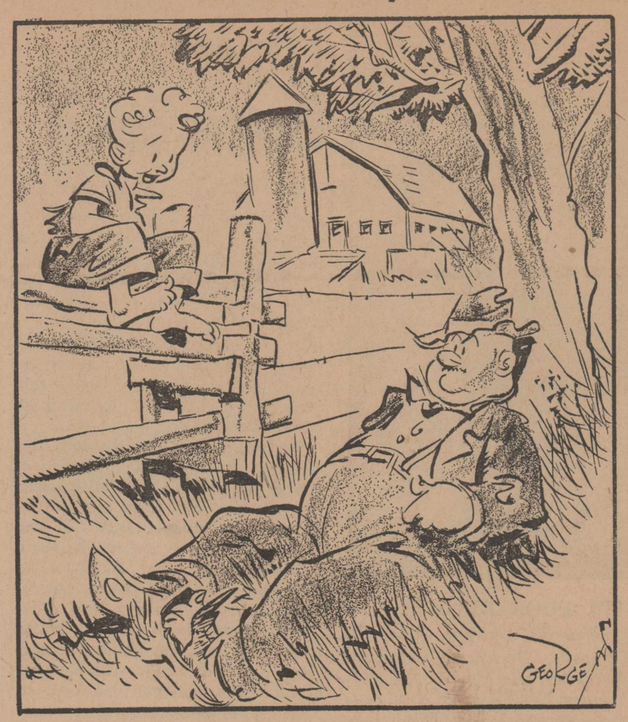
The mayor of Monticello, N. Y., posted this notice on the city's telephone posts: "Garments known as shorts are banned for all but mothers and ladies of comparable age whose discretion the years have ripened."

TEST YOUR I. Q.

1. What American city recently staged a mock "Fifth Column" invasion?
2. How many Danish ships have been taken over by the United States?
3. Who is General Henri Dentz?
4. What is "Alcoholics Anonymous?"
5. In what year were ½-cent stamps first issued?

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The American Family



"I've traveled extensively, too . . . until last summer I thought my dad's silo was the biggest thing in the world That was before I saw the water tower at Centerville

It Happened In . . .

Compiled By ELIZABETH GILLENTINE

1918

(April 26)

Political announcements made to The Leader are: C. N. McClaskey who is announcing his candidacy for re-election to the office of Commissioner of Precinct 2; J. M. Hodges of near Quail, candidate for the office of Treasurer; P. W. Myers for the office of Justice of the Peace.

A revised priority list of regualtion, designed to assure fuel and transportation to industries necessary to the war and essential to the public welfare, has been issued by the war industries board. In a lengthy preferential list, newspapers and periodicals are about half way down the list, but there is no mention of paper mills.

Guy Beasley is home from school at Austin, and has received commission as Lieutenant under Captain Jerry Dalton of Memphis. Col. Will A. Miller of Amarillo has granted permission for a company of cavalry to be raised in Hall and Collingsworth Counties. The company is to be composed of 105 men between the ages of 18 and 25.

The Domestic Science Club presents tonight, (Friday) at the school auditorium, Mrs. L. F. Sheffey in song recital assisted by Miss Vern Thomas, pianist.

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1925

(June 10)

Bill Rasberry and Miss Marjorie Page were married Saturday night, June 6, at the Methodist parsonage, with Rev. J. T. Hicks officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. F. Page of near Shamrock.

Marriage licenses issued included Vivian Pritchard and Dovie Kerby; Clyde Ming and Margie Painter, E. C. Dunaway and Corrine Steward.

Mrs. Annie Armstrong, a resident of Quail, died at her home, June 7. She was 71 years old, and was a native Texan, having been born in the state and lived here all of her life. Services were held at the Methodist Church in Wellington, and burial was made Monday, June 8.

The extension of the Shamrock oil field of fifteen miles brings the field much nearer to Wellington. It furnishes additional proof that the well in the Coon Creek pasture on the Hughes land is likely to be a producer.

Collingsworth County received another good shower last Saturday night and Sunday morning. Measured by a local rain gauge, there was more than an inch. However, it was somewhat lighter in communities of the county.

Ray Wells returned last week from Stephenville where he attended school in John Tarleton Agricultural College. He was a member of the senior class there last year, and expects to enter Simmons University next fall.

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1931

(May 7)

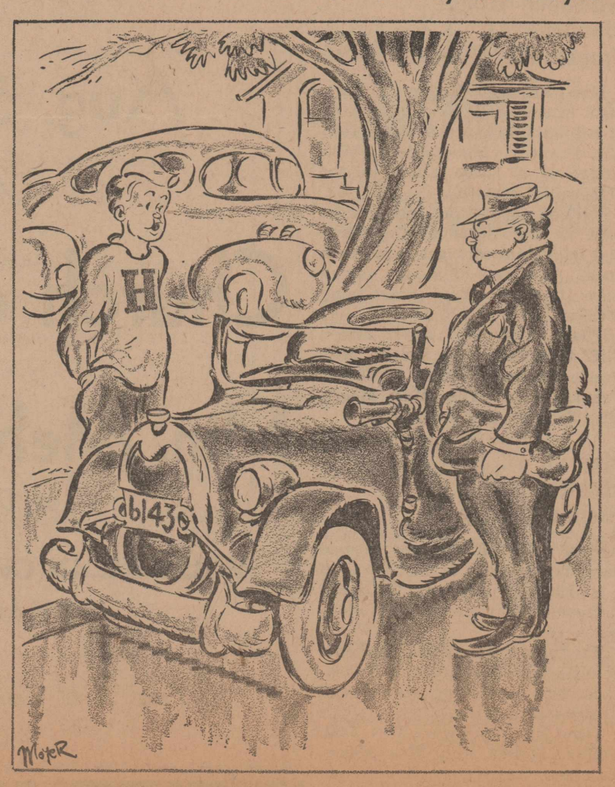
Miss Isla Mae Johnson has been selected as valedictorian of the 1931 Wellington High School Class. Miss Edith Amburn is salutatorian. Ranking third, fourth and fifth are: Miss Dorothy Margaret Cocke, C. C. Small, Jr., and Miss Flora Mims.

Mrs. J. B. Castleberry, chairman of the Better Homes movement in Wellington, has announced that the judging will take place on Saturday, May 9.

Dr. Clifton E. High left Saturday for Chicago for special study at the Chicago Eye, Ear Nose and Throat Hospital. He will remain there for approximately six weeks.

Sixty-nine students will be graduated from Wellington's Junior High School in the graduating exercises to be held May 14 in the high school auditorium. Miss Delia Cowans is sponsor of the class.

TICKLERS . . . . . By Bob Moyer



"It's a deal, Pop. I'll loan you my car for today if you'll let me drive the sedan."

I Saw

—By VIRGINIA ROBEY

The heat and the war are the most discussed topics of the day but I SAW believes that the heat took precedence over the latter the other day when a small, tow-headed and freckle-faced, barefoot boy was going down the sidewalk walking on the sides of his feet.

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Judge Bishop telling about a local man who had his aluminum collected for the drive and piled out under a tree. Then, one morning when he got up, some one had stolen it.

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Frank Jones, who has had paralysis, and been sick for several months, out walking on crutches. He was going pretty slow but looked like he was determined to walk again.

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Junior Williams, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williams, was patriotic even in injuring himself the other day. In shooting his bow and arrow, a red, white and blue sliver on the arrow came off on his thumb just below the nail, and he had to have several stitches taken after the splinter was removed.

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HEARD: that Margaret Moser, formerly of Wellington but who now lives in Borger, said while she was attending the Short Course at College Station and about to burn up with the heat that if she ever got back to the Panhandle, she'd never complain about the sand.

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Mrs. Charlie Harrell weighing on some penny scales. She moved on the scales, and her weight jumped up two pounds, much to her pleasure.

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Mary Katherine Hutcherson and Virginia Lee Fortenberry, parked in the shade enjoying cold drinks.

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Mrs. W. O. Richards and Miss Effie Lee Richards buying some luscious looking peaches.

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Rev. J. P. Neal saying that he heard that Rev. Clyde Hankins, who used to be pastor here and who is now a missionary in Brazil where lots of coffee is raised, said that the price of coffee there is high.

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Tom Caldwell, who decided some time back that we didn't need any more rain, deciding that he was wrong.

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J. F. Elliott, who lives one and one-half miles west of town, and who is the second farmer in the county to report cotton blooms. His cotton was planted in May.

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Three gaily bedecked female hitchhikers trudging south on the highway near Lucky Corner.

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Sue Anderson and Louie Gene Beam horseback riding—on the same horse.

BRIEF TOPICS

"You're old enough to know better," said a Chicago judge when he fined John Janovsky, Sr., $15 and his son, John, Jr., $5 for being intoxicated.

The attendants in the state's insane asylum in Olympia, Wash., encourage the inmates to dance the "jitterbug," believing it uses up energy and keeps patients from brooding.

In Saskatoon, Sask., a free parking lot for baby carriages has been set aside for mothers who wheel their offsprings about on shopping trips.

Cal Hubbard, who weighs 250 pounds is the heaviest umpire in the major leagues, but Ronnie Throgmorton of the South Atlantic League weighs 275.

Lou Salica retained his bantamweight boxing crown by defeating Tommy Forte at Philadelphia in a 15-round bout.

A New York man, jailed on complaint of a woman who said he had blown his horn flirtatiously, explained: "Yes, I was trying to get her attention, but not romantically. She owes me a $2 laundry bill."

Investigating a man's complaint that five letters he had mailed were not delivered, postal authorities in Middletown, N. Y., discovered that the complainant had dropped his letters in a new, green municipal rubbish can.

Byron Jenkins, city treasurer of Ventnor, N. J., won a free vacation trip to Atlantic City for selling insurance. The resort is only a 70-cent trolly ride from Jenkins' home.

Grasshoppers, Flea Hoppers Can Be Killed

Steps should be taken to eradicate the grasshoppers and flea hoppers that are infesting the county, W. K. Cottingame, county agent, said this week.

"Grasshoppers as yet are causing no damage," he said. "But when their principal food crop, consisting of weeds and grass, becomes too tough to eat, they will turn to crops. There is still plenty of poinsoning available for those farmers wanting to destroy grasshoppers at the earliest opportunity."

The migratory grasshopper seems to have left the country, Cottingame said.

"Out of fourteen fields which I visited recently, there were thirteen of them in which were found flea hoppers. I covered twenty-two miles from Fresno across south of town, and over the Wilnulcer area," the agent said.

Destruction of the flea hopper, he said, is through dusting sulphur over the crops. Sulphur may be placed in cheese cloth bags, hung on cultivators or other implements, and drug across the tops of the cotton crops. In case a dusting machine is used, six to ten pounds of sulphur should be used for each application.

Farm Security Notes

By EDNA PETTIT

ON JUDGING QUALITY IN BATH TOWELS

Quality in bath towels has a part in summer time comfort. When the mercury rises everybody wants more baths, more showers, dips in the ocean, swims in the lake, with a good rub down afterwards. A good towel takes up the water and leaves the skin dry and tingling, not moist or sticky.

Fortunately some good-quality towels are inexpensive, although at low price they may not come in every color or design. To judge the right quality towel for her budget, the homemaker needs to know far more than price.

"Before buying any towel, examine the weave, selvages, hems, size, and read all the labels," suggests Mrs. Bess Morrison, textile specialist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. "Compare towels on these points before buying. You will note differences in the quality among towels of the same price, as well as those among varying prices.

"Informative labels on towels are new, and still are not in general use, but it will pay homemakers to look for them," according to Mrs. Morrison. "Such labels may tell the weight of the towel per square yard, the number of loops in a square inch of the pile, the amount of moisture a square yard of the towel will absorb, and the breaking strength of the foundation yarns, both in warp and filling.

In judging these points, the rule is the higher the figure, the better the quality. Information on labels enables the homemaker to select the best towels within a given price range. She can also tell whether higher priced towels are worth the extra money.

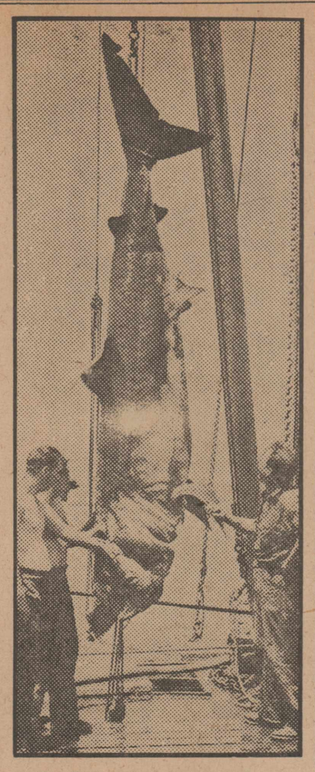
"Then to judge the quality of towels that have no labels—first of all, examine the foundation weave of the towel," suggests Mrs. Morrison. "A close, firm foundation weave will hold the pile yarns securely, while a loose open weave allows the loops to pull out readily."

"Many towels have borders, and the weave in these is another point worth considering. If yarns contrasting in size and color are packed too tightly in these border spaces, they are apt to shrink and draw in when washed."

"Look at the selvages," further suggests Mrs. Morrison. "For good wear, each filling yarn should bind the edge warp yarn. Sometimes the crosswise yarns go almost to the edge—within a yarn or two. This leaves loose floating yarns along the very edge of the towel. These loose yarns catch easily and break."

"Another edge finish that marks poor quality is lockstitching. This finish which resembles machine overcasting, is frequently used over a cut edge. The long lock stitches are apt to catch and break, then the raw edges will fray.

"When shopping for towels consider what sizes will be best for your needs. Until a few years ago every towel manufacturer had his own set of measurements. As a result there were nearly 100 different sizes on the market. Now the number is reduced to six." Towels may be purchased in small, medium and large sizes.



WHALE OF A FISH

Weighing more than 1000 pounds, this whale shark was trapped off Point Lookout, L. I., N. Y. Whale sharks are considered harmless to man.

Defense Bond QUIZ

Q. What is the reason for buying a Defense Bond?

A. To keep America free. To show your faith and pride in your country. To warn foreign dictators that the United States is the strongest country in the world.

Q. But if I do not have enough money to buy a Defense Bond, what can I do?

A. Buy Defense Postal Stamps, on sale almost everywhere. Your post office, bank, department store or druggist has them, or can get them for you, at 10 cents upward. Save enough Stamps to exchange for a Defense Bond.

Weather Cycles Just Aren't

DALLAS. — Weatherman Andrew M. Hamrick recently announced completion of a lengthy study which "indicates conclusively" that there is no such thing as a long-term weather cycle.

His thesis, "50 Years of Weather in Kansas City," will be published by the U. S. Government. It has a bearing on Texas' "Dust Bowl."

Almanacs notwithstanding, Hamrick said, the weatherman's only accurate forecasts are made 24 hours or less in advance. Experts at Massachusetts Technological Institute are experimenting with a "five-day extended forecast," he said, but it "hits" only about 75 per cent of the time.

The Dallas forecaster, transferred here from Kansas City little more than a year ago, had a considerable incentive for his research.

"If I could click with long-range forecasting, I could make a million dollars overnight," he averred. "I'm still driving the old car."

Intrigued by opinions that a five-year drouth in the "Dust Bowl" of Oklahoma, Kansas, Texas and Colorado was periodical in nature, Hamrick and a companion several years ago began plotting temperature and rainfall for the last half-century.

"We didn't find a single evidence of a weather cycle," he asserted. "Rainfall declined in the last five years and average temperature went up, but the movements were highly erratic. They couldn't be depended on as bases for predictions."

The Kansas City conclusion would hold "even more true" at Dallas, or at any other Texas point, the weatherman believed. Texas weather, he revealed, is among the most baffling on the continent because large numbers of factors are involved. One of the biggest factors, available to only a few states, is the Gulf of Mexico.

Twenty-four hour forecasts for Texas now are about 90 per cent accurate, Hamrick said. By connecting these forecasts at intervals of eight hours, he has increased the accuracy figure to more than 95 per cent.

Ted Williams' homer with two on in the ninth inning provided a dramatic finish to the ninth game between all-star teams of the National and American Leagues, the latter wininng, 7 to 5.

Miss Elizabeth Gregory Macgill, 34, who is a cripple from infantile paralysis, is chief engineer of a car and foundry plant in Fort William, Can., that has been designated to turn out fighting planes.

Openings Of 3 County Schools Announced

The opening dates of three county schools, Elm Valley, China Grove and Shinnery, were announced this week by B. W. Beaird, superintendent of Collingsworth County schools.

Elm Valley school is scheduled to open Monday, August 4. Mrs. George Jones will teach this school, and is taking the place of Miss Effie Rankin, who has taught there for the past several years. Trustees are N. C. Fitzgerald and J. E. Walker. Mrs. Jones is a well experienced teacher.

China Grove school began its new year on Monday, July 21, with Miss Anita Hughey again taking the place as teacher. Noble Elder, E. L. Blewer and W. M. Elder are trustees.

Shinnery school opens Monday, August 4, with Miss Honor Tucker of near Hollis, Okla., the new teacher. Miss Tucker is a graduate of the teachers' college at Weatherford, Okla., and is an experienced teacher. Trustees are: W. C. Reeves, Fred Yarbrough, and D. C. Lacy.

Other county schools will announce their opening dates soon, according to Beaird.

Mrs. Hefner Buried Here

Mrs. Florence H. Hefner, who died Thursday night, July 24, in a Plainview hospital, was buried in the Wellington cemetery on Saturday, July 26. She had been ill only a short time.

Mrs. Hefner was buried in the same cemetery in which her husband, who died in 1914, is buried.

The family formerly lived here, and still have many friends and acquaintances in the county.

Surviving are eight children, W. A. and C. O. Hefner, Plainview; J. V. Hefner, Webb City, Mo.; Mrs. Mertie Parott, Henrietta; Mrs. Annie Allison, Willow, Okla.; Mrs. May Thompson, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. G. L. Apperson, Fisk, Texas; Mrs. Nettie Tucker, Pampa.

Also surviving are a sister, Mrs. Julia Shugart, Salpulpa, Okla.; three brothers, George, Roe and Walter Teague, Decatur, and 39 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

The Ellis Funeral Home was in charge of burial arrangements.

Blonstein Goes To Market At Dallas

Leon Blonstein of the B and L Department Store returned this week from Dallas and Fort Worth, where he had attended the openings of the Fall marketing season.

"Prices are definitely up, and that does not mean on one or two types of merchandise, but on everything that is being sold," reported Mr. Blonstein.

"Last week," Mr. Blonstein said, "was especially set aside for the showing of ladies and children's ready-to-wear and accessories. Silks, woolens and velveteens were among the leading materials shown. Black seems to have been chosen as the chief color, although shades of brown and R. A. F. blue are predicted to be popular. As for styles of clothes, jackets and torso lines are both remaining longer."

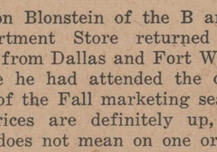
Models displayed clothes from the leading manufacturers of the country, Mr. Blonstein said.

Enis Schaded In Dallas For Market Opening

Mr. and Mrs. Enis Schaded left last week for Dallas and Tyler. He is attending markets in Dallas, and will purchase supplies of ready-to-wear, piece goods, and numerous items for the Hub Store, of which he is the owner.

Mrs. Schaded will visit in Tyler with relatives while gone.

Employees here stated it is probable that Mr. Schaded will go also to market in St. Louis, Mo., before returning.



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GUNS PLAY HIDE AND SEEK

Can you find the gun barrel? It's at the extreme right. Only an expert could find this 37-mm. anti-tank gun, camouflaged for maneuvers at Hunter Liggett Military Reservation, Calif.

Local Health Units Available To 50 Percent Of Texas People

AUSTIN. — Modern scientific health protection by trained workers is the proud heritage of one out of every two Texans.

A short decade ago only one out of every ten Texans had access to similar health services. Four local health units and nine nursing services were scattered over Texas in a sketchy attempt to render localized health protection for 532,000 Texans, a mere 9.1 per cent of the total population. The growth of local health services in Texas in the past decade is a saga of accomplishment in a never-ceasing effort toward positive health. The first fruits of this effort are now apparent.

A recent report shows thirty-one full-time county health services and twenty-two county nursing services are in operation in Texas, rendering localized public health service to 3,001,705 Texans, 46.7 per cent of the entire State's population.

No monetary value can be placed on the savings in lives and increased efficiency and happiness accruing from a modern health program. To the individual these are of first importance, and to the nation they are essential if that nation is to survive in the highly competitive world of today. The cost of these local health services, sponsored jointly with the State Health Department, is negligible in view of the bettered public health standards in the locality which they serve. The steady, assured growth of areas served by county health units is an undeniable evidence of their accepted place in county and municipal affairs. Health protection for its citizens is an obligation of a county as necessary as the more commonly accepted governmental activities: police, the judiciary, education, public welfare, roads.

The basic activities of a county health unit cover the multi-sided phases of public health control scaled to the population and area of a local territory. Communicable disease control (including tuberculosis and veneral disease), maternal, infant and preschool hygiene, school health program, sanitation of milk, water and food supplies, supervision of sewage disposal, collection and tabulation of vital statistics and morbidity reporting, and special studies and control measures for localized problems constitute the broad scope of the county health work.

The minimum personnel of a standard health unit includes a director who is a physician trained in public health, a nurse and a sanitarian trained in public health, a clerk, and other additional personnel as conditions of the county warrant. The State Health Department maintains advisory and consultative control over the local health units, and its trained personnel and facilities are available to all health units for the promotion of an adequate full-time local health program.

Over a period of years the local health unit has been demonstrated to be the most economical and efficient method of administering health service to a local governmental area. It is also the most democratic form of public health dissemination, as the local county retains its control over the unit, with the State Health Department serving merely as an advisory agency.

In the counties where the population or funds are insufficient to allow a full-time health unit, the nursing service has been found to be a fair substitute. A nursing service pays particular attention to the school health program and to maternal and child health for these counties.

A nursing service, however, can only be regarded as the minimum service. In the past many counties which have established services have been impressed with the efficacy of this minimum public health control to the point where full-time county health services were set up.

Recently a new administrative technique has been set up to serve sparsely settled areas. Two or more adjacent counties having a nursing service can be combined into a single health unit with a full-time director and sanitary officers added to the nursing services already established.

Certain additional county areas without either local health services or nursing services support full- or part-time venereal disease clinics administered by the State Health Department. Drugs are furnished free for treatment of syphilis in the indigent. These areas number ten counties and four cities operating such services. bringing to 3,574,607 persons the number of Texans who have access to some local health service operating in cooperation with the State Health Department. This represents 55.6 per cent of the total Texas population.

Mrs. Percy Wells Markets At Dallas During This Week

Mrs. Percy Wells left Saturday night from Childress for Dallas, where she will attend the marketing center and buy fall merchandise for Wells Department Store.

Selections of ready-to-wear, piece goods and other necessary garments and materials will be made by Mrs. Wells in Dallas.

She will visit with her daughter, Miss Leta Fern Wells, while gone.

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Permanent Care Of Cemeteries Goal Says Thomas

A splendid start was made, but the real work is not more than half through. Such was the opinion of those who were in charge of cleaning up the cemeteries.

The eighty or more people who turned out last Friday did excellent work, Dave Thomas commented, but the real motive is to keep the cemeteries in good shape throughout the year.

For that reason we will continue the work on Tuesdays and Fridays for one or two more weeks. After that we will complete our plans for employing a caretaker for the two cemeteries," he said.

Those who would prefer to donate work instead of money are asked to be at the cemetery grounds on Tuesday and Wednesday for the next two weeks. Arrangements have been made to have two men at each cemetery on these days, Mr. Thomas said.

Some cash donations are still coming in, Mr. Thomas added. Those who wish to donate to the fund should bring or send their contributions to Miss Katherine Boverie.

George Shadid Leaves Sunday For Missouri

George Shadid of the Fair Store in Wellington left Sunday for St. Louis and Kansas City, Mo., where he will purchase fall merchandise for the store. Mr. Shadid will probably go on to other points in the east before returning here, it was stated.

Complete selections of ready-to-wear, piece goods and other necessary merchandise are being bought up by Mr. Shadid.

Miss Gordon Holmes, who is the outstanding woman financier of Great Britain, arrived in the United States recently on a business trip.

Mrs. Brigid Elizabeth Hitler, Irish-born wife of Adolf Hitler's half-brother, Alois, has become a member of the British war relief society in New York City.

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Cut—No. 2 cans—3 For ---------- 25¢

HAND SOAP
Palmolive—4 Cakes ---------- 25¢

SYRUP PACK PEACHES
No. 2 1-2— 12c

CONCENTRATED SUPER SUDS
2 large packages— 38c

SHORTENING
Vegetole—8 pound Carton ---------- $1.05

LARD
Bring your bucket—pound ---------- 12¢

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Per lb.— 16¢

BOLOGNA
Per lb.— 16¢

ROAST BEEF
Per lb.— 20¢

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Society News



Cool As A Cucumber

Little Barbara Ann Corchino floats away from the heat. An ice cream cone and a rubber tube raft at Coney Island provide her with a cooling system.

Cagle Family Reunion Held On H. I. Cagle's 76th Birthday Friday

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Cagle were hosts Friday, July 25, at a family reunion celebrating Mr. Cagle's seventy-sixth birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Cagle moved to Collingsworth County in 1913; most of the following years have been spent at Quail. Mr. Cagle served that section of the county as commissioner for a number of years, and has been an active member of the Baptist Church. His many friends and relatives who visited him presented Mr. Cagle with many gifts during the day.

The following were present for the reunion: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cagle and sons, Billy and Buddy, of Hollis, Professor and Mrs. A. P. Cagle and daughter, Marie of Baylor University, Waco, Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Cagle, pastor of Ervay Street Baptist Church, Dallas, and children, Nancy Ann and Richard Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cagle and son, Daryl of Quail, Miss Daisy Cagle, of Quail, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Simmons of South Plains and children, Elena, Lorna, Jeane, Merle, Lindel, Ivy, Jimmie and Sanford, Jr., Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Tennison and children, Ramona, Bobby and Isaac. Rev. Tennison is pastor of Southside Baptist Church, Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Melton and daughter, Linda May, Mrs. A. R. West, sister of Mrs. H. I. Cagle.

Mrs. T. T. Fain, Mrs. Oldham And Family Honored

Mrs. T. T. Fain, member of the Baptist Church for almost 43 years, and her daughter, Mrs. Bob Oldham and family were honored last Wednesday evening by the church members following prayer meeting. Mrs. Fain and Mrs. Oldham will leave soon for Canyon where they will join Mr. Oldham to make their home.

Mrs. Fain has been a member of the Baptist Church, organized in 1891 and this year observing it's fiftieth birthday, longer than any member living in Wellington. She has been an active member of the Missionary Union since 1914. Mrs. Fain has lived in the county for 49 years, but did not join the women's organization until they moved to town.

The church members as a whole presented Mrs. Fain, Mrs. Oldham and Zorene Oldham each with gifts. The social hour was held in the basement. Mrs. Stella Mattox, Mrs. T. E. Benge, Judge C. C. Bishop, Mrs. R. W. Brantley and Mrs. John McClure each made short talks and paid tribute to Mrs. Fain's and Mrs. Oldham's work in the church.

Refreshments were served to a large attendance.

Kelso Ensemble To Visit In Levelland

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso and the Kelso Ensemble will visit next week end in Levelland with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Elliott. Mrs. Elliott, teacher of public school music in Wellington during the past few years, instructed the girls in voice.

Those to make the trip will be Misses Virginia Bledsoe, Faye Moore, Dora Elizabeth Clark, Dorothy Holcomb, Allene Raburn, and Mr. and Mrs. Kelso.

The first United States national park was established at Hot Springs, Ark., in 1832.

Miss Madell Stanley And Paul Morgan Marry At Sayre

Miss Madell Stanley and Mr Paul Morgan were united in marriage July 18, at Sayre, Okla., with the Rev. W. T. Cost, Baptist pastor, reading the ceremony.

Mrs. Morgan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Stanley of Lutie and was reared in that vicinity. She attended school in Wellington and made her home in Shamrock for a number of years.

Mr. Morgan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Morgan of Shamrock and attended Shamrock schools. He is associated with the Tisdal Truck and Implement Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan are at home at 807 1-2 North Wall street in Shamrock.

Mrs. C. Simpson Shower Honoree On Thursday

Mrs. Joe Rountree of Lutie was hostess Thursday, July 24, at a stork shower honoring Mrs. Claude Simpson. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Earl Hunter, Mrs. Walter Deger and Mrs. Bill Melton.

The chief floral decoration was a blue bowl, containing water lilies, which was placed in the center of the lace-covered dining table. Roses in varied colors and marigolds were used in the bouquets which decorated the entertaining rooms. Mrs. Horace Small served the punch.

The honoree received many lovely gifts.

Attending were: Mmes. Stanley Whitson, C. F. Hyman, Tom Poteet, S. M. Poteet, Judge Holton, Jack Lowry and Harriet Maria, Henry Davidson, Rufus Sweat and Dorris Clo, Jason Young, C. L. Lowry, Eugene Glenn, Tom Whitson and Mike Glenn, J. I. Ammons, W. A. Bennett, Richard Wischkaemper, Robert Blassingame, J. L. Deger, Jess Deger, R. C. Bryan, L. E. Kizer, Joe West, George Mahaffey, J. L. Alexander, L. T. Alexander, Donnie Ammons, Wesley Ammons, Elsie Turner, George Deger, Theresa Johnson, Luther Ray Irwin, Jim Light, Austin Deger, J. W. Deger, Ernest Tate, H. O. Wiles, Robert McWhirter, Floy Husband, Ed Julian, Floyd Thompson, John Walker, Small, and

Misses Viola Hyman, Leota Ammons, Jeynell Deger, Lois Simpson, and the hostesses, Mmes. Rountree, Hunter, Melton and Deger.

Sending gifts were: Mmes. C. R. Preuit, Shy Morgan of Amarillo, Earl Brashears, Ike Rogers, Lee Roark, John Daffron, W. E. Browning, Joe Terry, John Holton, Elmer Smith, Paralee Coleman, Dick Wiley, Frances Hicks, W. O. Scott, L. O. Tucker, N. E. Willard, P. M. Simpson, Vernon Crossland, Cecil Isbell, Bert Shaw, T. R. Cunningham, Grover Robey, Margarete McCampbell, Pink Sullivan, Guy Bumpass, Robert Johnson, Grant Jolley, Lola White, Jess Young, W. C. Ketner, E. D. Whitson, J. M. Tindall, Shamrock, Hob Hart, Kenneth Johnson, Riley Garner and Misses Patsy Roark and Inez Leach.

Nearly 2,000 publications in the United States are devoted to business and trade interests.

County Woman Possessor Of Antique Furniture Also Preserves Model T Ford Many Years

The story is old but the car is too. The story came to light this week of the sale of a bright and shining 1927 Model T Ford, but it also brought to light other interesting facts concerning a gracious blue-eyed lady, who has lived in Collingsworth County the same number of years The Leader has been published.

The black sedan had been in the possession of Mrs. Maggie Donnell for nine years when she sold the car. It had been driven less than 500 miles. Mrs. Donnell said her late husband, Jacob Donnell, bought the car because it had a hand gas feed. The Donnells had made only one trip when Mr. Donnell's eye sight became bad. He died soon after and the car was stored in the barn on their farm south of Wellington.

Wanted For Relic

Several years later the car was brought to town for a prospective buyer who wanted the car to keep for a relic because of its good condition and model number. They could not reach an agreement on the sale so once more the car was stored. A tarpaulin was always carefully stretched over the car to preserve the newness of the paint and upholstering. Mrs. Donnell said the car had lights inside and shades but did not have a speedometer to register the mileage.

Mrs. Donnell sold the car two years ago to Tom Cornelius of Dodson. Mr. Cornelius bought the car for the same reason Mr. Donnell had bought it, the hand gas feed. Similar circumstances kept him from driving the car, his eye sight became poor, so he sold it. The Model T which looks as new as some of the streamlined models of today is now giving service to another owner, Tom Underwood of Dodson, who drives it back and forth to Hollis each day where he works

Resident 32 Years

Mrs. Maggie Donnell, seventy-eight years old, resident of this county since 1909, came here from Clay County. She was born and reared in Grayson County, her parents settling in Texas before she was born after making the trip from Virginia in a wagon.

She recalled her early life in Grayson County following the death of her father, who was drug to death by a horse, when the oldest of the seven children was fifteen. They had their home and 500 acres of land but there were many hardships although they always had plenty to eat. She said sometimes they were out of flour for they did not have their father to make the long trip to San Antonio to get flour which was sold in barrels at that time. She remembered her mother making her a pair of shoes when she was seven years old.

After Mr. Donnell died nine years ago she stayed on for several years at their farm south of Wellington at the Childress County line near the highway. For the last few years she has been living at 201 Fifteenth street.

Clock 30 Years Old

Treasuring a beautiful solid walnut bed which she started housekeeping with, Mrs. Donnell said she had been offered $100 for it, but she didn't need the money and the bed meant more to her than the money. Among other interesting old pieces are a walnut occasional table and dresser with marble top. She has a wall clock which her father paid $7.50 for before she was born. With the exception of a few minor repairs the clock has been running for over eighty years.

Mrs. Donnell has one son, Chas. Donnell, and one daughter, Mrs. Jesse Hunsaker. They both live in this county.

Mrs. Donnell was smiling when she said she thought her furniture and hand woven matting rugs would outlast her but that she was staying right with them.

Birthday Party At Gibbons Home Wednesday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibbons were hosts at a birthday party and ice cream supper honoring their son, Dug, and granddaughter, Nellie Mae Stubbs of El Centro, California, on their birthdays, July 23.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gibbons and baby daughter, Nancy, Mrs. W. H. Murdock and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dug Gibbons and Oscar Molton, all of Wellington, Mrs. Charley Stubbs and children of El Centro, Calif., Ted Kenith and J. H. Downs, Leonard and R. H. Gibbons, Misses Opal and Billie Jean Gibbons and hosts.

Monroe Family Holds Family Reunion Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Monroe, with their two daughters and their families had a family reunion in the park at Mangum, Okla., Sunday, July 27. The family enjoyed a picnic dinner and all-day outing.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dayton and daughters, Phyllis Gail and Jo Ann of Mission, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers, Wayne and Janis of Vinson and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Monroe, now living in Kilgore, were unable to attend.

In the United States, industry spends about $200,000,000 annually in research work.

Mr. And Mrs. D. C. Brooks Observe Seventy-Second Anniversary

Three events were celebrated on Sunday, July 27, when Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Brooks observed their seventy-second wedding anniversary, Mr. Brooks' ninety-fifth birthday, and their great granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Darvin Nix, celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary.

The anniversary dinner was held at the home of E. W. Blain. Among the many gifts received by Mr. and Mrs. Brooks was a lovely bouquet presented by the Christian Church.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Brooks, Estelline, Twiggs Brooks, Estelline, Gentry Brooks, Amarillo, Mrs. J. M. Lane, Memphis, Mrs. M. E. Foster, E. W. Blain, Miss Donnitta Blain, and Mr. and Mrs. Darvin Nix.

Sock Yarn Arrives For Red Cross Knitters

Mrs. John W. Harper, Red Cross production chairman for Collingsworth County, announced the arrival of sock yarn for Red Cross knitters to use in making socks. She said the yarn was available at her home or would be distributed from the sewing room at the County courthouse on Wednesday afternoons of each week.

She also stated that much credit was due the Wellington and Samnorwood Home Economics departments and the Dodson women who have aided so generously in knitting and making garments.

A. H. Reneaus Invite Friends To Celebration

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Reneau will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday, August 3, at their home in Wellington. The couple will hold open house from 3 to 5 o'clock. A program has been planned and Mr. and Mrs. Reneau expressed a desire for all of their friends to call during those hours.

All the Reneau children are expected to be present for the occasion, coming from Alabama, California and points over Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Reneau are longtime residents of this county.

Yarbroughs Hosts At Dinner For Young People

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yarbrough were hosts at a dinner Sunday, July 27, given for the young people of the Shinnery community.

Attending were Valarie White, Helen Adkins, Noma Lee Hively, Dora Mae Crawford, Buck Creek, Louise Bettis, Reda Jane Hughey, Ellen Adkins, Anita Hughey, Bertie Keesee, Lillie Mae Sorrells, Juanita Sorrells, Lavan Hively, J. K. Porter, Elbert Bettis, Junior Hughey, Hollis Porter, Albert Bettis and R. L. Porter.

W.S.C.S. To Can Peaches For Orphan's Home

Monday was the final scheduled meeting of the Methodist W.S.C.S., but will not be the end of their summer's work. Members voted to can peaches for the Waco Orphan's Home. B. W. Boarman will give the peaches and the organizations will give their work.

Mrs. A. V. Cocke was program chairman for Monday's meeting and introduced Mrs. Floyd Thompson, district president, who gave the devotional. Mrs. A. B. Mears sang a vocal solo accompanied by Mrs. L. E. Gribble.

The refreshments committee, Mrs. J. A. Leach, Mrs. Walter Campbell, Mrs. Tom Campbell and Mrs. J. L. Beard, served refreshments at the close of the program.



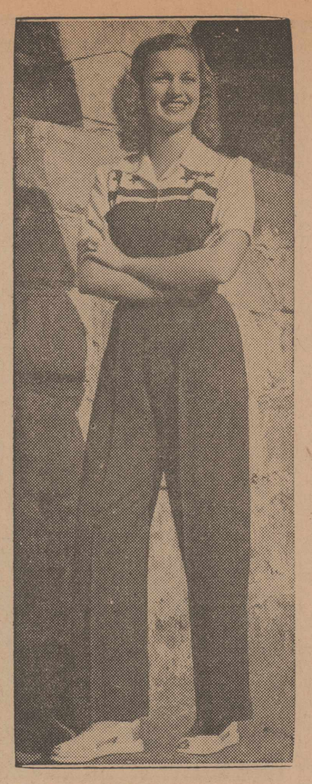
Mrs. Waymond Moody

who was before her marriage Saturday, Miss Freda M. Wall. She is the daughter of L. A. Wall of Dalhart. Mrs. Moody attended school in Wellington, graduating in 1940.

Freda M. Wall Bride Of Waymond Moody

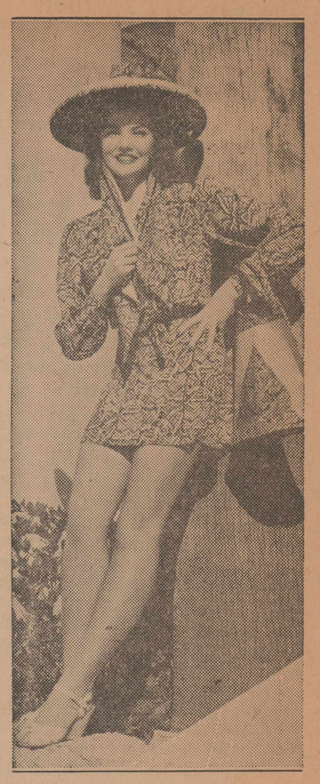
Miss Freda M. Wall, daughter of L. A. Wall of Dalhart, and Waymond Moody were married Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, July 26. The wedding took place at the Methodist parsonage with the Rev. H. Doyle Ragle reading the vows. Only a few relatives and friends were in attendance.

The bride graduated from Wellington High School in the class of 1940. During her high school years she served as class officer on two occasions. Before moving to Dalhart in June to make her home she was a member of the N.Y.A. project.



Cobina Wright, Jr.,

Twentieth Century-Fox starlet, goes in for patriotic cottons for her vacation. Miss Wright wears a slack suit of blue cotton combined with white, the white yoke being trimmed with red braid and stars.



It's A Lovely

and unusual cotton play suit that Gene Tierney, film starlet, wears for a seaside vacation. The suit has a long-sleeved blouse and pleated shorts, fashioned from cotton that has been printed in brown and white after the pattern of a South Sea tapa cloth.

Shower Honors Mrs. White At Raburn Home Wednesday

Mrs. O. B. Raburn, Mrs. Dee Coleman and Mrs. Joe Rountree were hostesses Wednesday, July 23, honoring Mrs. Sam White with a stork shower at the Raburn home.

Entertainment for the occasion was furnished by the Kelso Quartet composed of Misses Dorothy Holcomb, Faye Moore, Allene Raburn and Virginia Bledsoe. They sang "Mighty Like a Rose," "Kentucky Babe," and "Start the Day Right."

The guests calling were invited to see the display of gifts and then served refreshments. Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Rountree presided at the dining table which was centered with an arrangement of pink roses and sweet peas. Pink and white colors were used in all the floral decorations and appointments.

Miss Allene Raburn presided at the register. The following names were registered: Mmes. Earl Hunter, T. T. Fain, Henry Davidson, Tom Cunningham, Carrie Simmons, W. M. Tucker, Robert Turner, Bill Melton, Claude Simpson, D. G. Mahaffey, E. B. Haralson, J. P. Simmons, John Cristoff, Geo. Clark, Jack Lowry, Rufus Sweat, Jesse Deger, Jimmie Kelso, Roy Duncum of Duncan, Okla., Misses Dorothy Holcomb, Faye Moore, Allene Raburn, Virginia Bledsoe, honoree and hostesses.

Gifts were sent by a number of friends who were unable to attend.

Patsy Ann Patton Celebrates Fourth Birthday Friday

Mrs. Raymond Patton entertained Friday, July 25, for her daughter, Patsy Ann, to celebrate her fourth birthday.

The children were entertained from 4:30 until 6 o'clock with outdoor games. They were served pink and green decorated cake and ice cream.

Those present were Mary Ann Hunter, Rosalyn Brewer, Richard Owens, Jimmie Wilson, Jimmie Kern, Pat Kern, Donald Rummel, Lynn Love, Tommy Bryant, Jr., Nancy and Betty Elliott, Betty Karnes, Danny and Charles Dickens, Anita Lou Savage, Lyle Boon Martin, Paul Bell, Jr., Donald Ray Raburn, Eddie Slay, honoree, Patsy Ann Patton and hostess, Mrs. Patton.

Boverie-Sweeney Wedding Date Announced Here

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Sweeney, 2243 Westminster Road, Cleveland, Ohio, recently announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Eileen to Dr. Robert "Pete" Boverie, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Boverie.

Miss Sweeney is a graduate of Ursurline Academy and of the Nursing School of Charity Hospital.

Dr. Boverie is an alumnus of Texas Technological College and received his M. D. degree from the University of Texas Medical School in Galveston where he was a member of the Phi Beta Pi fraternity. He is a resident radiologist at Charity Hospital in Cleveland.

Dr. Boverie arrived in Wellington Thursday for a three weeks vacation with his sister, Miss Katherine Boverie, and Mrs. A. C. Boverie and family. He will return to Cleveland a week before the wedding which will take place on August 23.

Fresno W.S.C.S. Meets At Kesler Home

Members of the Fresno Methodist W.S.C.S. met in the home of Mrs. C. A. Kesler Monday afternoon. The regular business session and missionary program were held.

Those attending were Mrs. S. E. Elmore, Mrs. Hayden Williams, Mrs. J. A. Killian, Mrs. J. L. Black and hostess.

Lora June Long Honoree At Park Friday Afternoon

Mrs. Ralph Long honored her daughter, Lora June, with a party at the park Friday, July 25. The children played outdoor games from 2:30 to 4:30 o'clock. Refreshments were served late in the afternoon.

Those present were J. R. Godby, Rudolph Cook, Virginia Thomas, Bertie Lee Long, Jo Ann Thomas, Shirley Williams, Bobbie Louise Templeton, honoree, Lora June and hostess.

Mrs. J. L. Gladney Entertains Sunday School Class

Mrs. J. L. Gladney of Lillie entertained her young married couples class of the Christian Church of Wellington last Tuesday evening. Mrs. Gladney served the group an old fashioned chicken dinner. Following dinner the members of the class gathered peaches which were canned at the Church Wednesday for the orphans' home.

Those enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cornwell and Patty, Mr. and Mrs. Zook Thomas, and John Alf, Miss Ada Lee Gladney and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gladney, hosts.

Cape Jasmine Blossoms Grown In Wellington

Hard to believe but true. Mrs. Morris Wells was displaying a bouquet of Cape Jasmine blossoms in town Tuesday which she had grown in her back yard. It is generally believed that this glossy leafed shrub, originating in China and Japan, could not be grown in this part of the state. However, Mrs. Wells brought the shrub from Tyler last fall and has protected it from the wind and cold.

This week she was rewarded for her careful work by gathering eleven perfect blossoms resembling the gardenia. These are of the gardenia family and are oftentimes called gardenias and sold as such on the streets in Mexico and the southern states.

C. C. Small, Jr. Joins Austin Law Firm August 1

Clint, Small, Jr., attorney in the General Land Office for the past two years, and former Wellington boy, has resigned effective August 1, and will join his father, the former Senator Clint Small, Sr., in the law firm of Small and Arney in Austin. Announcement of Small's resignation recently was accompanied by the appointment of Jack Sears of Austin.

Born in Wellington Nov. 13, 1914, Small played football and graduated from Wellington High School in 1931. Shortly afterwards the family moved to Amarillo, where he attended the Amarillo Junior College from 1931 to 1933, entering the University of Texas in the spring of 1933. He finished work on his B. B. A. degree two years later and entered the law school of the University of Texas in 1936. While attending the University, he played football for several years, and was captain of the Longhorn team in 1936. He was a member of the Chancellors, an honor society in the law school and worked on the Law Review.

He practiced law in Amarillo for several months after his graduation, and went to work as an attorney in the General Land Office in September, 1939, which position he has held until his resignation.

Small is the grandson of Mrs. E. H. Small, a nephew of Mrs. Cleo Templeton and a cousin of Mrs. Deskins Wells.

LILLIE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

Sunday school was well attended at Lillie Sunday morning. We invite every child in the community to come and be with us at Sunday School.

Miss Beatrice Brown, Miss Betty Storp and Miss Dorothy Williams of Duncan, Okla., and Miss Kathaleen Wilkins of Lawton, Okla., visited Mrs. S. E. Brown this week. Miss Beatrice Brown is Mrs. Brown's granddaughter.

Lieut. L. M. Kelling of Camp Walters, New Mexico, visited in the L. D. McMinn home Sunday.

Miss Lola Mae McMinn of Childress visited in the L. D. McMinn home Sunday.

J. W. Haralson of Nocona, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Aaron, Mrs. Velma Aaron, and Mrs. Ione Jones visited in the Conrad Cass home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black and Miss Nila Woodman visited in the O. M. Hall home at Quail Sunday.

Crops in the Lillie community are beginning to look real good. The farmers surely have been busy the past week.

Mrs. Jack Rogers of Houston visited in the O. R. Spears home Monday.

A. J. Ashton of Abernethy, Jess Ashton of Burkbrnett and John Ashton of Randlett, Okla., visited in the G. D. Thomas home Sunday.

All the young folks in Lillie community enjoyed a social at the Rob Isbell home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Thomas, Mrs. Jack Martin and Mrs. Zook Thomas attended the burial of Mrs. Joe Hefner of Plainview which was held in Wellington Friday afternoon. Our heart's sympathy goes out to the Hefner family in their time of grief.

SWEARINGEN

By W. A. ANTHONY

Farmers are all very busy trying to kill the weed crop that infests most of the fields. However, with one or two more weeks of fair weather, most everyone will be out of the weeds and will be almost ready to lay by their crops. Cotton has begun blooming in some fields and in a few more days, blooms will be on most all of the cotton except a few extremely late patches.

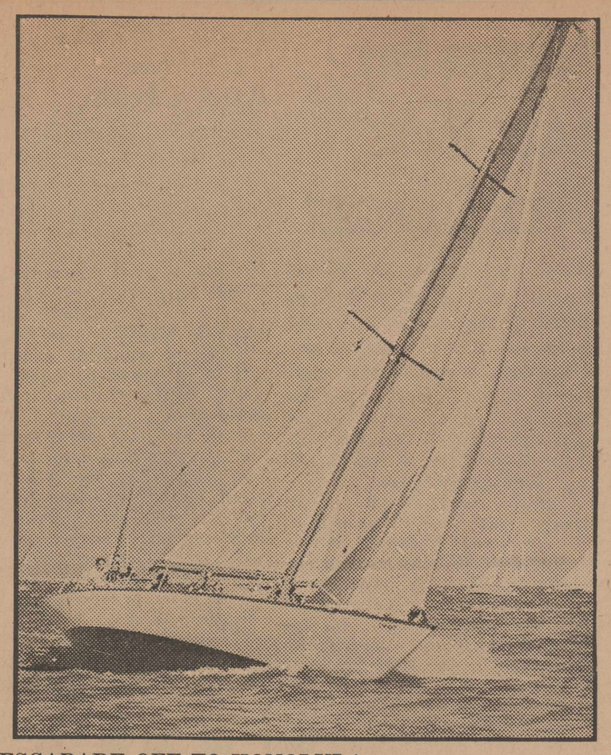
A Baptist revival is in progress this week at Swearingen, with nice crowds present. As soon as it is over the Church of Christ plans to begin a protracted meeting to last 10 days. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Carl Stout and daughter, Monaree, spent last week end at Brownfield with Mrs. Stout's father, Mr. Orcutt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bowman spent Sunday at Parnell at the bedside of Mrs. Bruce, mother of Mrs. Bowman, who has been in poor health for some time.

Frank Skaggs, Edward Skaggs and Earl Osborn came home from Tulia Friday. They have been working there in the wheat harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brown have returned home from Canyon, where they attended school this summer.



ESCAPADE OFF TO HONOLULA

Off to a good start in the 18th Honolulu yacht race, the Escapade leads a field of seven as the race begins at Long Beach, Calif.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
H. H. Neeley, Minister
10:00 a. m.—Bible School.
10:45 a. m.—Communion.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
7:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship.

METHODIST CHURCH
J. Edmund Kirby, Pastor
Doyle Ragle, Asst. Pastor
(Sunday)
Church School—10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a. m.
Epworth League—7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship—8:15 p. m.
(Monday)
W.S.C.S.—Ruth Anderson and Mae Wess Bell Circles, 3.00 p. m.
Hester Dale West Circle, 2:00 p. m.
Stewards—4th Monday night each month.
(Wednesday)
Choir—7:30 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Floyd McCleskey, Pastor
The Friendly Church—400 North El Paso Street.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching service.
6:30 p. m.—Christ's Ambassadors.
7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic.
Mid-week meeting is held each Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m. The Young People's Meeting is held each Saturday night at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
J. P. Neal, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, C. C. Bishop, Supt.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Preaching Service.
6:45 p. m.—Training Union, J. W. McCracken, director.
8:00 p. m.—Evening Preaching Service.
8:00 p. m., Wednesday—Prayer Meeting.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
J. R. Lawson, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Church, 11 a. m.
Evening services, 8:30 p. m.
Wednesday evening service, 8:30 p. m.

DODSON NAZARENE CHURCH
E. P. Akin, Pastor
Regular Sunday Services:
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Preaching Service, 11 a. m.
Evening Service NYPS, 6:30 p. m.
Preaching, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday night.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST
Arlington Street
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Church, 11 a. m.
J. B. Barnes, pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
James W. Reynolds, Minister.
Bible Study, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 10:45 a. m.
Communion, 11:45 a. m.
Young People's Class, 7 p. m.
Preaching, 8 p. m.
Ladies Bible Class, Monday, 3 p. m.
Mid-week service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Hadley A. Hall, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Church School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
7:15 p. m.—Young People's Service.
8:00 p. m.—Evangelistic Hour.
Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Dr. James M. Wattam
announces the practice of Medicine & Surgery
in Wellington
office over Palace Drug Store
res. ph. 299 office ph. 40

Health Experiment Carried To Borger For More Display

Two cages of white rats, which until last week have been on display in the West Texas Utilities Company window, were carried Monday to Hutcherson County, where Miss Margaret Moser, county home demonstration agent, will continue the health experiment. The experiment was begun here by Miss Rose Erisman, county home demonstration agent, with the purpose of showing the public the importance of health insofar as national defense was concerned.

At the time of their departure, the rats, the reactions of which, scientifically, closely resemble those of people, were showing great differences in appearance because of the diets which had been fed them. Those receiving proper foods were healthy and normal, but those whose foods were unbalanced had dull eyes, roughed-up fur, and showed an unusual amount of nervous energy.

Miss Moser will continue the nutrition experiment, carrying the rats on to the point where they contract disease due to lack of proper diets.

Miss Moser is a former Collingsworth County demonstration agent.

Roberts Finishes Flying School

Reminded that they are members of "one great team whose slogan must be teamwork," Pvt. Cloice M. Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roberts, 1500 E. Ave., Wellington, Texas, and 280 other young men comprised the latest class to receive graduation diplomas at the U. S. Army Air Corps "radio university," Scott Field, Ill.

Pvt. Roberts completed the 22-week radio operators and mechanics course at the department of communications and may now be assigned to any air corps station in the country, qualified for duty with tactical units, according to Col. Wolcott P. Hays, commandant.

Pvt. Roberts arrived Sunday for a visit here with his parents during a 15-day furlough.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many kindnesses tendered us during the illness and death of our daughter and granddaughter, Tommy Jean McCarver. We especially thank the nurses and doctors for their untiring help.

We shall always be grateful for the floral offerings and for the food prepared by our friends.

The Edgar Family.



LETTERS From the PEOPLE

(Editor's Note: The Leader will gladly publish any acceptable article which is submitted by readers, provided the articles are signed by the readers and are free from libelous or malicious contents. The opinions expressed here, however, do not necessarily reflect the opinions of this newspaper.)

Camp Bowie, Texas

Mr. Deskins Wells,
c|o Wellington Leader,
Dear Deskins:

I have read a few letters from the Wellington Leader about our camp here in Brownwood, Texas. I would like to tell you a few things about it myself. I have about 87 men from Amarillo, Texas, here in Hdq. Co. There are just 137 enlisted men and six officers. Lt. William A. Cheshire is the Company Commander.

Deskins, the civilians don't seem to realize the seriousness of the times. We boys here in camp think it is pretty serious. I hope we don't have to go to any foreign port, but if we do, we will be ready to protect this glorious and free country of ours. We boys are all glad and proud to have the privilege to to do this instead of our fathers having to go and fight for us again. I know every father in this country would much rather go and leave the young men of this country here. I am proud to be in the position to try to repay the debt that the soldiers of 1917 and 1918 had to pay in the last war. We have the best regiment in the 36th Division. We have one of the finest regimental commanders in this country, Col. Nat Perrine, Sr. Every man in his regiment is just like his own son. We will follow our commander any place and into any country that the President sees fit to send us.

We get up every morning about 5 o'clock, and eat breakfast at 5:45. We go to communications school nearly every day that we are not in the field. We come in to the company area at 11:30 o'clock and get ready for chow. After noon we go out to the field and set up our field communications. Radio, telephone, telegraph sets, and walkie talkie sets are our means of communication. We furnish all communications for the 142nd Infantry. Our company is split up into four parts. We have a regimental section and three battalion sections. The battalion sections keep the Regimental Command Post informed of the enemy activities.

There isn't much more to say about the camp only we are glad to be here instead of our dads. We hope if the time ever comes when we will have to protect this country that we may have a part in it. I know that God will watch over us and help us keep this country free of all "isms" except Americanism.

Deskins, the most important ceremony we have down here is Retreat. We soldiers in America as well as all the possessions of the United States pay tribute to the boys who didn't come back, at the same time every day. We are glad to stand there at attention while the band plays.

If you have the time we would like to hear from you. We think you are one of the many people who appreciate what the young men of this country are doing to be ready to meet any force that might try to come into this country.

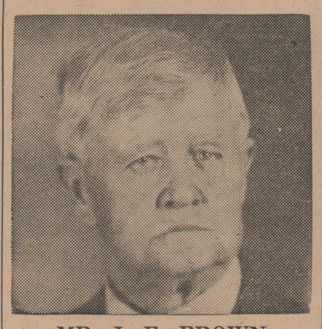
Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain

Your friend,
First Sgt. D. M. Blanton, Jr.
Reg. Hdq. Co., 142nd Inf.

Hoyt's Compound Truly Remarkable Texas Man Claims

It Regulated my Bowells, Corrected a Nervous Condition, Ended Indigestion, This Aged Fort Worth Resident Tells

Seventy-Year-Old Mr. J. F. Brown, 305 Mills St., Ft. Worth, Texas, states: "For 20 years I suffered with constipation and indigestion which seemed to get worse each day. I had a dull, lazy feeling, spots before my eyes, and severe dizzy spells. Indigestion became so bad that all I ate would sour in my stomach, followed by gas pains, belching and bloating. I lost weight.



MR. J. F. BROWN

"I'm glad I tried Hoyt's for now my bowels are regular and normal. Other discomforts have disappeared, including my nervous condition. I have gained weight, and am, indeed, a new man. I eat without distress, I sleep perfectly. Hoyt's has brought me good health, for which I am most thankful!"

Hoyt's Compound is recommended and sold by the Parsons Drug Store and by all leading druggists. Adv



TAKE A PEEK AT A JUMPING JEEP

Camouflaged with mistletoe and grass pasted on with flour and water, this army jeep sets out from Fort Ord, Calif., for maneuvers at the Hunter Liggett Military Reservation.

Answers To TEST YOUR I. Q.

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1. Anderson, S. C.
2. Thirty-nine ships.
3. Commander of Vichy forces in Syria.
4. A non-drinking society for ex-alcoholics.
5. In 1925.

Norwegian railways are experimenting with a new type of locomotive that has pulled 300-ton trains up the steepest grades at a speed of 60 kilometers an hour.

Local Singers To Meet Sunday At Christian Church

Wellington's regular first Sunday singing will be held August 3 at the First Christian Church in Wellington, according to Bob Spears. The song service will start at 2:30 p. m. and will last throughout the afternoon. A splendid crowd is expected for the occasion, Mr. Spears said.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindnesses during the illness and death of our precious mother, Susan Clementine Eads.

Your sympathy has made this sad time easier to bear. We will always be grateful to each of you. We also thank you for the lovely floral offerings and food brought during this time.

Accept our thanks for your many comforting words and deeds.

R. H. Eads,
B. F. Eads,
W. A. Eads,
Mrs. Fred Walker,
Mrs. Walter Grant.

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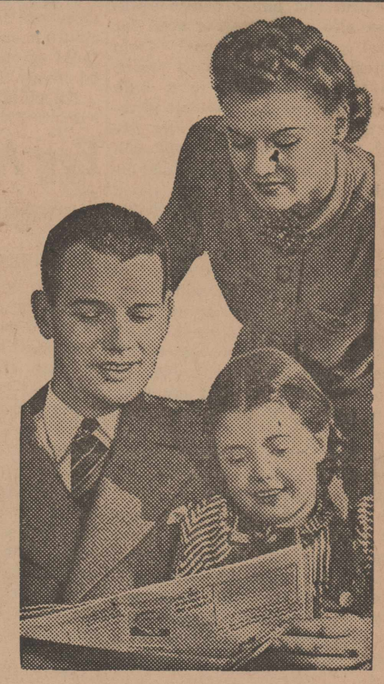
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Here's What I Expect An Advertisement To Tell Me!



"Where Can I Buy It?"

Naturally, one of the first things I want to know about something I see in an ad is—where can I buy it? It isn't simply a matted of convenience and of saving time in planing my shoping, either! No, the name of the merchant, itself, often decides whether I buy or not. Invariably, you see, I give preference to stores whose ads I see regularly and often— I know the stores must have good value or they couldn't go on advertising year after year!

"What Will It Do For Me?"

I find it so much easier to make up my mind when the ad tells me facts about the merchandise! What is it? What will it do? How will it help me? Why do I need it? I want to know about color, weight, texture, material, style—I enjoy reading those things and I usually buy from the merchants who tells them to me.

"How Much Is The Price?"

Of course nearly every ad mentions the price, but if an item has been marked down I want to know from how much. So many sale ads say 'Was Higher' . . . how much higher? I want to know how much I am saving and I want the chance of deciding for myself if the item is a real value or not. I have more confidence in the store that is consistently truthful and buy from such a store regularly—and my husband says an old customer is worth three new ones because new ones cost additional money to get!"

Read The Ads In THE WELLINGTON LEADER— All Of Them Help You To Wise-Spending—Most Of Them Help You To Make Wise Savings, Too!

"Rest" Important For Defense, Doctor Warns

AUSTIN.—"The implication of the word "rest" in "restore" is of great importance to Texans in our present defense program," declares Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Hot summer weather added to extra-heavy production schedules and strenuous labor places a debilitating load on our population.

At this time adequate rest is of greater importance to all of us than in previous years. Rest is the opportunity the body takes to rebuild and repair the tissues impaired in their efficiency by fatigue. In other words, the sum total of our individual physical fitness is measured by the resiliency of our faculties to return to normal after a depleting day's work.

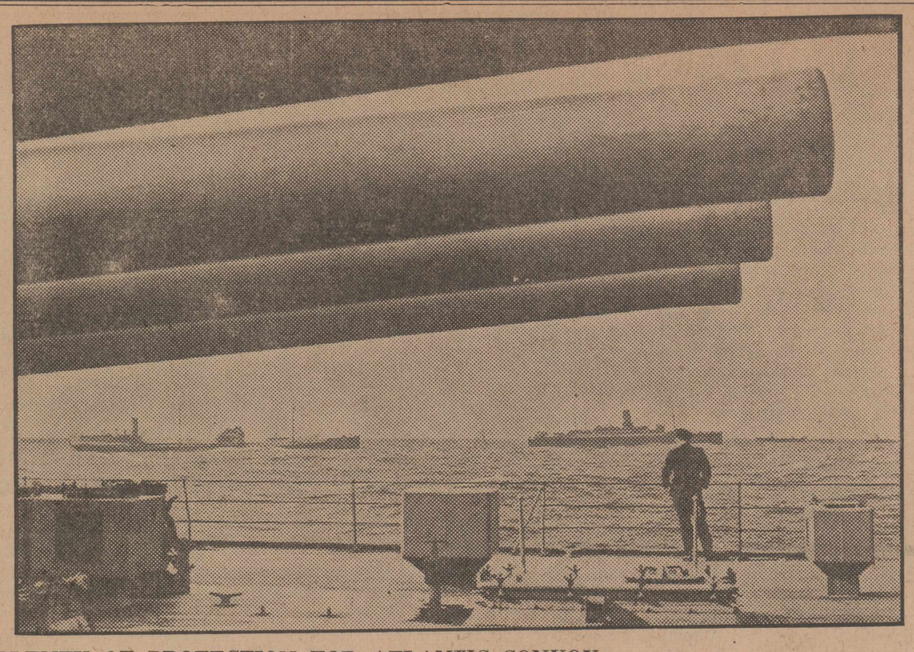
The means by which we reknit the ravages of fatigue through rest are several. Complete rest is most easily obtainable by sleep—at least eight or more hours nightly, according to individual needs.

Physical relaxation (rest) is of value to us also. The change from every day labor and worry through participation in sports, games, hobbies, and the like is a recognized principle of good mental hygiene. All of us should get in some sort of physical exercise daily—a brisk walk, if we lack the opportunity for more active sports.

Medical and public health authorities also recognize the need for mental relaxation, apart from physical sports or games which keep the mind keyed to a high pitch. Even when a person's physical apparatus is completely relaxed (resting) the mind may still be plagued with problems and be unrelaxed.

So mental relaxation, valuable as it is, is more evasive than physical relaxation. The simplest form of mental relaxation is "wakeful rest" whereby the individual gets his mind completely away from himself and lets his mind "idle" by following something not of his personal creation or thought. It is thus possible to rest mentally and physically if the mind is entertained rather than exercised. Numerous diversions are available to us which offer inexpensive opportunities for "wakeful rest."

If we give thought to budgeting time each day so that our work quota is supplemented by physical and mental relaxation and adequate sleep, we will keep our health at par and increase our daily efficiency now when it is needed most for all our defense effort.



PLENTY OF PROTECTION FOR ATLANTIC CONVOY

Giant guns of the King George V, one of Britain's mightiest battleships, guard an Atlantic convoy against the danger of axis raiders. Heavily laden ships dot the background.

Stamp Out The Bagworms—

Free Pass For Children

The Wellington Leader will give a free theatre pass to each boy and girl who brings a half gallon jar of bagworms to the Leader office either Thursday, Friday or Saturday of this week. The passes will be good for any show on July 31, August 1 or 2.

While the bagworms will be measured in a half gallon jar, the children can bring them in paper sacks or other containers that may be handy for their use.

All children who intend to participate in the effort to rid the town of bagworms are asked to secure permission from the property owners before starting to pick the bagworms. This is necessary due to the fact that many home owners have delicate flowers and shrubs that they wish to protect. Under such circumstances the property owners would naturally desire to supervise the work on their grounds.

A jar of bagworms will be placed in the Leader office Wednesday afternoon in order that any children who are interested may come by and see what they look like and be able to identify them.

Although there are other methods of stamping out the bagworms, picking and burning is considered the only sure way to get rid of them at this time of the year, according to the county agent. All worms brought to the Leader office will be burned.

Floyd Alexander -

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to do when he was a boy. His good deeds were done modestly and quietly, but the large crowd that gathered to pay their last respects Tuesday afternoon furnished ample evidence of the appreciation of the people for whom he worked and among whom he lived.

From 1910 until about 1924, he resided at different points in Texas, and other states, but has lived here continuously since 1924. He has been engaged in farming and stock raising at his home in the Bean Hill community since returning here.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, July 29, from the Methodist Church in Wellington, with Rev. Doyle Ragle in charge. Rev. Ragle was assisted by Rev. P. L. Pierce of Sayre, Oklahoma, and Rev. Hadley A. Hall, pastor of the Nazarene Church. Interment was made in the Wellington cemetery by the Kelso Funeral Home.

Immediate surviving relatives are: one brother, John Alexander, of Wellington; three sisters, Miss Nettie Alexander and Mrs. Maymie G. Anderson, both of Wellington, and Mrs. Lina B. Koons of Sanger.

Pall bearers were: Waddell Bailey, Lawrence Gillespie, Jack Watson, Earl Yarbrough, John Henard, Emmett Cook, George Richards and A. V. Cocke.

Flower girls were: Patricia Sullivan, Edna Joyce Gribble, Frances Stevenson, Louise Anderson, Clarice Harper, Faye Moore, Curtistine Gray, Edna Earl Alexander and Wilma Ruth Forbis.

Mrs. T. T. Fain -

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and Sunday School, but also doing work in subsidiary organizations.

"Leaving our friends in the county is the most difficult part," Mrs. Oldham said. "However, we feel that we can return often for visits. Better opportunities have been offered us, and we must take advantage of them."

Egg Associations Spread In State

COLLEGE STATION. — Farm families in 26 Texas counties have organized egg marketing associations or are in the process of organizing them, according to Myrtle Murray, specialist in home industries for the A. and M. College Extension Service. In 1940 there were less than half a dozen associations.

Members of these marketing groups produce quality eggs by proper feeding, and weed out small eggs as well as extremely large ones. The clean, fresh, uniform, infertile eggs they sell are stamped with the name of the producer and the name of the association as a guarantee to persons who buy them.

Some associations pack eggs in cartons and enclose folders of recipes and hints on the use of eggs as well as on the value of eggs in the diet.

Counties where the associations have been set up are Gray, Collingsworth, Hansford, Hutchinson, Sherman, Deaf Smith, Lynn, Floyd, Haskell, Baylor, Wilbarger, Johnson, Parker, Navarro, Hill, Red River, Lamar, Gregg, Taylor, Nacogdoches, Uvalde, Harris, Cameron, Maverick, and Schleicher.

Old Settlers -

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members should be notified if you have someone to whom you want an invitation sent, Mr. Thomas said.

Holland, Skaggs -

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cal examinations at induction centers.

Alvin Doyle Bradley, it has been learned, has enlisted for a regular army term at Amarillo recently. He has volunteered for the air corps. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bradley, Route 3, Wellington.

Since October 16, 1940, the date of the original registration, there have been 22 draft calls.

A call is also being issued for negroes which does not include any colored registrants here. The date of this call for negroes is on Aug. 4 and 18.

Mrs. Eads -

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worth County in 1909.

Mrs. Eads joined the First Christian Church at the age of 16, and was affiliated with the White House Church, Carter, Arkansas, at the time of her death.

Her family was Mrs. Eads' chief interest, and it was for their welfare and comfort that she strove unceasingly, working with that end in view. Although family, flowers and home took up most of her time and energy, Mrs. Eads will be missed by her many neighbors and friends who had learned to love her during her years in Collingsworth County.

Surviving are three sons and two daughters, who are: R. H. Eads and W. A. Eads, both of Wellington, B. F. Eads of Texline, Mrs. W. L. Grant of Mustang, Okla., and Mrs. Fred Walker of Wellington. Fifteen grandchildren and three great grandchildren also survive.

Among the out-of-town relatives attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. John Kelsey, Sr., of Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barham and son, Richard, of Groom, and Harry Burden and Mrs. Ethel McEwing, both of Pampa.

Burial was made in the Wellington cemetery, with the Kelso Funeral Home in charge.

Crop Prospects -

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festation. Other sections of the state report that they will harvest from 40 to 60 per cent of a normal crop.

One common problem looms before all cotton producers and that is that they may be faced with a serious shortage of labor to pick the cotton crop. In Collingsworth County plans have been made to turn out the rural schools during the peak of the cotton picking season. Already farmers are clamoring for the public projects to be stopped during the picking season in order that the crop can be harvested.

Inflation May Come, Warns Texas Economist

COLLEGE STATION.—Enough controls are available to check inflation in this country during development of the armament program, but the vigor of their application will be limited within the boundaries set by public opinion, according to W. E. Morgan, economist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

Inflation means a rise in the general price level. If enough of the increased consumer buying power, entailed by expanding employment and rising wages, could be siphoned off so that the amount left for spending stays in line with the supply of consumer goods, there would be no reason for prices to get out of hand. To do this the government could take the surplus buying power in the form of taxes, or it could be saved and loaned to the government. Alternate methods are direct price controls and rationing of consumption.

"While public opinion now seems to favor government action to prevent inflation," Morgan explains, "such action will require individual sacrifices which many persons have not considered. When some of the more stringent controls are applied, with consequent reduction in consumer buying power, many persons will prefer to take chances with inflation rather than undergo the immediate cost of preventing it."

It is not likely people of this country would adjust themselves easily to the burden of diverting one-half or more of the national income, as in Britain and Germany, to the war effort, Morgan says. To the public's unwillingness to assume the full burden of maintaining an elaborate military machine without a few years to think it over add the fact that it is humanly impossible to foresee all the changes in fiscal policy which future events will prove to have been desirable.

"This leads to the conclusion that a certain amount of price inflation in the United States is inevitable, but it should not be too difficult to hold it far below the limits to which it went in the first world war. If the current defense effort can be managed in such a way as to hold the price level fairly close to its present position the dislocation in economic activity which will occur in any event, will be greatly minimized."

Small Farmers Cash Most AAA Checks

COLLEGE STATION. — So-called "small" farmers are cashing the bulk of the AAA's conservation and parity payments checks, B. F. Vance, administrative officer in charge of the AAA in Texas, declared here this week.

Studying a report made to Congress by the United States Department of Agriculture on the distribution of payments under the 1939 farm program, Vance said that 92 percent of the agricultural conservation payments and 98 percent of the price adjustment, or parity, payments were for less than $200. The report to Congress, listing the names of cooperators who earned payments of $1,000 or more, showed approximately eight-tenths of one percent of the total number of payees under the program were in that classification, he said.

"Increasing attention has been given the small farmer in the development of the AAA program," Vance declared. "As provided in the Act, automatic increases are made in conservation payments to farmers when the amounts earned are less than $200, the smaller payments being increased proportionately more than the larger ones. Also, any cooperator may earn a minimum of $20, with an additional allowance of $15 for forest tree practices, making a total of $35 which may be earned on any farm. This $35 payment would be increased to $46 under the provisions for increasing small payments."

Too Late To Classify

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