

Tips on Taxes

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Austin.—An important factor in the tax situation is to secure legislation that will some degree of permanence to economies effected during the present period when economy has become a matter about which there is no debate. It is obvious that conditions are propitious for changes and reforms that will extend benefits of retrenchment beyond the period of the present emergency. It is equally obvious that little will have been accomplished if measures of economy gain approval simply as emergency matters.

To adopt measures temporary in purpose and character that are equivalent to an admission that the cost of government should return to its former high levels would be a distinct failure to make the most of the present opportunity. People are intensely tax-conscious now. They seldom are when business is at normal. For this reason, many think it would be a blunder not to capitalize on present sentiment and write into the organic law some very definite barriers to excessive government costs in future.

It is necessary to bring expenditures down to the capacity of the people to pay in order that the present unbalanced condition of State and local budgets may be corrected. To stop there, however, would leave the larger task of providing proper safeguards and eliminating wasteful expenditures practically untouched. Many people are likely to be misled concerning reports of flat reductions. Such treatment should be applied only to necessary functions of government. Unnecessary services should be abolished.

Agreement is general among students of government and taxation that the most costly and possibly the most wasteful practices are to be found in local affairs. Organization of county government is notoriously conducive of waste. Constitutional and legislative requirements are largely responsible. County commissioners have only very limited control over the affairs which they are in theory responsible.

Fees of certain officials are fixed under the constitution by State law. Ridiculously high earnings are common, and County Commissioners are powerless to make reductions. There are many needless officers, especially in counties of small population, but they cannot be abolished any more than the office of Governor. Practically, County Commissioners must levy the taxes and watch others over whom they have little or no control, spend the money. They have responsibility without authority.

Several constitutional amendments designed to correct this condition have been introduced in the Legislature. A committee is now trying to combine them into a single measure.

There is a distinct danger that harm may result from too greatly liberalizing authority for issuing bonds and determining limits of taxation as applied to counties. The "home rule" idea sounds attractive. Yet, it has been shown that extravagance in public expenditures, rather than economy, has followed the loosening of constitutional inhibitions. It will be found that the local tax burden has become heavier where the greatest measure of local action is permitted. This is an anomaly, but a study of the local tax map of Texas will substantially bear out the statement that taxes are least burdensome where communities have been slowest to adopt many of the modern devices.

Extreme caution must be exercised in amendments designed to

14,209 Bales Ginned Here

A total of 14,209 bales of cotton were ginned in Lorraine from the 1932 crop, according to figures furnished us by the five gins this week. Last Saturday was the last day for any of the gins to run during the season. Some of them closed down a few weeks ago.

The 1932 crop is among the largest, if not the largest, crop ever raised in the Lorraine territory. The price, however, prevented the farmers realizing very much money from the crop. Even at the low price the crop brought in more than \$400,000.00.

COTTON GINNED FROM 1932 CROP SHOWS DECLINE

Washington, March 20.—The Census Bureau today estimated cotton ginned from the 1932 crop at 12,703,281 bales, compared to 16,628,874 bales ginned from the 1931 crop.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

A fairly good-sized crowd was in attendance Sunday morning and night in spite of the inclement weather and a great many folks being sick. Rev. Harrell preached on "Christian Constancy." His text was 1 Cor. 15-58. He stressed the necessity of being steadfast in the Lord and of always abounding in the Lord knowing that our labor is not in vain in the Lord. Sunday night he preached on "A small nation with a proud heart" using the text Obadiah, verse 4. Lester Jarratt sang a very beautiful and impressive solo at the morning hour.

Now that winter is about over let us all do our best to build up the church and Sunday school attendance. Be sure to come to Sunday school and church next Sunday and bring someone with you.

Only one more month until Easter. Let us do our best to enlist everyone possible in Sunday school and church attendance by that time. Visitors are always welcome.

reorganize county government. Elasticity of authority should be in the direction of economy. In the past two decades the tendency has been toward more expensive local government, through multiplication of services. The chief reason why Texas is in less distress today than many other States is because framers of the constitution imposed certain restraints as to powers of borrowing and taxation. Citizens should analyze county government reorganization measures and let their representatives know their wishes. The present system is archaic and wasteful, but change might prove even worse through removal of the constitutional barriers, along with those provisions which now prevent needed freedom of action.

Another proposed amendment designed to provide an automatic check on State expenditures is the one that would limit the total State taxes to \$10 per year per capita.

These two suggestions constitute the attempt to work out permanent tax relief, rather than to be content with temporary measures that do not correct the fundamental causes for the terrific increase in the cost of government within the past decade. To accomplish these reforms will be no easy matter. Those who are sponsoring them will need the active support of the people.

The sales tax proposal has been revived in a measure prepared by a sub-committee of the House committee on taxation and revenue. The rates are lower than those originally proposed at the beginning of the session, but the measure is fundamentally the same.

Beer Bill Passes Congress

Washington.—The beer-wine bill was given final House approval Tuesday, legalizing the sale of 3.2 per cent brews. Sale of the brews can be made 15 days after the President signs the measure.

The 3.2 per cent content is by weight or 4 per cent volume, approximately the strength of beer of pre-prohibition days.

The measure contains no federal restriction whatever on sale and distribution. This is left entirely to the states. However, dry states would be protected by the national government.

A federal tax of \$5 a barrel would be levied, together with a manufacture permit of \$1,000 for each brewery. Estimates of increased revenue run from \$125,000,000 in the first year of operation to \$150,000,000.

BOYS WIN; GIRLS LOSE TO ROSCOE TUESDAY

The Lorraine boys and girls indoor baseball teams went to Roscoe Tuesday afternoon. The boys won 7 to 5, while the girls lost 8 to 9.

The Lorraine boys also won tennis doubles. Roscoe won in volley ball 2 to 1.

BIRTH AND DEATH REPORT FOR COUNTY

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Morgan, Feb. 1, a daughter.

G. R. McGee, Feb. 3, a son. Willie Ross, Feb. 2, a son. Roy Swann, Feb. 5, a son. Homer F. Railsback Feb. 9, a son.

A. M. Dunnahoo, Feb. 9, a son. Antonio Marquez, Feb. 11, a daughter.

Beatrice Biggers, Feb. 12, a daughter. Guy Starks, Jr., Feb. 14, a daughter.

John Bruton, Feb. 16, a son. Presley T. Smith Feb. 17, a son. W. A. Reed, Feb. 18, a daughter.

Kelton Pettigrew, Feb. 18, a daughter. Hellaris Herida Feb. 20, a son. G. W. Newman, Feb. 20, a son.

V. F. Rigdon, Feb. 21, a son. Ernest Shurtliff, Feb. 21, a son. Antonio Guerrero, Feb. 21, a son. Geo. R. Farris Feb. 22, a daughter.

I. G. Haines, Feb. 22, a daughter. J. E. Cottrell Feb. 27, a son. W. C. Webb, Feb. 27, a daughter.

H. L. May Feb. 6, a son. L. C. Click, Feb. 9, a son. Clayton Hughes, Feb. 12, a son. Chester McMahon, Jan. 29, a daughter.

Lorenzo Arteago, Feb. 3, son. Loren Ralph Rush, Feb. 7, a daughter.

Jim T. Mills, Feb. 16, a son. J. M. Gresham, Feb. 24, a daughter.

Deaths
Sol Robinson, Feb. 10, 74 yrs. Charles M. Mann, Feb. 19, 57. Cardeler Armon, 27, Feb. 22. Robert E. Gale, 45, Feb. 26. George W. Angel, 41, Feb. 26. Juanita Blair, 18, Feb. 16. Mrs. Sarah E. Kinnison, 81, Feb. 26.

Nancy C. Ringener, 63, Feb. 17. W. H. Petty, 72, Feb. 21.

COMING SOON

The senior class is announcing their play "And Mary Bid" as the best of the season. It is said that Birdie and Willie, little angels in this play, will furnish barrels of fun. The greatest thrill in the entire play is the attempt of Mary, a democrat, to make speeches to win a republican sweetheart. Watch for other announcements.

B. Y. P. U.

The senior and adult B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church are studying "Modern B. Y. P. U. Methods" every evening this week at 7:30. Our pastor, Bro. A. C. Hardin, is bringing us an inspiring message on each chapter.

Racing Bill Fails To Pass

Austin.—Hopes of advocates of the Duvall horse racing bill for another vote was dashed Tuesday when it was shown that Monday's defeat of the measure was a valid vote.

The bill failed of engrossment, 63 to 71. It had been reported that Rep. John W. Laird's desk had been voted on the electric machine while he was absent. Laird told the House that he was present and had voted against the bill.

BAPTIST W. M. S.

The Baptist W. M. S. met in regular business session at the church Monday. Devotional was led by Mrs. Reeder and prayer was offered by Mrs. Hallmark. Regular business was attended to. Mrs. Fain was elected educational chairman and reports from other chairmen were given. The women voted to study "Things We Should Know" for their next study course. Next Monday the W. M. S. will finish their study of "Old Testament Studies".

Reporter.

BAPTIST NOTES

Last Sunday was "Temperance Sunday" so the dangerous enemy referred to in our Sunday school lesson topic was "The Effects of Alcoholic Drink."

We did not have a hundred per cent attendance, but were made glad to see some of our members Sunday morning who have not been able to meet with us for several Sundays.

Just before the preaching service Thomas Riden and his daughter Chrytene, Bud Rieburg and Thomas Roberts favored us with an impressive quartet, "God's Message to Man".

Rev. Hardin read the 20th verse of the 16th chapter of Judges: "And She said, the Philistines be upon thee Sampson, and he awoke out of his sleep and said: I will go out as at other times before and shake my self. And he wist not that the Lord was departed from him."

Rev. Hardin then told the story of Sampson and gave some definite reasons why we, as Christians, and as a church are so powerless in a spiritual sense. Oh! May God help us to fully realize that in Christ alone there is that saving power and help us as a band of Christians to so conform our lives to His will that we can be used in His service.

The topic for the evening hour was a comparison between the life of Joseph and that of Jesus, our Savior.

We have one of the most faithful B. Y. P. U. leaders to be found anywhere. We trust that our young people will take advantage of this opportunity and encourage Mrs. Jack Martin by your regular attendance.

The W. M. S. meets Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the church.

Next Sunday's Sunday school lesson is a review of the quarter so don't fail to be present and at least get a synopsis of the lesson for the first quarter of this year.

Reporter.

BILL TO REDUCE STATE INCOME INTRODUCED

The State Senate Wednesday engrossed a bill by Senator Walter Woodward of Coleman, designed to reduce state taxes and expenditures. It will require a constitutional amendment.

Senator Woodward said he believed the amendment would solve the problem of extravagance in government. He asserted that the state government spent only \$10 per capita in 1927 and that it could return to that standard without doing serious injury to any necessary state function.

The proposal would limit the total state revenues from taxes, licenses, permits and fees to \$20 per capita each biennium.

Winners Are Announced In Literary Events Here

Interest Grows In Elections

The election for trustees in the Lorraine Independent school district and aldermen for the City of Lorraine is drawing some interest as the candidates are being announced for the various places. In addition to the candidates for trustee announced last week by the school board W. R. Martin submitted three names to be placed on the ticket. They are A. Phillips, S. A. Martin and Hugh Hallmark.

Mr. Martin also submitted four names to be placed on the ticket for members of the City Council as follows: S. M. Hallmark, John Mahon, W. S. Wimberley, and W. R. Martin. For City Marshal, J. A. Crosby. Up to this time no names have been submitted for Mayor.

ILLNESS FATAL TO COLORADO RANCHER

J. W. Wulfjen, 88, died at Colorado early Saturday after a short illness. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church, with Rev. L. A. Webb officiating, assisted by Rev. W. M. Elliott and Rev. J. R. Henson. The Masonic Lodge of which Wulfjen was a member for 67 years conducted the burial services.

Coming to Mitchell County in 1887 from Round Rock, Wulfjen was a banker, farmer and rancher, owning 10,000 acres of land. He was one of the organizers of the City National Bank of Colorado, serving on the directorate until the time of his death. He served one term as president of the bank. He led an active life until being confined by his fatal illness and drove his own car and rode over his ranch on horseback.

He is survived by three sons, U. D., B. L. and S. O. Wulfjen of Colorado, and two daughters, Mrs. E. H. Winn, Colorado, and Mrs. S. H. Wallace, Tucson, Ariz.

BRUCE BIBLE CLASS

We had a good number present Sunday considering the weather. We all enjoyed the lesson brought to us by Mr. Edwards who taught the class in the absence of Mr. Bruce.

We had two visitors with us Sunday whom we were glad to welcome. Visitors are always welcome, so if you are visiting in the community, or if you do not attend another class, we invite you to meet with us.

The date for the annual barbecue was set for the last Thursday night in April, which is April 27. A special invitation was extended Bro. Clyde Bennett and his class to enjoy the affair with us.

The following members have been appointed on committees: To secure the meat, Lester Jarratt and C. H. Manly; to cook the meat, W. E. Dickenson, T. C. Wilson and Hall Hooker; to prepare the tables and furnish the bread and pickles, W. E. Honea, J. W. King and Wiley Walker; to secure principal speaker J. M. Bruce; to get the wood, C. F. Glass, J. B. Mahon and Harold Martin; To make the coffee, Boyd Richey and C. R. McClenney; To arrange for special songs and quartets, Kirk Taylor. Each of these committees may secure the help they need.

Everyone remember the date and invite your friends to be present.

Reporter.

MORATORIUM ON LIENS IS ASKED

Austin.—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Monday afternoon submitted to the Legislature as emergency legislation a question of a moratorium on all trial courts in Texas in rendering judgments on mortgages, deeds of trust and other liens.

Last Friday was visiting day in the Lorraine school for parents and others interested in the progress of the school. Quite a number of parents took advantage of the opportunity and spent most of the day with the children.

At the noon hour a bounteous lunch was spread on a long table and the children and their visitors ate together in picnic fashion. Such occasions as these help to bind the school closer to the hearts of the patrons, they learn at first hand the problems of the teachers and the pupils and they know how to go about helping to overcome them.

During the afternoon try-outs in the various literary events were held and the winners announced. After the literary events the crowd was entertained with play ground ball games between the Lorraine and Roscoe boys and girls. Both local teams were winners.

Entrants and winners in the various events as announced are as follows:

Grade school junior girls declamation: Entrants, Mary Lyons, Billie Marie Rowland, Winola Martin, Quita Richards, Loeta Martin, Jean Lawyer, Ruth Ann Hall, Opal Martin. Winners: 1st, Opal Martin, 2nd, Winola Martin, 3rd, Billie Marie Rowland.

Grade school junior boys declamation: Entrants, Hugh Wilson Rowland, J. W. King, Jr., Byron Bennett, Roy G. Edwards, W. F. James, Travis Lucas, Lanthus Brame, Lloyd Brame, Louis Brame. Winners: 1st, Lloyd Brame, 2nd, Byron Bennett, 3rd, J. W. King, Jr.

High school junior declamation: Entrants, Hugh Wilson Rowland, J. W. King, Jr., Byron Bennett, Roy G. Edwards, W. F. James, Travis Lucas, Lanthus Brame, Lloyd Brame, Louis Brame. Winners: 1st, Ruby Martin, 2nd, Bessie Hendrick.

Sub-junior spelling: Entrants: Monroe Williford, R. L. Mahoney, J. W. King, Jr., Guindola Mearse Royal James, John D. Bennett, Melvin King, Maxine Hooker, Eline Brazil, Opal Narrell. Winners: 1st, Monroe Williford, 2nd, R. L. Mahoney, 3rd, J. W. King, Jr.

Junior spelling: Entrants: Byron Bennett, Maxine Land, Lonice Land, Nina Pearl Brown, Kathryn Mathis. Winners: 1st, Byron Bennett, 2nd, Kathryn Mathis.

First grade story telling: 1st Gloria Martin, 2nd, Jimmy Ferguson, 3rd, Patricia Hooker.

Second grade story telling: 1st Mary Frances Cope, 2nd, Aileen Hallmark, 3rd, John Garrett.

Third grade story telling: 1st Marvlyn Martin, 2nd, Melvin King, 3rd, John D. Bennett.

Senior spelling: 1st, Lula Mae Brazil, 2nd, Lola Mearse, 3rd, Katha Lee Harrell, 4th, Pauline Faulkenberry.

Girls debate: Emma Louise Zellner, Lulla June Harrell.

Boys debate: Entrants, Boyd House, Butsie Hall, Kenneth Saunders, Elvis Narrell. Winners, Boyd House, Kenneth Saunders.

Extempore speaking: Princess Martin.

High school essay: 1st, Princess Martin, 2nd, Bud Furlow.

Grade school essay: Entrants, Nina Pearl Brown, Kathryn Mathis, Roy Baird, Jr., Ruth Ann Hall. Winners: 1st, Nina Pearl Brown, 2nd, Kathryn Mathis.

Arithmetic: Byron Bennett, W. F. James, team.

Next Saturday debates, tennis play ground ball and volley ball will be held at Colorado for the county meet.

B. T. S. and S. S. CONVENTION AT LAMESA MARCH 30-31.

According to a program received from J. C. Smyth of Snyder, B. T. S. President, a very interesting time is being planned for the entertainment of the B. T. S. and the S. S. convention of district 8, to be held with the First Baptist Church in Lamesa on March 30th and 31st.

Baptist people interested in B. T. S. and Sunday School work are urged to attend the meeting.

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Current Comment
From Washington

What is Congress going to do? What it does will be done quickly; that seems certain. Speaking in general terms, it will approve the past plans of Pres. Roosevelt, and probably approve in advance some things that he is likely to do in the future. Promote action is assured by the agreement of the Senate Democrats to abide by the majority vote of the party caucus. This in itself is somewhat unusual, and an emergency action worth nothing. It is not to be supposed that the Democrats alone are working to save the day. Republican support is assured, and further backing will come from the Governors of the states. There are a good legislation for Congress to consider, but currency has the center of the stage just now. Seven billions of currency supposedly are in circulation, but about four billions are locked up somehow. How to get the vast sum circulating, or find something to take its place, is a problem. No one expects the issuance of money backed by a bare promise of the government to pay, but it is possible that there may be provided a new medium of exchange based on bank assets, and backed by federal guarantee only in instances in which the banks are unquestionably sound. Yet it is hard to prophesy. What one writes today, in the way of a forecast, he may wish to take back tomorrow. Events are moving rapidly. It is difficult to keep up with them, to say nothing of attempting to foresee them.

Few things that have occurred during the present generation reflect greater credit upon the

West Texas News
In Small Doses

The Springer Drug Store in Albany was entered recently and \$234 in cash taken from the safe, the combination of which had been worked, reported the Albany News.

Two special policemen were employed by the city of Eastland during the bank holidays as a protective measure to Eastland merchants, reports the Weekly Record.

The first "Big Egg" story we have seen this spring comes from Snyder through the Scurry County Times. The egg in question weighed more than seven ounces. Another egg weighing less than one ounce is also on display in the Times' window.

The Big Spring News says that those who are seeking a real thrill should go fishing for rattlesnakes. The paper reports that one man in that community caught 42 snakes on Saturday and 52 on Monday with a specially made fishing pole.

The Lynn County News reports that the long litigation between Garza and Lynn Counties over the boundary line of the two counties has been settled in favor of Lynn County. The decision was handed down by the Texas supreme court.

Drainage of the lakes in the Roscoe area was to have started Monday of this week according to the Roscoe Times. The Texas and Pacific Railway is to furnish the actual cash in the project and Nolan County is to furnish machinery.

Adding Machine paper, 2 rolls for 25c at The Mitchell County News.

American people than the poise and calmness with which the closing of the banks, by President Roosevelt, was received. There were no signs of hopelessness and terror, no congregating at street corners, no closing of places of business. The work of the land, although crippled, went forward as usual. The assurance manifested was not the assurance that disaster would follow, but, rather, the assurance that relief was ahead. There is a general readiness to accept a new medium of exchange, and to cooperate with the government in relieving a situation which, although not all that might be desired, might have been infinitely worse.

Conducting business on a scrip basis, or on any equivalent convenient-money basis, is far better than conducting business by means of the old-time shaky state bank bills, under the vogue of which a person had to look up a bank in the "coin detector" before deciding whether to accept a bill or turn it down. Yet things went forward in those days, and they will go forward now. We have been riding a storm of suspicion and uncertainty. The federal government wisely has provided a haven to which all may retire until the gale is past. The wisdom of the people in accepting quietly the relief made available speaks well for the American character.

No R. F. C. Funds
Available for Loraine

No more funds will be available for R. F. C. work in the Loraine territory, according to reports from the county committee, unless, and until Loraine kicks in with a membership or two to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. That was the ultimatum given G. W. Hendrick, local chairman, Thursday morning by Jim Green secretary of the Colorado chamber of commerce.

It seems that the county committee, which is absorbed by the Colorado chamber of commerce, is more interested in securing memberships for the West Texas chamber of commerce than in relieving the unemployment. Especially is this true when it comes to turning money over to the Loraine committee of the R. F. C. Colorado, it seems, is interested only in Colorado--no other part of the county matters so long as Colorado gets what she wants.

The March and April allotment for Mitchell County is \$3,200. Colorado is preparing to spend that amount, or a large portion of it, in Colorado--none of it is available to Loraine.

The local committee feels that Loraine has already been cut way short of what she was justly entitled. Mitchell County has received more than \$16,000 in R. F. C. funds and to date Loraine has not received one-tenth of the amount, that is Loraine and the entire commissioners precinct. The Loraine precinct is the most thickly settled part of the county and she has not received her portion of the funds.

LONE STAR TWINKLINGS

Preaching service was conducted by Rev. Marvin Leech Sunday. An average crowd attended. School activities are somewhat quite busy. All are getting ready to attend the tennis tournament. The juniors are planning to play play-ground ball Saturday. The try-outs in declamation will be held at the school house. The winners will represent their school in the literary events.

Silver school staged the play "Closed Lips" at the school house last Thursday night. A large crowd attended and enjoyed it. The entire community invites them to come again.

MARRIED

On Friday, March 17, Mr. Wesley Chamness and Miss Opal Tillison, accompanied by Bennett Blair, motored to Ranger where they were joined by Miss Ruth Harris. The two couples were united in marriage. Miss Harris formerly lived here. She is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harris of Ranger.

Mr. Blair is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Blair. This couple spent most of their school days at Lone Star. Miss Harris and Miss Tillison were Loraine high school graduates of 1930.

Mr. Chamness is a popular young man of Loraine. Miss Tillison, at the time of her marriage, was a popular young lady of this community. She also attended school at Lone Star for several years.

The many friends of this community wish these two couples many happy years of prosperous married life.

The children, grandchildren, relatives and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bennett Sunday to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mr. Bennett. A nice and delicious dinner was served. Mr. Bennett, who has been seriously ill, was able to be up for the happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hall of Longfellow visited Mr. and Mrs. L. Mearse Sunday.

Dimple Brown spent Saturday night visiting E. H. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Compton attended church at Colorado Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Plex Beatty carried their little daughter to Abilene to a specialist last Thursday. Mrs. Claud Martin and Etta Mae Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. P. Bennett Wednesday of last week.

A large crowd attended the entertainment given by Cecil Richards Saturday night.

Estelle Walker spent last week visiting in the Jess Hollis home near Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Miller entertained the young people with a party Saturday night.

MITCHELL COUNTY
FARM NOTES

Curtis Rich of Conoway says in 1931 he was farming some land that looked like it "would hardly sprout peas" but that it was terraced and in June a three-inch rain fell in about 30 minutes and the rows stood level full of water almost from end to end. In the fall he picked a third of a bale per acre from this land.

U. G. Hardison dried a part of the hindquarters of a beef he killed a while back using a brine cure. He likes it so well that he says he will cure all of the hindquarters next time. With this method of curing beef, the meat is placed in a barrel and covered with a solution of salt, saltpetre and brown sugar. Each piece is allowed to remain three days in the cure for each pound that it weighs. When the meat is cured it is taken out and smoked. Mr. Hardison smoked his meat about half a day using green mesquite.

Final reports on the terracing questionnaire returned by 65 Mitchell County farmers show that 64 of the 65 are pleased with their terraces. Forty-five estimated the increase in yield to be 20.3 per cent. All but two said it increased the yield but some did not estimate it.

Fifty-three of the reports showed that terraces helped to control sand blowing.

Thirty men answered the question about level and fall terraces. Twenty-two liked the level ones best, and eight liked the fall terraces best.

Forty-six men said they had less replanting to do since they terraced.

Fifty-seven said their ditches had filled up or were filling up. Twenty-four men answered the question on the value of terraces and the average of these estimates was \$3.05 per acre per year.

Additional individual reports are as follows:

Lewis Vowell: I think if terraces are kept up for five years the average land in Mitchell County would be worth one fourth more.

T. H. Prescott, Loraine: With terraced land you can plant at a uniform depth which you cannot do going up and down hill. You may fertilize thin spots and hold on same.

John L. Johnson, Loraine: I keep my terraces up by flat breaking them, throwing the dirt to the center each winter. The rains last summer broke them in several places but I am fixing them. I don't intend to allow them to wear out.

J. S. Wathen, Loraine: Have 290 acres terraced on water level. They increase the yield from one fifth to one fourth.

Raymond Wheeler, Loraine: The only great advantage of terraces is to hold soil on the land and keep it from washing so bad. Increase yield about 15 per cent.

SILVER NEWS

Everyone in this community have been taking advantage of the pretty weather. The men are very busy in the fields just at this time. Some have started planting their Spring gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Preston are spending several days visiting their son Mr. H. Preston of Lone Star Community this week.

The Silver School Staged the play "Closed Lips" at Lone Star Thursday night. A large crowd was present. \$11.00 was taken in.

J. W. and Marland Moore and Misses Bernice Moore, Eula Mae Arpe, and Claudene Brooks spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Miss Oleta Caswell of the Landers Community.

Mrs. D. R. Smith and daughters Ammie Mae and Jewel spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Finley and children motored to Snyder Sunday afternoon to visit their daughters Mrs. Emmett Butts and Miss Vista Finley.

Several from this community attended the program at Barnett Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Preston and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Preston of Loraine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yarbrough spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith.

Miss Lorene Yarbrough of East Texas spent several days last week with Eula Mae Arpe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Small entertained their daughter Mrs. Howard Preston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Layfield. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Yarbrough and Fred Reeves visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Reeves over the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Smith.

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(B): James Coffee, Forrest Faulkenberry, Doris Butler, Rex Beights, Hugh Elliott, June Graham, Rae Furlow, Billy Gene Spikes, Marie Manly.

First Grade perfect attendance: Hugh Elliott, Bryan Mahon.

Second Grade (A): Mary Love Walker, Mary Frances Cope, Louise Manly, Aileen Hallmark.

(B) Wayne Hardin, Janice Faulkenberry, Louise Spikes, Roy Hall, Carl Lucas, Wayland Roberts.

Second grade, perfect attendance: J. C. Gross, Mary Frances Cope, Aileen Hallmark, Leon Duke, Carl Lucas, Mary Love Walker.

Third Grade (A): Gene Baird, Marvlyn Martin, John D. Bennett, Louise Hallmark, Freda Derryberry, Melvin King, Royal James.

(B): Louise McClenney, Fay Chamness, Wanda Fay Richey, Elizabeth Hock, Junior Richards, Armando Baumann, Eva Ainsworth, Junior Key.

Third grade, perfect attendance: Louise Hallmark, Wanda Fay Richey, Royal James, Melvin King, Royce Mahon, David Faulkenberry, Freda Derryberry, Marvlyn Martin, LaNada Piguet.

Fourth grade (A): Allen Nelson, Jr., Doris Mahoney, Maxine Hooker, Wennola Martin, Loeta Martin, Opal Martin, Frances Riden, Marzella Jones.

Fourth grade (B): Ruby Jo Marshall, LaVerne Seown, Marvin Hall, B. A. Parker, Travis Lucas, Jack Reeder, Wilene Brown, Elene Brazil.

Fourth Grade, perfect attendance: Loeta Martin, Wennola Martin, Doris Mahoney.

Fifth Grade (A): J. W. King, Jr., R. L. Mahoney, Monroe Williford, Quita Richards.

Fifth Grade (B): Marie Bollinger, Jean Lawyer, Oma Richburg, Florence Jones, Helen Britton.

Fifth grade, perfect attendance: R. L. Mahoney, James Manly, Monroe Williford, Alcena Stepp, Mary Lyons.

Sixth Grade (A): Dell Johnson, Margaret Bennett, Robert James, Kathryn Mathis, Maxine Land, Ronel Thomas.

Sixth Grade (B): Nina Pearl Brown, Doris Glass, Roy Baird, Jr., Iris Duke, Marie Richburg, Garland Faulkenberry, Lonice Land.

Sixth grade perfect attendance: Nina Pearl Brown, Lucille Oliver, Roy Baird, Jr.

Seventh grade (A): Byron Bennett, Louise Ohlenbusch, W. F. James.

Seventh grade (B): Iris Riden, Ruth Ann Hall, Opal Martin, Billie Marie Rowland.

Seventh grade perfect attendance: W. F. James, Opal Martin, Byron Bennett, Louis Brians, Donald Saunders.

Eighth grade (A): Lula May Roberts, Katha Lee Harrell, Zoia Bollinger.

Eighth grade (B): Doris Narrell, Eldon Mahon.

Eighth grade perfect attendance: D. W. Gregston, Geneva Nelson, Orman Duke, Eldon Mahon, Katha Lee Harrell, Voyd Beights.

Ninth grade (A): Helen Bennett, Lella June Harrell.

Ninth grade (B): Inez Brians, Joyce Furlow, Margaret Ruth Edwards, Ray Preston, Winnadel Rowland, Buttie Richie, Loyce Beaty, Emma Louise Zellner, Annie Mae Smith, Pauline Faulkenberry.

Ninth grade perfect attendance: Bertha Faye Wilkerson, Loyd Beaty, George Mahoney, Douglas Taylor, Paul Gregston, Loyce Beaty, Pauline Faulkenberry, Emma Louise Zellner, Wyona Hardin.

Tenth grade (A): Milton Hallmark, Faye Johnson, La Verne Nelson.

Tenth grade perfect attendance: Thomas Horton, Opal Armstrong, Alma Richie.

Eleventh grade (A): Jo Palmer, Ruby Martin, Princess Martin.

Eleventh grade (B): Chiptene Riden, Bud Furlow.

Eleventh grade perfect attendance: Ruby Martin, Jo Palmer, Princess Martin.

Mrs. Mary Hampton of Abilene is spending the week with her niece Mrs. G. A. Hutchins.

ROSCOE NEWS

Mrs. Mary Etta McVain Dies
Funeral services were held Thursday evening at 4 o'clock at the Baptist Church, Mrs. Etta McVain who died Wednesday after a prolonged illness. Funeral services were conducted by the Reverends G.W. Parks and G. W. Butler.

Mrs. McVain is survived by her husband Frank McVain and six children. Dee McVain of Fort Worth, Mrs. Gladys Warnken and Mrs. Ila Warnken of Inadale and Lila, John and Marshall of Roscoe three children preceded their mother in death. She is also survived by her mother one sister and two brothers. She was 49 years of age at the time of her death and had been a christian since 1907.

More Money For Schools In Nolan County

Following complete survey of the 17 county rural schools, made last week by John Olsen State rural supervisor and Joe A. Stewart County superintendent, a final grant of \$11,145 was made by the state. As a result of the inspection a gain of \$1,350 over the office grant was given the rural schools by the state department for the year.

Roscoe State Bank Is Granted Class A Rating

A 10 per cent increase in deposits and not a single withdrawal was reported Thursday by officials of the Roscoe State Bank which reopened Tuesday after the bank holidays.

Granted a Class A rating the highest given and with no restrictions placed on withdrawals, the bank met every test of a sound institution examiners said.

Roscoe Declaimers Named

Students who will represent Roscoe at Sweetwater next week in declamation will be junior girls, Pauline Calhoun, junior boy Wallace Risinger, Senior boys, Melvis Mathis. The Senior girl has not been chosen yet, Sid Gracey Mary Bratcher, Mary Brown and Edith Pirtle are the senior girl declaimers.

Plow Boys Win 3 Places In Meet

One first and two third places were captured by plowboys in the tournament sponsored by Snyder High School. Leland Killian brought home the only first place with a heave of 41 feet 9 inches in the shot put. Joe Potter annexed third place in the high jump Jack Graham placed third in the 440 yard dash. Lubbock, San Angelo and Midland were also entered.

Wastella H. D. Club

Wastella H. D. Club met in the home of Wallace Kirkman Friday afternoon with four members present. Three new members were admitted to the club after business meeting a program on quilts was rendered. They adjourned to meet with Mrs. John Wilkins the second Friday in April.

Champion H. D. Club

Champion H. D. club met in the home of Mrs. Thorpe March



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8th, with 18 present. The club chose the ship quilt pattern for their club quilt. The club will meet with Mrs. Charlie Hamilton March 22.

North Roscoe H. D. Club
The North Roscoe club met in the home of Mrs. Fannie Johnson March 14, with 8 members and 1 visitor present. They voted on piecing their club quilt. The agent gave an interesting talk on "restful sleep". The adjourned to meet March 28th in the home of Mrs. Lonie Jones.

Methodist Church
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Young people's meeting 6:20 p. m.
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.; subject, Peculiar People. Evening worship 7:15 p. m.; subject, Headed for the Rocks.

Baptist Church
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.; subject, The Harvest Season. B. T. S. 7:00 p. m. Evening service 8:00 p. m.; subject, God's Grace.

Church of Christ
Bible School 10:00 a. m. Lord's Supper 10:45 a. m. Ladies' Bible class Thursday 2:30 p. m. Preaching every first Sunday 11 a. m.

Baptist Church To Have Revival Meeting
A ten-day meeting to be conducted by the pastor, Rev. T. A. Patterson, is to be started by the Baptist Church March 26. It has been announced.

Locals
Miss Frances Watkins is visiting her parents here this week. Marion Duncan left Tuesday morning to attend the Stock Show at Fort Worth.
Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Westbrook and Miss Ola Westbrook attended the singing convention at Snyder last Sunday. Miss Westbrook is

secretary of the convention.

Mrs. D. C. Barton, who has been at Haskell with her father who has been seriously ill, returned home last week.

Mrs. Joe Long Sneed and children of San Angelo and Miss Winona Adams are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Adams.

Miss Lula Parker of Tucson, Arizona, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parker.

Mrs. Tom Jenkins and daughters Margaret and Katherine, Mr. Vincent and Mrs. H. C. Caudle and daughter Leota Jones of Sweetwater, spent last week end in Brownwood.

Austin, Texas, March 7. Mitchell county taxpayers will save more than \$250,000 on their outstanding road bonds through the refunding act of the legislature last year, according to preliminary figures just compiled by the state highway department.

Gasoline tax revenues are providing the money for this saving beginning this year. The law sets aside one cent of the four-cent gas tax, or more than \$7,000,000 a year. Each month's portion of this income is to be divided in the proper ratio and paid against the maturities of each county for that month.

The ratio is to be set by the new Board of County and District Road Indebtedness. Gibb Gilchrist, its chairman, said that while payments already have been begun, the amounts thus far are too scattered to bear any real significances.

The highway department's records show that Mitchell county has contributed \$280,748 to the construction of designated state highways and bridges since the department was established in 1917. Judge A. F. King has given state officials an estimate which covers a long period, totalling \$349,000. The amount finally approved will be somewhere between the two.

The total expenditures of this type by all the counties of the state, since 1917, total \$90,345,267, according to highway department records. Estimates of county officials are still larger but highway officials believe the ultimate total will be about \$110,000,000. On the basis now set by the legislature, from 12 to 15 years would be required to pay it from the gasoline tax.

The Texas Good Roads Association, which secured these figures from the department, pointed out that in addition to the one cent of the tax which goes to county bonds, another cent to the state school fund, leaving but two cents of the tax for its primary purpose—the construction and maintenance of roads.

"Surely the motorists of Texas," the association's statement said, "are entitled to the remaining one-half of this special tax for highway and highways alone, unmolested by any further diversions. It will provide barely enough money to carry on the highway program on a much-reduced scale."

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LOCALS

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Harrell left Monday for Roaring Springs, Texas, to spend a few days with Rev. and Mrs. T. M. McBrayer.

Miss Pauline Harrell, who is attending school at McMurry College, spent the week end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruce and Mrs. J. G. Bruce left last Friday for Comanche County, where they will visit relatives for a few days.

J. A. Martin moved Ben Smith and family from Lubbock last week. He was accompanied on the trip by Roy Lee Young.

Mrs. W. H. Howell underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Colorado Sanitarium Sunday evening at 6:30. At the last report she was resting very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith have moved back to Lorraine from Lubbock.

G. A. Hutchins received a letter a few days ago from Dr. and Mrs. Hester which stated that the doctor is regaining his health rapidly and they are having a fine time. They are making their home at the Grande Courts in Corpus Christi, while away.

Mrs. B. E. Trott is reported on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Porter of Midland spent the week-end in the Thomas J. Riden home.

Stanton Hutchins, who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Manly spent the week end at Iraan with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Callan.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson left Sunday for Temple, where Mrs. Wilson will take an examination in the clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wilson and O. M. Wilson were the guests of Fred Wilson and family Sunday and enjoyed a good dinner.

Aunt Jo Si. has returned home after a short visit with her niece.

J. A. Bennett of Greenville, Texas, is spending a few days here with his son Clyde Bennett.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Callahan had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Anderson of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jacobs and daughters Lola Faye and Lora Mae, and son Euel, of Roscoe, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King and sons. The occasion was the celebration of Mr. Callahan's birthday.

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LANDERS HAPPENINGS

School is progressing nicely. The children have finished their fourth month exams.

A new play ground ball has been received and the children have been enjoying it the past week.

The Sunday School at Landers Church of Christ was one hundred per cent in attendance last Sunday, and a good lesson was carried through on the subject "The effect of alcoholic drinks."

Mrs. Minnie Barrett and son Jack and Miss Hazel Carpenter visited Mrs. Barrett's mother in Colorado this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Carpenter and daughter Nelma Gay visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Adrian Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Duffer visited in the home of his brother Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Duffer in the Payne Community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Merket and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Duffer visited the teacherage Thursday night.

Gladys Merket, while playing ball Thursday, happened to a painful accident by spraining one of her fingers.

Mrs. Sadie Bell of Sweetwater visited her daughter Mrs. Alvin Duffer for a short while Friday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Merket spent Saturday with her aunt Mrs. E. M. Moneyhun.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Looney of Colorado visited in the home of J. A. Merket Sunday afternoon.

Gerius Cooper spent Saturday night with Less Duffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Simmons visited Mrs. J. I. Duffer Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Cooper and Mrs. J. T. Duffer spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Will Lowrie.

Donald Adrian spent Sunday night with Estes Finley.

BAUMAN NOTES

The P. T. A. met in their regular meeting Friday afternoon at 3:30. We had a good number present. A short but interesting program was rendered by the school pupils. After the program a short business session was held.

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The Gleaners S. S. class met with Mrs. Ernest Meadows Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. John Mahon and Mrs. Jim Manly assistant hostesses. After a short business session a few games were played and refreshments were served to twenty-three ladies.

The attendance at Sunday school was good last Sunday. Let everyone be on time next Sunday. Preaching service at 11 o'clock. Sunday school promptly at 10 o'clock.

The Ladies' class of Bethel Church met at the home of Mrs. Dee McCollum last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Claude Willis assistant hostess. After a business session the class enjoyed a social meeting. Refreshments of cakes and lemonade were served.

Mrs. J. C. Lee visited in the home of her sister at Buford last Thursday. She also visited an aunt at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Willis and sons Wendell and Billy Joe were visiting in Abilene over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lee visited in the W. E. Wimberley home at Landers Sunday.

Rufus Hall visited in the home of Buford Hall of Lorraine over the week end.

Ross Hale and sons Leroy and Tom, of Dunn visited his brother Charlie Hale Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lee and family visited in the Jim Lee home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiggins visited in the D. F. Butler home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Henderson and children visited in the home of his father, N. L. Henderson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brookshire and children visited in the Jim Gambel home at Landers Sunday.

We are sorry to report Mr. G. W. Foy on the sick list this week.

Francis Rhodes visited in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Black Sunday.

We are glad to report Miss Joy Smith able to be back in school after a weeks illness.

Coming to Bauman soon, "The Red Headed Step Child", sponsored by the P. T. A. Watch this letter every week. You might miss something.

BROWNLEE NOTES

The farmers are taking advantage of the good weather these days. Many are still plowing while others are already through.

John Zetzman and family, A. Zinke and family, Mrs. M. Hant-

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sche and son and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Zinke and daughter visited in the Arthur Rannefeld home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Althof and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bauman and children of Lorraine visited in the C. H. Hackfeld home Friday night.

Kathryne Coper spent Sunday with Nora Mae Linney.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marth spent the week end visiting relatives in Midland.

H. R. Zinke and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Zinke returned home last Friday from South Texas.

Edwin, and Ervin Bredemeyer spent Sunday with the Brun boys. The county track meet has been postponed until next week on account of measles.

Mrs. K. J. Althof and children attended the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth last week end. Reporter

CHINA GROVE NEWS

Mrs. W. A. White Happy Salley, comedy drama in four acts, was staged at the school house Friday night. Each character being well suited for his place furnished plenty of laughter for a large audience.

Special music between acts by Dorothy Swan, Bill and Vernie Jariston and Mrs. Floyd Merket.

Mrs. Swan, Mrs. Natha Gillis, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Nail, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Witt, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White attended the four-county singing convention at Snyder Sunday.

Mrs. F. C. Hairston visited her uncle, Tom Allen, in Snyder Sunday afternoon.

Grandmother Bullock of Abilene, who has been visiting her son Sam Bullock, left Saturday for Post, where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sorrells of Westbrook visited their aunt Mrs. Natha Gillis, Sunday afternoon.

We are sorry to learn that Pete Adams of Seven Wells, who formerly lived here, is still very

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sick with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Allen spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Maner of Littlefield spent Friday night with their sister Mrs. Jim Merket. They were enroute to Gorman, where Mrs. Maner is going for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevenson of Snyder visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Anice Nail or Dunn spent the week-end with Miss Dorothy Swan.

Miss Vernice Hairston served as substitute teacher Tuesday while Bro. Lawrence Trott attended Workers Conference at Lorraine.

Surprise Birthday Dinner For Grandma Lefevre March 19. Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pruitt, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kerby, Mrs. R. R. Dodgion and grandson Bobby Denis, Mrs. Ernest Smith and sons Kerby and Jack of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lefevre, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hart and sons James and Merl of Valley View, gathered at the home of Mrs. P. C. Witt Sunday with well filled baskets where they celebrated their mother's 80th birthday. Five children, five grandchildren and five great grandchildren were present.

Mrs. Ernest Robertson, who underwent an operation at the Sweetwater Hospital, is back home.

A number from here attended the play at Valley View Friday night.

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