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Farmers Benefit from High Grain

Samnorwood Will Hold Mammoth Rodeo Sept. 19-21

Samnorwood will stage the biggest rodeo ever held in that community on September 19, 20 and 21. The Samnorwood rodeo is an outgrowth of the old Abra rodeo that was customarily held each year on July 4.

Barney Walker, manager of the Samnorwood Annual Fall Rodeo to be held September 19 through 21, advises contestants and spectators to "bring your bedroll and tent—there will be free camping grounds."

Walker said the annual Samnorwood Round-Up Rodeo will be a cowboys' and cowgirls' show and definitely not a "dude carnival." Claude Hays of Weatherford, Okla., is bringing some tough stock and there will be \$500 cash prizes in addition to entrance fee money.

The Samnorwood show will feature both junior and senior divisions in calf roping, saddle bronc riding, bareback riding, bull riding and bull dogging. There will also be a girls' sponsor contest.

Entrance fees will be \$15 in each event and all entries must be in by 5 p. m. September 18. Performers are asked to write B. H. Walker at Samnorwood for particulars.

There will be three performances—Friday night, Saturday night and Sunday afternoon. Admission will be children 60c and adults \$1.20 including tax.

The Samnorwood Round-Up will be an open show with nobody barred except blacklist cowboys.

Methodist Launch School Campaign

Methodists will launch a drive for increased Sunday School attendance in all churches it was disclosed at the district meeting held in Wellington September 15. In addition a campaign will be launched to secure students for the church schools in which all present and prospective church school members will be contacted.

In the formal program H. A. Longino spoke on devotion and evangelism, Mrs. N. S. Daniel on women's work, John T. Forbis on Laymen's program, P. E. Yarbrough on rural work, H. H. Bratcher and C. C. Armstrong on missionary work, Hubert Thomson on Methodist state work and U. D. Crosby on church school crusade for Christ.

Pampa Ropers Coming Here

Wellington ropers journeyed to Pampa Monday night, Sept. 15, to meet eight of Pampa's best. With two calves each Pampa took low time on the first calf and Wellington on the second. The Pampa ropers had several seconds less total time at the end of the contest, giving the 600 local fans something to crow about.

Thursday night, September 18, the Pampa ropers will try a return match on Wellington's home ground. Roping will begin promptly at 7:45.

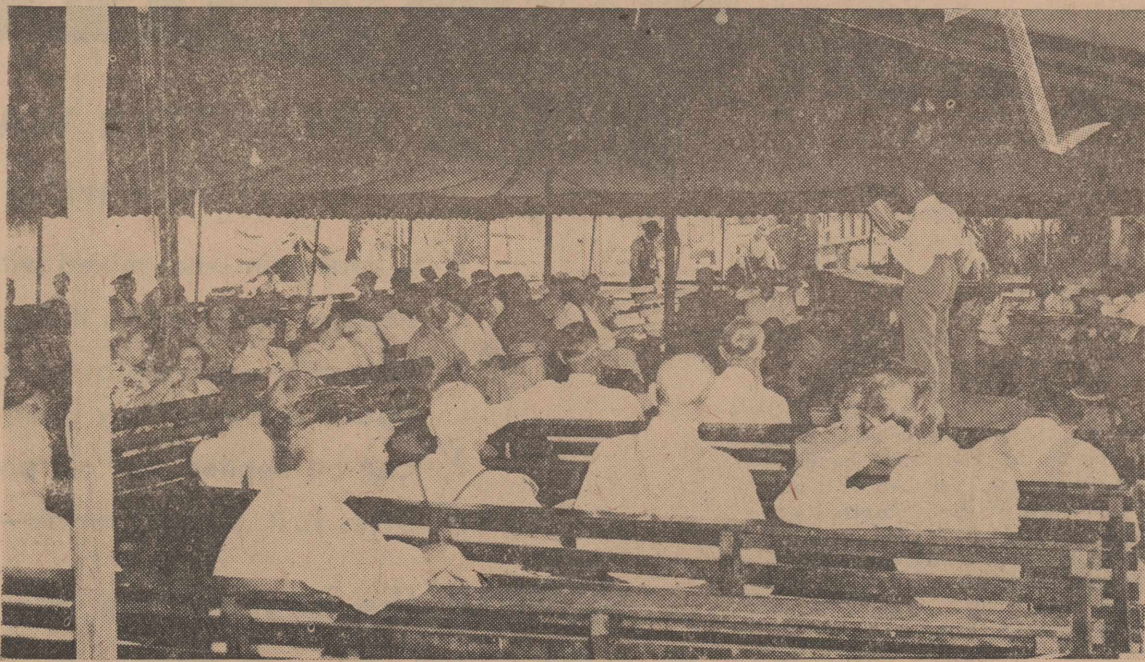
"We expect an interesting match and will give the spectators plenty of action," said Cameron Beam, manager of the ropers. "There will be a small admission charge to cover expenses."

Youth Center Will Open Friday For 1947-48 Season

Officials of the Wellington Youth Center met September 12 for the purpose of making plans for the opening of the project at the beginning of the school year.

All teen age school children invited to the opening meeting which will be Friday night, September 19 after the Wellington-Dalhart football game. Any school student of the county is eligible to attend this first meeting regardless of whether they are members or not.

At a later date officials for the center will be elected and the dues will be set for individual members.



PRIMITIVE BAPTISTS GATHER IN WELLINGTON

Primitive Baptists recently held their district meeting in Wellington. It was the largest gathering of the Primitive Baptists ever held in West Texas according to the officials. Shown above is one of the early morning scenes as Elder Floyd Pittmann opened the services Friday morning.

Five Servants for Forty-Five Bucks—by the Month That Is

Wellington Couple Give Impressions Of Vacation Trip to Port Au Prince

By CLAUDIA BERGE
"How I Spent My Vacation" is a favorite topic for English teachers to assign their returning pupils each fall. Should Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wells be enrolled in school this year there is no doubt that they could win teacher's approval for interesting subject matter, since they have recently returned from a very colorful trip to the Republic of Haiti. They made the trip from Miami by air to visit Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Wells and daughter, Marshall Wells, brother of J. W. Wells and former Wellington resident, is American vice-consul in Haiti.

In telling of their trip, Mr. Wells says, "Since Haiti has never had a census, it is a little difficult to tell just how large the city of Port Au Prince is, but it is credited with a population of 125,000. It is by far the largest city in the Republic. About 95 percent of the population is Negro peasantry and the others are mostly mulattoes." "Naturally we were with members of the American embassy during most of our visit and so our English did very well. However, the official language of the country is French but most of the people speak a patois called "Creole." Asked about the American Embas-

sy, Mr. Wells relates, "There are about thirty-five members of the staff and while they have their own social life, they also mingle with the wealthy Haitians at social functions. Marshall says 'you have no idea how difficult it is to play bridge in French'."

Mrs. Wells enjoyed the trip equally as much as did her husband and has many interesting things to tell about life in this small island republic. "People on the most moderate salary are able to afford from three to five servants, since native help is very cheap. Marshall and Emily were very fortunate in (Continued on Page Twelve)

Three Cases of Relapsing Fever Found in County

Three cases of relapsing fever, a rare disease in West Texas, were diagnosed recently in Collingsworth County by health authorities. The disease which is characterized by fever and generalized aching is a parasite borne disease and is quite common in East Texas and other parts of the south where tick infestation is common.

Doctors of the Jones-Watkins Clinic pointed out that cleanliness of person and premises are the main preventatives; but they pointed out that it could be contracted by people handling tick infested cattle. Other carriers are lice and perhaps bed bugs. The disease is very stubborn and hard to overcome once it is contracted.

PTA Will Meet Thurs. Afternoon

All parents who have children in either the Wellington High School or Junior High are asked to a special meeting in the auditorium at 4 P. M. Thursday, September 16.

The purpose of the meeting will be to organize a PTA that will serve both schools, according to E. L. Pritchett, superintendent. One of the primary objectives will be to map out a campaign to raise funds for stage furnishings for the auditorium, which are needed urgently as well as to make other plans for the coming year regarding school activities.

All male parents are invited to attend the meeting if at all possible. Mr. Pritchett said that in view of the tremendous amount of things that needed to be done for the school children that he would greatly appreciate the interest and co-operation of all parents.

Co-Op Members to Receive Charter

Members and prospective members of the Collingsworth County Farmers Co-Operative Association, Inc., are invited to a meeting in the district court room in Wellington Tuesday, September 23, at 8 P. M.

The Association recently received its charter to organize and operate as a cooperative in this area. The purpose of the meeting will be three fold according to Marshall Baxter, acting secretary. First there will be the formality of accepting the charter, second the adoption of the by-laws and third the election of a permanent board of directors for the organization.

In speaking of the meeting Mr. Baxter said: "Every farmer in the county will have an opportunity to join and all are invited to attend this meeting whether they are members or not. However, only stock holders will be allowed to vote at this or any other meeting. The association is chartered under the laws of the cooperative marketing act of the State of Texas."

Reserved Seat Holders Asked to Get Tickets Before Friday Night

Boyd Russell urged all persons who had asked for reserved seats and who had not picked them up to be sure and do so before Friday, September 17. We have a few on hand that people ordered and if these are not called for by Friday they will be sold to other people wanting season reserved seats or they will be sold at the gate. Only a few reserved seats remain; but some of these are very excellent ones.

The price on reserved seats for the season is \$3.50 which makes a saving of \$1.50 over the cost of reserved seats bought individually at the gate.

General admission tickets are now on sale at the high school building and will also be on sale at the gate Friday night.

Consumers and Stockmen Not So Happy Over Sharp Rise

Combine maize reached an all time high in Collingsworth County Wednesday when local grain dealers started paying \$3.40 per hundred for threshed maize and kaffir. Bank deposits started increasing even before cotton harvesting had barely started. But even in this agricultural community, which generally hopes for high prices for agricultural products, there was trepidation in the minds of many people as they noted the rapid rise in the price.

Carolina FFA Boys To Visit Mill Iron

Fourteen Future Farmers of

America from North Carolina along with five teachers and Carolina officials of the FFA will arrive in Wellington Thursday for a three-day inspection of the Mill Iron Ranch.

The boys are some of those who received 50 of the Mill Iron bulls last year, purchased by Sears Roebuck and Company, and given to the boys by the Sears Roebuck Foundation. These animals will be brought together again at the North Carolina State Fair at which time the work of the boys in caring for their animals

and the development of the bulls will be studied by cattle experts.

Accompanying the boys are five teachers and three FFA officials. These are J. M. Osteen, district supervisor, J. C. Pearce, beef cattle specialist and R. J. Peeler, FFA executive secretary.

While here the boys will make a complete inspection of the Mill Iron Ranches in Collingsworth, Hall and Cottle Counties where they will be given first hand information of range conditions, and other factors of cattle raising in this section of Texas.

Cattlemen made a re-check of how profitable it might be to fatten out steers. People who had staked their lot on hog raising scratched their chins as did the housewives who had been planning on making some money out of chickens or turkeys. Local dairymen who have to buy much of their feed did not vision the rise as a boon to their business. But the most harassed group of all were the housewives whose husbands work on salaries. They knew what they were having to pay for groceries and they wondered what the increase in the price of grain would be when translated into the price of beef, pork, butter, eggs and bread.

Even a number of farmers who had planted late combine maize and kaffir could find no comfort in the spiraling price; for the drought of late summer had blighted their prospects for a good yield. But the men who planted maize early had hit a bonanza and they knew it. The average yield was turning out well over 1,500 pounds of threshed grain per acre and grossing the farmer over \$50 per acre.

Some of the typical yields from various sections of the county follow: Jim Light, 1,540; Jim Watts, 2,130; P. E. Lowrie, 1,890; J. B. Kelly, 1,500; Curtis Savage, 2,500; Cecil Shanks, 2,030; Billy Williams, 2,100; Lloyd Woodridge, 2,030; Bill Adams and Turk Dickey, 1,930; Ed Ward, 1,630; and Kelly White, 2,060.

The rise in grain prices started last Monday as statements by high Agriculture and Commerce Department officials continued to emphasize the poor world wide cereal situation. Although there was little wheat being held in this area, the price in Wellington was \$2.50 a bushel Wednesday.

The rising price of grain also caused a sharp rise in the price of alfalfa hay which had been selling at a comparatively low price during the summer months. But the picture for the growers of certified alfalfa seed continued to be a puzzling one. Last year the growers of certified seed were the ones that reaped a golden harvest; but this year there is no market. Even farmers who want to buy certified seed are unable to obtain seed for planting because the growers refuse to turn it loose at the present price. It is believed that the government loan on alfalfa seed will be announced soon and that some of the seed will start moving at that time.

One reason advanced for the utter lack of a market for alfalfa seed is the widespread drought through the entire middle west. Corn farmers are in the habit of planting alfalfa for fertilizer and turning it under green. To do this they let part of their acreage stay out of corn much as a wheat farmer fallows his land. But due to a partial failure due to drought this year coupled with the unprecedented price for corn, they intend to plant all of their acreage in corn in 1948 and they are not in the (Continued on Page Twelve)

Drowning Victim Buried in Wellington September 12

Darrell Wayne Brewer, who drowned in a private swimming pool in Pleasant Valley Sept. 9, was brought overland from Amarillo and buried in the Wellington Cemetery, September 12.

The child was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Brewer, formerly of Wellington, and at the time of his death was living with his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Martin of Pleasant Valley. The six year old boy was born in Wellington.

He and another child Ralph Henderson stopped to play around the swimming pool at the W. H. Davis home. The little first grade student fell into the water.

"He reached for a little boat and

fell into the water," says Ralph Henderson, 7 years old, who called Darrell his brother.

"I told him to come to me and I would help him out," Ralph continued.

"He caught the boat once. He dropped it back in the water. He fell in when he tried to catch it again," Ralph added.

The youngster was pulled out of the pool by Mrs. C. E. Callahan and another neighbor called by the Henderson boy. They rendered artificial respiration, continuing until arrival of a Black-Shaw ambulance. Artificial respiration was (Continued on Page Seven)

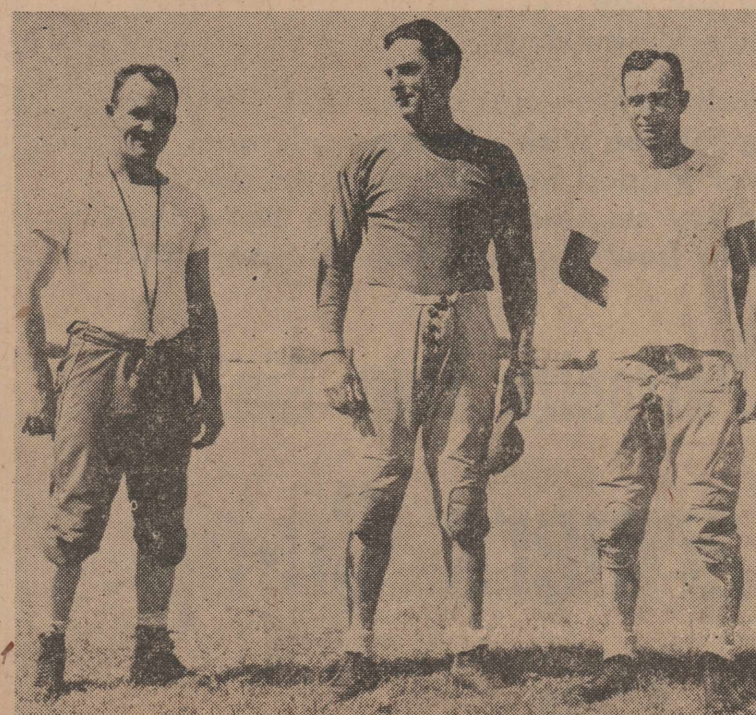
Montgomery Named Manager of Tindall Gin at Quail

Tom Montgomery of Shamrock has been named manager of the Tindall Gin at Quail according to an announcement made recently by J. M. Tindall. Before entering the gin business, Mr. Montgomery was a commissioner in Wheeler County for ten years and before that he engaged in farming in that area where he has lived for the past thirty years.

Services at Loco Church Sept. 21

Young Peoples' services and preaching will be held at the Bethel Church at Loco Sunday September 21 at 4:30 P. M. Rev. Noel Bryant, pastor of The First Methodist Church in Wellington will be the guest speaker.

Revival services are now under way at the Salt Fork Methodist Church and will continue through this week and perhaps longer if the present interest and good crowds continue.



MENTORS OF THE ROCKETS

Pictured above are the three men who are guiding the Rockets during 1947. Pictured from left to right are Al Duncan, head coach; John Lee, line coach and Bob Percival, who assists with the Rockets and is also coach of the B. squad.

Victory Hungry Wolves of Dalhart Coming to Town

The Victory starved Dalhart Wolves are coming to Wellington to take on the Rockets in the first game on Powell Field of the season. It will also be the first time that the Wolves and Rockets have met on any field and will be an interesting test of strength between two widely separated elevens.

For the past two years the Wolves have had two very unfortunate seasons losing a number of games by heartbreaking margins and a few more by sound trouncings. But the 1947 version of the pack seems to be quite different. Encouraged by their first game of the season in which they defeated Claude by a score of 57 to 0, they are coming to Wellington for their supreme effort of the season. In weight the Wolves will have a slight advantage over the Rockets.

Although they lost to the highly rated Perryton Rangers last week 6 to 0, the Rockets showed up as

such a strong defensive team that they landed among the top five of the Class A teams of the Panhandle in the listing of Frank Goodsoe Jr. of The Amarillo News. If the Rockets can polish up their offense, which they are expected to do in the next few weeks and perhaps this week, they will be a very hard team for any Class A team to get around. The difference between Perryton and Wellington was that the Rockets had a number of men playing in new positions this season, while Perryton's star backs were playing in familiar positions.

Top spot in the Class A struggle will be the game between Shamrock and Perryton this Friday. The Irish are openly bidding for regional honors and since the Rockets played the Rangers such a close game, the Irish-Ranger tilt may (Continued on Page Twelve)

Dodson Students on Radio Program

A group of students from Dodson known as "The Music Makers" presented a broadcast over station KCTX, Childress, Saturday, September 13.

The show was made up of a variety of musical numbers. "The Music Makers" consists of: Beth Kellison, accordion soloist; Jimmie Wynn, vocalist; Janie Branigan, vocalist; Jo Ann Darby, pianist; Vance Hunt, pianist and manager.

The group appreciated the courtesy Mr. Carter and Tommy showed them.

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Editorial

Last Friday a grey haired gentleman came into the office and it was apparent that he was plenty mad. "Who has been writing these articles about safe driving," he asked, and before I thought I volunteered that I was the culprit. Then I had visions of being chased over the counter. He went on to say that he had just witnessed something that made his blood boil. He was still shaking a little. "I just saw a man almost kill a little boy," he continued. Then he went on to explain that he was driving down the road leaving a school area. He drove very slowly as the road was crowded with school kids. A chubby boy passed him on a bike and as he was riding ahead a car sharply and rapidly turns to the left into a private driveway just in front of the boy on the bike. But for a quick wit and strong brakes that chubby boy's funeral would have been held last Sunday.

My friend continued "That man is going to kill a child yet—I know he is." All I can say is that if he does there will be a volunteer witness who will do his best to see that he is given the limit of the law. Unfortunately that will not save the child—Albert Law in The Dalhart Texan.

The new Miss America says she will desert the traditional beauty winner's course to Hollywood for the role of housewife. A case of putting the heart before the course!

A man in Cincinnati, O., who gambled that he could meet a strange woman and marry her within 12 hours, won the bet. That's what he thinks.

Other Editors Say

• So It Wasn't Your House

The wail of a siren has little effect on the citizens of McLean.

To give an example: Last Wednesday evening, another of the grass fires broke out in the south part of town. Fire trucks, and firemen, many of whom were in their own cars, tore out for the scene of the fire. There was plenty of noise from the sirens—even the partially deaf should have been able to hear them.

But the drivers of other autos—with the exception of the tourists on the highway—kept going. One local fireman, in an attempt to get to the scene in a hurry, hooked bumpers with the car of a local citizen who is not a member of the fire department.

It is our understanding that there is no city law against continuing driving when the fire or ambulance siren sounds. There should be such a law, of course, but if citizens would only stop to think a bit there would actually be need of no law.

It is true that many times here in McLean the firemen could wait five or ten minutes and still no property or people would be in danger. But it's also true that sometimes a minute means the saving of many dollars, and perhaps lives.

It is our belief, however, that a law requiring all drivers—all drivers who are not members of the fire department—to stop and pull over to the curb and out of the way when a siren sounds should be passed. The law should be so worded that it could be strictly enforced, and with such penalty as to make a violator wish he had observed the law if sentenced.

After the laws is passed, it should be enforced. There is a city ordinance which makes it an offense to run over a fire hose but The News has been told it is not strictly enforced. It should be enforced, however, and so should the proposed law concerning giving a fire truck and firemen the right-of-way.

You, too, will agree that such a law is needed if your house ever catches fire, or is in danger of being ignited from a nearby fire. It's simple to pass such an ordinance; it would be simple to enforce it. Let's get it done before someone gets hurt from someone else's thoughtlessness—Lester Campbell in The McLean News.

It's New England sea serpent time again. A Medford, Mass., piano tuner claims he saw the famed Scottish Loch Ness serpent off Lynn Beach, Mass. Over in these waters, no doubt, because of Britain's austerity regulations.

Eggs, say dairy experts, may soon be selling at a dollar a dozen. Oh, to be a chicken now that inflation's here again!

Boyce House



In Navasota, there is the Tumble Inn.

And the Meyer Hotel of Comfort urges, "Rest in Comfort."

And, speaking of signs, one of the oddest I ever saw was over a country store and it read, "Why go elsewhere to be robbed?"

In San Angelo, the B & H Grill has a sign, "Capacity 1,000—14 at a time." Also in San Angelo, there is this sign, "We will tan your hide." It is a leather shop, of course.

Coming into Seguin from Cuero, I couldn't see a highway sign telling how to get to New Braunfels, so I stopped, got the information and ate breakfast. I guess the State Highway Department figured I'd be hungry, anyhow.

And as I entered Fredericksburg, there was no sign telling how to get to Mason. So I stopped again and got the information at a bakery shop and bought some coffee cake. They bake mighty good coffee cake in Fredericksburg.

This column has been appearing for over nine years. Countless individuals and towns have been mentioned favorably—yet the "thank-you" letters could be counted on the fingers of your two hands. What prompts this comment is that the proprietor of El Sombrero, the quaint roadside cafe at Bangs, wrote a letter after the place was mentioned in this space and invited your columnist to drop by and have a bowl of chili.

How to succeed as a writer: Just keep alive long enough and observe as you go along; remember what you observe—and then write it.

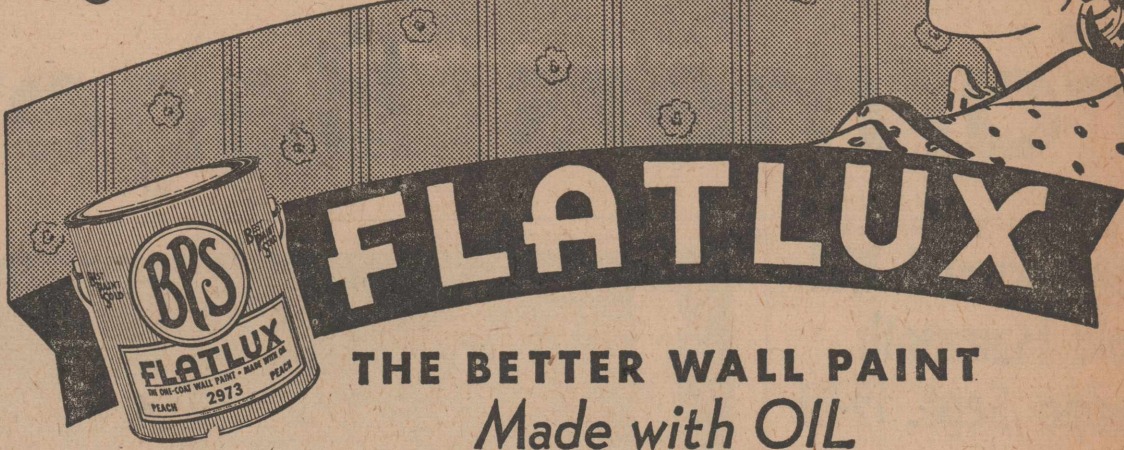
And did you ever notice that

the man who belittles humor and pooh-poohs the ability to make people laugh is usually a sour-puss himself? Like the rooster who was

about to have a fight with a horse and the rooster said, "Before we start, let's agree not to step on each other's feet."

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Perryton Rangers Win Over Rockets in Last Four Minutes of Play 6 to 0

Wellington's Skyrockets lost their opening game of the season when they went down before the Perryton Rangers in the last four minutes of play by a score of 6 to 0; but their play was such that they were listed among the top five teams of Class A football in the Panhandle. As a result of the game Perryton was listed as the No. 1 team of the Panhandle; but the Rockets were not ruled out as potential district and even Regional champions.

The following is Frank Goodsoe's account of the game in The Amarillo Daily News:

PERRYTON — The highly-advertised Perryton Rangers had as much trouble as a good team can handle and still win a ball game before beating the Wellington Skyrockets, 6-0 here Friday night.

It was a scoreless affair with the Rangers holding the upperhand most of the way until Gene Stinson, left tackle, of Perryton pounced on Bill Combs' fumble on the Wellington seven-yard line with three minutes to play.

Coach Floyd Murry's Rangers had muffed two scoring chances in the first half and saw a 62-yard touchdown punt return nullified by a clipping penalty early in the game, but they didn't garble the big opportunity.

Vernon Flowers, 168-pound wing-back, slithered through a gap on the left side of the Skyrocket line for the touchdown on the first play. His place kick conversion attempt was blocked.

Wellington made one dying-gasp threat to retaliate when Benny Moore, 145-pound tailback, returned the Perryton kickoff 40 yards to the midfield marker, almost getting away.

Kenneth Strickland rammed five yards on the first play, then Bill Combs dropped back to pass on second down and was snipped for a loss of 11 yards by David Hummer, Perryton's tiny but potent left end. Two more desperation passes missed their mark and Perryton took over to keep the ball until it was over.

Turning point in that bristling fourth-quarter was Vernon Flowers' long spiral punt, measuring 55 yards from the line of scrimmage that sailed out of bounds on the Wellington 17-yard line.

The Rockets fumbled on the first play and Stinson's alert recovery set up the touchdown.

Dean Slaughter contributed the chief thrill for 3,000 fans when he rammed 62 yards to the double stripe with Wellington's first punt. He had wonderful blocking and reversed his field smartly, but it was wasted because of the clipping infraction.

The Rangers drove to the Wellington 17 in that period before losing the ball. They marched 44 yards the next time they handled the leather before the Rockets stopped them 16 yards short of the payoff zone.

Kenneth Strickland's 25-yard return of a Ranger kick launched a fourth quarter drive that constituted Wellington's only scoring threat. The Rockets mixed several excellent salients by Combs with

two passes, Robert Fulton to Sam Raburn and Benny Moore to Fulton to reach the 19-yard line where Perryton stiffened.

The Rangers were ragged on offense, particularly in the second half. Coach Al Duncan of Wellington experimented with his starters, using the 190-pound Fulton at end and at two positions in the backfield. That stalwart young man was a standout defensively in a line-backing role. Perryton never did effectively block him.

Facts and Figures

	Wel.	Per.
First Downs	10	9
Yards Gained Rushing	117	176
Yards lost rushing	12	14
Passes attempted	7	6
Passes completed	3	1
Yards gained passing	31	7
Passes intercepted by	0	1
Number of punts	4	4
Punt average	34	39
Opp. fumble recovered	0	1
Number of penalties	4	7
Yards penalized	20	45

Starting Lineups:

Wellington	Pos.	Perryton
Fulton	LE	Hummer
Jones	LT	Stinson
Winter	LG	Thurston
Johnson	C	L. Slaughter
Bullington	RG	Ferguson
Bollen	RT	Cummings
Young	RE	Seago
Williams	QB	Powell
Raburn	LH	D. Slaughter
Combs	RH	V. Flowers
Strickland	FB	K. Flowers

Score by quarters:

Wellington	0 0 0 0—0
Perryton	0 0 0 6—6

Scoring:

Touchdown—Vernon Flowers.

Substitutes:

Perryton — Stephenson, Osborne, Merydith, Stone, Pietcher, Key.

Wellington — Keller, Bullington, Williams, Moore.

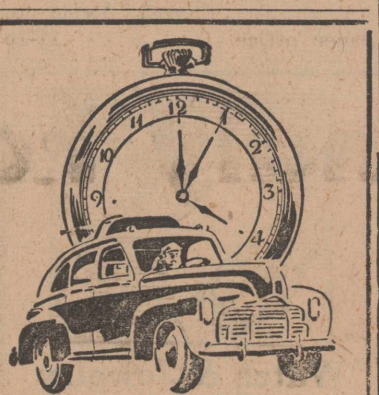
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The Loco Farmers Co-op ginned their first bale of cotton for the 1947 season Thursday September 11, according to T. H. Rainer, manager. Ernest Hutchens brought in the first bale and the gross weight was 1890 pounds. It turned out 530 pounds of lint cotton and 760 pounds of seed.

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The Buck Creek Philosopher

J. A. Says He's in Same Shape As England, Short on Dollars

Editor's note: The Buck Creek Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Buck Creek in his letter this week says he can't get alarmed over England's present plight, but we don't have too much faith in his international opinions. They're too much like his local opinions.

Dear editor:

I went down to my neighbor's mail box Monday morning and with the fat Sunday papers stuck in his box along with his Monday papers and assorted mail the box had about all it could hold and I figured I might as well be neighborly so I took out one of his newspapers to relieve the strain



and doubt if he'll miss it which won't matter no way much as he was gone to town after a load of hands and didn't have no choice of seeing who done it and I will return it this afternoon and it will be back in his box Tuesday morning and since Mail Carrier Claude Savage is gonna get a little cussin now and then anyway for something he don't deserve he might as well get blamed for mislacin this particular paper as anybody else, and since I didn't have to go to town myself after hands anymore than I'd have to go after a parachute I went on down to the creek and sat down in the shade and read.

I was surprised to find out England is still havin trouble, but this time I just can't take the matter seriously.

Accordin to the paper, England is now sufferin from a dollar shortage and is sendin big shots back and forth across the ocean to confer with Washington about the matter.

Now I don't want to push myself forward, as life out here on Buck Creek suits me, and I don't want to be braggin, but I believe I have had as much experience as anybody in the world when it comes to England's present trouble, dollar shortage. There ain't been a time in my recollection when I wasn't experiencin this trouble in one shape or another. It's a funny thing, it don't seem to make any difference whether times is good or bad, busted or boom, I still stay afflicted with this trouble, although I ain't never considered it something to fly back and forth across the ocean about, but I want you to know I'm watchin them Washington conferences pretty close and if England talks Washington into helpin her overcome her dollar shortage, I'm headin for Washington myself.

But I got a idea whatever solution Washington figures out, most Englishmen is still gonna have dollar trouble, the same as most Frenchmen and Italians and Canadians and Americans, includin you and me. It ain't nothin to get alarmed about. It ain't nothin new. We all got it. Why I been told it'd surprise you how many bankers gets overdrawn themselves occasionally. If everybody in the world sufferin from dollar trouble heads for Washington at the same time, the place is liable to cave in.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

E. N. Smith is home from wheat harvest. He has been in various parts of Kansas, Nebraska, and South Dakota.

Three County Women To Attend State Meeting This Month

The theme of the annual meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association will be "Let There Be Light" according to the state president, Mrs. Gus Rogas. The meeting will be held in Galveston, September 24, 25, and 26th.

As many as three elected delegates from each county in the State can attend this annual convention, with other home demonstration club women as guests. Special sessions will include workshops for county chairmen for the Texas Home Demonstration Association, with Mrs. O. R. Copeland of Lubbock, serving as leader.

Aid will be given other committee chairmen present in the form of workshops led by Mrs. C. W. Shafer, Education Committee; Mrs. Leon Sullivan, Market; Mrs. James Sparks, 4-H; Mrs. A. C. Gilliam, Recreation, and Mrs. C. E. Terry, Recreation.

Delegates from Collingsworth County who will leave to the state meeting Monday, September 22 are: Mrs. Elliott Wynn, Fresno; Mrs. Walter Franks, Wellington; Mrs. O. A. Kiker, Houselog.

Experiment Stations Record Two to Three Bales Per Acre Yield

COLLEGE STATION — Cotton yields of two to three bales per acre were obtained at the Weslaco and Ysleta substations of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station during 1946, according to a report by D. T. Killough, agronomist and cotton breeding expert in the department of agronomy, Texas A. & M. College. Extremely favorable conditions resulted in high yields from some of the better varieties as produced under irrigation at those substations.

At both Weslaco and Ysleta the yield of lint per acre was more than 1,000 pounds for almost all varieties tested.

Among the higher yielding varieties tested at a number of points

Personal

Mrs. Buck Judd and children of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Riley and children visited last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Green and sons, and Mrs. Stanley Brown of Hollis.

Billy Moore of Colorado City is visiting with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Judd.

Mrs. J. A. Lowe returned home last week from Okla. City where she has been visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Squires. Mrs. Francis Roberts and family of Hollis accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forbis took their daughter, Dorothy Margaret, to Canadian Monday to catch a train back to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Dunson and son, R. J., visited last week in Lubbock and Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Potet and Mr. and Mrs. James Miller visited friends in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan B. Martin and children of Wichita Falls spent the week-end here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Stovall of Plainview are here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Russell and Ginger.

in the state for the last several years are: Deltapine 14, Stoneville 2B, Empire, certain types of Acala, better strains of Rowden and Coker, including Rowden 41B, Coker 100 and 200, Coker 4 in 1; Lankart 57, Northern Star; Floyd, Watson and Bryant strains of Mebane; Locket 140-46 and Western Prolific.

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FOR SALE: Two wall clothing cases. See Roy Horn at the Toggery. 9-3c

FOR SALE: Weeping love grass seed. \$3 per pound in 50 pound lots and \$3.50 per pound in smaller quantities. Singley Bros. 9-3c

FOR SALE: Good saddle and good '41 Ford tractor with good tires. C. D. Browning, 1 mile and quarter north of Lutie. 10-2p

FOR SALE: One 1941 model 12-A John Deere combine. Lafay Vise, Brisco, Texas. 10-2p

FOR SALE: One Duroc boar little over year old. Subject to registration. Or will trade for one not related to my herd of hogs. E. Darnell, Wellington, Route 5, Box 80. 10-2p

FOR SALE: Three room house, two lots, big garage, hen house and large fenced-in chicken yard. 404 Floydada Street, see Mrs. T. E. Young. 10-2p

ALLIC CHALMERS W. C. tractor for sale. Good shape—new rubber—equipment included. \$750.00. See H. H. Word, eight miles west of Quail. 10-2p

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HOUSE FOR SALE to be moved 18 x 20. Sealed with sheet rock. Jennie Williams, City Hall. 10-3c

FOR SALE: Used Remington typewriter. Phone 190 or see V. H. Lindsey. 10-2c

FOR RENT: 3-room unfurnished apartment with bills paid. J. S. Dorn. Phone 273-W. 10-2c

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WANTED: Family of five or six to help gather crop. House to live in. See O. B. Wilson, Rt. 2, Wellington. One mile west and 2 south of Southwest corner of town. 11-1p

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WANTED to rent 5 or 6 room house. Furnished or unfurnished. See Mrs. Daw at the Wellington Hotel or call 455. 10-3c

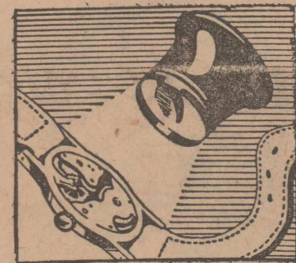
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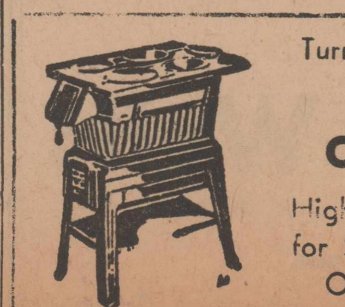
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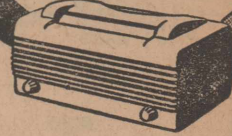
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By BILL HUGHES

Contrast, so it is said, is the spice of life. On returning home, we got a barrel full of spice, so far as weather is concerned. It rained from West Yellowstone, Montana to Santa Fe, New Mexico, almost without a break. Then the sun came out and it began to grow warm. When we arrived home it was hot and dry. Despite the abundance of spice, we are happy to be back.

Vacations are great things. I believe in them, but like most everything else they do have their time and place. They can be overdone. Furthermore, automobiles are so much a part of everyday life, that a long and too-rapid journey in one of them is not exactly my idea of a super-duper holiday. I say "too-rapid," because if it isn't, you stand little or no chance of obtaining a night's lodging. The alternative, of course, is to drive by night and sleep by day. Then the darkness cuts out all chance at the scenery; and though you drop from the classification of a speed maniac, to that of a Republican from Kansas your chances of meeting your Maker just around the turn are about the same.

Therefore, take my advice and travel by aeroplane. It is cool. You can see everything. The cost per mile including wear and tear is less. So far as the element of danger is concerned, if you can not escape it at home in the kitchen or bathroom (so the insurance figures say)—and millions die in bed, what is the sense of worrying? Furthermore, there is a whole of a lot more room up there in the wide blue yonder in which to detour if and when it becomes necessary. Finally, peoples opinion to the contrary notwithstanding, aeroplanes do not fall when the engine quits. This only happens when the wings come off which rarely occurs unless you yourself deliberately pull them off by violating common sense (you know, taking a right angle blind corner on the left-hand side of the road at 100 miles per hour).

A nest of three T-Hangers will very shortly make an appearance at Marian Airpark. They will furnish one of the two remaining requirements needed to bring to Wellington an active flight operator and the chance for local citizens, who are eligible, to participate in G. I. flight training. The other need is the completion of the North-east, Southwest runway, which is promised shortly thereafter.

In the humble opinion of this writer with patience and given time, the generosity of our citizens in terms of a new school, swimming pool, Marian Airpark, yes, garbage disposal, and even a sanitary engineer will one day take concrete form and will prove a benefit to a "little town" without obliterating its charms.

SAMNORWOOD

By MRS. C. W. FRITTS

Mrs. Atha Young and sons, Howard and Cecil of near Huntsville, Alabama, arrived Friday of last week at the home of Mrs. Young. They are here to visit Altha Young who received a broken leg in a car wreck as he was en route to Norwood to visit his brother and family.

S. J. Carrell of Burleson was here last week on business and visited in the C. W. Bradley and Odie Bradley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Young entertained with a dinner last Sunday honoring Mr. Young's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seatt and son, Vernon and aunt, and sons, Mrs. Atha Young, Leonard, Howard and Cecil of Huntsville, Alabama. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Young, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young and son, Gene, Mr. and Mrs. Maylon Young and daughter of Lillie, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Young and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and son of Lillie, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Young of Dozier, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Haywood and children of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Gray and daughter, Frankie Stepp of Borger, and honorees and host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Browning and children, Larue, Paula, and Wayne of Port Worth have been here the past week in the home of his paring and Nolan. Mr. Browning's father, W. L. Browning, has been seriously ill. His condition is reported improved.

Rev. Bennett of Shamrock filled



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It's her 144th ocean crossing, says Mrs. Madsella Hvosief as she bids goodby to the New York skyline on embarking for Bergen, Norway, aboard the SS Stavengerfjord to visit her daughter, wife of a Norwegian composer.

his regular first Sunday appointment at the Methodist Church at eleven o'clock and at the evening hour.

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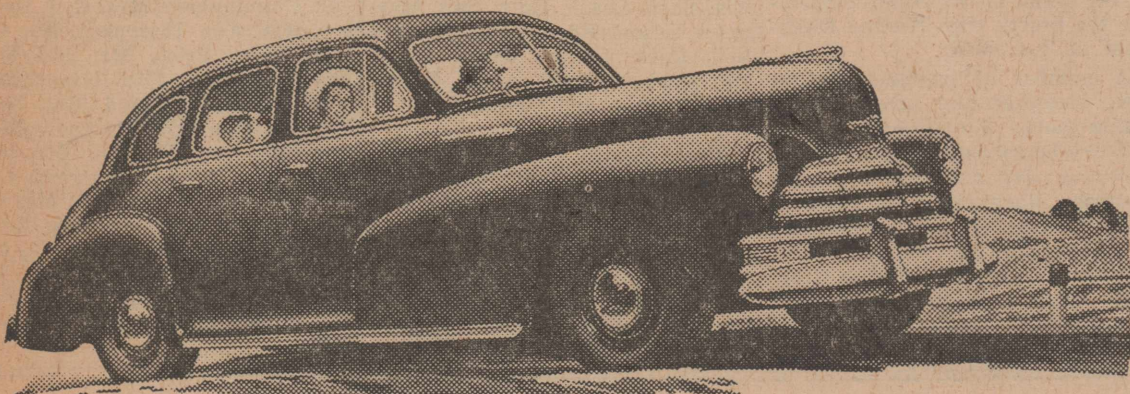
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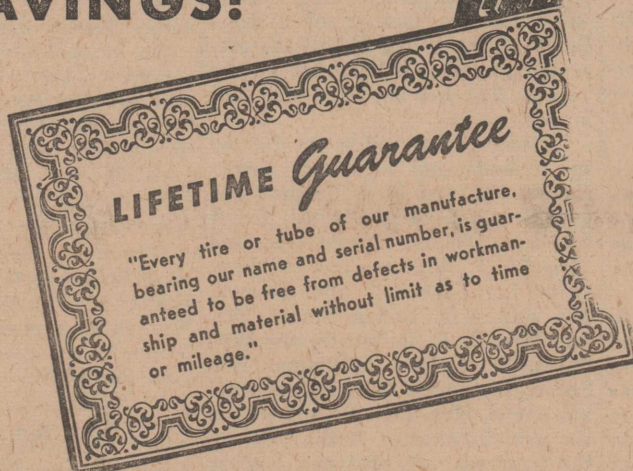


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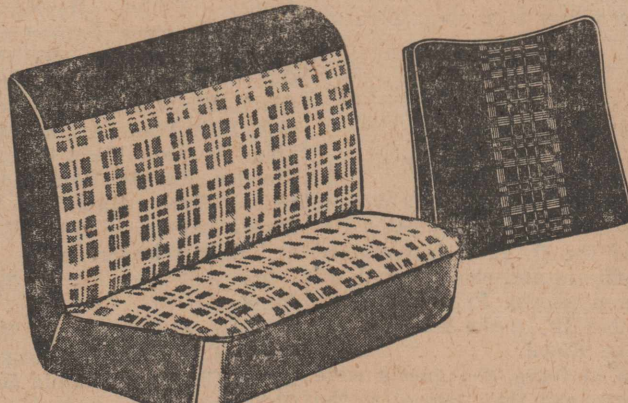
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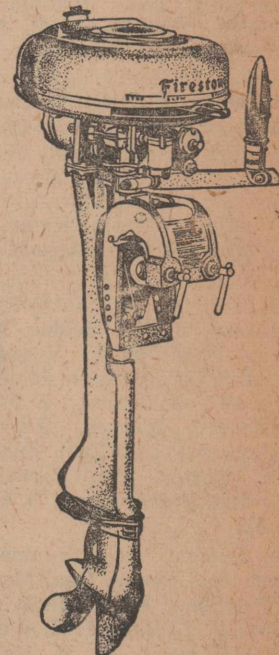
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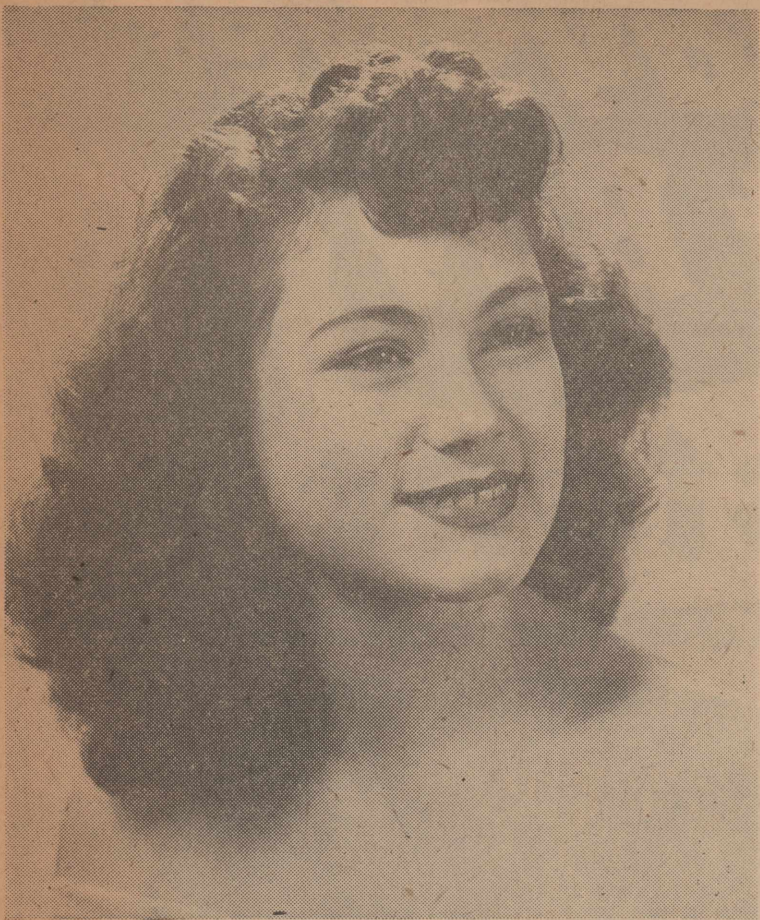
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Thurs., Sept. 18, 1947



Mrs. Charles Robert Mitchell

Miss Ramona Lee Meason became the bride of Charles R. Mitchell August 31 in a twilight ceremony in the garden of the W. C. Starr home at Quail. Mrs. Mitchell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Meason of Oklahoma City and the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crabtree of Quail.

Mrs. Harold Gene Maddox Is Honored With Shower Sept. 11

Mrs. Homer Holton, Mrs. Ray Bell, Mrs. George Estes and Mrs. J. H. Walters were hostess for a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Harold Gene Maddox Thursday, September 11 from 7 to 9 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Holton.

The guests were greeted by the hostess who presented the honoree, the former Miss Marjorie Roberson, her mother, Mrs. Otis Roberson, and Mrs. D. W. Maddox, mother of the groom. Also present were the bride's grandmothers, Mrs. W. E. Hall and Mrs. M. L. Roberson, and an aunt, Mrs. C. L. Stafford of Oklahoma City.

Miss Wanda Estes was in charge of the guest book. Roses, dahlias, and other fall flowers decorated the reception rooms. The lace covered table was centered with an arrangement of roses and dahlias. Dainty cookies, sandwiches and punch were served by Miss Patsy Roberson, sister of the bride, Joan Bumpas, Joyce Watson and Alameda Shipley.

The guest list included: Mmes. Dale Watson and Joyce, C. L. Stafford, Bertie Day, Ennis Shadid, G. T. Austin, D. W. Maddox, H. M. Dowdy, Claude McKinney, Floyd Morton, Esdel Bartlett, Shelton Nunnelle, Fletcher Curry, Fred LeDerer, J. M. Strong, Loyd Lankford, Carl Temple, L. A. Gilmore, R. W. Brantley, James Doneghy, L. B. McNeill, Toots Breedlove, O. B. Raburn, Joe Terry, E. M. Reed, F. A. Hatch, Otto Russell, J. W. Fulcher Jr., Mary Patterson, Evelyn Wallace, Myrtle Simmons, Mrs. Shipley and Almeta, Pink Sullivan, Buck Harris, Lewis Cotton, Dora Ryan, Tom Caldwell, Mrs. Ward and Lucille, Bryan Denley, Mrs. Plank, Ervin Kersten, Raymond Mitchell, Clark Agee, Ida Austin.

V. K. Orr, E. M. Sheppard, Clark Hudson, J. W. Holder, M. P. Brown, Earl Smith, Velman Warrick, Jim Cooke, Owen James, Lowe, Harold Anderson, W. T. Poff, Leonard Karnes, Jake Crouch, Robert Posey, Earl Hunter, Stella Mattox, Ben Farmer, Porter Loving, Bud Holman, D. W. Maddox Jr.

Claude Sutton, Guy Bumpas, Nell Davis, Jess Young, Opal Martin, Ed Harrison, E. W. Jenkins, J. D. Aaron, J. L. Burt, J. H. Walman, Alton Wilkins, W. E. Hall, Ray Bell, G. E. Estes, Will Alexander, B. F. Ford, Wayne Thurters, W. Y. Burden, Charles Barker, Jewel Hooper, Ernest Nunnelle, Loyd Roberson.

Misses: June Curry, Rosemary Strong, Zora Dell Austin, Tommie Ann Campbell, Diane Wells, Peggy Riggs, Joyce Wood, Nell Davis, Neeta Ball, Ethra Jean Norman, Bess and Adelle Finley, Bonnie Willis, Naomi Coleman, Olene Ford, Beth Bowen, and Margaret Bumpas. Mr. W. A. Dodgin also sent a gift.

Numbers Studied By Baptist W. M. U.

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met at the church Monday, September 15, for study of the book of Numbers led by the pastor, Rev. Howard Jones.

Mrs. Noble Murray presided in the absence of Mrs. J. A. Dukeminier, president. There were 18 present. The group will meet September 22 at the church for Mission Study.

Marriage of T. L. Scott, Edith Galloway Announced

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Scott of Wellington have announced the marriage of their son, Leroy, to Edith Galloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Galloway of Nashville, Tenn. The wedding was solemnized April 23 in Franklin, Kentucky with the Rev. J. W. James officiating.

The bride wore a navy blue dress, complimented with black accessories. Her sister and brother-in-law were the couple's only attendants. A wedding dinner followed the ceremony.

Mrs. Scott is a graduate of Nashville High School and also attended business college. Mr. Scott was an honor graduate of the 1939 Class of Dodson High School and was awarded a two year scholarship to Texas Technological College at Lubbock. He served for three years in the Army Medical Corps.

The young couple have been visiting relatives in Wellington and vicinity for the past two weeks. They returned to Nashville Tuesday, where Mr. Scott attends Vanderbilt University. He is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

Dodson Civic Club Meets with Mmes. Wynn and Scott

The Dodson Civic Club met the 10th of September in the home of Mrs. Marvin Wynn with Mrs. Mabel Scott as co-hostess.

The Club Creed was given in unison after which roll call was answered in parts by each member giving a paragraph concerning a story of Texas Missions.

After the business meeting conducted by the president, Mrs. H. G. Estes, Mrs. T. J. Bowling gave an interesting talk on the origin of Texas Folklore. Mrs. Bowling gathered this information from five different books.

Homemade ice cream and angel food cake was served to Mmes. H. C. Yarbrough, Buster Fillpot, Mike Carter, J. C. Howell, U. N. Davis, B. B. Martin, L. A. Rollings, R. B. Buidin, Mary Reynolds, H. G. Estes, T. J. Bowling, W. C. Roberson, R. R. Kellison, Z. O. McKinney, Mabel Scott and Vey Wynn.

Weiner Roast Given for Miss Beth Bowen at Buck Creek

Miss Beth Bowen was honored at a weiner roast given at Buck Creek, Sunday evening, September 7th.

Those attending were: Ilene Williams, Robert Fulton, Richard Morton, Bonnie McLaughlin, Sam Raburn, Gay Reeves, Billy Joe Keller, Clogene Young, Jerry Bollen, Naomi Coleman, Benny Moore, Polly Perkins, Donald and Ardis Johnson, Billy Joe Hajek, Charles Caldwell, Clifton Clark, Jackie McPherson, Snookie Hunter and the honoree, Miss Bowen.

Preach Langford, Junior Montague, and Will Joe Cummings, returned to Stephenville Friday after spending several days here visiting their parents, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Silas Crawford Hostess to Loco Club

The Loco Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Silas Crawford Friday, September 12, for the first meeting of the new club year. The subject of "Home Improvement" was the topic for discussion. Plans were made for the Childress State Fair. Loco will have a booth in the Childress clubs exhibits.

A business meeting followed the program and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. R. Ellerd; vice-president, Mrs. Bill Harbin; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. R. H. Lacy, council delegate, Mrs. L. A. Sachse; reporter, Mrs. Chas. Bearden.

Refreshments were served to these members: Mmes. L. A. Sachse, R. H. Lacy, Chas. Bearden, Bill Harbin, R. Ellerd, W. D. Durfey, Herman Bellew, M. Durfey, T. H. Rainer, Earl Alexander and the hostess Mrs. Crawford.

The next meeting will be held Friday, Sept. 26, with Mrs. L. A. Sachse, who represents the Loco Club in the "County Wide Improvement of Homes." At this meeting the annual tour of inspection will be made. All members and visitors are invited to attend as Mrs. Sachse opens her home to inspection.

Mrs. R. A. Williams, Mrs. Fannie Belew Given Birthday Dinner

Mrs. R. A. Williams and Mrs. Fannie Belew were honored with a joint birthday dinner Wednesday evening, September 10, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belew at Loco. September 10th in Mrs. Williams' birthday, while September 13 is Mrs. Belew's birthday. Mrs. Williams is the mother of Mrs. Arthur Belew. Mrs. Fannie Belew is the mother of Arthur Belew. Many lovely gifts were presented to the two honorees by the guests. Mrs. Lewis Cotton also sent a gift.

Dinner was served to the following friends and relatives: Grady Belew, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Belew, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Belew and son, Weldon Harold, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Williams and children, Celia Lon, Wendell and Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. Roden Smart, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Roller, Junior Williams, Shirley Williams, Bob Smart, Katherine McSpadden, Norma Kiepe, Mrs. Liza Baker, who is the grandmother of Arthur Belew, the honorees, the host and hostess and their children, Evelyn, Donnie, Lee Roy, Jerry, Betty, Janice and Gail.

Band Mothers Open Rummage Sale

The Band Mothers Club met at the Wellington High School Wednesday, September 10, to organize for the year's activities. Mrs. Darvin Nix was elected president and Mrs. Bura Handley was elected secretary and treasurer.

Plans were made for the rummage sale which opened in the building next to the Nowlin Wholesale Company Saturday, September 13. This rummage sale will be open each Saturday for an indefinite period. All those who have articles to contribute to the sale are urged to get in touch with either Mrs. Nix or Mrs. Handley or to bring their contributions to the place of sale on Saturday.

Every mother is requested to make a pillow to rent at the ball games.

O. E. S. Officers and Pro-tems Entertained At Ice Cream Supper

Mrs. J. B. Floyd and Bob Wilder, Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, of the O. E. S. entertained their officers and protems with an ice cream supper Friday evening, September 12, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd.

Upon arriving, the guests were registered and then retired to the back lawn for forty-two and dominoes. After the games, Mrs. Pearl Duncan was presented with a farewell gift from the Wellington Chapter. Mrs. Duncan, her husband and family are moving to Abilene.

Cake and ice cream were served to the following: Bessie Slay, Alida Wynn, Gladys Richards, Susie Leach, Mae Hix, Dorothy Nelson, Jennie Williams, Margarette Bartlett, Marian Couch, Mayme Somers, Hattie Scott, Vera Wilder, Pearl Duncan, Faye Lee, Ruby Ball Maybelle Plank, Ola Wall, R. Martin Williams, Alf Wynn, Eli Duncan, J. B. Floyd and son, James and the host and hostess, Lucille Floyd and Bob Wilder.

J. L. Bartlett left Sunday for Lubbock where he will enter Texas Tech.



Suited

A one button, shawl collar suit in banana yellow is Lucille Wall's choice for fall. With it Miss Wall wears a silver fox scarf.

Mrs. Emory Hunter Has Bridge Club

Mrs. Emory Hunter entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club in the home of her mother, Mrs. Joe Thompson, September 10th. Mrs. Walter Starr and Mrs. H. A. Kendrick won high and second high scores. Mrs. Lester Bengel received high score for guests, while Mrs. Horace Small was awarded the traveling prize. In two games of Bingo which followed the bridge, Mrs. S. R. Pinkston and Mrs. James Harris were given prizes.

An attractively salad plate was served to the following members and guests: Mrs. L. C. Hill Jr., Mrs. L. C. Hill Sr., Mrs. Horace Small, Mrs. Cliff Campbell, Mrs. I. A. Manzer, Mrs. Walter Starr, Mrs. J. M. Orr and Mrs. H. A. Kendrick, all members.

Guests of the club were: Mrs. Pink Sullivan, Mrs. Ed Silk, Mrs. Lester Bengel, Mrs. E. W. Jones, Mrs. S. R. Pinkston, Mrs. John D. Glenn, Mrs. James Harris and Mrs. Tom Campbell.

Mrs. Ted Wheeler Gives Musical for Husband And Mrs. Stella Wheeler

A musical was given September 11 by Mrs. Ted Wheeler honoring the birthdays of her husband, Ted Wheeler and his mother, Mrs. Stella Wheeler of Childress. Music was furnished by the IGA Singsters of Childress and the Thomas brothers, accompanied by Mark Atkins of Loco. Mr. Murphy of Childress was Master of Ceremonies, introducing both popular and old-time tunes.

Cold watermelon was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Minter, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence and Frances Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander and Louise, Mrs. Keith and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas and Nell, Mrs. Hammons, Mr. and Mrs. Lacy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harris and family, Earlene Harrison, Treva Young, Colene Wheeler, Juanel Wolf, Laverne Ware, Marie Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wolf and family, Evelyn Harris, Sylvia Keith, Charlene Parker of Memphis, Glen Young, Bill Thomas, Gene Thomas, Cloy Thomas, Loyd Clark, Floyd Clark, Joe Bob Warrick, Billy Wade Atkins, Mark Atkins, Kenneth Carr, Wayne McClendon, Bervin Downy of Memphis, Hene Harrison, Sammy James, Eddie, Danny, Beaumont and Billy Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. James of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Wheeler and family of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wheeler and family of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Oris Wheeler and Charlie Glen of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Bus James of Childress, Mrs. Barret of Childress, Mrs. Stella Wheeler, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wheeler.

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Shamrock Wedding of Local Interest

Miss Joan Abercrombie of Mangum and Harold Bryan of Shamrock were married in an impressive single ring ceremony in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan, parents of the groom, at Shamrock, September 6, at 8 P. M. The vows were read by Rev. C. L. Abercrombie, father of the bride.

Mrs. Bryan chose a blue dress with black accessories for her wedding costume and wore a corsage of white gardenias. Miss Ravenna Cunningham, maid of honor, was attired in black with a red carnation corsage.

The bride is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Abercrombie of Russell, where he is pastor of the First Baptist Church. She is a student in the Mangum High School.

Mr. Bryan is pastor of the Pliska Church and will complete his high school education at Mangum this year. He also attended school at Samnorwood. Jay Bryan, brother of the groom, was best man at the wedding.

Following the ceremony, dinner was served in the Bryan home to members of the immediate family and several friends. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan, Jay Bryan, Earl Wayne Bryan, Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Abercrombie, Mack Abercrombie, Miss Ravenna Cunningham, Bob Bonner and Rice Harrington.

The young couple will be at home in Mangum where they attend school.

Betty Elliott Celebrates Eighth Birthday with Lawn Party

Mrs. A. L. Elliott entertained with a lawn party on Saturday, September 6th for her daughter, Betty, who was celebrating her eighth birthday.

Outdoor games were played and favors of miniature note books, heralding the opening of school, were given to the young guests.

Lemonade and cookies were served to: Ann and Nell Gholson, Frankie Sue and Sharon Campbell, Mary Jane Hiett, Mary Beth Kello, Billy Jack Gibson, Cynthia Atkins, Carolyn Wright, John and Larry Smith, Herman Clyde Childress, Sharon Roy, Mollie Ann Denley, Peggy Henry, Gwendlyn Davis.

Kern Pigg, Jim McDowell, Sylvia Bryant, Paul and Veda Evelyn Bell, Sandra Faulkner, Elizabeth Ann Hurst, Carolyn Couch, Elisha Gale Ham, Sallie and Mary Parsons, Joyce Warrick, Sue Ward, Tim Campbell, John Eikenburg, Lynn Moore and the hostess, Betty Elliott.

Dodson Junior Civic Club Has Business Meeting On September 4

The Dodson Junior Civic Club held its regular business meeting in the home of Jo Hunt, September the fourth with Nadine Birchfield as co-hostess.

A number of business articles were discussed and several interesting games were played.

Refreshments were served to the following: Joann Farris, Jeannette Teutsch, Margaret Nell Holland, Mary Farris, Wilma Brewster, Erna Faye Rollins, Jimmie Ford, Johnnie Fern Norman, Dulan Croson, Jimmie White, Ruby Nell Daughtery, Doris Sue Painter, and the hostesses.



Return from Wedding Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Evelyn Wallace are now at home in Wellington after a wedding trip to Albuquerque. Mrs. Wallace was Miss Dorothy Hudson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hudson, before her marriage September 2.

Samnorwood Homemaking Classes Hold Open House to Display Summer Project Work

Initiation Service Held By Eastern Star

By FAYE LEE

The Wellington Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star initiated two new members in a formal service Tuesday night, September 9, at the Masonic Hall. The hall was decorated with assembled flowers of the star point colors at the stations.

Lucille Floyd, Worthy Matron, and Bob Wilder, Worthy Patron, opened the chapter in long order and lead the ceremony of initiation with the assistance of Alf Wynn, Past Worthy Patron, through an impressive service. After closing the chapter, the members retired to the dining room to be served from a table covered with white linen. Crystal and silver settings and a centerpiece of dahlias made a beautiful arrangement. Mae Hix presided at the punch bowl and Pearl Duncan served the platter of tidbits to the following:

Margarette Bartlett, Mamie Lou Denley, Willie Wells, Benny Brisbin, Lucille Floyd, Bob Wilder, Jennie Williams, Ola Wall, Hattie Scott, Lee Ella Seale, Letha Cunningham, Mayme Somerville, Faye Lee, Mary Jones, R. Martin Williams, Marian Couch, Marie Harper, Vera Wilder, Dorothy Nelson, Claud Nelson, Paul Starr, Eva Starr, Zenna LeDerer, Sara Henard, Arthur Henard, Gladys Richards, Alda Wynn, Bessie Slay, Mae Hix, Susie Leach, Ruby Ball, Margaret Fuson, Edna Ruby, Mildred Bell, Earle Jerman, Mary Lampkin, Mildred Hurd, Loeva Pierce, Ethel Strong and Frieda Said.

Mrs. Robert Templeton and daughter, Bobbie Louise, left Monday after spending a week here with Mrs. A. C. Gray.

Misses June Wischkaemper and Mary Phillips and Marie Carreker left for Canyon where they will begin the fall term of school.

Eighteen students of the homemaking department of the Samnorwood High School held open house at the school, Thursday, September 11, to display the excellent work done on their summer projects. Under the direction of their instructor, Miss Pauline Rudy, each young lady has successfully completed the task chosen for her summer work. On display were skillfully made garments such as dresses, skirts, blouses and colorful western rodeo shirts, as well as many examples of other household arts. There were also examples of delicately executed textile painting.

Hostesses at the open house were: Misses Ravenna Cunningham, Dorothy Phillips, Joyce Rene Price, Ida Louise Knoll, Dorothy Scott, Willie Mae Scott, Maxine Eagle, Oreta Mayberry, Wanda Morgan, Marie Grogan, Wanda Johnson, Betty Bennett, Anna Lou Bradley, Camilla Coleman, Betty Jean Price, Betty Jo Fain, Stella Yarbrough and Daphne Terry.

Miss Mayberry and Miss Bennett presided at the dahlia and candle decorated tea table. Guests signing the registry were: Mrs. Tom Whitfield, Mrs. Willie Knoll, Mrs. C. W. Garrison, Mrs. P. W. Phillips, Mrs. Theo Parker, Mrs. Maude Coffee, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thompson, Mrs. O. A. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coleman, H. J. Walker, Mrs. Alfred Knoll, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gooch, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cunningham, Mrs. G. J. Bradlev, Mrs. Ada Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Price, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roark, Mrs. Silba Rainey, Darlene Rainey, Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan, Yoyce Offutt, Audra Morgan, Barbara Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Bradley, Patricia Gail Bradlev, Donald Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ethridge, Mrs. Woodard, Mr. and Mrs. P. Tippi, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Brown, Jody McBrayer, Ollie Winter, Benny Benton, Wayne Thompson and Charles Holt.

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Society

Emogene Willingham Is Bride of Walter Docherty In Illinois

Miss Emogene Willingham, daughter of Mrs. Allie Willingham, became the bride of Walter A. Docherty in the chapel of the First Methodist Church in Galesburg, Illinois, on August 16.

Organ music of "Always" and "Because" provided a prelude to the impressive double ring ceremony administered by the Rev. Raye Ragan before a setting of white gladioli and fern.

A natural colored gabardine suit worn with brown accessories was the bride's attire. Her corsage was of pink rosebuds. Attending the bride was Mrs. Jeanie Seldon of Chicago, sister of the bridegroom and her daughter, Mary Margaret Seldon. Mrs. Seldon wore a pearl grey gabardine suit and a chrysanthemum corsage. Her daughter was dressed in blue.

The best man was Les Wilson of Detroit, Michigan.

The bride is a graduate of Samnorwood High School and Draughon's Business College.

Mr. Docherty is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Docherty of Sullivan, Indiana. He served four years in the Army Air Corps in the European theater during the past war.

After the ceremony the couple left for a two week wedding trip through the South. They will make their home in Galesburg, Ill., where they are both employed.

W. B. Wilson Family Has Reunion in Borger Sunday, Sept. 14

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wilson in Borger was the gathering place Sunday, September 14, for members of the W. B. Wilson family. This was the first reunion of the family in several years. Dinner was served buffet style.

The center of attraction was the father, W. B. Wilson of Wellington. Those of his children present were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bledsoe and Dan of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oldham and children, Lesley, Hughey and Lonnie of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Wilson and LaJuan, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and Gano, Judy and Billy, all of Wellington Mr. and Mrs. Wade Wilson and Travis, Bonnie, Linda and Preston, Mrs. Maurine Reeves, June and Bill, and the host and hostess and their children, Roland, Roscoe and Linda, all of Borger.

Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morris and Darryl of Quail, Mr. and Mrs. Burlin V. Wilson and Jackie Lynn of Dumas, M. and Mrs. Earl Miller and Shirley of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Newman and Rickey, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Miller and two sons, all of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Reynolds of Waxahachie, Mrs. Lorene Johnson and Mrs. Walter Smith of Wellington.

Dozier M. Y. F. Honored by Youth Fellowship of Norwood Methodist

Members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship of Cook Memorial Methodist Church at Norwood were hosts and hostesses to the M. Y. F. of the Glen Davis Methodist Church of Dozier at a social at the Norwood Church on Friday night, September 8.

Miss June Wischkaemper, recreation chairman, directed singing games and jokes for the social hour.

Following the social, refreshments of angel food cake, sandwiches, cookies and coles were served to the following: Rev. and Mrs. Bennett and Robert, Mrs. Preston Phillips, Wendell Phillips, Dorothy Phillips, Charles Baker, Lucille Baker, Mary Phillips, Donald Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark, Troy Clark, Ray Clark, Deanie Marchant, Mrs. H. Blandford, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knoll, Marvin Knoll, Franklin Knoll.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wischkaemper Jr., and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Cathright and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wischkaemper Sr., and June, Leo Brooks, Mrs. Jimmie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. James Throckmorton, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bradley, John Bergman and Scooter Bradley.

Childress Boosters Advertise Fair

Childress boosters advertising the Childress Fair which will be held Sept. 17, 18, 19 and 20 were in Wellington September 11. In addition to the Childress High School band, the delegation was composed of some 70 of the leading business men of the city. From Wellington they went to Shamrock, McLean, Clarendon and Memphis.

The fair at Childress this year is expected to be the largest ever staged since the years before the war, and the boosters said that it would be the biggest ever from the standpoint of exhibits, prizes and entertainment.

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Former Naval Men On Texas Asked to Send in Names

HOUSTON — Lloyd Gregory, chairman of the Battleship Texas Commission, today called upon all former crew members of the USS Texas to assist in the drive starting September 15 to raise \$225,000 to bring the gallant old battleship home to the Lone Star State.

He asks them to write, explaining that they are former crew members of the Battleship Texas; and also to send their names, addresses, and facts about their duty aboard "Old Tee" (as she was familiarly called by her crew) to: Battleship Texas Information Bureau, 1428 Commerce Bldg., Houston 2, Texas. These names will go into a master list for historical record about the retired battleship.

When things got tough aboard the Texas, or when crew members ran into trouble, some one always shouted "Come on, Texas!" And it got results. Once more "Old Tee" must call upon its crew, and again she does it with: "Come on, Texas!"

Mrs. Clay Attends Training School

Mrs. Guy E. Clay of Clay Hatchery, Wellington, Texas, was one of 42 hatcherymen, druggists and feed dealers who completed a 5-day Dealer Training School in poultry diseases and management September 2-6 at Fort Worth, Texas. This course was sponsored by Dr. Salsbury's Laboratories, Charles City, Iowa.

Mrs. Clay received a certificate at the conclusion of the course signifying his satisfactory completion of the training school.

Mrs. Clay received practical instruction on poultry diseases and flock management problems from professionally trained staff members of Dr. Salsbury's Laboratories, producers of poultry and livestock medicines. He attended lectures, clinical discussions and laboratory demonstrations relating to such subjects as Anatomy of Poultry, Poultry Germs and Parasites, Development of Disease, Poultry Management and Sanitation, Methods of Disease Prevention and Control, Merchandising and Selling, and Poultry Service Work.

Dr. Salsbury's Laboratories conducts schools of this kind for the purpose of giving dealers practical instruction which will be of

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mayes of Oklahoma City, Okla., have been here visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Coleman.

Miss Gay Reeves left Tuesday for Lubbock where she will enter Texas Tech as a Sophomore.

Miss Virginia Sachse left Tuesday for Lubbock where she will enroll in Texas Tech as a second semester Freshman.

Miss Irene Williams left Sunday for Denton where she will enter Texas State College for Women as a Sophomore.

Mrs. Joe Bulloch and daughter, Janice, of Arlington were here over the week-end visiting her mother, Mrs. Maudie Burt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ford and sons, Johnnie, and Lanny have moved here to make their home. Mrs. Ford is the former Dela B. Burt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cochran were here over the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. A. L. Cochran. He is attending school in Weatherford, Oklahoma.

Dan Austin was home over the week-end from Weatherford, Oklahoma, Okla., where he is attending school visiting his parents, and friends.

J. W. French arrived here Monday from Lubbock where he has been attending the summer semesters at Texas Tech. He is returning in a few days for the fall semester.

Jimmy Kersten and Bill Penner left last week for Albuquerque, N. M., where they will enter the University of New Mexico.

Drowning Victim -

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continued for some time at the scene and en route to the hospital. At St. Anthony's Hospital, the fire department resuscitator was used more than an hour before the child was pronounced dead.

Rev. Vaughn Shofner was in charge of the funeral services.

value to them in serving the poultry raisers of their communities.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cocke of Wheeler were here over the week-end visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riley and baby of Abernathy spent last week here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godbey and other relatives and friends.

Robert Lewis left Monday for Denton where he has been going to North Texas State Teachers College after spending several days here with his parents, Mayor and Mrs. Ernest Lewis.

Mrs. M. L. Norwood and brother, J. W. Bridges of Oklahoma City, Okla., returned here Monday from Lubbock where they have attended a family reunion.

John Boverie arrived home Monday from the Flying H ranch in New Mexico where he has been working all summer. He is planning to leave next week for Colorado A & M, at Fort Collins, Colorado.

Mrs. Zelda Painter and Neva Harrison and Barbara Wilkins spent Saturday in Amarillo visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Burk of Amarillo were here Sunday visiting their granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bengie.

New Beauty Shop Opens Sept. 18

The formal opening of the Roberts Beauty Shop, located in the building formerly occupied by Western Union, has been scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 18, by Mrs. Olga Roberts, owner.

Mrs. Roberts has bought complete new equipment for her shop, featuring the latest developments such as all-purpose chairs, shampoo-sinks, individual enclosed make-up booths, and full sanitary precautions throughout.

The interior of the building has been painted white, linoleum gives the floors a clean attractive look, and the other wooden furnishings of the shop are done in natural wood color. Metal furnishings are of chrome steel with blue and red leatherette upholstery.

Mrs. Roberts has extended an invitation to all ladies to visit her shop on opening day between the hours of 1 to 6 p.m. or 7 to 9 p.m. There will be favors for each guest.

Formerly employed by the Personality Beauty Shop, Mrs. Roberts says she is happy to be in her own shop and will do all within her power to make many friends and satisfied customers.

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Lettuce Nice Firm Heads Each — **10c**

Coffee Maxwell House 1 Lb. Can — **43c**

Coffee Chase & Sanborn 1 Lb. Jar — **41c**

Pineapple Crushed No. 2 Can — **29c**

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1 Lb. Box		Bluebonnet, 1 Lb. Carton	
HOMINY	25c	STEAK	45c
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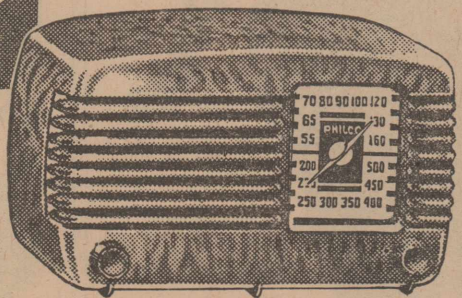
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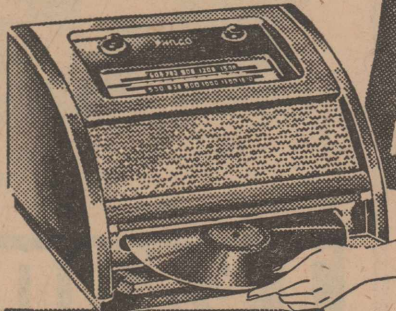
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Wellington NFLA Holds Annual Meet Here September 11

Over 200 members and ex-stockholders of The Wellington National Farm Loan Association met in the community building for their annual meeting Thursday, September 11.

Before the barbecue, A. Y. Bell, secretary, gave a report of the progress of the association during the past year and of the present financial affairs of the association. He noted the fact that the majority of the members were in excellent financial shape individually and that all had reduced their indebtedness substantially during the past year.

A delightful entertainment program was put on by Zora Dell Austin, Billy Joe Hajek and Benny Karnes.

Paul Starr acted as master of ceremonies and introduced two speakers who made short talks. Judge Luther Gribble congratulated the members on the financial progress of the association and went into details of the benefits of such cooperation among rural people.

Deskins Wells said that he was glad to know of the favorable bank balances of both the association and the members; but he added, "We are much poorer than we think." He gave a short talk on soil conservation as the number 1 problem of Collingsworth County.

ROUNDUP

By THELMA WAYNE JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moody of Rush Spring, Okla., is visiting awhile with their son, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Moody and family.

Our community wants to wish Mr. and Mrs. Billy Glenn Waters a happy married life. They were married on August 30th. We want to wish them all the luck and success that there is, May God bless them in their new home. She is the former Miss Edith Plunkett of Aberdeen.

Miss Rabena Jeynell Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Johnson of this community has gone to work at the telephone office in Wellington. Miss Johnson reported for work on Monday morning. We wish her every success in her new job.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Chandler and sons of Grand Canyon, Ariz., accompanied her sister, and family, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Moody for a visit with relatives and



MARELLA
MISS MARY MARTIN

The crops around here are looking fine. Some are pulling bolls. Frank Coleman ginned the first bale in Quail.

The services were held Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Liles. There were about 30 that attended the church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Glenn visited in the Brad Glenn home Sunday. E. E. Luster, J. T. Luster, Orval Luster of Turkey and Sonny Walls of Memphis visited in Rev. H. C. Martin's home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston L. Blazner and son of Dozier, Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Bland and daughter of Lillie, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fletcher and children of Marella visited in the home of Mrs. A. G. Cootes Sunday.

Rev. H. C. Martin and family and Walter Cootes went to Memphis Sunday. Rev. Martin brought the 11:00 message at the Free Will Baptist Church.

Miss Betty Sue Wall of Amarillo visited in the home of Mrs. W. C. Wall of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cameron are visiting in the home of A. D. Liles of Marella.

Brad Glenn visited in the home of Winfred Glenn of Amarillo over the week-end.

The Church of Christ revival closed Saturday night. There were seven people converted and baptized during the revival.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Rice are here

Veterans Service For Wellington Terminated Sept. 2

All Veterans Administration itinerate contact services, as provided through the Childress VA office, will be stopped effective September 15, Robert W. Sisson, VA regional manager announced today.

Towns effected by the termination of VA contact services in the Childress area include Wellington, Clarendon, Spur, Memphis, Quanah, Paducah, Crowell, Matador, and Knox City.

The Childress VA office will not be closed, Sisson said.

"It is deeply regretted that itinerate VA contact service to veterans and their dependents in the Childress area must be eliminated, but such action is necessary in order to stay within the 1947-1948 budget. No finer cooperation could be expected than has been extended by all the towns in this area," Sisson stated.

Veterans Administration services will continue to be rendered by direct contact at the Childress office or by correspondence with the regional office at Lubbock.

visiting in the Ed Monds home.

We have the lumber on the ground and are ready to start building the Free Will Baptist Church of the Marella community.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Yes, I'm Guilty!

Folks sometimes criticize us small-town editors for the way we often play up "little things" ahead of big ... human, local news in place of world events.

I can't deny it. Read the *Clarion* and you'll learn about the Martins' golden wedding anniversary ... about the community sing down by the river ... the husking bee at Sober Hoskins', where neighbors helped husk the corn, and later drank sparkling beer together.

"Little things?" Maybe. But from where I sit, they add up to the

bigger things we call America: The friendliness of small towns ... the helping hand ... the respect for one another's rights. And above all the love of fellowship and freedom—whether it's freedom to speak one's mind or choose between a glass of beer or buttermilk.

I figure that if everybody looks after the "little things," maybe the bigger things will take care of themselves.

Joe Marsh

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friends in Rush Spring, Okla., this last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bnton of Wellington spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Light made a business trip to Denton, Jackboro and Mineral Wells last week. John Nelson spent Sunday visiting Warren D. Johnson.

The Revival at New Hope was a very much a success. There were lots to attend it from different communities. They all enjoyed Rev. Derr's sermons.

Mrs. Franklin Pitcock and son, A. T. of near Kelson was last Sunday guest of their two granddaughters, and two nieces, Mrs. Wesley Terry and Mrs. William Overcast

and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knoll of Nicholson spent a while Thursday evening in Wayne Johnson's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Watson and family of Childress spent Sunday with old-time friends in our surrounding communities.

Our community wants to wish Martin Crews a speedy recovery from his illness.

Our surrounding communities want to wish Mr. and Mrs. John Brackett of Grand Junction, Colo., who married August 5th, all the happiness that they so richly deserve. She lived in the Samnorwood community for years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs and sons visited last week in Amarillo with Buck Judd, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fister and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Culp and children.

Miss Leyajune Adado of Lansing, Michigan, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Dakil. Miss Adado is planning to be here until after Christmas.

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Personal

Mrs. E. L. King, former teacher at Quail and a resident of Hollis, Okla., has been selected to teach at Boys' Ranch near Amarillo. The school is scheduled to open Monday, September 22.

Mrs. J. L. Hays returned Friday from Borger where she has been visiting Miss Larlu Hays and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King, of Hollis, Oklahoma, and Miss Lena King of Wichita Falls, were in Wellington Sunday visiting friends.

Luther Laws of Southern California is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Laws. Mr. and Mrs. Dee Mitchell and Carolyn of Lawton, Okla., were also visitors in the Laws' home over the weekend.

Visiting with Mrs. J. L. Hays this week-end were Miss Myra Hays of Wheeler, Misses Merle, Mary and Virginia Hays of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Dorance Biter of Wichita Falls.

Miss Helen Langford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Langford, left Sunday for Stephenville, where she will enter John Tarleton Agriculture College as a second semester Freshman.

Edmond Schaded, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Schaded, left Sunday for Denver, Colo., where he will enter Regis College. This will be the second semester that Schaded has entered Regis to study Pre-Med.

Cecil McBride left Sunday for Amarillo where he will enroll in the Amarillo Junior College.

Mrs. Noel Cudd returned home from Mineral Wells Sunday where she had been visiting over the week-end. She was joined there by several relatives from different parts of the state.

Mrs. Johnny Brown of Amarillo was here over the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brewer, and other relatives and friends.

Dick Ellis left Monday for Waco where he will re-enter Baylor for the fall semester. He is studying Pre-Med.

Rebecca Rapp and Kenneth Welch took his brother, Ervin Welch to Lubbock Sunday where he will travel on to Roswell. Ervin Welch is planning to put in a cafe drive-in in Roswell.

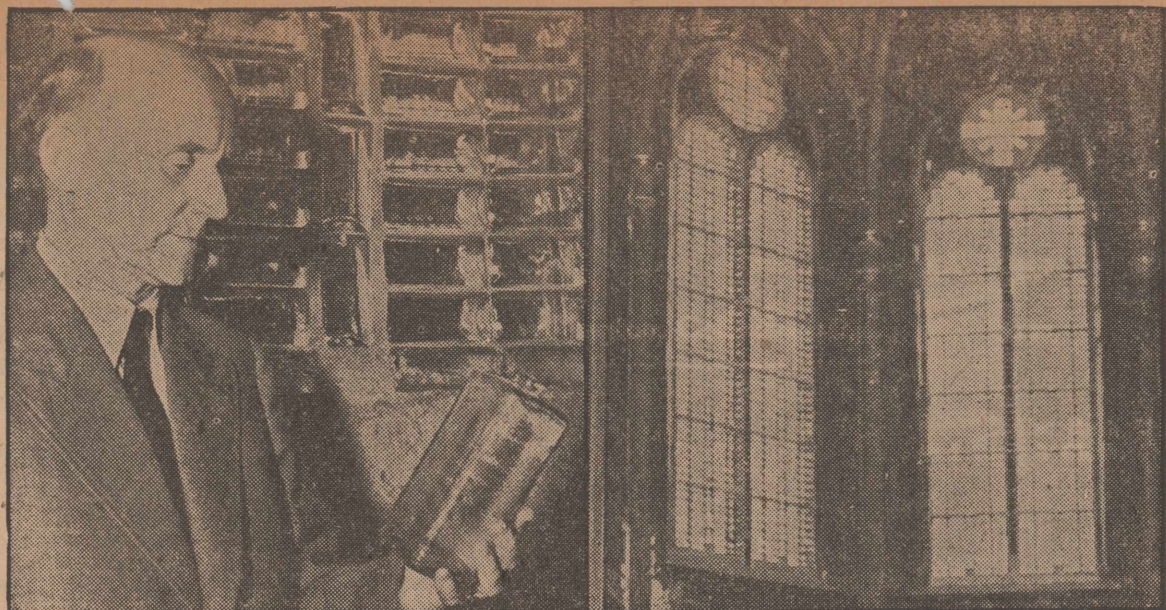
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rapp and children moved to Amarillo Saturday where he will be employed in the gasoline plant. Rebecca is staying here to work at the United Gas office where she is now employed. She is staying with the Rev. and Mrs. Noel Bryant and family.

Ralph Stowell flew to Denver, Colorado, last week on business. He is expected to return sometime this week.

C. G. Gray left Monday for Texas Tech where he will enroll as a sophomore in the Electrical Engineering Department.

Mrs. Sam Lindsey is in Pampa visiting her father, F. S. Small this week. Mr. Small, who has been seriously ill, is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Parker of New Orleans, Louisiana, are now here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tod Parker.



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Faced with the problem of replacing stained glass windows in Berlin's Twelve Apostles Church, Adolf Kurtz, Pastor, used empty schnapps bottles in lieu of unobtainable window glass. Experts told him it wouldn't work, but the Pastor, shown at left holding one of the bottles in front of a finished window, went ahead and cemented them into place like bricks. At right, the sun streams through finished schnapps bottle windows.

Mrs. O. L. Graham of Shamrock was here Monday visiting with friends.

Mrs. Henry Davis returned home last week from Dallas where she had been visiting relatives and friends for the past week.

Don Roberts left Sunday for Lubbock where he will enter Texas Tech as a Freshman in the Animal Husbandry Department.

Miss Tommie Ann Campbell left Monday for Lubbock where she will enroll as a Freshman in Texas Tech. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Campbell, her parents, took her to Lubbock, and will return shortly.

Miss Sue Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson, left Sunday for Dallas where she will enter Southern Methodist University as a Freshman.

Ray Wooldridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wooldridge, left Monday for Texas Tech to enter the college as a Freshman.

Miss Lynn Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore, left Sunday for Dallas where she will enter Southern Methodist University as a Freshman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ritter and son left Monday for Waco where Mr. and Mrs. Ritter will attend Baylor University.

Jack Boverie left Tuesday for Lubbock where he will enroll in Texas Tech for the fall semester.

Miss Helen Jo Holder left Sunday for Denton where she will enter Texas State College for Women for the fall semester.

O. B. Raburn left Monday for Lubbock where he will enter Texas Tech for the fall semester.

J. G. Finley left Monday for Amarillo where he will enter Amarillo Junior College.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons Jr. were Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McMillian and son, Keith of Oklahoma City, Okla. Mr. Dudley is Mrs. Parsons' brother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Kelly of Los Angeles were here during the past two weeks visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Kelly will be remembered as the former Helma Lee Kelley. They took a trip to Yellowstone Park and Canada before coming back to Wellington. Mr. Kelly is employed with the Interstate Bakers Corporation in Los Angeles.

DOZIER By MRS. C. H. CAPERTON

Robert and Kenneth Laycock made a trip to Memphis, Tennessee where they visited with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Laycock.

Guss Gooch and son, Cecil made a business trip to San Jon, New Mexico last week.

Bart Martindale has been on the sick list the past week, but is improving at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Cochran are the proud parents of a little daughter.

Mrs. J. S. Phillips left Saturday night for San Jon, New Mexico, to spend a few days with her son, M. L. Phillips and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massey and daughter, Miss Willie Massey are vacationing in Oklahoma this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wallace of Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wynn of Meadow were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. J. S. Phillips.

Both gins are having some work done to get ready for the busy season ahead.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Willoughby spent several days in Tulsa last week, with their son, Bob and his family.

Dove hunters were quite busy last week and had unusually good luck.

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Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 26 day of August, 1947.

The file number of said suit being No. 3257.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

Ethel Ledbetter Terry, as Plaintiff, and Dewey Archie Terry, as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being

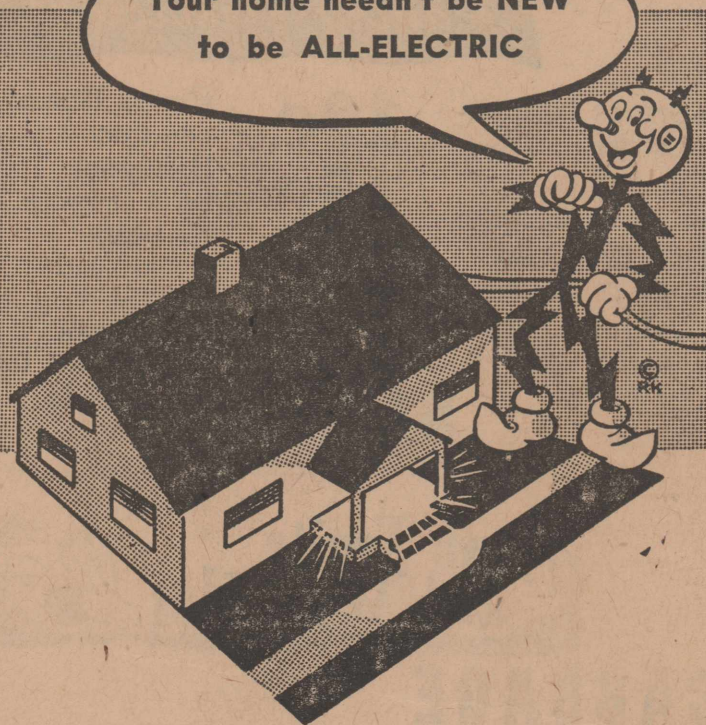
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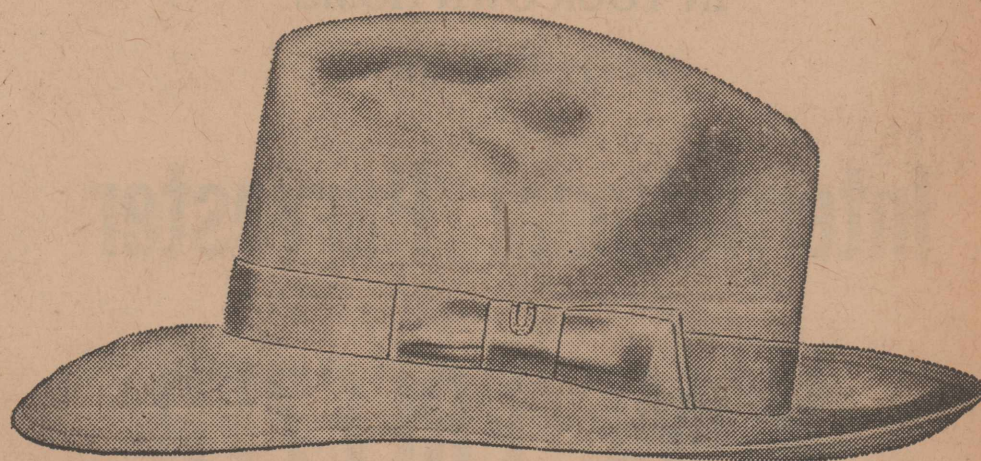
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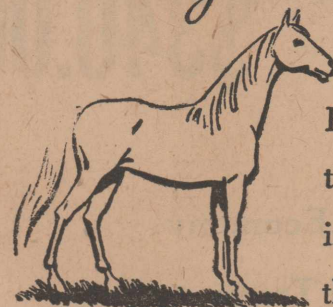
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Leader News Editor Writes of Cane and Rice in Louisiana

By VIRGINIA ROBEY

The real trip began for us, Mama and I, at the Louisiana State line. Across the extreme southern part of the state the railroad runs through the center of the rice growing section and much of the sugar cane area, then into the swamp area, where the fur trapping gives Louisiana first place in the number of pelts marketed. Whether you will like it depends on whether you feel smothered by so many trees.

Rice harvesting is going around Crowley, and this looks familiar to those who can remember the old-time wheat binders and threshers. I later heard that combines are used to some extent, but we didn't see any. Rice mill after rice mill stand by the railroads, but workers in a number of these are out on strike, called, strange as it seemed to me, by the AF of L Teamsters Union—the one that sends its literature without request to The Leader. Pickets walked slowly up and down in front of a few.

This is the land of the real plantations, with fields as big and level as any wheat field of Collingsworth. These plantations are big business, many in the same section with their own sugar house, as they call the sugar mills, and anywhere from a dozen to several dozen houses for workmen. The county around one tiny town, Raceland, is supposed to have the densest rural population in the world.

A geologist riding with us said many of these fine plantations went broke during the 30's due to cane blight of the 20's that ruined cane of the section, then the depression. A disease resisting cane has been bred and this country is the picture of prosperity.

Although there are still fine old anti-bellum homes in this Evergreen county, you seldom see them from the train.

New Orleans, entered by the famous and fine Hughey P. Long bridge is distinctly a town of two parts, both highly commercial. In the Vieux Carre Orleanians have found, as one Old Quarter merchant told us, "the goose that laid the golden egg" and they have no intention of killing it. The architecture is distinctive, most of it along Spanish lines with the lovely hand wrought or cast iron balconies and court yards that are surprisingly cool even in the middle of the day. Shops are on the first floor, but many of the upper

ones have been turned into modern and picturesque apartments, and rents are high. Here are the old historic buildings, and the homes of many of those men who were prominent in Colonial Louisiana.

In recent year several local historians have tried to divide fiction from fact, and therefore some of the best traditional stories of the quarter have been declared as nothing but imagination that grew through the years.

Unique is the school system of New Orleans, John McDonough, an eccentric bachelor, left his fortune to educational purposes, but he stipulated, (1) each year there must be a one-day holiday in his honor; (2) upon reaching high school age, boys and girls must go to separate schools. Only recently has the systems gotten away from the latter. There are over 30 McDonough schools and they are trying to build another.

New Orleans is proud of its port, too, the second largest in the nation. Port authorities have just figured out that 70 cents of every New Orleans dollar is due directly or indirectly to its Port.

We saw ships from half a dozen countries in port. Ware house after ware house was filled with green coffee beans in from Central and South America. Going out was a variety of merchandise backed by Armour but already labeled in Spanish, onions, tractors, Buick, and etc. Bananas were being unloaded by conveyors, and far down, next to "the world's largest cotton ware house", are the huge elevators, for New Orleans is the nation's chief grain exporting point. It was fascinating to watch the wheat come out of two big funnels into the hold of the ship.

All that now going out is relief wheat for Europe.

I think the tourist gets only a superficial idea of New Orleans, along with some misinformation, for it is probably the most diversified city in the South, as well as one with a history that fascinates even those who never like to study history.

Mrs. C. L. Stafford of Okla. City was in Wellington last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Otis Roberson.

Judge and Mrs. C. C. Bissop returned last week from a trip to Lamesa and Big Springs where they visited relatives and friends.

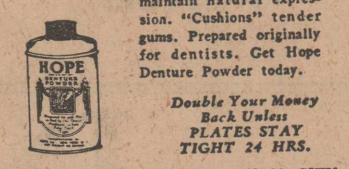


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2 Lb. For —

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Crisp, 2 Bunches for

13¢

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Large Bunches, 2 For

25¢

GREEN BEANS
Pound

15¢

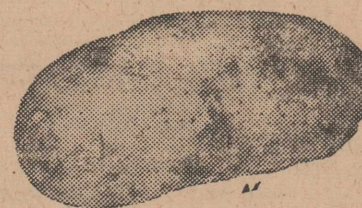
CELERY
Large Stalk

19¢

APPLES
Red Delicious, Lb.

10¢

POTATOES 10 Lb. Mesh Bag —



29¢

ORANGES 39¢
California, 5 Lb. Bag

NOTIONS

Bakers Best
HAIR TONIC

98¢

Woodbury
Shampoo
50c Size

39¢

Dental Creme
Star Kist
50c Size

19¢

Halo
25c Size
SHAMPOO

23¢

Alcohol
Pint —

19¢

COFFEE

Schilling

45¢

Lb. Can —

Shortening

Mrs. Tuckers

83¢

3 Lb. Carton —

FLOUR

10 Lb.

89¢

Gold Medal —

FRUIT COCKTAIL

No. 2 1/2

35¢

Can —

TURNIP GREENS

No. 2 Can

9¢

SPINACH

Hearts Delight, No. 2 Can

15¢

APPLE JELLY

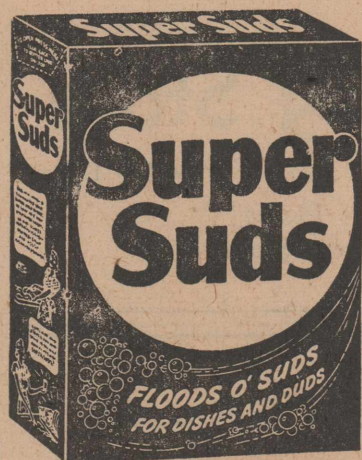
Pure, 2 Lb. Jar

32¢

PRESERVES

Peach or Apricot, 2 Lb. Jar

45¢



Large

28¢

Box —

Grapefruit

Juice

No. 2 Can —

8¢

PALMOLIVE

Regular Size Bar, 2 For

17¢

PALMOLIVE

Bath Size Bar 2, For

27¢

CRYSTAL WHITE

Laundry, Bar

10¢

CLOROX

1/2 Gallon

29¢

GLOCOAT

Johnson's, Pint Bottle

49¢

CARNU

Johnson's Pint

49¢

PASTE WAX

Johnson's 1 Lb. Can

49¢

LIQUID WAX

Johnson's, Pint

49¢

FLOOR CLEANER

Johnson's, Pint

49¢

NAPKINS

Paper, Pkg.

19¢

POLISH

Furniture, Kent Quart Bottle

19¢

CHOICE MEATS

ALL MEAT
BOLOGNA

Lb. —

45¢

BEEF

Lb. —

ROAST 39¢

SALAD DRESSING

Bestyett, Quart Jar

49¢

Sunshine
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1 lb. Box 23¢

PICKLES

Quart Jar

25¢

SYRUP

1/2 Gallon

39¢

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45¢

1/2 Lb. Box

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2 Boxes —

49¢

BEEF RIBS lb. 30¢

BACON

CHEESE

Gloves

Canvas

Pair —

25¢

UNITED

SUPER MARKET

Methodist Revival At Dodson Starts Sunday, Sept. 21

Rev. H. W. Gaston, pastor of the Methodist Church at Dodson, announced this week that revival services will start Sunday, September 21 and will continue through Sunday, September 28. Services will be held both in the morning and the evening.

Winfield Brewer will be in charge of the song services and everyone is extended a cordial invitation to be present at the revival meetings. Rev. Gaston said that since this is a short meeting that every effort would be made to make it a helpful meeting, and since Brother Brewer is an experienced song leader, he feels that this part of the services, as well as the messages, will be appreciated by those who attend.

Vacation Trip -

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obtaining a comfortable three story stucco home in the mountains that enclose Port Au Prince. Their five servants, who have a combined salary of forty-five dollars a month, live on the ground floor and their living quarters are above. While they have a modern kitchen equipped with an electric stove, their Haitian cook prefers to cook over charcoal. Vegetables such as we have in the states are plentiful, but meat is sold in the open market and requires boiling in a vinegar preparation before it is safe to eat. One especially delicious salad is prepared from the hearts of palms. A cooking banana is also a favorite food. When friend it tastes not unlike our most delicious sweet potatoes.

Mrs. Wells was enchanted with the sights of the open market. There are two, one for foods and one for other articles. Haitian women, known as "marchants" visit the native markets in the mountains and bring down the fresh produce balanced on their heads. There are colorful baskets, shoes and bags made from gaily dyed sisal, exquisite linens all hand embroidered in the Haitian convents. She brought a number of these for her home here.

Educational facilities are mostly to be found in the Catholic convents and wealthy Haitians usually send their children to Canada for their higher education. Before the war they were sent to France and a few came to the states. There is also a small school for the children of the diplomatic colony but the older ones return to the states each year to boarding schools or colleges.

Their impression of life in Haiti is very pleasing. Although there is an unpleasant rainy season and often tropical storms, August proved an ideal time for a visit to the Republic of Haiti.

Farmers Benefit -

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market for alfalfa seed.

Another reason advanced was that the tremendous profits realized by growers in the past three seasons had caused many additional acres to be planted over this area of Texas and Oklahoma which produces such excellent planting seed, and that the supply had simply exceeded the demand. At any rate the growers are not selling their seed and warehouses are piling up in Wellington and Oklahoma towns with a commodity that was so valuable last year.

However, alfalfa seed was about the only locally produced commodity that remained at a low price.

The sharp rise in food prices during recent weeks has brought forth a suggestion from Washington that the government's entire agricultural program be investigated.

Today a subcommittee, headed by Senator Aiken of Vermont, is to meet in Washington for a general discussion of farm problems and to determine the scope of its immediate inquiry.

Victory Hungry -

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Main objective of the subcommittee is to examine the operation of present laws affecting farm production and prices such as the parity price system, with a view to recommending possible changes.

Senator Lucas of Illinois, ranking minority member of the subcommittee, said Tuesday he would favor a separate price inquiry, directed principally at agriculture prices, if it would not duplicate the investigation already under way by the committee on the economic report.

Lucas said the subcommittee, in drawing up a long-range program for agriculture, would consider suggestions for revision of the present parity system to include farm labor costs as a factor in figuring parity prices.

He indicated there was considerable sentiment for coupling some sort of a ceiling for farm prices with the continuation of a price floor for farmers.

Pointing out that commodity prices are now considerably above parity levels, Lucas said that legislation along these lines did not affect the current price situation but should be considered from the point of view of conditions which

be an index as to whether or not they will get outside District 8A. The Memphis Cyclones served notice to all other teams in the district to be on the alert as they outplayed the Class AA Quana Indians until their star quarterback who handles the ball from the I formation was taken out of the game.

The Rockets emerged from the Ranger game with no major injuries and barring practice injuries are expected to go into the Dalhart game in good shape.

Against Claude the Wolves started using the T formation which the Claude team stopped; but when the Wolves shifted to the single wingback they started running

might arise in the future.

With reference to the present food price problem, Lucas said:

"It seems apparent that the main factor is the increased national income and the pent-up buying power released after the war. But this results in inequities, and until and unless production can catch up with the demand, it seems as if some government control of prices of basic commodities might have to be resorted to."

roughshod over the boys from Claude.

Starting lineup for the Wolves follows:

Name	Pos.	No.	Wt.
Dyer, Markie	LE	31	170
Dawson, Bob	LT	27	155
Gallett, Johnny	LG	35	185
Mitchell, Gene	C	45	216
Phillips, Jeter	RG	25	145
Felts, Allan	LT	44	215
Phillips, Jodie	LE	30	150
Martin, John Scott	QB	33	165
Newman, Jackie	RH	36	145
Archuleta, Archie	LH	22	135
Bradstreet, Wayne	FB	46	170

Mrs. Maudie Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ford and sons, and Mrs. Bulloch and daughter visited their son and brother, J. L. Burt Jr. in Amarillo. Mrs. Bulloch returned home to Arlington from there.

Gospel of Christ

(Rom. 1:16)

THREE SIGNIFICANT WORDS

"Scriptural." This word means that which is described according to the Holy Scriptures, or authorized by these Scriptures.

"Anti-scriptural." This term applies to that which is contrary to the Holy Scriptures, contradicts the Bible.

"Unscriptural." This term aptly applies to that which is not taught, not authorized by the Scriptures, the Bible.

Since God gave us intelligence, and revelation to direct that intelligence, it is sinful to teach as an item of religious belief or practice anything that is not taught by this revelation, the Bible. To do so is to claim, at least by implication, that the Bible says something that it does not say. Those guilty of adding to the Word of God shall be punished. See Rev. 22: 18, 19; 1 Cor. 4:6; 2 Jno. 9. Teaching an unscriptural doctrine is, therefore, an anti-scriptural act.

At the judgment bar of God we shall be judged, not as a nation or group, but individually. (Rom. 14: 12) Therefore, we are called upon to use our power of reasoning to make preparation. See 1 Pet. 3:15; 2 Tim. 2:15. Are you able to show the Scripture that authorizes each of your items of belief, teachings and practices in religion?

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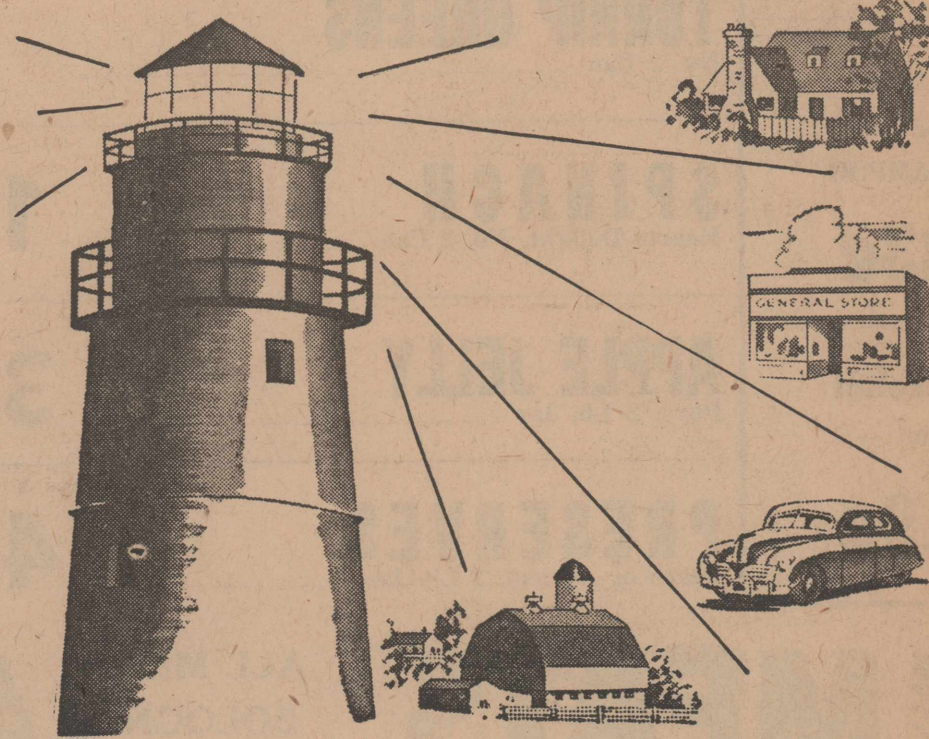
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