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Pioneer Citizen Dies Thursday at Wellington Home

Reece Bowen Succumbs Late Thursday Night Following Illness

Funeral Saturday

Many Friends Pay Tribute to Respected Man at Funeral Services

Reece Bowen, one of the early settlers of West Texas and among Collingsworth couty's best known and respected citizens, died at his home in Wellington Thursday night, August 23, following an illness of a long while resulting from the effects of cancer.

Mr. Bowen was born August 15, 1845 in Greenville, South Carolina, and was 83 years of age when death occured.

In the year 1861 he moved from South Carolina to Mississippi where he was married February 23, 1890, to Miss Nancy E. Brewer. Surviving Mr. Bowen are his wife, one son, J. R. Bowen, and three daughters, Mrs. J. O. Kesler, Mrs. W. T. Gunstenson and Miss Bessie Bowen.

Mr. Bowen had farmed in this county for a number of years, but had lately retired and was making his home in Wellington.

Funeral services were conducted from the First Baptist church Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, with Rev. C. R. Joyner officiating, assisted by Rev. C. E. Hunt of McLean. Mr. Bowen had been a member of the Baptist church for many years. The church was filled with sorrowing friends who came to pay their last respects to this esteemed man.

Active pall bearers were J. B. Sasser, A. N. Wiseman, Lee Fortenberry, Jake Tarter, Lee C. O'Neil and H. F. Cocke. Honorary pall bearers were Frank Royal, Walter Campbell, Ed Wells, Henry Stall, S. R. Lowrie, R. R. Martin, J. A. Dukeminier, J. D. Hill and J. L. Burt.

Flower girls were Mrs. James Lucas, Miss Nora Cocke, Miss Evelyn Conner and Mrs. Ray Goodson.

Ray Goodson was in charge of funeral arrangements. Interment was made at the Wellington cemetery.

County Council Meets Saturday

Announcemet has been made by C. C. Stinson of the meeting of the county council which will be held Saturday at 2:30 o'clock in Miss Swafford's office for the purpose of discussing plans for the 4-H club boys and girls exhibits booth at the county fair and other club boys and girls exhibits. Boys and girls are each to have a booth selling eats and drinks in order to send their representatives to the State Fair at Dallas. The local Fair association donated these booths to the club boys and girls to help them raise funds with which to send their representatives to the State Fair.

The Great Battle of the Century



Many Directors Of Gins Organize New Association

Co-operative Societies for General Association at Quanah

Approximately 100 directors of Farmers Cooperative societies of of northwest Texas met at Quanah August 21, for the purpose of organizing a general association through which they will be able to exchange ideas and to have each individual gin give their patrons improved service, according to C. L. Geesey who was in attendance.

It is hoped that the different societies may work out a plan to sell their products collectively and thereby secure a better price for the farmers. It is also believed they will be able to obtain better prices for supplies purchased at the gins. It is further planned to work out a mutual insurance for the gins and the farmers.

There are at present about 38 Farmers Cooperative societies in northwest Texas. Cooperation among farmers is growing steadily throughout the country and this locality probably has more cooperative gins than any other section of Texas.

Officers of the local society who attended the Quanah meeting were Joe Baumgardner, C. L. Geesey, F. O.Masten, H. G. Graham, J. C. Ford and A. N. Hutcherson. The next meeting will be held at Quanah September 12.

Water Barrel Saves Baby In Fall

A very unusual accident happened at the Warren E. Johnson home in the Aberdeen community last Sunday when Bonnie Ruth, the 22-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Johnson fell from an upstairs window while playing. It just happened that a barrel about half full of water was left near the window, and the child fell into this, receiving only slight bruises about the head and body.

Second Primary Election Held Here Saturday

Only Slight Interest is Aroused in County During Last Primary

Only a slight interest in the second primary for Collingsworth county was manifested Saturday by the voter, with not more than half of the qualified voters going to the polls.

The county's only run-off contest, that for the office of tax assessor, resulted in a victory for Mrs. Annie Bird who received 891 votes while her opponent, H. B. Duke received 856.

For commissioner of precinct 1, John Jones was elected with 631 votes, B. F. Ford, a candidate for this office received 510.

In the race for the United States senate Tom Connally carried the county with 911. Earle B. Mayfield received 668.

Marrs, for superintendent, carried the county with 857. Garner received 551.

Robinson, for land commissioner, received 862 votes while Terrell's count was 479.

The tabulated returns from over the county appear in this edition of the Leader. The returns were compiled by E. L. Winn, secretary of the chamber of commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Harper and son, John Douglas, of Grandview, Texas, visited Dr. and Mrs. John W. Harper last week.

J. L. Anderson Jr., of Wheeler visited friends in Wellington last Saturday.

Coach Harrison Starts Practice With Skyrockets

High School Boys Begin Preliminary Football Workouts

C. B. Harrison, principal of the local high school and coach of athletics arrived in Wellington Saturday night and preliminary football workouts were started Tuesday of this week. Coach Harrison has issued a call for all high school boys who want to play football to report for practice every afternoon at three o'clock at the fair park.

Coach Harison, who comes to Wellington fom Paris high school, is recommended as one of the best mentors in this part of the state and has had unusual success with football work in past seasons. He spent seven years as coach in the Paris school. Three years he was assistant coach there and the past four years he has served as head of all athletic work.

Although the Skyrockets have an unusually limited number of veteran players around which to build their team, they have an abundance of promising material and Coach Harrison is optimistic concerning the prospects of a winning eleven. Old men who are out for practice are Captain Mud Coleman, Seth Lindsey, Raymond Powell, Steamboat Graham and Pete Boverie. Approximately 35 boys will be out for positions this year, and from this number the coach expects to be able to select a winning combination. The local team will doubtless be lighter this season than heretofore, with most of the players weighing between 120 and 140 pounds.

Inquires for several dates have been received by the coach, but he has not yet made definite arrangements for any of the opening games. It is probable, however, that the opening games will be played against teams from nearby cities in Oklahoma.

Noel E. Stem, 17, was instantly killed Saturday afternoon about 5 o'clock when a car in which he was riding overturned about a quarter of a mile west of Lakeview, 16 miles west of Memphis. He was pinned underneath the car, crushing his chest.

Parents of the youth were in Stephenville visiting at the time of the accident. His parents reside near Memphis.

Final Arrangements Complete for Mammoth Fireworks Display at Fair

All final plans in regard to the fireworks display scheduled for the Collingsworth County Fair have been completed by officials of the fair and Mr. LaMan, fireworks expert. This feature of the Fair will make this year's program the most beautiful ever to be staged here, and will be executed during the first two nights.

The program will consist of beautiful set pieces of novelty designs with many beautiful surprise creations, and then there will be the great rockets and bomb shells that burst in the sky, with a tremendous crash which casts an array of beauty in every direction and intermingled with comedy stunts.

In addition to the beautiful pyrotechnical displays at night, the Shifflett flying circus will present it's "Battle in the Sky" for the first time in Wellington. This part of the program will consist of a beautiful display of aerial fireworks and stunt flying at night. There will also be plenty of daylight programs, which include two airplane shows each day which will be worth coming many miles to see.

Added to all the other attractions, the ball games between the Fort Worth Cats and the Oklahoma All-Star club will be of much interest to many Collingsworth County Fair Patrons.

"The program of entertainment has never been as full and as diversified as it is this year," W. H. Goforth, secretary of the Fair association, declares.

First Cotton is Brought to Town Last Saturday

A. S. M. Allen of Near Dodsonville Brings First Bale Here

Baker-Hanna Buy

Business Men Subscribe Fund For First and Second Bales

Wellington's first cotton of the 1928 season was ginned here Saturday afternoon. The bale was brought to Wellington from the A. S. M. Allen farm located near Dodsonville, and was ginned at the Planters Gin. Mr. Allen sold the bale to the Baker-Hanna store for 21 1-2 cents, 4 cents above market price, according to H. A. Phillips, manager.

Business men of Wellington subscribed a fund to be divided among the producers of the first and second bales. The second bale has not been ginned in Wellington, however. Those who contributed to this fund were: City National Bank, The Famous, Johnson grocery, Army and Navy Store, Goodson funeral parlor, C. E. Stone company, Joe Hardy, A. Bailey company, Percy Wells department store, Fred C. LeDerer, Amarillo Furniture Store, Collingsworth Standard, Taylor's creamery, French Tailoring company, City Texas Utilities Company, City cafe, City bakery, Richards grocery, J. W. Chapman, Cook's tin shop, City Laundry, Lee Fortenberry, M System grocery, Wellington Motor company, First National bank, Palace Drug store, T. B. Starkey, Judge Holton, Wilkerson grocery, Wellington Leader, Fain and company, Baker-Hanna Brothers, B. & M. grocery, Pioneer Hardware company, Cochran Drug store, Snell's Cash grocery, Little Mercantile company, Jitney-Jungle, W. W. Monroe grocery, C. C. Stinton, Wells and O'Neil, C. D. Shamburger Lumber company, Barnes and Hastings, Allen-Figh Motor company, Cicero Smith Lumber company, Lewis Lumber company, and Shields and Lewis Hardware company.

Fire Destroys Building and Car

It was nearing nine o'clock Tuesday evening that the oil stove in the servants room, located at 1111 South Bowie Street, exploded, catching the house on fire and completely destroying the room and the adjoining double garage. There was a 1925 model Ford touring car stored in the north side of the garge and it was completely demolished. The car belonged to Ode Massie, who is proprietor of the rooming house located over the Palace Drug Store. R. E. Morrow, present manager of the City Drug Store, was the owner of the building. Both owners stated that there was no insurance to be collected.

The Fire Alarm was reported immediately after the explosion but the lumber from which the building was constructed burned very fast, thus making it impossible for the firemen to make a good showing. They were very quick to respond and worked earnestly until the flames were extinguished.

New Officers Added to Force

There have been two changes in the law force of Wellington since August 15. W. W. King, formerly of the City National Bank of this city has accepted a position as deputy sheriff of Collingsworth county. He took up the duties of this office on August 15. Mr. King served as bookkeeper for the City National Bank for more than a year and a half and during this time he has made many friends who wish him the greatest success in this new field of activity.

The other change is in the office of City [illegible] will be fil-

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Deaf and Dumb Couple are Married Here

A unique wedding ceremony was performed Tuesday evening at the parsonage of Rev. P. L. Pierce, pastor of the Nazarene church, when a deaf and dumb couple were united.

Drew E. Read of Houston and Miss Lottie Crenshaw, daughter of J. T. Crenshaw of the Loco community, were the contracting parties.

The officiating pastor was unable to use the deaf and dumb language, so he overcame this difficulty by having the contracting parties read for themselves the marriage ceremony and obligations and give assent thereto.

The newlyweds left Wednesday morning for Houston where Mr. Read is engaged in the tailor business.

Ellison Park is Attracting Many

Large Crowds Now Enjoying use of City Park and Equipment

Winners of the different contests that were held at Ellison Park Friday night, August 24, have been announced by Mrs. S. G. Henry, secretary of the committee that has charge of the park. From a crowd of nearly 200 people, they were divided between tennis and croquet for the gronups and bathing swings for the youngsters. The band furnished music, while several of the women sold lunches and cold drinks.

In the tennis tournament, Margaret Goforth won from Pauline Cocke in the girl singles. In the doubles, Margaret and Pauline defeated Jane Pedige and Mrs. Price Dukeminier. Richard Cocke and James Gillentine defeated Bill Dryden and Vernon Morris in boys doubles. There were no singles played by the boys.

Wednesday night, S. G. Henry and L. C. Jones defeated Joe Fuller and V. A. Porter in corquet, while on Thursday night J. M. Edwards and V. A. Porter won. Friday night Webb Moore and Paul Hardy defeated V. A. Porter and J. M. Edwards in the finals, winning the championship.

Those at the park Friday night observed that the park is now taking on the aspect of a real city park with the placing on the grounds the playground equipment. Two slides, six swings and a merry-go-round have been placed in the park besides the two tennis courts and the two croquet courts. Several spot lights make it possible for the night players to play in comfort; over the tennis court there are six spot lights. A caretaker keeps everything in perfect order, and the committee are showing by their work that a little town can have a place to "play."

Roland Honeycut of Hobart, Oklahoma, is in Wellington visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Richards.

Mat Johnson and Miss Imogene Richardson visited friends in Mangum last Sunday.

Eyes or holes in Swiss cheese are an index to its quality.

Preparations are Made for Opening Fall School Term

Important Announcement Made by Superintendent Regarding Work

Parents Will Meet

Parents Urged to Convene to Discuss School Plans and Problems

Preparations are being made relative to the opening of the fall term of the Wellington public schools, and Superintendent G. L. Farrar is busy with plans pertaining to the coming year's work. In regard to the opening dates of the school term, Superintendent Farrar makes the following announcements:

"All literary teachers will attend the teachers' institute at Canyon from September 3 to 7 inclusively.

"Registration and classification of high school pupils will begin at the east ward building Monday morning, September 10 at 7:00 o'clock and will be taken in alphabetical order. Pupils must be on hand when their turn comes. We expect to complete this work by 1:00 o'clock on the same day.

"Classification of the grammar grades (from the high fourth to seventh inclusively) will begin at the east ward building at 1:00 p. m., Monday, September 10 and occupy the rest of the day.

"Classification of the primary grades including all pupils not included in the above named lists, will begin at the west ward building Monday, September 10 and will continue until all pupils belonging to this school have been definitely classified.

"The opening exercises of the high school will be held on Tuesday morning, September 11 at the Methodist church at 9:00 o'clock. All pupils belonging to the high school must attend this meeting.

"On Monday evening, at 8:00 o'clock, at the Methodist church all parents of high school pupils will please convene for the purpose of discussing high school problems and plans for a successful school year. We have many things to discuss with you regarding your high school. We desire very much to get acquainted with you and to come to some common understanding with you regarding rules and regulations for high school pupils. Therefore we wish to have parents of all high school pupils present. If you do not attend you are sure to miss something that will later lead to some misunderstanding. Let us all get together in a discussion of high school questions. We feel that this meeting is one of the most important of the entire school year. Please remember the date and be present.

"Tuesday evening at the same hour and place parents of pupils belonging to the east and west ward buildings are uurged to convene for the same puporse with reference to the ward buildings. If your child belongs to either one of these schools, it is your plain duty to be present at this meeting and help us start a successful school. As we stated before, we have many things to discuss with you regarding rules and regulations. We feel that if we can ex-

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Wellington Has Representatives at Clarendon Boy Scout Encampment

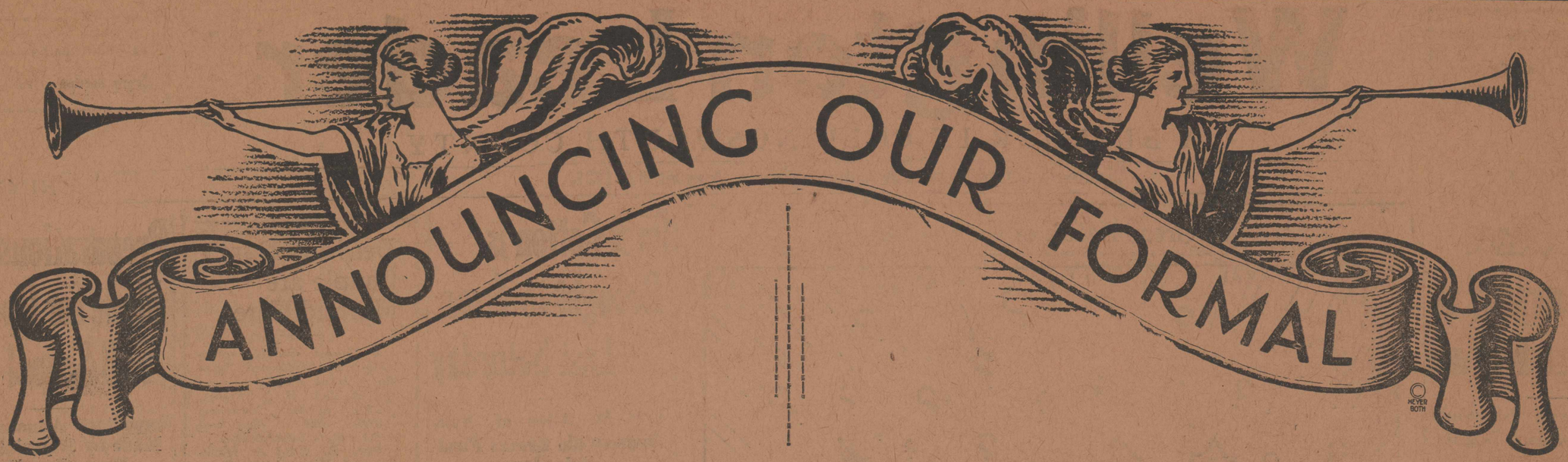
Wellington was represented at the Southeast Panhandle Boy Scout encampment held from August 19 to 27 northeast of Clarendon by eleven scouts and two scout masters. Seventy-four scouts from every town in this area were at the encampment, and all under their own scoutmasters.

The encampment was given so that all scouts could have a properly conducted summer outing under scout leadership, and that they could advance in scout work. There was one leader for every ten boys at the camp, and from the first meal served Sunday night, August 17 to the last served Monday morning, August 27, the boys were under strict leadership. An experienced cook prepared the food for the scouts and tents were used for sleeping quatrers.

Every precaution possible was taken to safeguard the lives of the youngsters. Red Cross life savers were employed to have charge of the swimming, and the "Buddy System" was used.

Sunday, August 26, several visitors were out at the camp, and Merit Badges were awarded.

Those from Wellington were: Cecil Masten, J. M. Strong, Jr., Paul Brewer, Dale Watkins, Lonnie Watkins, G. W. Poteet, James Sullivan, Firman Goforth, Otis Riley, H. E. Sinley, Jr., Clark Chapman, Harold Hardy, and scoutmasters Raymond McClure and H. E. Singley.



FASHION EDITION

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Fashion is such a fleeting thing—perhaps it is this quality that makes it so beloved by womankind in general. There is something in our make-up that longs for the new Flattery. The youthful new clothes coming as they do with every new season give us a new interest in life.

Besides the interest of the new styles, the Fashion Edition of The Leader next Thursday will be doubly interesting to the women of Wellington because the style reviews which it will contain and which are written for The Leader's exclusive use in Wellington will form a valuable basis for attractive offerings that will be featured in this section by the progressive firms of Wellington.

WELLINGTON LEADER

A Builder in Collingsworth County

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT — AUTHORIZING LEGISLATURE TO EXEMPT FROM TAXATION PARSONAGES, AND CERTAIN PROPERTY OF ASSOCIATIONS FOR RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT.

H. J. R. No. 20.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendmentt to Section 2, Article 8 of the Constitution of the State, so as to authorize the Legislature to exempt from taxation any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to such church or religious society, and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a State or National organization of like character; providing for an election upon such proposed Constitutional Amendment, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas

Section 1. That Section 2, Article 8 of the Constitution be so changed as to read hereafter as follows:

All occupation taxes shall be qual and uniform upon the same ass of subjects within the limits the authority levying the tax; but the legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes; actual places of religious worship, also any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatsoever to such church or religious society; provided that such exemption shall not extend to more property than is reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for such purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a State or National organization of like chaarcter; also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit; and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be bought in by such institution under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such bonds or mortgages, that such exemption of such land and property shall continue for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and institutions of purely public charity: and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1928, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly religious societies for the exclusive use as ami[illegible]vellings for the ministry; and all li[illegible]nose opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly reiligious societies for the exclusive use as dwellings for the ministry."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election. 2-4t.

Chewing gum is hard to remove from clothing, and sometimes leaves a stain. Chewing gum usually contains a gum known as chicle, which has been boiled down, flavored and sweetened. Resigns of various kinds are sometimes used. A gum stain can often be softened with egg white and then washed. Prolonged treatment with carbon tetrachloride is also satisfactory, as a rule, although it may be necessary to remove traces of sugar by sponging with water at intervlas.

Married



Prominent among the June brides of the Empire State was Miss Catherine Smith, daughter of Governor and Mrs. Alfred E. Smith, who was married early in June in Albany, to Frances Quillinan. This picture of the bride was taken in the executive mansion.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION IN PROBATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any contsable of Colingsworth County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your county) at least once a week for 10 days previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

The State of Texas:

To all persons interested in the estate of Tom Trew, deceased, J. B. Trew and E. M. Trew filed an application in the County Court of Collingsworth County on the 7th day of August, 1928, for the probate of the last Will and Testament of the said Tom Trew, deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 3rd day of September, 1928, at the Court House of said County, in Wellington, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Wellington, Texas, this 10th day of August, 1928.

Mrs. Frances E. Winn,
Clerk County Court, Collings-
(seal) worth County, Texas
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NOTICE BY PUBLICATION IN PROBATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS—

To the sheriff or any constable of Collingsworth county, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your county) at least once a week for ten days previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

State of Texas:—

To all persons interested in the estate of Abner William Blain, deceased, Edward Wingfield Blain filed an application in the County Court of Collingsworth county, on the 8th day of August, 1928, for the probate of the last Will and Testament of the said Abner William Blain, deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 3rd day of September, 1928, at the Court House of said County, in Wellington, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Wellington, Texas, this 8th day of August, 1928.

Mrs. Frances E. Winn,
Clerk, County Court, Collings-
(Seal) worth county, Texas
3-4t.

Some Corn Belt farmers who have used sweet clover hay for silage are enthusiastic. Good silage can also be made from the clover straw remaining after threshing the second year crop for seed. In this case it will be necessary to add considerable water. Sweet clover straw is something like a by-product which might easily be wasted but which make excellent feed when put into the silo.

Dodsonville

Lee Vaughn, who owned the City Barber Shop, has bought a shop in Texola, Oklahoma. He moved there Monday.

Mrs. Stella Barns and her two chldren, Melba and Lucille of Amarillo, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Viola Jameson.

Mrs. P. M. Johnson and her daughter, Elsie, started for Amherst, Texas, Tuesday. Elsie will spend the week with her friend, Louise Brooks, of Levelland, Texas. Mrs. Johnson will visit in the home of her brother at Amherst.

Mrs. Bulah Hunsaker and Mrs. Hilliard Scott were in Hollis, Sunday.

Miss Guynn Russel and Walter Hunsaker have been secretly married for quite a while. They left for Harrison, Arkansas, this week to spend their honeymoon. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Russel and the groom is the son of Edd Hunsaker. They will remain in Arkansas until the first of September.

Mrs. P. M. Johnson entertained little Miss Lovetta Vaughn and her son, Hershall, with a birthday party Saturday evening. Refreshments were served.

Miss Nellie, Filpot who is working in Wellington, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs L. A. Filpot.

Mrs. C. C. Russel is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Barnett were visitors in Wellington Sunday.

Miss Leona Poling and Misses Bell and Flora Powell of Arlie community attended the Nazerine services here Sunday evening.

L. M. Goodman and his daughters, Pauline and Mary, of Clovis, New Mexico, came in Friday to spend a few days with Mr. Goodman's daughter, Mrs. Viola Jameson.

Mrs Alma Russell and Mrs. Walter Hunsaker were in Hollis Thursday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Rollins went to McClain Saturday night to visit with relatives.

Jack Davis, who has been attending the Normal at Canyon, came in last week to visit with home folks.

N. L. Wesson and family spent Sunday with W. H. Wesson and family of Dryden.

Miss Velma Rollins of Hollis was here visiting her brother, Cletus Rollins a few days last week.

Mrs. O. D. Hill and her daughter, Winnie Maye, returned from St. Louis Sunday where they have been marketing for the store.

Mrs. W. N. Weaver and children returned from Comanche, Texas, Thursday after spending two months with her Mrs. Weaver's mother, Mrs. Cunnigham.

Rev. S. A. Thomas, Mr. an Mrs. Ed West, Misses Essie Lee and Alma Hart, Kelly Sldge and Mrs. Izena Fisdale went to Memphis to a League Institute Monday evening.

O. D. Hill, Walter Fred and Mrs. M. F. King went to Altus to meet Mrs. O. D. and Winnie Mae, Sunday.

Miss Alberta Dougias of Fresno California. came in Monday to visit with her aut, Mrs. L. A. Rollings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. King returned Saturday from a month's vacation on the coast and other places. Mrs. King reports a very pleasant trip, fishing, etc. They were accompanied by their son, J. H. King, and several relatives.

Mrs. R. F. Wilson returned Saturday from a several weeks visit with relatives in Indiana. Mrs. Wilson also attended the Nazarine General Assembly at Columbus, Ohio, while away. She reports a very pleasant trip.

Miss Ruby Harkins was operated on at Wellington Monday.

Truman Jordan of Oklahoma City is here visiting his father, Dr. D. T. oJrdan. He came in Monday.

Mrs. L. A. Rollings, Postmistress here, Mrs. Peyton Smith and visit Mrs. Rolling's brother, J A. Miss Alberta Douglas left Sunday for a week's vacation in Hot Springs, Arkansas They expect to Douglas at De Roach, Arkansas, while away.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson and Miss Bessie Lee Jackson were shopping in Wellington Tuesday.

Mrs. J. G. Nisbett returned Saturday from a two week's vacation in Arkansas.

Miss Emily Sue Bishop of Quanah is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Nesbett.

Miss Myrtle Gibson and T. J. Henderson of this place were married Saturday, August 11, at Memphis, Texas, with Rev. Jameson officiating. They took a short honeymoon trip to Amarillo and returned home Tuesday. They will make their home in Dodsonville.

Our Livestock Situation

Economical Summer Feeding

At the very beginning of this discussion let us admit that it is good management to at all times watch the feed bill, which eats into the profit we derive from our livestock. We should always be on the alert to cut down our feed bill whenever we can do so profitably.

Our biggest problem in dairying management is the question of profitable feeding. About 60 per cent of the total cost of our dairy operation is the feed bill, It has been with this in mind that the majority of farmers in Collingsworth county have taken all the grain rations away from their cows this summer and are carrying them through on pasture alone.

If you have an abundance of good pasture, especially sudan grass, and if four cows are not high producers, you are probably making money by your economy. If your cows produce one pound of butter fat a day or more it is usually advisable to feed some concentrates, the amount of which must be left to the business judgement of the individual dairyman. To cut all the grain ration away from a high producing cow is false economy. Even when feeding concentrates does not apparently give an immediate profit, it may be highly advisable on account of the after-effect on the cows, as well as the increased value of the manure returned to the pasture when cattle are fed concentrates.

Many cows on good sudan pasture will not eat their grain unless forced to do so. If you feel that your cows comes under the class that should have a certain amount of concentrates in addition to pasture you may find it necessary to take your cows out of the pasture several hours before the evening milking in order to give them an appetite for their feed. If cows are turned out on pasture only in daytime this is not necessary for the cows kept in a lot overnight will eat heartily in the morning and may be given only a light meal at night.

Let us consider now what we called the after-effects. Many of the cows in Collingsworth county will calf this fall. These cows are nearing the end of their gestation period and in addition to maintaining their own bodies and producing milk, they are nourinshing the unborn calf. The cow's strength is being heavily taxed and she needs plenty of good feed to carry on all of this work. After the calf is born we expect an increase in the milk flow and we want the cow to give the most she can for the entire lactation period. Good feeding right now has much to do with the production we will receive in the coming year.

Therefore, let us take all these into consideration when we try to economize and be sure that we are really helping our pocketbook in the long run.

Plenty of good, clean water and shade are of great benefit to your cows, and don't neglect to provide them. Without them no cow can produce milk economically regardless of what you feed.

A New Herd Sire

Although many farmers in Collingsworth county have not realized the importance of breeding up their dairy herds by the use of purebred bulls, we are glad to state that several progressive citizens have in the last few years placed outstanding sires at the head of their herds.

Last fall our county agent, C. C. Stinson, and Arthur Hudson selected a very fine bull calf for Mrs. L. E. Bartlett who lives two miles north of Wellington. The calf was purchased from B. F. Frazier, who has a very high class registered herd of Jerseys at Cleburne. Mr. Frazier has just recently sold a full brother to this calf fo $500.00

Mrs. Bartlett's calf, "You'll Do Cowslips Warrior 279582," is a very fine individual and is of excellent breeding. His sire, "Marie's Oxford You'll Do," is a double grandson of "Imported Oxford You'll Do," gold and silver medal sire. "Imported Youl'll Do" sired 96 tested daughters and 56 producing sons. Thirty of his tested daughters have records above 600 pounds butterfat a year and up as high as 1,128 pounds a year.

The sire of "Marie's Oxford You'll Do" is "You'll Do Fontaine" who sold for $3,200.

The dam of "You'll Do Cowslips Warrior" is "Cowslips Noble Bell," a great granddaughter of "Imported Oxford You'll Do." Her sire, "Cowslips Noble," was imported from the Island of Jersey and has many high producing daughters.

It is hoped that Mrs. Bartlett's neighbors will realize and make good use of the opportunity they have to breed their cows to this fine young bull and thus get the benefit of the high production he is sure to carry in his blood.

In the hog raising sections of the country some of the larger packers pay a premium of 10 cents per hundred weight for hogs originating in "modified accredited" areas in the national campaign for eradication of bovine tuberlosis, such areas being those in which tuberlosis has been found to affect not more than one-half of one per cent of the cattle and in which all animals reacting to the tuberculin test have been removed from the herds. It is estimated that the returns from these premiums will amount to nearly $1,000,000 during the present year.

A new type of flat for shipping eggs has been devised which has given excellent results in preventing breakage. This is known as the flat cup. Two of the flats placed back to back with the cups facing out are used in the bottom of each side of the case and either one or two flats are used on top as padding. Ordinarily no excelsior pads are used with this pack, although the two methods of packing may be combined. The fillers fit down between the cups and are prevented by them from sliding or shifting over the flats.

Great Britain has more than 1,200,000 unemployed.

On farm lands that have been terraced to prevent erosion, it is highly desirable to improve the soil for at least one year by the use of cover crops and soil-building crops rather than to attempt to grow a money crop immediately. For summer crops for this purpose, soy beans, and velvet beans are among the best, depending upon locality. Greater profits will undoubtedly be made in the long run by first building up the soil after terracing has been done.

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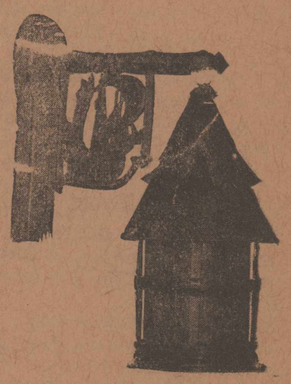
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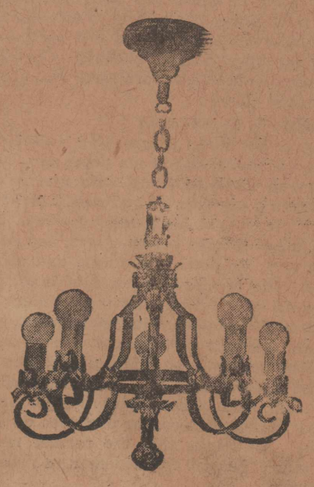
AND REMEMBER THE OLD HOME PLACE?

WHERE THE HAPPIEST DAYS OF YOUR LIFE WERE SPENT, AND HOW YOUR MOTHER AND FATHER PROVIDED FOR YOU AND GAVE YOU EVERY CONVENIENCE THAT THEY COULD AFFORD TO MAKE YOU HAPPY?



Your Children Will also Remember

THEIR HOME THE SAME AS YOU RE-THEIR HOME THE SAME AS YOU REMEMBER YOURS. YOU HAVE CONVENIENCES TO OFFER THEM THAT YOUR DAD DID NOT HAVE. FOR INSTANCE THE LIGHTING EQUIPMENT, IS IT WHAT IT SHOULD BE? ARE YOUR CHILDRENS' EYES PROTECTED FROM THE GLARE? TELEPHONE OUR OFFICE AND LET US SHOW HOW EASILY YOU CAN RE-FIXTURE THE HOME.



AND IF BUILDING A NEW HOUSE LET US FIGURE ON YOUR FIXTURES.

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The Local Merchant

"No dollar sent away for purchases ever paved a street, paid a salary or helped an enterprise in this," declares the Newport News Daily Press. The observation is as true of Roanoke as it is of Newport News; generally speaking, it is as true of one town as it is another. One is justified in seeking to make one's dollars go as far as possible, of course; indeed in the case of most of us it is absolutely necessary to do so. But the dollar sent away from home is gone from the community forever, whereas the dollar spent with the local merchant is put back in circulation and helps to stimulate the arteries of trade and benefits the entire community as it passes from one to another in the course of its rounds in the business channels. The Daily Press, paying tribute to "Our Friend the Merchant," truthfully says:

"A policy of active and loyal support of the local merchant is nothing more than enlightened self interest. The smaller communities of this country cannot expect to prosper unless they take care of what is their own, unless they bestow their patronage upon the institutions that are identified with their growth, that give employment to their citizens, that leave deposits in their banks and that are of the essence of local enterprise, and to a degree impossible to allien interests, community biulding forces.

"Those who pause in the hurly-burly of the day's activities to assess the value of the local merchant to the community cannot fail to conclude that there are few factors in the prosperity and general well-being of the town in which we live that can compare with him.

"In the first place one must consider the element of personality. As an individual the local merchant is a part of the town, he takes a pride in it, he contributes to its well being in many ways, he gives of himself and his money to make it a better town in which to live and in which to do business. He knows his fellow citizens, he knows his employees, he supports his bank, which in turn supports industry, manufacturing and agriculture. His deposits assist in meeting payrolls and in financing enterprise and progressive movements generally.

"The chief thing to consider in all these matters is that the merchant is a fellow citizen, part and parcel of the community, a far sighted purchasing agent for his trade, a friend as well as a purveyor of necessities. The merchant asks nothing more at the hands of his fellow citizens than that they bestow upon him the share of their patronage that he merits. He has a right to ask this and the customer, if he has any regard for real values, for the welfare of his community and for its future, will cheerfully keep his money at home to work for the community in which he lives."—Roanoke (Va.,) Times.

The Southwest is Growing

Proof conclusive that all the new building, improvement and progress in Southwest Oklahoma is not confined to Altus is a drive to some of the neighboring towns.

For instance, there is Hollis. There is no city or town in this state that has had a greater improvement, a greater building boom, a more thorough going progress within the past two years than Hollis.

The business and residence sections of that city are changing over a month. There have been constructed a number of new business houses, notably among them a magnificent theatre that would be a credit to any town in Oklahoma, a new three story hotel, a number of motor sales and garage buildings, a new court house, miles and miles of paving and many other business houses.

It may be a coincidence and again it may not that the growth of this neighboring city began almost immediately after the securing of an abundance of good, pure water. Hollis advertises itself as the city of pure water. Altus' growth is also marked from the voting of the adequate water supply we now have. Elk City solved the water problem and an unprecedented building activity has followed. Clinton is in the same boat.

Hobart is going ahead by leaps and bounds which is best illustrated by the fact that it is to have a daily newspaper beginning the first of September. Frederick has long been a progressive and growing city served by one of the best daily newspapers in Oklahoma. Truly, it is refreshing to drive over Southwestern Oklahoma and see what is going on.—Altus Times-Democrat.

A young German inventor has devised a system of sending electric light rays into the brain, whereby, by telegraphic transmission of black and white pictures, produced by dots and dashes, the blind are made to see.

It seems reasonable that the idea may be employed to send rays of light to the lungs and destroy the tuberculosis germ. Thirty minutes of sunshine is said to be sufficient to kill any TB germ. When man was first created, one of the commands given him was to subdue the earth. Germs are a part of he earth, and their control is a part of the duty of mankind.—Henrietta Independent.

TEXAS & TEXANS

By Will H. Mayes

Politics and Roads

Political activities have not lessened interest in road building in Texas. Among the latest movements is the proposal for a $1,650,000 bond issue for roads in Brown county, fostered by an organization of young business men, and a $750,000 bond issue in Montague county. Sections of the State that are without good roads are finding that they are being studiously avoided by both homeseekers and tourists. The first things investigated by persons seeking a new location are the character of the roads and the kind of schools. If good roads and good schools are lacking the homeseekers pass on to more progressive sections.

Taylor Plans Studied

Taylor is taking time off from politics to make a close study of city planning. Taylor has awakened to the possibility of substantial growth, but its citizens are anxious to have the place improve in attractiveness along with its development in size. Towns that were started years ago on the hit-or-miss ways then so common in town building are trying to remedy their mistakes. It is but little more trouble or expense to build an attractive city than to allow one to grow up with no regard to beauty.

Unsightly Entrances

The part of a house that makes the best and most lasting impression upon a visitor is likely to be the front entrance, or the first room entered. Real estate dealers have learned that it is hard to sell a house with an unattractive front. Why have not those who are building cities and towns learned this lesson? Usually the shabbiest shacks line the railroad tracks and often they are about all travellers can see in passing through a town. If I were starting on a campaign of civic planning and improvement, I would begin work at the railroad-right-of-way.

Parks and Population

Interesting figures have recently been given out in regard to the relation of city park acreage to population. Fort Worth leads other Texas cities in park space per capita, with Dallas, Houston, Beaumont, Waco and Wichita Falls coming next in order. Brownwood, though much smaller than these cities, ranks seventh, while Austin, the city most favored of all by nature, takes the seventeenth place in park acreage. A survey showing the attractiveness of park improvements as related to population would be of interest.

Marfa Coming Along

Judging from the news item in the Big Bend Sentinel, Marfa is a West Texas town that is coming right along. The front page of that paper for one week shows that a movement is on foot to pave 17 city blocks with Uvalde rock asphalt; that an oil company has leased 10,000 acres for development; that a State scenic highway, with numerous parks, is being planned; that a big fair is in prospect and that a committee of Marfa citizens has been to San Saba to study how successful fairs are managed; that a full-time secretary has been employed for the Chamber of Commerce.

Turkey Trot Plans

Cuero is making strnuous efforts to redeem its first place as a "Turkey Trot" center, but will have to trot pretty fast to catch up with Brady, which took up the turkey trot idea when Cureo dropped it a few years ago. Visitors to the Cureo event are to be shown to a model 25 acre turkey farm, where they see for themselves how the work is carried on and may study the best arrangement for properly conducting the turkey business. A large acreage near the city has been purchased by an enterprising realtor to be subdivided into 25 acre plots for turkey raising. Brady has the next move.

Mercedes Shows Progress

Mercedes is putting some of the other Lower Rio Grande Valley towns on their tip-toes to keep up with its progress. A $150,000 bridge across the Rio Grande into Mexico, where over $300,000 is being spent in building up a Mexican "resort" town; a $40,000 country club house; parks, filled with native tropical trees and shrubs, lining both sides of the Rio Grande; a $25,000 hotel and business structure; a new $45,000 city hall; a $11,000 American Legion Hall; numerous other club buildings; hard surfaced roads leading to all parts of the Valley, and the "lowest city tax rate of any town in the Valley," are the things which Mercedes has a right to boast.

Fort Worth Gas Rate

Fort Worth is having trouble over a proposition of the gas company to increase the rates to consumers. The gas company, it seems, lost its fight before the railroad commission for an increase in rates. The matter is now before a Federal tribunal, consisting of two district and one circuit court judges, on application of the gas company. In the mean time the Federal court has been asked for an injunction restraining the city of Fort Worth, the Texas Railroad Commission and the Governor from enforcing the present rate schedule. Contests of this kind create sentiment favorable to municipal ownership of public utilities.

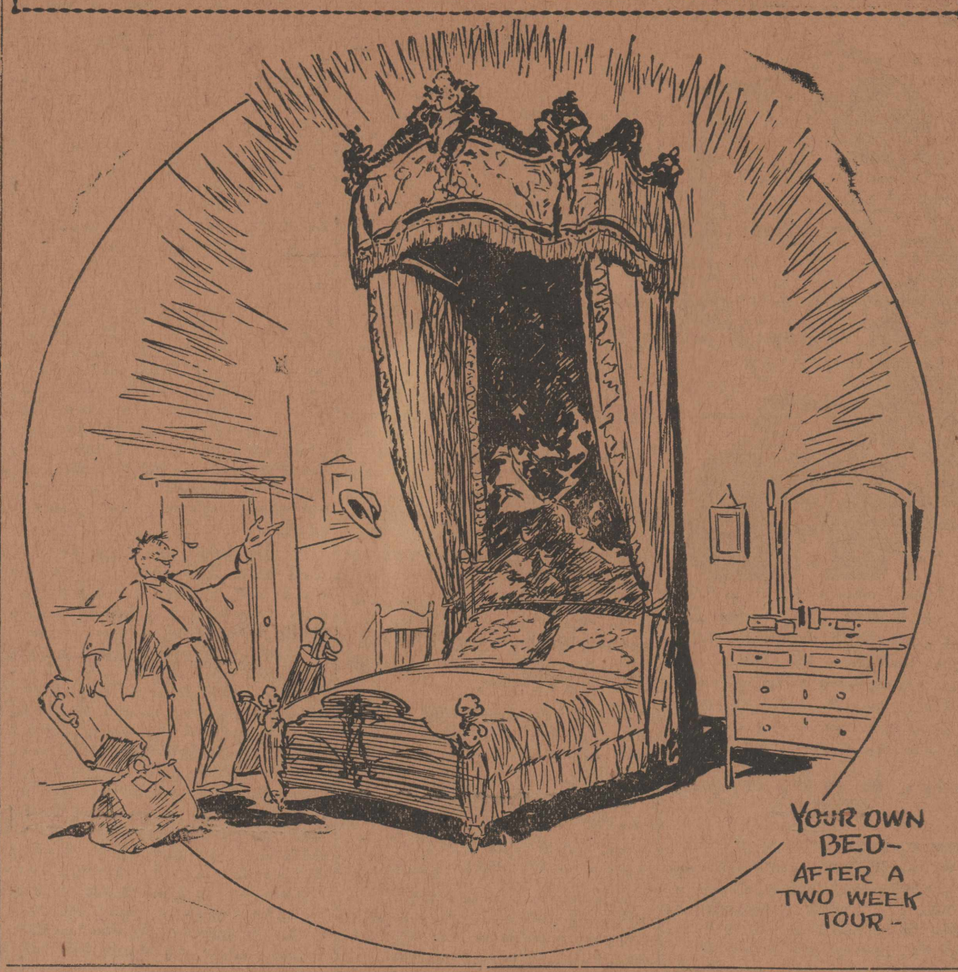
Headwork in Farming

J. E. Rogers, formerly a traveling salesman, started farming in Cottle county six years ago, and says that, by using his head along with his hands, he has made farming pay him a clear profit of $12,000, or $2,000 a year above his living expenses. He started with two cows, three heifer calves, one pony and a yearling colt, no farm machinery, and about $100.00 in cash. He bought 320 acres of land, going in debt for all of it. The land is now clear of debt, the farm well equipped with machinery, and his four boys and one girl go to school, even though the cotton picking season is on. Mr. Rogers has no set formula for success, but has made his money selling cream and milk, chickens and eggs, hogs, cotton and other things that can be produced on any farm in Texas. He thinks that the farmer needs to exercise as much thought as a saleman to make a success of his work.

Trucks Help Farmers

The Weatherford Democrat thinks that a large part of the success of Parker county farmers has been due to the use of trucks in marketing their products. The fruits and melons that grow to such perfection in that county are hauled hundreds of miles in trucks in search of the best markets, whereas, when the railroad afforded the only transportation facilities, much of the farm products went to waste for lack of markets. If the farmer can't find a local market for what he grows he can load the produce on a truck and go until he finds a place that will buy it.

The Great American Home



Tropical America Has Outgrown Daring Soldiers of Fortune

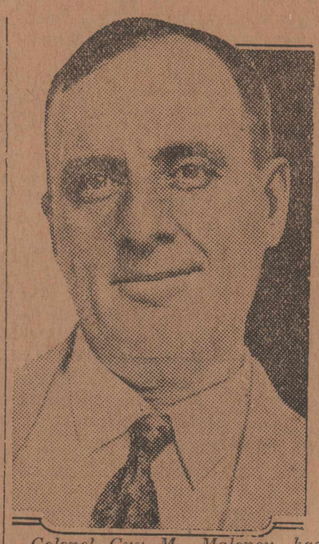
Foreign soldiers of fortune are almost extinct in the American tropics.

The days are past when an American machine gunner or artilleryman can drift into Latin America and find himself fighting at $500 a month almost anywhere he wishes to stop.

Thrilling adventures, such as Richard Harding Davis described in his novels, have melted into history and now, forces more nearly resembling police departments than armies, preserve peace in the tropics.

This is on the authority of Colonel Guy R. Molony of New Orleans and San Pedro Sula in Spanish Honduras, one of the few surviving soldiers of fortune who took their fighting where they could find it in the American tropics.

Lean, hard and brown, Colonel Moloney is spending two or three weeks in his New Orleans birthplace with his family of Mrs. Moloney and his two daughters. The man who had as much "help yourself" fighting as any man living, in the American tropics, the man who won his title of Colonel in the World War in France, commanding a regiment of artillery in the U. S. regular army; the man who for four years was superintendent of police in New Orleans—that man has put soldiering behind him and is a business man today. His business address is San Pedro Sula in Spanish Honduras. There, among his other interests, is a brewery with an output of 100 barrels of beer a day; a mahogany concession; several mercantile establishments. His wife and daughters remain in New Orleans while the children finish their schooling.



Colonel Guy M. Maloney has helped to write much thrilling tropical American history with sword. He now is a prosperous business man in Spanish Honduras. His family lives in New Orleans. Colonel Maloney is one of the few surviving men who sought their fortunes in fighting for Central American government.

War is a memory to Guy Maloney.

"The Latin American native product has put the foreign soldier of fortune out of business down there," says Colonel Moloney. "Essentially the American soldier was an expert. He knew machine guns—and he learned them in some of the world's greatest military establishments. He knew artillery, and he got that largely through military training in some of the great armies of the world. But war in Latin America has peculiar problems of its own. And the Latin Americans themselves have studied machine guns and artillery, and are now studying aviation, to the point where, with their own special knowledge of local conditions, they are more valuable than any soldier of fortune could ever hope to be.

"And on the whole, this war stuff is pretty nearly dead in Central America. Keeping it dead has become more a police problem than a military problem. Capital has invested heavily in that part of the world. Rich resources are being developed. The old days when you could raise $50,000 and line up with one political faction and capture yourself a government are gone. The soldier of fortune went with them. He's dead as the dodo.

"If any American boys are going around with their heads full of soldier of fortune stuff, they'd better shelve that ambition along with the ambition to be an Indian fighter or a cowboy. What you need in Latin Amercia today is knowledge of modern business methods.

"And don't make any mistake about it—Central America is a gold mine of commercial possibilities. Capital has already come in, and more capital is coming in. It's a spledid section of the world for Spanish-speaking, business trained young men to select and build their future. But they don't want to land on the beach broke."

Club Boys Feed Beeves for Show

4-H club boys of Collingsworth county are now feeding a carload of baby beeves for exhibition at the Panhandle-Plains Livestock show, which will be held at Amarillo just prior to the opening of the Forth Worth Fat Stock and the calves can be exhibited there if the boys choose to do so. Five hundred dollars in individual prizes are offered on these calves, ranging from $50 to $5. C. C. Stinson, county agent, is busy this week in helping the boys select calves to be included in the carload from this county. In addition to the individual prizes, carlot premiums will be announced later. Harltey, Swisher and Collingsworth counties have already entered cars, and probably more will more than 100 calves will be shown. It is probable that a preliminary show will be held in Wellington preceeding the Amarillo show, Mr. Stinson says.

Mrs. E. R. Goforth is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. D. Lee, in Memphis this week.

Ted Bones, one of the publishers of the Shamrock Texan, stopped in The Leader office Wednesday on his way to Childress.

Leldon Hudson Wins Free Trip

Leldon Hudson, son of Arthur Hudson has been announced as winner of the free trip to Kansas City to attend the American Royal Livestock show November 17 to 25, according to C. C. Stinson, county agent. The M-K-T railroad offers free trips each year to seven boys residing in as many districts traversed by the Katy road. Leldon who was selected at the short course from this district is one of the seven boys who will get free trips. He is one of the three ranking highest, and as such he wins a place on the stock judging team to represent Texas in a national judging contest with a number of states competing.

Collingsworth county has been represented three years at this show. Clarence Brown in 1926 and Cecil Brown in 1927 were entered from this county. Clarence Brown in 1926 was high man over all contestants at the show, six points above the Hill county boy who was second.

In Vienna is a clock which plays an organ each hour of the day.

The Chinese language is spoken by the most people.

Miss Griggs Will Teach Expression

Miss Eunice Griggs has been selected by the local board of education to each expression in the Wellington high school next year, and was in Wellington this week making preliminary arrangements for the opening of her classes. She desires to meet all students interested in this work at the east ward school Thursday or Friday, September 6 and 7.

Miss Griggs is the daughter of C. E. Griggs of Clarendon. She is a graduate of the Woodrow School of Expression at Dallas which is a branch of the Emerson school at Chicago. She holds a B. O. degree and has taught expression in the Memphis high school for the past three years.

In the season of dairy cattle shows, local, state, and regional, many dairy farmers will be able to prepare themselves for a more intelligent and appreciative observation by reading Miscellaneous Circular No. 99-M, "Judging Dairy Cattle," which can be obtained by applying to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. It includes explanations of the points in judging contests. It also gives the scales of points for the principal dairy breeds and a general score card for dairy cows.

DECK'S Didactics

By H. D. W.

Last Saturday night I met Reece Barton, who is 98 years old. He is still hale and hearty and rides horseback, athough his legs are not so good for walking purposes. He has the wide awake interest of a young man in present day matters. He talks readily of the present and the future, but does not seem overly interested in the past.

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He likes Wellington. "You have a good town here," he declared, "and it will grow into one of the best cities in this part of the Panhandle. Wellington has the best farming land around it of any town in this section of the state. I know, because I have seen all of this country, and I have seen enough crops grow."

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Mr. Barton is almost ninety nine years old, and as far as I know he attributes his long life solely to a rugged constitution. He does not attribute his longevity to abstinence from tobacco, nor to the use of any special medicines, but to natural good health.

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The county fair is only two weeks away. Fair officials are advertising the interesting programs they are preparing. The flying circus, races and other attractions are featured, but there is one attraction that they do not mention and it is one that will cause half of the people who do go to attend the fair.

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I refer to the average person's love of seeing and mingling with a crowd of people. The gregarious instinct is one of the strongest in the human race—excelled only by self preservation, hunger and sex. It is no wonder, therefore, that people like to get together. And for this very reason a big crowd will turn out for the Fair. In short you and I furnish the biggest attraction at the county fair even if we don't get any pay like the flying men and the jockeys.

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I read something in the last issue of Liberty which disturbed my sense of the fitness of things. An advertisement stated, and I believe with authority, that one half of the population of this country was concentrated in 249 major counties, although there are 3,092 counties in the United States. However, this was not the information that put me out of sorts.

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The disturbing information was that three fourths of the total wealth of this country is compressed in those 249 counties while the remaining 2,743 counties only had one fourth of the total wealth of this country. You and I are numbered among the people of tne 2,743 counties, but we have only one fourth of the wealth. That implies that three fourths of the ability is concentrated in 249 counties. Somehow that picture does not appeal to me.

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On Thursday evening, August 30, Senator Joe Robinson will be informed that he has been chosen to run along side Al Smith. Herbert and Charlie and Al have been notified, but Joe won't find it out until Thursday. If they keep on in the way they are going wouldn't it be possible to have a candidate run his race and then notify him after the race was all over.

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S. P. Buster got in touch with officials of the Denver road recently, and he says they are going to build a line from Childress through Wellington to the north, but that they intend to take their time about the matter.

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That north and south railroad, paved roads and a new court house will all come to Wellington in time, but a little activity on the matter would not slow the good work down to an extent. At the present time, this county needs the paved roads more than anything else.

Young Jack Henson, who has been working on his uncles farm near Wheeler, returned home Wednesday.

Raymond Wilson returned home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Renner.

Russel Yates returned from Colorado where he has been teking a three-weeks vacation.

" Every nation will be polite in dealing with France, for everybody knows the size and quality of her air fleet.

Dodsonville

Mrs. F. A. Schaefer and daughter, Donna Marie, of Wichita, Kansas, came Tuesday to visit with Mrs. Schaefer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Conrad.

Mrs. Tobe Deahl and Miss Racheal Deahl were visiting in the home of Lee Heatley of Mangum Wednesday.

Mrs. Elmore Dodson started for Fort Worth Wednesday to spend a few days there.

Mrs. Stella Barns and children returned to their home in Amarillo Tuesday after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Viola Jameson.

Mrs. D. F. Jordan went to Cradleville, Oklahoma, Thursday.

F. J. Henderson and Thomas Gibson made a business trip to Crowell, Texas, Wednesday.

L. M. Goodson and children returned to their home in Clovis, N. M., Tuesday after visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Viola Jameson for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Henderson were in Hollis shopping Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jameson and daughter, Elsie, of Plainview spent the week-end with relatives and friends here. Miss Jameson will teach school at Manill this forth coming session.

Rev. L. W. Davis and family accompanied by Miss Minnie Powers, returned from a visit with Mr. Davis' daughter, Mrs. Letha Dubanks of Grape, Arkansas. They stopped at other places and report a very pleasant trip.

Mrs. C. E. McEven is visiting relatives at Wheeler this week.

Miss Sallie B. Hill of College Station, Texas, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Dewey Malone this week.

J. W. Highee and family returned from a visit to Ada, Oklahoma, Thursday.

Mrs. F. J. Wolf returned from a long visit with her sister, Mrs. Carter of Clem Scott, Oklahoma, Tuesday. Esweater Carter accompanied her home and remained until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Malone spent Sunday with Mrs. Malone's sister, Mrs. J. D. Wilson.

The Nazerine Meeting closed Sunday night, August 26. They received a few conversions to their church.

Miss Fay Thomson of Arlie was the guest of Miss Mamie Teutsch Monday afternoon.

Mr. Rollins and Wilson Hill of Antelope, Texas, have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Hill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Rollins spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Alf Wynn of Wellington Monday.

Norris Jr., and Preston Wesson returned from Hot Springs, Arkansas Saturday. They spent a couple of weeks there on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wynn and little son, Ralph, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Walker and little son, Jerry, returned Friday from a trip to Hot Springs, Arkansas and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Wesson and children are in Chickasha, Oklahoma, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Walker and daughters, Misses Bertha and Bernice and son, Jack, spent the week-end in Cratersville, Oklahoma, attending the Indian Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Webb and children, accompanied by Mrs. A. W. Balch attended the Indian Fair at Cratersville, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Webb attended the Indian Fair at Cratersville, Oklahoma, last week.

Curtis Farris of Amarillo is visiting relatives here during this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fillpot expect to move into the house owned by Mrs. I. H. Foster soon.

Mrs. C. O. Black made a trip to Eldorado, Oklahoma, and her mother, Mrs. Fred Hill returned home with her to spend a few days.

Rev. Coffman and Rev. Henry West will start a meeting at the Missionary Baptist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Hill and son made a business trip to Altus and Lone Wolf Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carter and son, Lynn, left Tuesday for Portales, New Mexico, to visit with Mr. Carter's father, Rev. O. W. Carter.

Mrs. L. A. Rollings, Mrs. Peyton Smith and Miss Alberta Douglas returned Sunday from a visit with relatives at Deroche, Arkansas.

LOST—Small light colored dog. Answers to Name Billie. Reward. Phone 289

H. A. Phillips and R. L. Gillentine made a trip to Wheeler last Tuesday to transact business there.

LOST—Alpha Chi sorority pin, Is lyre shaped and surrounded with pearls and has Greek letters A. X. O. Finder please return to Mrs. Budge Harle at Leader Office. tf

SOCIETY

(By Mrs. Deskins Wells)

Senior B. Y. P. U. Enjoys Picnic

Members of the Senior B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a picnic at the Salt Fork river bridge last Monday night, August 27. The picnic was given for those that are leaving for college.

The picnickers were Misses Wynnie Dickerson, Dela Bee Burt, Mary Lewis, Margaret Emanuel, Gene Cantrell, Letha Kelly, Emma Joyner, Nina Hardy, Lona Joyner, Beryl McClure, Bertha Tarter, Bertha Mae Wells, Louise Longino, Eunice Wilkins, Mrs. J. L. Burt and Mrs. Jake Tarter, Messrs. Leon White, Homer Glasgow, Raymond McClure, Frank McInnis, Walter Brantley, Robert Walden, Raymond White, Arthur Wells, Herschel Combs, Zeddie Edgar and Jake Tarter.

Mrs. W. H. Stuart Honors Miss Frances Wooley Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H. Stuart entertained her sister, Miss Frances Wooley with a dance last Wednesday evening at the Alamo Club House. A most enjoyable evening was spent by the guests.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cocke, Mr. and Mrs. Deskins Wells, Misses Nora Cocke, Willie Scruggs, Frances Wooley, Annabel West, Florye Stewart, Evelyn Conner, Messrs. Darrell Herron, W. B. Parnell, Lester Benge, Darvin Nix, Billie Leach of Childress, Lowell Wells, James Gillentine, Raymond Swafford, Floyd Mitchell, Ralph Lewis and John D. Glenn.

Mrs. Watkins and Miss Cummings Entertain With Dinner Sunday.

Mrs. M. P. Watkins and Miss Otha Cummings honored Mr. and Mrs. Earl Koger and Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Porter of San Antonio with a dinner last Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Koger are moving to Shamrock to live. Mr. and Mrs. Porter are guests of Mrs. Watkins.

Those present at the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Creed Hill, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Koger, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Cocke, Mrs. S. P. Buster, Mrs. Mel De Wight, Mrs. John West, and Mrs. Bob Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevenson Entertain Dinner Bridge Club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevenson entertained the Thursday Dinner Bridge Club at the home last week. After dinner was served to the guests five games of bridge was played. Mrs. Roy Pinkston was high score winner for the ladies and Dr. W. R. Orr was high score winner for the men.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Pink Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Lewis, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Orr, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Pinkston, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Abbott and Miss Edwards of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wells Entertain With Dance Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wells entertained Monday evening with a buffet supper and dance at their home. On arrival of the guests were served punch. The guests were later ushered to the dining room where a delicious buffet supper was served.

Those who enjoyed dancing throughout the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fancher, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Deskins Wells, Mr. and Mrs.A. M. Avery, Mr. and Mrs. Budge Harle, Dr. and Mrs. C. E. High, Misses Evelyn Conner, Clara Castleberry, Messrs. Ray Goodson, Lester Benge and Pat Bobo of Muleshoe.

Mrs. J. D. Wilson Honors Miss Sally Hill Tuesday.

Mrs. J. D. Wilson entertained Tuesday afternoon with a delightful party in honor ifo her sister, Miss Sally Hill of College Station.

After the guests played five games of bridge Miss Hill was presented with a lovely gift. Mrs. Vernon won high score and Mrs. Johnny French second high.

The guest list included Mesdames Creed Hill, A. L. Cochran, Johnny French, Johnny Wallace, Vernon Morris Budge Harle, Jack Deahl, Fred LeDerer, S. G. Henry, M. P. Watkins, Ed Fancher, Carl Langmack, J. B. Stevenson, L. A. Manzer, Miss Sally Hill of College Station and hostess.

Mrs. Alley and Mrs. Cochran Honor Mrs. Koger at Bridge.

Mrs. Earl Koger was honored by Mrs. E. W. Alley and Mrs. A. L. Cochran with a farewell bridge party at the Alamo Club House last Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Mint punch was served to the following guests as they arrived. Mesdames C. L. Geesey, S. R. Pinkston, Jeff Greer, S. P. Buster, Mel DeWight, S. G. Henry, Lee O'Neil, Roy Horn, Carl Langmack, Sandy Parsons Jr., Johnny French, Johnny Wallace, R. H. Cocke, Luther Gribble, Vernon Morris, Sandy Parsons, J. D. Wilson, E. N. Lewis, Creed Hill, H. W. Garbee, Ross Wilkerson, T. E. Benge, Joe Fuller, Pink Sullivan, A. M. Avery, Deskins Wells, Jack Deahl, Ben Boston, W. H. Lynn, R. L. Templeton, N. R. Cocke, Morris Wells, Roy Abbott of Vernon, J. B. Stevenson, Aubrey Dobbs, C. E. High, W. R. Orr, Ray Goodson, Earl Koger, Fred Watkins, A. L. Nowlin, L. A. Manzer, Ansel McDowell, Ed Fancher, Misses Cummings, Bess Royal, Edwards of Lubbock, Marian Alley, Jane Smith, Pauline Cocke and Evelyn Conner.

After the bridge games Mrs. Koger was presented with a beautiful gift. High score prize went to Mrs. Pink Sullivan, second high score to Miss Bess Royal, third high to Mrs. Roy Horn, Potted Begonia's were given at each table as cut prizes.

Tabulated Report of Second Primary

Voting Box	Connally	Mayfield	Jones	Ford	Garner	Marrs	Robison	Terrell	Duke	Bird
Quail	40	41			27	40	37	25	59	32
Dodsonville	44	62	19	106	30	53	61	27	93	28
Jodie Wilson	4	6			1	6	3	4	10	
Ring	3	9			7	5	11	1	12	
South Wellington	426	202	392	270	195	384	365	201	321	355
Lone Mound	22	13			25	10	22	10	29	13
Plymouth	17	19			16	17	19	13	22	15
North Wellington	173	125	219	121	76	185	152	95	129	214
Shinnery	10	10	9	13	5	12	13	4	13	9
Rolla	21	11			7	16	13	7	13	21
Buck Creek	18	26			23	17	17	15	26	18
Swearingen	1	7			2	4	2	4	15	1
Abra	9	6			4	8	10	2	5	12
Dozier	24	12			19	11	22	4	10	28
Lillie	13	22			18	14	15	14	20	16
C. Grove		11			3	8	4	7	10	1
Marella	16	23			25	15	20	11	21	25
Aberdeen	26	21			27	11	22	18	16	40
Lutie	44	37			41	36	49	17	28	62
Gold Smith		5				5	5		4	1
TOTAL	911	668	630	510	551	857	862	479	856	891

New Officers—

(Continued from Page One)

ed by Jim Cook. Mr. Cook has served as deputy sheriff of this county for almost four years and during this time he has won the confidence and friendship of hundreds of Collingsworth residents. He will fill this office very efficiently. Paul Hardy, who has been serving in that capacity for more than six years will retire from that office on September 1. Mr. Hardy states that he intends to establish a cafe in the new Cook Building on West Avenue, which is being constructed at this time.

In Memory of M. J. Holland

Wilnulcer community and surrounding country are left to mourn the sad death of one of their most beloved and highly respected citizens.

Mr. Holland was a Christian gentleman in every respect. He was an ideal father to his children and a kind and faithful husband. No better neighbor could have ever been. He was never too busy to help any of his friends in any way he could. Mr. Holland was always kind hearted and sympathetic. Anyone that needed comfort or encouragement he was always known to do his very best to give it. He was ever ready to advise in the right way the young people as well as the old. Mr. Holland was loved and respected by all the children and young people. He was so kind and considerate of them all.

If any of his neighbors, friends or acquaintances were sick he could always be depended on to help them in any way he could. Mr. Holland was a member of the Methodist church, but he was a faithful helper and contributor of any church work or Sunday school in reach of him, his home was always open to any of the ministers of the gospel and every body else besides, young or old, were extended a welcome there.

He will be missed from among us, but the memory of him will live on in the hearts and minds of his relations, friends and loved ones. In the home there is a vacancy that cannot be filled. To the loved ones his departing, he would say, weep not, as though having no hope, for blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth. Yea, saith the spirit that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them.

Although he was sick so long and suffered so much, Mr. Holland was patient and cheerful to the end. He was ever showing his appreciation and gratitude for any kindness or help from those who extended the help.

When the end drew near he bade his loved one goodbye and entreated them to meet him in heaven.

Funeral arrangements were attended by a host of sorrowing friends, relatives and acquaintances. Many and beautiful floral offerings were given.

Earth has lost a treasured jewel, God's own had was in it all. In His wisdom it hath pleased Him He was ready for the call.

—A FRIEND

Claude Savage Gets Old Before His Time

A check made by The Leader on the mail-order catalogs delivered here the past few weeks reveals that almost a thousand pounds were received by the post office department.

Lee Gregg stated that this truck load of catalogs and other such things made life so interesting for the post office employees. To be exact, Mr. Gregg said there were even up thirty-six hundred and sixty-two pounds received. When Claude Savage heard him tell the number that was received, he said that was what was making him an old man before his time.

O'Neils Accorded Unusual Courtesy In New York

Mr. and Mrs. Lee O'Neil of Wellington who recently returned from an extended trip over the eastern part of the United States were accorded unusual courtesies in New York City, according to the Hotel Pennsylvania Daily, a publication issued by the hotel company in that city. The write-up concerning Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil at it appeared in the newspaper, follows:

Visitors in New York are often surprised to find city people just about as human and kindly as their neighbors in the small home town. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. O'Neil, of Wellington, Texas, who are now at Hotel Pennsylvannia, had a little experience upon arriving in the city that emphasized this pleasanter side of Manhattan.

They motored from their home in the Texas Panhandle and had no trouble of any kind en route here. They had never been to New York before and when they entered the city and drove for miles without reaching their destination at Hotel Pennsylvania they began to think that perhaps they had passed the hotel or were going in the wrong direction.

Finally, in Central Park they wearied of asking policemen and decided to hail a passing motorist, something that is done in almost every city except New York. The couple they selected turned out to be exceedingly gracious. Having difficulty in making their directions clear to the Texans they said "Follow us and we will take you through."

The strangers led the way out of the park and down Fifth Avenue and across 33rd Street to the Hotel Pennsylvannia. When they were being thanked they revealed the fact that they were native New Yorkers.

"I never expected to find anyone in New York who would go to such trouble for visitors," said Mrs. O'Neil. "It has convinced us that the talk about people here being hard hearted and rude are much exaggerated."

Mr. O'Neil is in the abstract and insurance business in Wellington, which is a city of 4,000 population. After a short visit here he and Mrs. O'Neil will go to Washington and from there will return home by the way of Tennessee and Arkansas. They visited St. Louis, Chicago and Detroit on their way here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tice visited in Clarendon last week with Mrs. Trice's relatives.

Miss Orein Anders left last week for Collinsville, Texas, to visit friends there. Miss Anders expects to return this week.

C. J. Baker of Hobart was in Wellington this week transacting business. Mr. Baker moved to Hobart from Wellington last week.

Northwest Texas Editors to Meet

WICHITA FALLS, Texas.—The fortieth annual convention of the Northwest Texas Press association will be held here Friday and Saturday, September 7 and 8, according to an announcement by the officers of the association. Headquarters will be at the Kemp Hotel.

The program for the two-day meeting follows:

Friday Morning

Called to order 10 a. m. by Geo. L. Inglish, Stamford, president.

Invocation.

Address of Welcome—Charles O. Francis, President of Wichia Falls Chamber of Commerce.

Response—H. Deskins Wells, Wellington.

Appointement of Committees.

President's annual address.

Adjournment for lunch.

Friday Afternoon

"Original Editorials Versus Syndicated Matter"—Dick Colline, Decatur; discussion, C. C. Hudson, Iowa Park.

"Systems in gathering news"—Lee R. McDonald, Denton, discussion; E. A. Corlack, Paducah.

"Source of Income and Community Service Neglected by Many Newspapers"—Sam A. Roberts, Haskell; discussion, John Grundy, Byers.

Adjournment for baseball game, Wichita Falls versus Dallas.

Saturday Morning

"How Should the Weekly Press Handle Crime News?"—Robert Murphy, Bowie; discussion, T. B. Klepper, Crowell.

Violin Solo—Miss Anna Patrick Booth, Stamford.

"The Golden Jubilee of the Texas Press Association"—Sam E. Miller, Mineral Wells, president.

Round table discussion of question box subjects.

Committee reports.

Election of officers.

Selection of meeting place.

Adjournment.

WATERMELONS

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S. A. S. Class Will Entertain Friday

Next Friday night the S. A. S. Sunday School class of the First Methodist church will entertain the people of Wellington with a carnival picnic. There will be a number of entertaining booths, at which they will sell watermelon, chicken, pies, kisses, cantelope, ice cream, cakes, lemonade and soda pop. The money will go to the treasury of the S. A. S. Sunday School class. This entertainment will start at eight o'clock sharp and will last as long as there can be any sales made.

THANKS

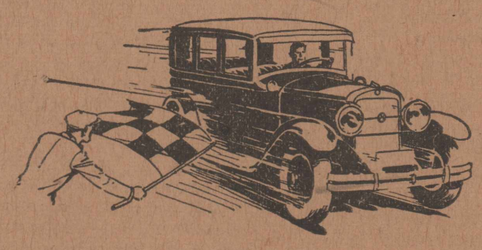
To The Voters

To the voters who elected me to the office of Commissioner of Precinct One in the Second Primary last Saturday, I take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks. I pledge again my word to make you a thorough and efficient public officer, and at all times I will do my utmost to safeguard the interest of all people of Collingsworth County. The trust you have placed with me shall not be betrayed.

John Jones

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At Atlantic City Speedway, between July 21 and August 9, four regular factory production Studebaker President Eights again proved the supremacy of Studebaker in the automotive world.

Under strict supervision of the American Automobile Association, two President Eight roadsters traveled 30,000 miles in less than 27,000 consecutive minutes—19 days and 18 nights of driving at better than 68 miles per hour! Two President sedans averaged 63.99 and 64.15 miles per hour for the same distance! All four cars were strictly stock—*not* specially prepared nor even selected by Studebaker, but chosen at random from Studebaker's assembly line by A. A. A. officials.

Even before this great achievement, Studebaker held more official speed and stamina records than all other makes of cars combined—The Commander with 25,000 miles in less than 23,000 minutes; The Dictator with 5,000 miles in less than 4800 minutes; and The Erskine Six, holder of 11 official records in its class, 1000 miles in 984 minutes!

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Fashion Arbiters Ponder the Waistline

Meanwhile, There are Other Things to Consider—Plaids are Again in Vogue—Skirts are Longer—Black Retains Popularity

BY HARRIET

Paris designers are still trying to figure out what to do about the waistline—whether to raise it and alter the silhouette, or to continue with the low line that is so universally successful and becoming.

And while this matter is being decided, other less important features of the mode are being definitely established.

For instance, plaids have come back with a vengeance. They are growing in favor not only in jersey, knitted wools and in materials obviously for sports, but in sheer velvets, and in moires, taffetas and chiffons.

Rain Costume of Plaid

One of the most delightful adaptations is seen in the rain costume pictured at the right. Here we find a taffeta ensemble in red, white and graded green, and the coat is rubberized so that it fears no rainy day. The same red that makes the color and the pockets is repeated in the coat lining.

For the school girl such a costume has everything, snap, utility and amazing sharpness.

Another costume that will serve a variety of uses, and is always distinctly individual, is the crepe frock, embroidered in shades of brow and henna, shown at the left.

Not having come to any conclusion about the waistline, it has solved the matter by disregarding it entirely. The horizontal line from shoulder to hem is excellent for any type of figure, except the two-curved one, and while extreme in treatment, it is very simple in cut.

Sleeves Are Elaborate

Among the style features to be noted particularly are the sleeves, embroidered in points to give a cap effect, and the gathered-in sleeve with the double rufffles at the wrist. The scarf neckline is a compromise in cut between the high and the low collar, and may be adapted in a number of ways.

Interesting, too, is the hat which is considerably more trimmed than the average one. The wide brim, which is beige felt to match the costume, has cut out sections which are filled in with georgette crepe, giving almost a transparent effect.

Regarding styles in general, here are a few words to the wise:

Sleeves are much more elaborate than they have been, being embroidered, tucked and generally decorated. Some achieve great width, and some extreme versions of the old bell sleeve are seen.

Yokes are appearing on many of the newest gowns and coats, and even in night gowns.

Skirts are much longer, which usually means that they are longer in places than in others; the long back is particularly stressed.

Circular lines of much color and in godets often accentuate the flared line.

In spite of much color and in many combinations of color, black holds up strongly for both day and evening wear, and the black coat is the leader at the moment.



In the accompanying article, Harriet describes in detain the costumes pictured above. The waistline, which Paris designers are having difficutly in placing, is disregarded entirely in the crepe frock pictured at the left. Right a charming plaid rain costume.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Wellington, Texas, at its regular meeting in September, 1928, same being the 3rd day of said Month, will receive sealed bids for the custody of the City Funds from any Banking Corporation Association or individual banker doing business within the City Limits that may desire to be selected as the depository of the Funds of the City. Any Banking Corporation, Association or Individual Banker doing business within the City desiring to bid shall deliver to the City Secretary on or before the Day of such Meeting, designated by this Notice, Sealed proposal stating the rate per cent upon daily balances that such bidder offers to pay to the City for the privilege of being made the depository of the Funds of the City of Wellington, Texas, for the year following the date of such Meeting. The City Council of said City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Witness my hand this the 20th day of August, 1928.

CLARENCE C. KNIGHT,
Secy. City of Wellington, Texas.

Half of the automobile trips of the average persons are for less than twenty miles, according to traffic statistics of the United States Bureau of Public Roads.

In the largest pipe organs there are some 18,000 pipes.

More than 1,250 electric trucks are used by fifty baking companies in New York City.

Plymouth

School began Monday with a good attendance, though not all enrolled. M. A. Davis, Misses Alva Beach, Mittie and L. C. Young are the teachers and we are sure of one of the best schools.

Grandpa Jackson, died Monday, August 20, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Kidwell of Prairie View. Grandpa had been in poor health for several weeks. He was 78 years of age. He had lived a christian since early manhood. He is survivied by several children and grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist church Tuesday afternoon, August 2,, by Rev. Baird of Shamrock assisted by Elder Riley of Dozier.

Connie, the 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Whitten died at the Shamrock hospital, Monday night, after an appendix operation on Friday. Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon by Rev. C. C. Clement of Wellington.

Connie was the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Whitten. She was converted last summer. She will be sadly missed in the home as well as in Sunday school, and school by her many little friends.

The pall bearers were Iris Austin, Vera Carrell, Opal Bradley, Jewel Bradley, Azlee Montgomery and Jessie Harrison. The flower girls were Glennie Austin, Thelma Carrell, Ruth Whitfield, Lelia Higgins, Jewel Harrison, Calrene Harrison and Onie Ward.

Ed Ward and family of Wheeler attended the funeral of Connie Whitten Wednesday.

Setting Colors

To set color and shrink new goods before making it into a garment, dissolve one pint of salt into four gallons of water and soak the material for at least an hour.

Aberdeen

The womens home demonstration club met Wednesday, August 22 at the home of Mrs. S. C. Irwen. Instructions were given on the making of various kinds of jelly by Miss Swafford. After an interesting discussion on the fair and its purpose, ample plans were made for our club exhibit. Delicious refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served to the following members: Mesdames E.W. Miller, P. Cody, E. Smith, Erman Waller, W. T. Wall, Dude Shaw, L. D. Irwen, J. L. Light and Miss Eldia Smith. The following visitors were present: Mrs. C. B. Boverie, Wellington, Mrs. Tom Russell and Mrs. Tate Russell of Childress.

The church of Christ is holding a revival at this place. Reverand Clyde Riley of Wellington is conducting the service.

A revival meeting which had been in progress some 10 days, has closed.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol McClennan announce the arrival of a girl on August 9.

A bouncing baby girl, weighing 10 pounds, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Johnson on August 8, named Robena Jewel.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Deger are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy, bon August 17, named Clifford Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gulley and son and daughter, left last Sunday for Hot Springs, Arkansas, for a visit with relatives there.

Mr. Mr. and Mrs. John Deger and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rountree left last Thursday for Montague county where they will visit relatives for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sweat left Sunday for Mineral Wells where Mr. Sweat expects to remain for some time for the benefit of his health.

Mrs. Amos Hawby and family returned to her home in Oklahoma City after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Holmes, for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shaw and family visited relatives in Memphis Wednesday and Thursday.

The two year old son of Mrs. Roy Duncan of Clinton, Oklahoma, is very sick with scarlet fever at the home of Mrs. A. G. Rountree. Mrs. Duncan and family had been visiting relatives here for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Shaw and family left Saturday for a several day visit with relatives near Altus, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gulley and family of near Farwell, visited at the home of the lady's mother, Mrs. M. A. Nelson last week. Mrs. Nelson accompanied them on to Clay county where they will visit relatives.

Prunes

A few slices of lemon, or a few spices adds a delicious flavor when cooked with prunes.

There is an extraordinary echo in the Cathedral at Pisa. If you sing two notes there is no reverberation, but if you sing three they are taken up, swelled, and prolonged into a beautiful harmony.

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DAD: — "Well, son you are going off to school in a few days. What had you rather have before you go?"

DICK:—"I want one of those International Tailored to Measure Suits like Bobby got at The Toggery last week.' week."

DAD:—"Do they have the fall suits in already?"

DICK: — "They have the samples in and can get it here in time for me to take it to school with me. And Gee Dad, you ought to see their samples."

DAD: — "All right son, let's go down and look them over."

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IT HAD TO BE GOOD TO GET WHERE IT IS

FALL FASHIONS

We are now showing our late arrivals in fall merchandise, and we invite you to come in and inspect our merchandise while it is brand new and complete. We have many bargains in every department.

F-A-L-L
Ready-to-Wear
---by---
Apfelbaum and Stern

Frocks that appear fresh and dainty every hour of the warm autumn days. We have them in the new satins, transparent velvets and cantons. They are just light enough, gay enough and tailored to please. They are smart frocks of youthful lines and are fine garments of chic features.



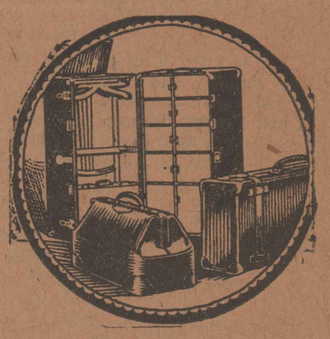


Millinery by Fisk

Our assortment includes hats of cut velvets, felts and felt trims. They are shown in blacks, navys and vari-colored designs.

Attractive Luggage

The boy or girl who is going to college must have proper luggage. We have a nice assortment of Gladstones, fitted bags and wardrobe trunks in beautiful models.





NEW FALL COATS
Beautifully Fur Trimmed

The fall coats are beautifully trimmed in fur of brown and tan, corresponding with material colors. Deep cuffs of novel shapings and pockets are distinctive features of the newer models. You must see our selections.



Charming Footwear

Blacks and rich, golden browns predominate for fall wear. They come in satins, patents, kids and combinations, with straps and ties and pumps.

PERCY WELLS
Department Store

aul, Church Organizer

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he International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for September 2. Paul Organizer of Churches. Acts 17:1-12.

After the prison experiences of Paul and Silas at Phillippi and the establishment of a company of disciples with the house of Lydia as its center, Paul passed on through Macedonia to Thessaloni-a, a city that became a scene of further evangelistic triumph and to give its name in future ages to two apostles of St. Paul, I and II Thessalonians.

Here at Thessalonica there was a Jewish synagogue, and Paul being a Jew, followed the procedure which was established in his missionary journeys of worshiping with his own countrymen and as opportunity offered, expounded to them the fulfillment of Jewish scriptures in Jesus of Nazereth. Paul spent three Sabbaths thus worshipping and discussing in the synagogue in Thessalonica preaching to them the effect of Christ's redemptive mission, his sufferings, his death, and resurrection.

Intensity of Jewish opposition, however, was soon manifest. The record suggests that some of the Jewish leaders were envious of the influence of Paul. Here as at Phillippi religious prejudice did not come out and express itself openly and frankly. It took the baser forms of rousing hostility against Paul and of stirring up mob prejudice and mob violence, so that, as the record says, the whole city was set in an up roar.

When Paul and Silas, whose friends had evidently successfully concealed them, were not found the mob seized Jason, at whose house apparently they had been staying and haled Jason and certain others before the rulers of the city. Here they did not say, as honest men might have said, "these men differ from us religiously." They sought rather to discredit their loyalty to the government

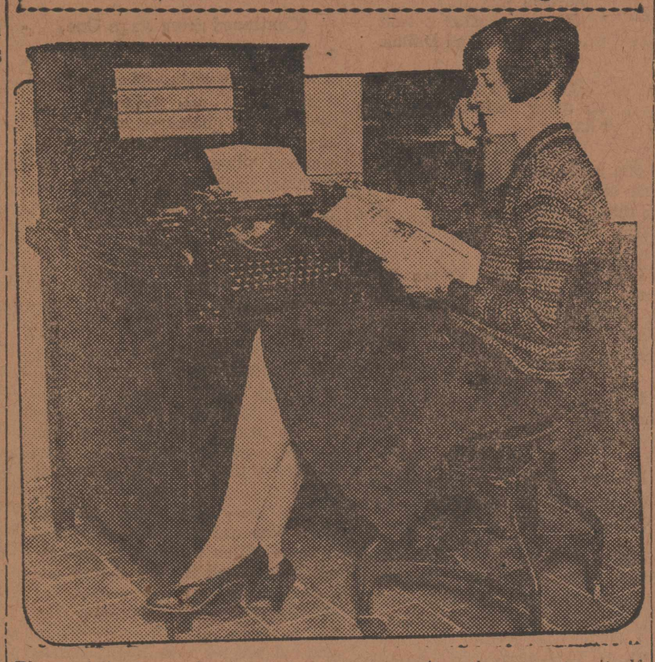
The rulers of Thessalonica seem to have been sensible men. Instead of subjecting Jason to unjust treatment or indignity they had him and his companions give bail and let them go.

The company of believers realezed, however, that Paul and Silas were in danger, so they sent them by night to Berea, another city of Macedonia about forty miles from Thessalonica. Here, also, Paul and Silas went into the synagogue of the Jews.

The Jews of Berea in the language of the lesson 'were more noble than those in Thessalonica." They listened with readiness and openness of mind to Paul's expression of the Scriptures and many of them believed here also as at Thessalonica. A number of Greeks and "noble women" were among the new converts.

Everywhere the Gospel in the beginning showed itself as a power transcending racial and national distinctions.

Oh, for the Life of a Stenog



The typist's dream has come true—a typewriter that operates itself. It works on the same principle as a player piano, a record roll being placed in the machine. Miss Clara Spriggs of Chicago is showing the advantages of the invention.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Brother Billy Wolfrum is back at home and will preach at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and evening. He will be glad to meet his old friends once more. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

troduce new queen into the bee colonies is just in time for them to mate and begin laying early in the month of August. Every colony should have a young, vigorous queen. In addition to this, the most important requirement or the beekeeper to keep in mind is the leaving of abundant stores for the bees during the critical fall brood-rearing period, particularly in the clover region and in apiaries where extracted honey is produced, as in this case the brood chamber is usually short of adequate stores.

All important varieties of foreign cheeses can be made in this country, investigations by the Department of Agriculture in recent years have indicated. In 1926, in Wisconsin alone more than 17,000,000 pounds of wheel and block Swiss cheese and more than 5,000,000 pounds of Limburg cheese were made. Camembert and Requefort, two popular European varieties, have been made successfully in the United States. However, the sale of homemade cheeses of European varieties is handicapped by the partiality of consumers for foreign labels.

The automobile industry constitutes 29 per cent of the United States market for nickel.

Seven of every 100 auto busses in Greece are from America.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—Five or six loads of kindling. See W. H. Goforth. 79tfc.

WANTED—Position as stenographer. Can do general office work. Two years experience. Call 48 after 6 p. m. or inquire at A. Bailey. 1p

FOR SALE—Wooden boxes by N-A-W Candy and Coffee Co. 6tc

LOST: Ladies purse somewhere near post office. Liberal reward if returned to Mrs. Jeff Greer. 3c

FOR RENT—One furnished bedroom. See Mrs. Tom Parker, 1305 Amarillo St. 5trc

WANTED — Ambitious, industrious white person to introduce and supply the demand for Rawleigh Household Products. Good openings near you. Make sales of $150 to $600 a month or more. Rawleigh Methods get business everywhere. No selling experience needed. We supply Sales and Advertising Literature and Service Methods—everything you need. Profits increase every month. Low prices; good values; complete service. W. T. Rawleigh Co., Dept. TX 13763 Memphis, Tenn. 3-5t

LOST—One good tire with tube and rim. There was one snag place on the tire. Lost between Wellington and Hobart. A reward of $10 will be given to finder. Notify G. D. Caison or phone 397.

FOR SALE

This place must sell. Good new 6 room modern house, hardwood floors, built-in features and paved street. Good garage. A small amount cash will handle it. See Mrs. Hazel Reed at 1400 El Paso street. tf.



NOTICE

We will start our incubators Monday, September 2. Will do custom 104 eggs at $2.00 per tray, 96 to 104 egs each or will hatch your eggs on halves. We will set free three trays each Monday. Baby chicks at a price you can afford to pay.

KNOWLES HATCHERY

One mile west of Wellington.

Lots of peaches for sale. One half mile east of the Salt Fork school house and one quarter south and one quarter east. E. L. Wilson, Sr. 4c

LOST—Ladies onyx ring with chip diamond, lost in town Friday morning. Finder please return to Miss Audrey Taylor.

COLD CAPSULES
Guaranteed
Cochran Drug Co
North Side of Square

When binding the neck of a dress use a double bias fold about three-fourths of an inch wide when folded. Place the raw edge along the neck edge of the garment with the binding lying on the right side. Stitch about a quarter inch from the edge. Turn the binding over and baste down, without turning in the folded edge. Stitch again on the right side, close to the first stitching. This catches the binding at the back and makes a neat, firm inish.

Haulage of live stock by motor truck to the Chicago stock yards increased 46 per cent in 1927.

An Announcement

of interest to pupils who intend to take Expression During the coming school year.

I will be at the East Ward School from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. All pupils who intend to take expression are requested to get in touch with me at that time.

Miss Eunice Griigs
Emerson Method
Expression Teacher of Wellington Public Schools

Electricity Used For Drill Power

Electrification of the new consolidated pool in Wilbarger county is well under way and indications are that this big oil field will shortly join the ranks of the many fields in West Texas which are electrified almost exclusively.

Work of tapping the 66,000 volt high line running from Vernon to Holliday, carrying the power to the Wilbarger field over a 12,000 volt aluminum transmission line, has already begun.

The West Texas Utilities company also is constructing a 1,000 kva 66-12 latticed steel substation at the east side of the H & T C railway's property.

The new lines and substation will be capable of furnishing an unlimited supply of power to this field. It is believed that within a short time the new consolidated pool in Wilbarger will rank electrically along with the Noodle Creek field, where nearly 30 wells, either pumping or drilling, all but three are using electric power.

The service is being extended at once to the Sims Oil company's leases and others for electric pumping and drilling. There are now approximately 30 drilling wells using steam rotary rigs in this field.

J. M. Fivash is Buried Saturday

Funeral services were held for J. M. Fivash from the Fivash home Saturday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock by Rev. C. R. Joyner.

Mr. Fivash died Friday, August 24 at his home in Wellington after a lingering illness of several months He was one of the best known men of this section, and was well liked by all who knew him.

He was born June 4, 1862, in Tennessee, and is survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters.

Funeral arrangements were conducted by Thomas and McInnis.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our friends and neighbors for their help and kindness during the illness and death of our dear husband and father.

We are also thankful for the beautiful flowers given. May God bless you all.

Mrs. M. J. Holland and children.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wilson,
Mr. and Mrs. Gilroy Rummel,
Anna Lee Holland,
Buster Holland,
M. J. Holland, Jr.

IN DESPAIR

Run-down and Nervous Woman Picked Up, Got Strong.

"I can heartily recommend Cardui, because I have found it so helpful," declares Mrs. Norton Smith, of Warrenton, Georgia.

"I was very much run-down, and was hardly able to get about.

"I could not sleep at night, and was in a highly nervous condition. Nothing seemed to help me, and I was almost in despair. I decided to try Cardui and sent for a bottle.

"I soon began to improve. I got so I could eat. My appetite was good. My nerves got stronger, and I was able to sleep well at night. I picked up in weight and my color was much better."

Cardui is sold by all druggists. Try it.

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WHITTLINGS

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Published in the Interest of the people of Wellington and vicinity by Cicero Smith Lumber Co., A. M. Duvall, Mgr.

The Fair will soon be here We hope you will come in and visit with us. That's what we're here for.

This is the season for mail order catalogs, and they are now pouring into the post office, inviting your patronage. Read the advertisements of Wellington merchants and trade with them, for there are some mighty good merchants in Wellington, after all. We know them personally. They're square shooters Don't you think the home merchant is entitled to at least a chance to fill your wants? Of course you do.

In some of the Buddist temples in Japan there is lacquer finish that is thousands of years old and as good as new. None knows how long the better brands of lacquer will last because no one has lived long enough to find out. Of course we sell the best.

We've been selling B. P. S. paint for years and have not had a single complaint yet. We are not expecting it, either.

Modern Science has devised many substitutes for lumber, but it never has been able to replace it entirely. Lumber made of wood still remains the most satisfactory and economical material for the small building. Science has done this however— by replacing wood in heavier construction with steel and concrete it has kept the price of lumber within the reach of the home builder.

The best way to be contented with your lot is to build a nice home on it.

Men no longer hide behind women's skirts. Neither do women.

Hardwood floors make housekeeping easier. Ask the women who have them.

Cicero Smith Lumber Co.
Wellington, Texas

To The Voters---

Although I was defeated in my race for tax assessor, I wish to extend to my friends who gave me such loyal support throughout the campaign just ended, my true appreciation. I feel that my efforts in the office of tax assessor have been above reproach, and I am grateful for the honor of having been able to serve the people of Collingsworth County. With sincerity I thank each of you.

H. B. Duke

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LOCALS

Misses Edith Husbands and Werta Scruggs and Truman Yoes of Hollis were Wellington visitors last Sunday.

Hazel Owen and Bernice Guthrie of Memphis were Wellington visitors last Saturday.

Miss Rachel Deahl of Dodsonville left last Saturday for West Virginia where she will teach school this coming year.

Miss Dorothy Moore visited in Hollis last week with friends.

Miss Eunice Griggs of Clarendon was in Wellington last week making arrangements to meet her expression pupils. Miss Griggs will teach expresion in the Wellington high school this coming school term.

B. C. Pratt of Mineral Wells visited his cousin, J. W. Holbart of Wellington recently.

Misses Lelia and Blanche Savage of Wichita Falls visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Savage this week.

Miss Laure Thorp from Frederick, Oklahoma, is visiting Miss Eunice Wilkins and relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Atkins were Wellington visitors last Saturday. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Deskins Wells.

Clovis West of Sudan, Texas, is visiting friends in Wellington this week.

Mrs. Elbert Kittinger of Memphis was a guest of Mrs. R. E. Morrow last Sunday.

John William Peeples of Dodsonville visited in Wellington Monday.

Butch Rabo and Rufus McCallister of Shamrock visited friends in Wellington Sunday.

A card was received from Miss Jessie Fuson who is spending her vacation in Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. Fuson are in Colorado with Miss Fuson and are enjoying the cool climate

Word was received from Mrs. J. C. Hampton and son, Garland, who are in Los Angles enjoying the summer, that they expect to be home about September 16.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chapman owner of the Chapman Confectionary, returned last week after a vacation in Alabama for several weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee O'Neil and daughter, Bess, returned last week after a trip throug sixteen north western states. They visited Chicago, New York, Washington and many other large cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pinkston had as their guests last week Mrs. Roy Abbott of Vernon and Miss Edwards of Lubbock.

Miss Inez Leach and Mrs. A. V. Cocke made a trip to Dallas last week.

Miss Clara Leach returned this week from Dallas where she has been attending summer school at S. M U. Mrs. Herbert Leach and daughter, Elizabeth, of Dallas, accompanied Miss Leach home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn had as their guests last week-end Mr. and Mrs. Oran Horn and children of Altus, and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Horn and children of Borger. Mr. and Mrs Seth were on their return trip from Arkansas.

Orville Wells returned Sunday from Austin where he has been taking prelaw work. He will return in September to start his law course, which will require three years at the University.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goforth made a trip to Clarendon last Sunday to bring their son, Firman, home from the Boy Scout encampment there.

Mrs. Fred Watkins made a trip to Clarendon after her son, Dale, who attended the Boy Scout encampment near there.

Mrs. Lucy B. Wells and daughters, Hattie D. and Robbie, returned from Boulder, Colorado, Monday. Misses Hattie D. and Robbie Wells attended summer school at Boulder University this summer. Hattie D. Wells will teach in the Wellington high school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Sullivan went to Clarendon Sunday after their son, James, who attended the Boy Scout encampment there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bevers returned Monday from Colorado after spending a two weeks vacation there. They were in Colorado Springs, Denver and other interesting places.

Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Goforth and Mr. and Mrs Frank Goforth motored to Wichita Falls lost Sunday.

Mrs. R. Paxton visited friends in Amarillo last Monday.

Mrs. Richard Cocke left Sunday for Sayre, Oklahoma, where she will visit her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bower returned Monday from St. Louis, where they bought fall merchandise for the C. G. Bower and the Famous Dry Goods stores.

Reed Scott and Bob Scott expect to leave for Long Beach, California to be with their families there.

Mrs. J. H. Ball is visiting in Wheeer this week with her son, Owen Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fletcher visited in Mangum last Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Goodson, Mary Cox and Leonard Merritt left last Saturday for Dalhart where they will visit Mrs. Goodson's and Leonard Merritt's mother.

Mrs. M. P. Watkins has her mother as a guest this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fain are in Marlin, Texas, for Mrs. Fain's health. Mr. Fain is one of the officials of the local Fain & Co. Store.

Miss Fay Allen of Belpre, Kansas is in Wellington this week visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. P. Watkins.

W. W. Fletcher, manager of Fain & Co., made a business trip to Childress last week.

Aubrey Smith, manager of the Memphis Fain & Co., visited in Wellington last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John French and son visited in Hollis last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mosley, formerly of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Starr have as their guest this week Mr. Starr's sister, Mrs. Olin Turner, of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kembo of Amarillo, were in Wellington last week-end visiting Mrs. Williams, a sister of Mrs. Kembro.

Leslie Kembro of Bowie, Texas, was here last week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Williams.

Jackson Jones of Apache, Oklahoma was in Wellington visiting Mrs. John West and family and other relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones of Memphis visited in Wellington with relatives. Miss Annabell West accompanied them back to Memphis.

Shorty Bonner of Dalhart has been visiting friends in Wellington for the past week.

Dr. John W. Harper made a business trip to Shamrock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKinney returned Sunday from Mineral Wells where they enjoyed their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Askey of Decatur, have moved to Wellington. Mrs. Joe Fuller and Mrs. Johnny Wallace are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Askey.

Mrs. E. W. Alley visited in Wichita Falls last week. Miss Jane Smith, who has been visiting June Marian Alley returned with them to her home.

Mrs. A. L. Cochran and son, Jimmie, returned from Hollis last Sunday after visiting with relatives in Hollis.

Mrs. Earl Koger and sons will move to Shamrock this week to be with Mr. Koger, who is in one of the banks there.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Flowers, who are holding a meeting in Childress, will visit Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith this week.

A. M. Avery made a trip to Paducah last week to transact some business there.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Martin returned last week from their vacation. They visited friends in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dobbs of Olton, Texas, are in Wellington this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Dobbs.

Rev. B. J. Osborn, former pastor of the Methodist church, visited friends in Wellington the first of this week. Rev. Osborn is now pastor of the First Methodist Church at Ralls, Texas.

Miss Francis Wooley left Monday after visiting with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Stewart for the past week.

Miss Rebecca Land left this week to visit Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Jones in Quanah. Mr. and Mrs. Jones are formerly of Wellington.

Miss Pauline Cocke had as her guest Miss Virginia Afflect of Childress last week.

Billie Leach of Childress was a Wellington visitor last week.

Roscoe Sasser left Tuesday for Lubbock where he will attend the Texas Tech there.

Miss Sally Hill of College Station is here this week visiting her sister, Mrs. J. D. Wilson.

Robert Templeton and Frank McInnis visited in Wichita Falls last week-end

Homer Glasgow, Logan Dryden Bill Plemmons, Leon White and Tommy Stall visited friends in Hollis Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Porter of Shamrock were Wellington visitors Sunday afternoon.

Logan Dryden returned from Clarendon after spending three weeks working with the Chickasha Oil Company.

Phin McMahan of Clarendon was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Drydey last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Smallwood of Whitesboro, Texas, visited relative in Wellington last week-end

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Talley have been spending a short vacation in Vernon and Paducah.

Logan Dryden returned to Clarendon after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dryden.

Miss Verma Young is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young this week.

Price Dukeminer made a business trip to Clarendon Friday.

Zeddie Edgar is home visiting with his parents this week after finishing a secretarial course in John Tarelton. Mr Edgar will start to work for the college September 1.

Frank Mitchell and family visited in Clinton and Butler, Oklahoma last week with friends and relatives. Mr. Mitchell says crop prospects look better here than any place he visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel McDowell and Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons, Jr., visited friends in Hollis last Sunday.

D. W. Crawford, J. L. Montgomery, and Moon Royal visited in Clarendon last Sunday

Walker Jones, who is a druggist in Tulia, is visiting friends in Wellington

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee and son are moving to Clovis, New Mexico, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Williams are leaving for San Angelo where they will make their new home.

Pat Bobo of Muleshoe, Texas, is in Wellington this week visiting Dr. and Mrs. C. E. High. Mr. Bobo is a brother of Mrs. High.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mahan and son of Shamrock visited their parents, Mr and Mrs. J. A. Mahan here last Sunday.

Bob Christoff of Dallas is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Charles Chastain returned Saturday after a trip to Corpus Christi.

Miss Lila Hollis returned from Oklahoma City last Wednesday after a weeks stay there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Curry of White Deer were in Wellington last Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. C. L. Nugent of Slaton, Texas, visited last week-end with friends and relatives.

S. P. Buter made a business trip to New Mexico last week.

Mrs. Mel Dewight of Childress is visiting her sister, Mrs. S P. Buster here.

Reed Scott of Childress was in Wellington last Sunday looking after his farm near here.

Mrs. J. B. Castleberry and daughter, Clara, returned from a visit in Rome and Fort Worth, Texas, with relatives.

Bill Andrews and Ray Goodson returned Saturday after a visit in Marietta, Oklahoma, and Dallas.

Jack McCullough returned from Amarillo after visiting there for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Porter of San Antonio are the guests of M. and Mrs. M. P. Watkins. Mrs. Porter is Mrs. Watkins' sister.

Harris Royal and Vivian West made a trip to Canyon last Friday to bring Mittie Lee Royal home. Miss Royal has been attending summer school there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hicks, Margaret and Argen visited friends in Memphis last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Arnold and son, were in Memphis last Sunday visiting friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. H. Daffron, Henry Daffron and daughter, Tommie, returned Saturday from a trip to Birmingham, Alabama.

W. H. Castleberry of Meadow and L. D. Asher of Plainview returned home Monday after a visit with Mrs. Cora Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rainer left Tuesday for Oklahoma City, to spend a few days there attending to business and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Richards and daughter, Betty Jeane, of Elk City, visited Mrs. W. O. Richards last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mosley and baby visited friends in Hollis last Sunday.

Carl Richardson and T. Blankenship of Hammon, Oklahoma, were Wellington visitors last Monday.

Fall School—

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plain our convictions regarding school organization and control and likewise get you point of view on the same questions, we will not have those misunderstandings so common when people do not understand each other. Come out, get acquainted, with the teachers of your children and help us in our endeavor to educate you boys and girls. We are going to expect every father and mother to do his and her duty in this particular.

"The commercial arts course has been definitely provided for in your high school. Miss Jo Anna Lolley, a graduate of C. I. A., is the instructor and will be on the ground during institute to make definite plans for this particular phase of school work. We must have at least eight pupils the age of 14 who are regularly employed in some office or store in this locality to enroll in this course before we can get the substantial subsidy granted by the state. Any one engaged in such employment who wishes to take the course should see either Miss Lolley or me. We shall be very glad to enroll a fairly large number in this particular class.

"All pupils should bring with them their report and book cards when they come for classification. They are liable to be seriously delayed in their classification if they fail to observe this warning.

"Pupils who wish to enter the Wellington schools from unaffiliated schools should bring with them a transcript of their work from the office of the county superintendent or from their own schools. Such pupils will not be classified without this transcript. Pupils who furnish this record will be received into the grade to which they have been promoted with the the distinct understanding that they maintain throughout the school year an average grade of 85 (B). If such a pupil in the grammar or primary grades fails to maintain this grade he may be demoted or such a pupil fails in this paticular in the high school, he or she may be deprived of all high school credits.

"Entrance examinations will be given only upon the request of the pupil, and only to those who have studied the subject in question for a full term of school, and such pupil must furnish evidence that he or she has devoted serious study on the subject since the last failure to pass same.

"C. B. Harrison, coach and principal of the high school, is on the ground and is ready to start football practice. In regard to this paticular question we wish it to be distinctly understood that no irregularities pertaining to eligibility rules will be tolerated. That is, boys who are now ineligible will not be permitted to play. Under no circumstances will any variation be made to this ruling. We intend to follow the interscholastic league rules.

"In regard to the Parent-Teacher association we wish to say that Mrs. R. H. Templeton, president of the organization, will be given time on Monday and Tuesday evenings to present her plans and to do whatever she may deem necessary to get the work going. Briefly, a strong enthusiastic Parent-Teacher organization usually means thorough and efficient school work. Let us cooperate with Mrs. Templeton and the other officials of this association in making a great success of it.—G. L. Farrar, Superintendent."

The personnel of the faculty this year presents a highly trained corps of teachers. The teachers employed for the coming year are:

High School

G. L. Farrar, Superintendent.

C. B. Harrison, principal, mathematics and athletic coach.

Miss Louise Harle, Spanish and Latin.

Miss Mildred Hulsey, English and junior and senior girls coa

Miss Lota Price, English.

Miss Kathleen Ingram, history.

Miss Hattie D. Wells, history.

Miss Estelle Shepherd, home economics.

Miss Vada Crawley, home economics, history and English.

Miss Ruby McDonald, science.

O. M. Stewart, Spanish and English.

R. L. Davison, mathematics.

Miss Eunice Griggs, expression.

Mrs. Aubrey Dobbs, Music.

Miss Jo Anna Lolley, commercial arts.

Junior High School

Zeffie Childress, principal, high seventh and history.

Raymond McClure, low seventh and arithmetic.

Miss Lula Maten, sixth and seventh reading.

Miss Effie Rankin, high sixth, geography.

Mrs. Delia Cowan, low sixth, English.

Miss Floy Farrar, high fifth, arithmetic.

Miss Inez Cook, low fifth, geography.

Miss Ruth Boarman, fifth, combination history and reading.

Miss Lula Mae Cook, high fourth, English.

West Ward

Miss Effie Childress, principal and low first.

Mrs. Alda Wynn, low and high first.

Mrs. C. C. Heitt, low second.

Mrs. Lula Sadler, low and high second.

Miss Clema Munice, low third.

Miss Ora Hay, high third.

Miss Leah Simth, low third.

Mrs. Ruth Barton, low fourth.

Miss May Simpson, low fourth.

Mrs. Merritt J. Wilks, Kindergarten.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kennan returned Tuesday from a trip to Missouri.

THE REED STORES COMPANY

School Opening Sale

Saturday, Sept. 1 to Saturday, Sept. 8

For the period just prior to school opening our buyers have searched the markets for the best values obtainable in school supplies and children's wear, and while we can only enumerate a few items here, a visit to our store will convince you that Reed's is the logical place to outfit your children with everything needed in school, at a very nominal cost.

BOYS' SHIRTS AND BLOUSES
For this week we have some special values in broadcloth, madras, etc all sizes at only 69c each

RAYON SILK BLOOMERS
Just the thing for school wear—good quality, fine weave.
Sizes 6 to 10 years at 69c
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CHILDREN'S DERBY RIBBED HOSE
Popular light colors—a regular 25c value. Special this week pair 19c

FREE FREE FREE
With every purchase during this week we will give Free a miniature tablet, ideal for a note book, etc. Ask for yours.

EXTRA SPECIAL Pure Aluminum
For this week we are offering the following big pieces: 1½ qt.percolator, 8 qt. dish pan, 8 qt. preserving kettle, double boiler, ice pitcher, covered kettle. For only 43c EACH

UMBRELLA SPECIAL
A good durable self-opening style, easily worth $1.50 each Our price this week $1.00

REED'S SPECIAL TABLET
Is the biggest value in town. A monstrous big bulky 320-page tablet, good paper—our price ONLY 8c EACH

HI-GRADE INKS
For this week only we will sell this well known quality ink for only 8c bottle

Everything for use in all grades: tablets pencils, note books, inks, erasers, lunch boxes, school bags, rulers, water colors, wax crayons, drinking cups.

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Just the thing for the Kiddies to carry their lunch in. Only 15c

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Indian pattern, size 66x80, heavy weight blankets. Each $1.99

Do not fail to see our line of Children's wear, dresses, shirts, stockings, underwear, shoes, sweaters, and everything that will be needed by the children going to school.

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Is the most popular in town. Buy a small bag of your favorite kind and you will see why others buy all their candy from us.

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