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WELLINGTON HONORS ALL-STAR GRIDMEN

Photo by Cooper Studio

Members of the two district all-star football teams were honored guests at the annual banquet Wednesday night, January 22, when these pictures were taken. At top left, Coach Dutch Meyer of T. C. U., Fort Worth, is shown as he delivered the principal address of the evening. At right are the 22 members of the all-star teams, including Gerald Copeland, Tim Hatch, Jerry Bollen, Kenneth Winter, Donald Briggs, Bobby Close, Dan Whitsel, Taylor Douglas, Jiggs Mann, Louis Martin, Bill Ogden, Bill Hickey, Bill Mounce, Sidney Harp, Sam Raburn, Harold Sims, Larry McQueen, Jimmie McIlreath, I. D. Russell, Eural Ramsey, Walter Johnson and Robert Fulton. At lower left is the high school girls sextette, composed of Helen Holder, Peggy Riggs, Lennie Coleman, Rosemary Strong, Sue Anderson and Tommy Ann Campbell. Lura Bess Finley, who was announced as football queen, is seated. Bob Clark of Shamrock is at her left. Miss Finley is shown in the picture at lower right receiving her bouquet from Jackie McPherson. Other contestants for the place of football queen are, from left to right, June Ann Robertson, Louise Alexander and Doris Copeland.

Samnorwood Host to 25 Teams At Tourney This Week End

Four Arrested in Connection with School Burglary

Arrest of four persons, two men and two women, believed to have been implicated in the burglarizing of the Wellington High School and the Shamrock School was announced this week by Sheriff Ozro Bartlett. The four gave their names as William David Russell, Buford David Griffin, Leoma Terry Sanders and Loeveta Russell.

The group was arrested by highway patrolmen between Panhandle and Amarillo, after their descriptions had been broadcast from Austin. Three are being held in jail at Cordell, Okla., and the fourth is in the Panhandle jail.

Sheriff Bartlett said that the four were seen in Wellington driving a 1941 Buick on the evening before the robbery at the high school, January 7. Money totaling $142 belonging to the junior and senior classes was taken. It is believed by school officials and officers that those responsible for the robbery entered the building during a basketball game on the night of January 7, remained in the building after the game, ransacked the offices of Supt. Logan Cummings and Principal Gordon Mills, then left through a window between the gymnasium and the junior high wing.

The four were also seen at Shamrock, where the school was burglarized on the same night.



APPOINTED

Judge Luther Gribble of Wellington was recently appointed Presiding Judge of the 9th Administrative Judicial District, including 43 counties. He will continue in his present capacity as judge of the 100th Judicial District. The appointment was made by Gov. Coke Stevenson just before he left office.

Around 325 Boys And Girls Will Play in Games

Three hundred boys and girls, athletes from 25 schools of the eastern Panhandle, will take part in the annual Samnorwood Basketball Tournament which opens Thursday, January 30, at noon, Coach Guy Briscoe said this week. The finals of the event will be played Saturday night, February 1.

"This is the largest basketball tournament held at Samnorwood in recent years and one of the largest in the history of the school, Mr. Briscoe declared. "It will be one of the largest in this area for the season," he predicted.

Playing will get under way at noon Thursday, with the Samnorwood B boys team meeting Lelia Lake. One of the Thursday night tilts will be the Samnorwood Eagles vs. the Wellington Skyrockets, and from the local view point, this will be one of the most exciting games of the entire tournament.

Silver loving cups will be awarded the first, second and third place winners in both the boys and girls divisions. Two other cups will go to the team from each division displaying the best performance. Gold basketballs will be awarded members of the all-star teams, to be chosen at the close of the tournament.

Sherman Blevins of Altus, Okla., and Mr. Briscoe will act as officials.

People of the Samnorwood community will keep members of the Pampa and Lefors teams during the tournament. Other teams will drive to and from Samnorwood during the time.

Sessions will be held Thursday afternoon, Thursday night, Friday morning, Friday afternoon, Friday night, Saturday morning and Saturday night. There will be no Saturday afternoon session, since this would cause the two contenders for top place to play twice within approximately five hours, and that is too hard on the players, Coach Briscoe explained.

Boys teams competing will include: Shamrock, Kelton, Wheeler, Samnorwood A team, Samnorwood B team, Wellington A team, Wellington B team, Quail, Lefors, Pampa, Lakeview, McLean, Clarendon and Lelia Lake.

Girls teams are Kelton, Wheeler, Quail, Samnorwood A team, Samnorwood B team, Mobeetie, Shamrock, Clarendon and McLean.

Rev. D. M. Duke to Hold Youth Revival At Nazarene Church

Rev. Denzil M. Duke, who was reared here, will return to conduct a week end revival at the Wellington Church of the Nazarene, as a part of the observance of International Youth Week.

The revival will open Wednesday night, January 29, and continue through Sunday night, February 2, Rev. Austin Moore, pastor, said.

Rev. Duke is pastor of the Plainview Church of the Nazarene and is president of the young people's organization for this district. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Duke, who now live in Amarillo, and a grandson of Mrs. R. W. Duke of Wellington. His wife, who will probably accompany him here, is the granddaughter of Mrs. Golightly of Wellington.

"This revival is especially for the young people of the church and Wellington as a whole. Rev. Duke will preach sermons that will interest and inspire our young men and women, and it is the hope of the church that all young people of the town will attend the services," Rev. Moore said.

Services will begin at 7:30 each evening.

Quail Lions Name New Officers

Charter members of the Quail Lions Club met for their organization meeting and to elect officers Monday night, January 27.

Officers elected were Noah Cunningham, president; Z. J. Neeley, first vice-president; B. F. Farmer, second vice-president; Warren Carter, third vice-president; Ralph Bradley, secretary-treasurer; Lewis Morris, tail twister; and Chester White, Lion tamer.

Sam J. Bennett of Austin, representing the Lions International, and N. W. Durham, district deputy, were present to install the officers and start the work of the club.

Members are Mr. Cunningham, E. C. Blevins, F. E. Kennedy, Pat O'Hair, B. F. Farmer, G. W.

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Early Resident Dies In South Dakota

Richard Edward Harris, who lived in this county as a youth and young man, died at LaPlant, South Dakota, January 21, it was learned here last week. He was the only brother of the late Mrs. R. H. Royal.

Mr. Harris was born in Denton County in 1878. His parents died while he was small and he was reared by the late Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cocke Sr. He came with them to this county in 1890. He left here more than 30 years ago, going first to Amarillo, and to South Dakota. He last visited here in 1925.

He is survived by three daughters, all living in South Dakota. His wife preceded him in death a number of years ago.

Extensive Premium List for Youth Project Show Is Announced Here

L. M. Hargraves, Vocational Education Department, Texas Tech, will judge the Collingsworth County FFA and 4-H Club Livestock Show to be held in Wellington Saturday, February 22, beginning at 10 o'clock. All the FFA and 4-H Club boys, FHA and 4-H Club girls in the county are eligible to enter their projects and compete for the prizes offered. All entries should be sent to Walker P. Todd, show superintendent, by February 15, so that adequate arrangements can be made to take care of the entries. Miss Nell Davis, homemaking teacher in the Wellington schools and Miss Joy Riley, Home Demonstrator for Collingsworth County will be in charge of the girls division. The exact location for the show has not been determined yet. The premium list and rules and regulations will be as follows:

All animals to be entered by 10 AM Saturday morning, Feb. 22, and remain until premiums are paid. The show management will not be responsible for any accident or loss during the show. The animals must be the boys project to be eligible for prize money. All animals must be fitted and shown by the owner unless other arrangements are made with the show superintendent.

After the placings are made, there will be an auction sale of all animals that are for sale. They will be offered as they placed. The owner will have the right to accept or reject the bid made. If sold by the pound the animals will be weighed after the show and no shrink allowed.

Ribbons will be given at the time the animals are placed, but premium money will not be given until after all animals in the show are judged. Mr. Ben Hurst will pay the money.

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February Is Time to Begin Beautification Program

February is the month to plant crape myrtle, the flowering shrub chosen by Collingsworth County to use in the county-wide beautification program, Mrs. J. M. Strong, chairman, reminded this week.

The county beautification program is one unit of a program that it state-wide in scope. Originating as the Texas Roadside Development Program, sponsored by the Texas Highway Department, the planting of shrubs and trees is designed as a living memorial to the men who served in the Second World War.

"Our living memorial planting program is unique and limitless in both possibilities and results. The chief thing is for each citizen to plant in his yard, regardless of whether he lives in the country or in town, at least one crape myrtle. In this way every citizen may take part in the project instead of spotted development undertaken here and there," Mrs. Strong declared.

Particularly active in the work in this county are the women's Home Demonstration Clubs, who have ordered already a large number of crape myrtle plants and will see that they are set out.

Tied in with the beautification program will be a city-wide clean-up week and the designation of a planting day for the crape myrtle, Mrs. Strong said. The date has been set tentatively for February 17 through 22.

"With a little effort setting out

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Meeting Called to Map Youth Center Program Monday

A meeting of the boys and girls belonging to the Youth Center, their parents, and all other interested in the Youth Center work, has been called for Monday evening, February 3, at 7:30 p. m.

Purpose of the meeting is to map out a program for the coming months, and to create additional interest in the center and the work it is doing, Cameron Beam, chairman of the Youth Center committee, said.

The meeting will be held at the Youth Center in the community building.

Quail Baptists Plan Revival

Rev. W. D. Baker of the Rural Extension Department of the State and Home Mission Board of the Baptist Church will lead the Quail church in a 3-day meeting beginning January 31 and closing Sunday evening, February 2.

The purpose of this meeting is to make a survey of the Quail district with the general idea of

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Clarendon Team Wins FFA Judging Contest

The Clarendon FFA poultry judging team took top place in the Greenbelt District Poultry Judging Contest held in Wellington Saturday, January 25. The team had a total of 720 points.

The Lakeview team was second with 712 points; Wellington third with 706 points; Estelline, fourth with 698 points; Samnorwood, fifth with 695 points; Memphis sixth with 659 points; Quail seventh with 510 points; and Turkey, eighth with 469 points.

L. McBrayer of Samnorwood was high point man for the contest, with 257 out of a possible 300 points. Other high boys were J. C. Nelson, Wellington, 256.5 points; Clyde Cason, Wellington, 246.5; B. Myers, Lakeview, 243; J. Hartwell, Estelline, 243; D. Sargent, Memphis, 237.5; Douglas Coleman, Samnorwood, 235; Tom Murphy, Clarendon, 234; Joe Bill Bartlett, Wellington, 231; Dudley Coleman, Samnorwood, 231. Other Wellington FFA boys who participated were Gene Todd and Boone Eads.

Each team was composed of three boys each and one or more alternates and each boy judged thirty birds giving the correct breed and variety, whether to keep or cull, and reasons for culling. J. D. Strickland, former professor of poultry at Texas Tech, and John Mitchell, Vocational Agriculture Teacher at Ralls, picked and arranged the birds for the contest. L. M. Hargraves, Vocational Education Department, Texas Tech, also attended the contest and held a meeting of the advisers while the boys were in the contest. He gave the rules and regulations of the Pampa Livestock Judging contest in which the Greenbelt District will compete February 24. Advisers attending were. John Gillham, Clar-

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Boarmans Move to Altus, Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Boarman moved Thursday, January 23, to Altus, Okla., where they will make their future home. They had lived here 24 years, all of it spent on their farm two and one-half miles north of Wellington.

They sold their farm several months ago to their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Swinburn of Abernathy. Mr. Swinburn's brother, Keith Swinburn, and Mrs. Swinburn, have moved to the farm and will make their home there. He was recently released from the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Boarman have developed one of the finest orchards in this part of the Panhandle, and they have gained a wide reputation particularly for their peach varieties.

They have also served as a member of the county school board and have taken part in Red Cross and U. S. O. work.

They have owned land near Altus for a number of years.

Hendricks Brothers Die in Plane Crash

A. C. Hendricks, 68, and his brother, George Hendricks, 70, of Flying H Ranch, New Mexico, were killed Thursday, January 23, when their plane crashed approximately 15 minutes after it had taken off at the ranch.

George Hendricks lived at Wellington a number of years ago

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42 Party to Aid March of Dimes

Dimes from Collingsworth Countians are steadily finding their way into the jars located in business firms around town for the benefit of the nation-wide Infantile Paralysis Fund, which is supported by the voluntary gifts of an interested public.

One special event is scheduled here in connection with the drive.

A 42 party will be given by the Sunday School class of Judge Luther Gribble in the basement of the Methodist Church Thursday evening, January 30, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Bess Owens is in charge, and the public is cordially invited to attend. Those present are requested to bring tables and dominoes. Refreshments will be served following the games.

All proceeds will go into the Infantile Paralysis fund.

L. E. Gribble New Presiding Judge of 9th District

Judge Luther E. Gribble of Wellington recently was appointed by Governor Coke R. Stevenson as presiding judge of the 9th Administrative Judicial District. The appointment was announced only a few days before Gov. Stevenson went out of office.

Judge Gribble fills this place in addition to his present work as judge of the 100th judicial district.

As administrative judge, he will have charge of 43 counties in the Panhandle and West Texas. From time to time when vacancies occur in courts of the district, due to the presiding judge's illness, his being disqualified to hear a case, or absent from the bench, Judge Gribble will appoint another judge from the district to fill that place.

Regarded as one of the outstanding judicial figures of the area, Judge Gribble is highly qualified to fill his new office.

Dodson Road Bed Nearly Finished

Approximately 90 per cent of the roadbed on the Wellington-Dodson farm-to-market road is up, Clyde Drake, resident engineer for the Highway Department said Wednesday morning. Work on culverts is also under way.

Steel for a bridge, which has been promised but which has not yet arrived, is holding up further work, Mr. Drake said.

Jones-Watkins Clinic Opens Here Feb. 1

Plans are completed for the opening of the Jones-Watkins Clinic in Wellington Saturday, February 1, doctors associated with the clinic announced this week.

Doctors on the clinic staff are Dr. E. W. Jones, who has served this county as a physician for more than 30 years, longer by far than any other now practicing here; Dr. C. B. Jones, who was reared here and who returned about 10 years ago; Dr. E. K. Jones, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones, who is opening his office here after service in the Army Medical Corps and advanced study; and Dr. D. V. Watkins, who was also born and reared here and who is the son of Mrs. Fred Watkins. He also served in the Army Medical Corps. He returned here November 1 to open his office.

Plans have been under way many months for the opening of the clinic. A building was moved to site of the office occupied by Drs. Jones and Jones for approximately 9 years, and an additional room added to connect the two buildings.

This more than doubles the floor space of the original office, and provided the entrance, business office, an additional waiting room and the offices of Dr. E. K. Jones and Dr. C. B. Jones, as well as a room for new equipment. Dr. E. W. Jones and Dr. Dale Watkins will have their offices in the old building, which also contains the main waiting room, the laboratory, and examination rooms.

Several pieces of major medical equipment is here or on order.

Already here is a basal metabolism machine, while an electrocardograf, used in the treatment of patients with heart ailments, and an X-ray machine are expected shortly after February 1. An additional room will be added to the clinic to house the X-ray machine.

The doctors also announced the addition of Miss Margaret Shields to the staff of the clinic as receptionist. Miss Shields, who retired from the office of county clerk on January 1, will begin her duties February 1. Other staff

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Four Injured in Car Accident

Four Wellington young people received injuries in varying degrees Tuesday night, January 28, in a car accident which occurred four miles south of Wellington on Highway 83. They were Miss Virginia Evans, Miss Enoice Evans, Evnyl Wallace and Jimmie Bowen.

The accident occurred as they were returning from the March of Dimes dance in Childress.

The car, which apparently overturned, was demolished, B. F. Evans, father of the two girls, said.

The four were brought to St. Joseph's Hospital for treatment. Wallace, who received an injured shoulder, was released from the hospital Wednesday morning.

The extent of the injuries to the other three had not been determined when The Leader went to press.

Third of Oxygen Tent Fund Raised

Approximately one-third of the George Richards Memorial Fund for the purchase of an oxygen tent for St. Joseph's Hospital has been contributed. The fund total now stands at $193, and approximately $600 will be required to buy the oxygen tent.

Not only are contributions being made by local people, but former residents are also responding. A letter from Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wood of Riverbank, Calif., read:

"Enclosed you will find a check for $6.00. Three dollars is to renew our subscription for The Leader and will you please put the other $3.00 in the G. A. Richards Memorial Fund for the oxygen tent. We are former residents who moved to California in 1936. We still have lots of friends and rela-

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OUTDOOR Notes

By Joe Austell Small

FOR HE WHO KICKS

Audley C. Hawkins, of Lincoln, Illinois, was so disgusted when he reeled in a pair of old trousers that he gave the pants a scornful kick. He got a stab in the foot. A ten-inch catfish was inside the pants!

CATFISH BAIT

If you're worried about the live bait situation, but are still catfish hungry, bend your good ear again the wind and listen::

Mix 1 cup flour 1 cup corn meal and 10 tablespoonful of thick molasses. Mix into stiff dough and roll into bait balls. Drop into boiling water. Boil ten minutes. Remove and drop into cold water. This is a sweet-tooth catfish bait and stays on the hook. Your skillet will smell good if you give this bait a good try.

RIVER BOTTOM CORN

A deep South farmer who lived on a river bottom had considerable trouble last summer. His cows repeatedly came up dry. A neighbor suggested that they might be wading in the water to keep cool and the fish were robbing the milk.

So the farmer attached fish hooks to each teat of the cows' udder and waited. Next night the cows failed to show up. Worried, the farmer went to the river. There they stood, belly deep in the water. The farmer waded out to start them in.

Then he found the trouble. Each cow had hooked four big catfish; as far as walking was concerned, the bovine nimrods had exceeded their bag limit. Please laugh. . .

PEEPING TOM

He saw her swimming in the brook
A moment swift and fleeting,
And from the shock of that brief look
His heart almost stopped beating.
He worked his way around the trees
To where the view was clear,
And then on trembling hands and knees
He edged a little nearer.
He'd never seen such perfect lines
As she was there displaying
Beneath the spreading, towering pines
In languid splendor playing.
Her twists and turns were full of grace,
Her body smoothly moulded,
And, Oh! What joy was on his face
As each new charm unfolded.
And when she floated with the stream
The sight was so entrancing.
Her wond'rous body seemed to gleam
From sunbeams softly glancing
He yearned for her with heart and soul
And then he fell to wishing.
For he had neither hook nor pole—
And trout are caught by fishing!

RING

By MRS. A. V. MOTE

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen and family and Frances Anne Mote visited in Pampa Sunday.

Bill Casey spent the week end here with the A. V. Mote family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Gilley and children spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Mote and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. O'Hair visited in the W. H. Allen home last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Dobbins and Robert have moved back to the Ocie Black farm. We are proud to have them back with us again. The Dobbinses have lived near Dallas for the past year, having Robert under the care of the doctors there.

Cora Mae Mote spent Monday night with Betty Jo Hook.

Ruth Allen spent Sunday night in the Mote home.

Mr. and Mrs. Red DeBord and children spent last Tuesday in the home of his parents near Hedley.

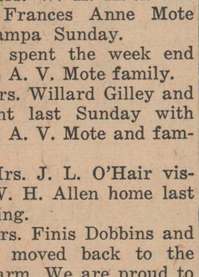
Mrs. A. V. Mote and A. V. spent Monday in the home of Finis Dobbins.

A. M. Hook of Seagraves visited in the home of his sons, A. G., L. V., and O. T. and families last week.

Mrs. W. H. Allen visited in the J. L. O'Hair home last Monday.

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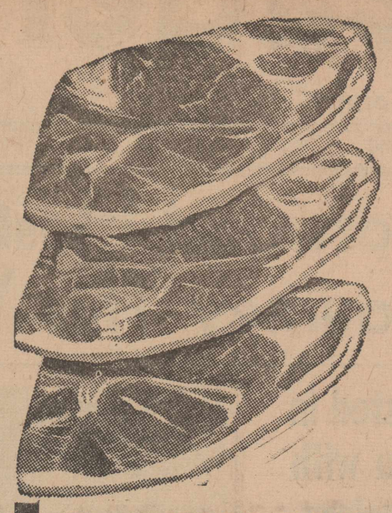
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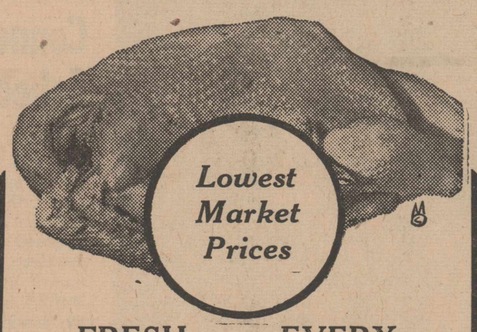


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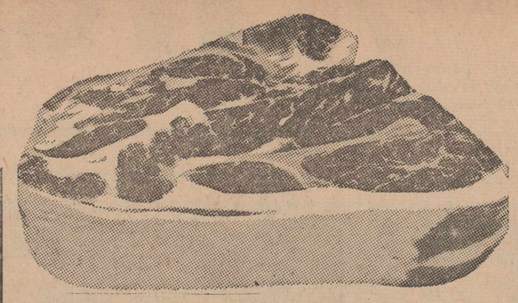
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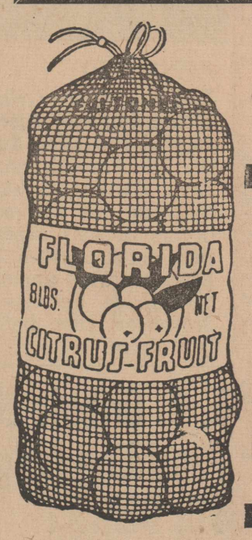
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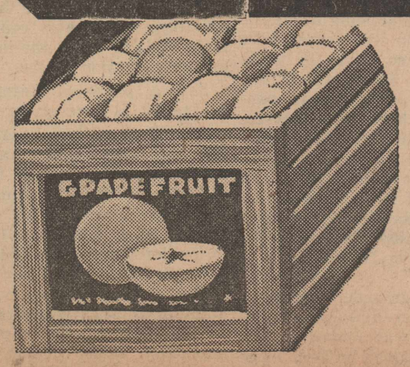
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Swing of The Farm Markets

Dullness and lower prices featured the farm market last week, as reported by the Production and Marketing Administration, USDA. Hogs furnished the only bright spot, registering net advances during the period.

Butcher hogs were up 25 cents to a dollar, and sows gained 50 cents to $1.25. Stockers and feeders were steady to $1.00 higher. Good and choice medium weight butchers brought $23.50 to $23.75 at Fort Worth. Closing top at Oklahoma City was $24.00, and Friday's packer top was $24.35 at Denver. The week's top was $22.50 at San Antonio.

Cattle showed definite weakness, as most classes lost from 25 to 50 cents during the period, and some cows were down $1.00 to $1.50. Medium cows sold for $11.50 to $13.00 at San Antonio. Common and medium kinds brought $10.25 to $12.75 at Houston; $10.50 to $12.50 at Wichita, and $11.50 to $13 at Denver. Medium and good beef steers turned at $15 to $22 at Fort Worth and $16 to $20 at Oklahoma City.

Slaughter lambs were as much as $1.00 lower than a week earlier, while ewes were steady to 25 cents off. Medium to choice fat lambs brought $17 to $19 at San Antonio. Good and choice kinds realized $21.50 to $22 at Fort Worth and $20.75 to $21.25 at Denver. Common goats sold for $6.50 per hundred at San Antonio, and kids $4.00 per head.

Trading in the wool market was spotty and less active as compared to the previous week. Movement of Texas wools was limited, and revalued 1943-1944 territory wools were about sold. Limited stocks of mohair found fairly active demand.

More liberal receipts of poultry found dull trading last week, and egg markets weakened. Current receipt of eggs sold for around 35 to 41 cents per dozen. Broilers began to arrive in plentiful supply and demand was only fair at 30 cents per pound in Dallas. Fryers also sold at 30 cents in Dallas and 28 to 33 cents in Fort Worth. Heavy hens brought 22 to 24 cents in Fort Worth and 23 to 25 in Dallas.

Fruits and vegetables at shipping point markets ended the week mostly in slow demand. Cabbage, carrots and spinach were lower than a week earlier, and weakness appeared in beets, broccoli and sweet potatoes. Grapefruit was a little easier, including pink varieties which had recently advanced.

Demand was light for southwestern shelled peanuts, and the market was weaker.

Wheat and oats declined sharply last week and other grains were weak to lower. Rice markets were steady. Good seed of high germination was reported scarce in some sections. Plentiful supplies of feed found slow demand. Wheat millfeeds registered the only advance, while cottonseed meal and gluten feed were lower. Other feeds were generally steady to weak.

Cotton registered a net decline of $1.50 to $2.05 per bale for the week. Friday's closing price on middling 15-16 inch was $30.60 at Dallas; $30.76 at Galveston; $30.65 at Houston; and $30.70 at New Orleans.

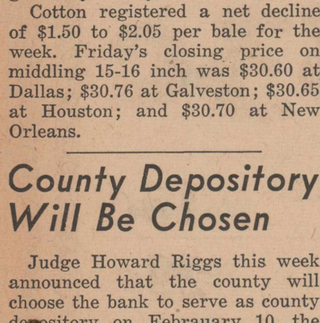
County Depository Will Be Chosen

Judge Howard Riggs this week announced that the county will choose the bank to serve as county depository on Febrauary 10, the first regular meeting day of the Commissioners Court next month.

Proposals are now being accepted and any banking corporation or individual in the county desiring to bid shall deliver to the county before February 10 a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest offered on time deposits made by the county and the interest rates for loans to the county.

Judge Riggs pointed out that it is a state law that the commissioners Court of each county at the February term following the general election must receive such proposals from any bank or banker desiring to be selected as the depository for county funds.

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PEDALING PUBLICITY

An enterprising Rome advertising firm has modernized the "sandwich man"—put him on a bicycle. The ad publicizes the movie "Gaslight," with Charles Boyer and Ingrid Bergman.

Buck Creek Philosopher

Jan. 30---And There Is Still Tax Trouble Out at Buck Creek

Editor's note: The Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Buck Creek is having a little trouble with his income tax. He can worry about it himself.

Dear editar:

I have always supported the government, one way or another, and have never hesitated to take whatever payment the government wanted to give me as there ain't no sense in bein one-sided in your support, but I have been workin on my income tax report the past two weeks and am about ready to tell the government to come and get me.

At the first of last year I started out to keep a accurate set of figures on my farmin operations, and for two weeks entered everything, includin 65 cents for repairs to a hame string and 15 cents I got for 4 eggs, but then it seems like the job got away from me and all I got left in my books is a lot of blank pages and none of my other records is now available. I remember distinctly writin down on the wall just to the left of the door to the barn the cost of a sack of mule feed I bought the week I was gonna break my land and figured my mule needed strengthening for the job, but somebody has rubbed his muddy hand exactly over that spot and I can't tell heads nor tails of what's there. Also, I customarily kept my chicken feed costs written on the inside of the door to the hen house, but the wind last March blew the door off the hinges and it fell over in the mud and I never did get around to picking it up. A busy farmer ain't got time to be hanging up his hen house door every day in the year, and if the income tax investigator wants to try to figure out what's written on that door he's welcome to try. Also, I had some valuable figures on costs and sales of some eggs and hens and a Jersey calf and 11 bales of Johnson grass hay and a few other items the government wants to know about writen on some scraps of tablet paper which I had in my overalls pocket which I had been shifting from overalls to overalls when I'd change clothes but a few weeks ago I forgot to and the things went through the wash, which didn't make much difference no way as the notes was about worn to shreds anyway.

I don't believe I owe the government nothin this year anyway due to the fact I don't recall eatin more this year than any other or wearin better clothes and I'm just as broke as I was at any other time; don't make no difference what the economists say about there bein a inflationary boom on, but I ain't got no figures to prove it and would like to know what you suggest I do.

I understand the O'Daniel News has suspended publication. Does this mean I'll have to rely on your paper alone?

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Penguins can catch and swallow fish under water.

An ear of corn has an even number of rows of kernels.

HERE'S WHY MOST MOTHERS DO THIS

When Children Catch Cold

Warming, soothing relief from distress of colds starts in a hurry when you rub on Vicks VapoRub at bedtime. Because VapoRub penetrates to upper bronchial tubes with its special medicinal vapors . . . and stimulates skin surfaces like a warming poultice. Then it works for hours to bring relief *while the child sleeps!* Try it tonight!



AT BEDTIME rub throat, chest and back with Vicks VapoRub. Its relief-bringing action starts *instantly* to relieve distress . . .

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NOTICE!

If the person seen rolling up our Tarpaulin Friday night, January 24, will return same and throw over the fence on the scales by February 3, no questions will be asked.

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It's June in January at our Produce Department—a veritable winter wonderland of a summertime variety of the finest, freshest fruits and vegetables. Yes—we rush the season to you . . . speed the pick of the crops from sunny southern farms to your table. You'll like their true-to-nature flavor . . . their palate-pleasing goodness. Make your selections daily because every day brings fresh arrivals to our market.

Fresh California — 3 Bunches—
Carrots 10c

Firm Crisp — Per Head—
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SWEET POTATOES Lb. 6¢

POTATOES Colorado Red, 100 lbs. $1.89

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PASTEURIZED — Quart—
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AA Fancy BEEF — Lb.—
Roast 33c

Lb.—
Bologna 29c

MAYFLOWER — Lb.—
OLEO 37c

SUGAR 5 LB. BAG— 43c

LARD IN BULK, Bring Your Pail. LB.— 19c

ORANGE JUICE No. 2 Can— 8c

BABY FOOD Heinz, per dozen 89¢

WHITE SYRUP Large Bucket, each 79¢

TOILET TISSUE 2 for 15¢

CATSUP 14-oz. bottle 20¢

SPRY 3-lb can $1.23

SARDINES Can 12½¢

Bright & Early — 1 Lb.—
COFFEE 29c

BAB-O Can 9c

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Society

Climona Epps Has Party on Eighth Birthday

Mrs. Clinton Epps honored her daughter Clinona with a party on her eighth birthday recently.

During the afternoon the children played games and pictures were taken.

Favors of valentine candies were given to each guest.

Those attending were: Glenda Epps, Elizabeth Ann Hurst, Sandra Faulkner, Betty Belew, Gloria Ann Collins, Sherry Ann Somerville, Shirley Agee, Cecila Elbert, Sharon Elbert, Frances Sue Crouch, Ann and Nell Gholson and Mrs. Travis Somerville, Mrs. D. J. Collins and the honoree and the hostess.

Former Resident, Dorothy Allison Graduates From Compton College

Dorothy Allison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allison, formerly of Wellington, is among the mide-term graduates at Compton Junior College, Compton, California.

Miss Allison attended school in Wellington for six years and then at Clovis and Roswell, New Mexico before going to Compton.

Compton Junior College recently played Kilgore, Texas Junior College in the Little Rose Bowl game in Pasadena. Dorothy attended the game and being a native Texan it was a little hard for her to know which to yell for, Kilgore or Compton.

She plans to continue the next two years in Compton College and from there go to U. C. L. A.

Cordell Coffee Is Honored With Party Near Dallas Recently

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Rainey of Farmers Branch near Dallas, honored their nephew, Cordell Coffee with a birthday party, Saturday night January 18.

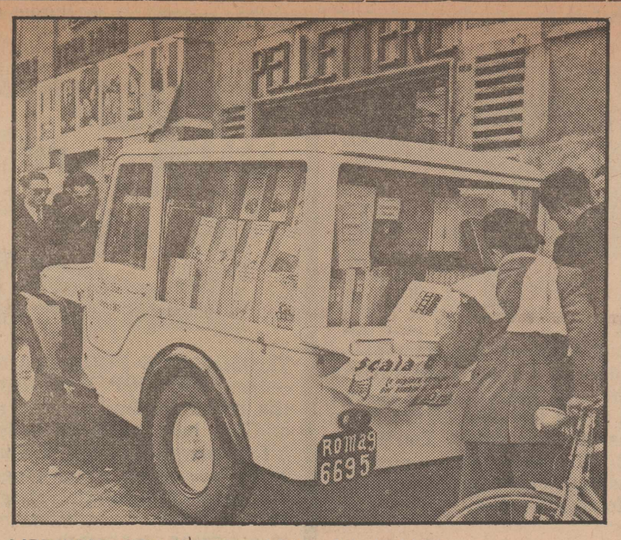
After the honoree opened his gifts the group sang "Happy Birthday". The remainder of the evening was spent playing games and singing.

Cake and hot chocolate or coffee were served to: Joyce and Earl Alkfinger, Florence Cabiness, Joe Hodge, C. M. and Gerold Gregg, Della Mae Coffee, Tommy and Michael Rainey, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Witherspoon, honoree, Cordell Coffee and hosts, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Rainey.

Hygiene authorities advise us not to moisten our fingers when counting our money. We're not worried. No germ could live on our salary.

Three of America's most popular characters were unborn: Uncle Sam, Santa Claus and Charley McCarthy.

One-half an inch square is smaller than one-half a square inch.



LIBRARY COMES TO YOU IN ITALY

Italians in Rome examine books in a mobile library, a jeep remodeled for a Turin publishing company to revive its traveling bookshop, discontinued in the war. The job cost 500,000 lire ($2000).

PLYMOUTH

By MRS. C. W. FRITTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childers and small son, moved this week from the A. J. Wischkaemper Jr. farm they purchased near the Lillie Gin. The place is known as the Levi Harlson farm.

Bill Shields and family moved from the Harlson farm to the Wischkaemper farm vacated by the Childer's family.

Miss Frankie Stepp of Borger visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Young and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young and Gene, and other relatives several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morris and children of Salt Fork visited in the H. S. Morrow home Sunday.

Maylon Young and family moved Tuesday from the Brashear farm north of Aberdeen to the Gollihugh farm near Lillie Gin. Mr. Young is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Young of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morrow moved Friday from Castleberry farm to west of Salt Fork to the Fike farm they recently bought. The Morrow's have lived in the community 11 years. We regret to see this family and other families moving from the community, but we welcome the new families.

Willis Minatrea and family are moving to the M. L. Gambrell farm at Loco.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Young and small daughter and son of Borger, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young and brother, Gene and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Young Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fritts visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jarrell and the W. T. Hamey family north of Twitty Sunday.

Billy Joe Whitfield was in Lubbock Thursday. He will enter Tech College next week.

Eugene Smith and family moved last week from the Henry Daffron farm to Wheeler County.

George DeBord and family moved to the farm vacated by the Smith's and the Loyd Gathright family moved from the Theo Parker farm to Mrs. Carol Jefferies farm vacated by Mr. DeBord.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Morrow and small daughter, Dona, and his father, Clarence Morrow left Sautrday night for Alba, Texas, to be at the bedside of an uncle who is seriously ill.

Samnorwood Man Has Resided in County Fifty-Five Years

C. W. Bradley of Samnorwood, in to renew his subscription to The Wellington Leader late last week, remarked that he has been a resident of Collingsworth County for 55 years. In point of residence, this makes him one of the county's true pioneers.

Mr. Bradley said that he came here with his parents when he was six years old and that he is now 61 years of age.

Quail Lions -

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Patchell, R. E. Bradley, J. I. Morgan, Warren Carter, Obie White, D. B. Vaughn, C. L. White, J. F. Bishop, H. J. Wischkaemper, J. F. Coleman, Bert Weaver, Osa Black, C. B. DePauw, Z. J. Neeley, W. M. Risinger, Leroy Robinson, G. K. Patterson, Fred Cagle, O. E. Dodson, Lonnie Neeley, T. C. Crabtree, G. T. Stephens, A. E. Robinson, O. M. Hall, W. C. Starr, Tom Wilson, E. G. Allen, Clarence Blevins, Henry Anglin, Lewis Morris and Lee Minyard.

Hedley Lions present were W. C. Johnson, Jerald Sims, Otis Owens, Charles Rains, Floyd Mathis, L. M. Harris, and Ed Boliver.

Memphis Lions attending were: Herschel Combs, Roy L. Coleman, Rayford Harris, Earl Hill, Judge M. O. Goodpasture, Ben Wilson, and N. W .Durham, and Sam J. Bennett of Austin.



Mr. and Mrs. John W. Lindsey are the parents of a son, Oliver Vernon, born at the Matador Hospital January 26. He weighed five pounds and three ounces. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Lindsey of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Nall of Quitaque.

On January 22 a son, Gary Garnett, was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Gill, in St. Joseph's Hospital. He weghed seven pounds and 12 ounces. Mrs. Gill is the former Irene Ball.

A girl, Rebecca Jean, was born January 23 to Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Davis. She weighed six pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oldham are the parents of a son, Monnie Wayne, weight eight pounds and five ounces. Born January 24 in St. Joseph's Hospital. The Oldhams live on Route 3, Shamrock.

A girl, Janice Suzanne, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Barney Glenn in St. Joseph's Hospital on January 24. She weighed eight pounds and ten ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Strong are the parents of a girl, Javana, born January 27 in St. Joseph's Hospital. She weighed seven pounds and fourteen ounces.

Good Attendance at Lutie Church Services

Rev. W. E. Brown, pastor of the Lutie Baptist Church, reported a good attendance at all services Sunday, January 26.

The regular fourth Sunday singing was held.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend the church services.

For Results, use the Want Ads.

BEST WISHES

TO THE

Jones-Watkins Clinic

On the opening of their Clinic in Wellington Feb. 1

We are glad to note another forward step in serving the health and welfare of the people of this community, and we extend our best wishes to the entire membership of the Jones-Watkins Clinic upon the formation of such an institution in Wellington.

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For Friday and Saturday

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We Have 12 Dozen Pairs of NYLONS at ---------- **$1.95**

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Regular $4.25, at ---------- **$3.79**

Also PAINTERS' OVERALLS
at ---------- **$3.29**

ALL WOOL SPORT COATS
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Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

Rumors are rife that I. D. Russell will go not to Texas Tech or A & M but to Southern Methodist University. I have never been a Mustang fan; but I guess I will be forced to buy some SMU tickets a few years hence.

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Clinton Anderson said in Dallas this week that the government warehouse program has not imposed a terrific burden on the tax payer. He grinned as he added this information. Since 1933, after all charges have been made, we're down to $175,000,000 profit on the program.

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Most farmers feel that some sort of acreage control and price support program is essential in the coming years. If the Republicans do not think so also, they had better not get their hopes too high over 1948 prospects.

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The other day Rep. Knutson, Republican, announced that he was opposed to the present U. S. freer world trade program. Senators Vandenburg and Taft, who are much wiser men in my opinion, do not go along with him. They think we should get more of our national income from foreign trade than we did in the twenties. This country must maintain a world economic policy to go along with its diplomatic policy.

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Clean-up Week in Wellington has been set tentatively for February 17 to 22. Friday, Feb. 21, will be planting day in the town and everyone is urged to set our crape myrtle as a living memorial to the men and women who served in the Armed Forces in World War II. Perhaps you dealers had better get some advertising in the paper next week; for the crape myrtle should be ordered well before planting day.

Note to printers: I don't care how the cloth is spelled—the plant is spelled with an A.

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Hearty best wishes to the doctors who have taken one more forward step in safeguarding the health of the people of this community. One or two people have asked me if this clinic means that you must take a certain doctor for a certain ailment. No, you can have any doctor you want for whatever you think may ail you; but it generally works out better to let the doctor work on those cases in which he has specialized. For instance I wouldn't go to a foot specialist if my eyes were bothering me.

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It has been suggested that the salaries of congressmen be raised to $25,000 per year with a lifetime pension beginning at 55 of $1,000 a year for each year of service up to 10 years. If this becomes a reality it would seem that a lot of school teachers should investigate the possibility of running for the office.

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R. L. Templeton says that he won't be a candidate for representative in 1948; but you can't tell about that. After a man has had a taste of public office, some sort of a bug bites him and he gets to wanting to stay.

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I can make a speech to a thousand people without undue nervousness; but I remain a poor conversationalist although greatly improved over my younger days. There were reasons. First I was timid and the second is that we were a family of readers. After supper each night my mother and father picked up something to read and all the children did likewise. Once in a while we mentioned something we were reading; but there was not much conversation unless we had company. Mamma has brought in many a bucket of coal after growing disgusted listening to me promise that I would get it just as soon as I finished these last few pages.

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But I was taught to read sitting in a chair, for it was considered better for the eyes. Imagine my thoughts now as I watch my daughter read. Her favorite position is down on the floor on her elbows and knees. In this position she works algebra problems or reads literature with the music box playing boogie-woogie and the radio carrying the latest horror story or soap opera. How she has continued to make a straight A from the first grade up to the present is beyond me; but in spite of this she can carry on a pretty fair conversation if she is in the mood. Frankly, I don't understand the younger generation.

Night clubs nowadays reminds us of the gay nineties. The women are gay, and the men are around ninety.

The dresses women wear to teas sure do.

SWEARINGEN

By MRS. DOC TURNER

A good number came to singing Sunday night. We have singing at the Swearingen school house every Sunday night, every one is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Broyles have moved from this community. We regret very much to have them go. They have lived in this community for 18 years and are missed by every one as a good neighbor and friend.

Rev. and Mrs. Elvis Pitts have moved to the Boyles farm.

Mrs. LaRock who has been ill for several weeks is some better since her stay in the hospital.

Miss Roberta Turner spent the week end with her cousins Jean and Jaquetta Turner.

The folks of the community met at the school house last Friday night for a farewell party for the Boyles family. The parents played 42.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown visited in the Hill Wells home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Turner and children were Sunday visitors in the Tom Harwell home in the Lillie community.

Sammie Wells spent Sunday with Buddie Turner.

February Is Time -

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the crape myrtle, and a little more care while it is small, will give Collingsworth County within a few seasons, beauty along its highways and in its yards that will be a pleasure to ourselves and to those who travel through here. It will, in addition, be one unit in the living memorial to our men who fought for us," the chairman declared.

Clarendon Team -

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endon; T. H. Seay, Lakeview; Walker P. Todd, Wellington; G. C. Turner, Estelline; Lee B. Carter, Samnorwood; Weldon McCreary, Memphis; Frank Kennedy, Quail; and G. R. Colvin, Turkey.

The Wellington FFA Chapter arranged for the contest. Harold Scott was time keeper, Clifton Bradford and Edward Hajek acted as section leaders. Several other boys assisted Mr. Todd in obtaining birds for the contest. Guy Clay furnished the building and W. M. Hurd gave twenty picture show passes to teams and high individuals in the contest.

For Results, use the Want Ads.

Personal

Visiting in the Noble Murray home Saturday through Tuesday were Mr. Murray's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray of Seaside, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Ham and children spent the week end in Borger visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Melton and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brisbin.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Holland who has been here visiting his mother Mrs. Sadie Holland returned home to La Grand, Calif., Tuesday. His sister Mrs. Cecil Hogg will return with them for an indefinite length of time.

Mrs. J. F. Cox and Miss Anita Savage spent the week end in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heaton.

John Coffee is in Dallas this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Witherspoon, Della Mae Coffee and Cordell Coffee.

Mrs. J. M. Wattam and Iris Gulley Prestidge visited in Shamrock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. and Mrs. Cicero Gulley, Mrs. Olga Gulley and granddaughter Cinda Kay Prestidge spent Sunday in Altus with John Gulley and family.

Miss Beth Self of Santa Rosa, N. M., visited from Tuesday until Thursday of last week with Mrs. Bill James and other friends here. Miss Self formerly lived in Wellington.

Mrs. Mandy Little and son Harvey from Mt. Vernon are here visiting her daughter Mrs. Lola Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller and son Michael, of Clovis, N. M., were here over the week end visiting parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Miller.

Stuart Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jones, is home from Texas Tech this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hardin and daughters, Lohonda, Joyce and Merle Lynn, left Sunday for their home in Albuquerque, N. M., after visiting for 10 days here and at Hollis, Oklahoma.

Christian Lindley of Vernon son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee E. Lindley, underwent a tonsilectomy in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Guests of Mrs. R. S. Montague during the week end were Miss Beth Croft of Stephenville, and Junior Montague, a student in John Tarleton College, Stephenville.

E. C. Scott is now able to be out again after a fall he received three weeks ago when working at LeDerer Hardware.

Mrs. J. A. Buckingham of Twitty underwent minor surgery in St. Joseph's Hospithal on January 23.

Mrs. John Allen of Lelia Lake underwent surgery in St. Joseph's Hospital on January 27.

Mrs. Ben Boston of Vernon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Pinkston is receiving medical treatment in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hendricks of Fairfax, Okla., stopped in Wellington for a few hours Monday night to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ball, and with Mrs. R. S. Montague and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Leach. They were en route home from Roswell, N. M., where they attended the funeral of his father, George Hendricks. The Montague and Hendricks families were next-door neighbors here a number of years ago. This was the first time Mr. Hendricks had been here in about 25 years.

Miss Louise Anderson, who had been here for a week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Anderson, and daughter, Celia Ray, left Tuesday night for New York City. Her trip here and return was made by plane. Miss Anderson is employed at Rockefeller Center.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cook and three children, Billy, Judy Ann and Dan, of Melrose, N. M., were here from Friday until Monday visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cook and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Strong.

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

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PALMOLIVE Regular size bar	2 for 21¢	DREFT or SUPER SUDS Large box	33¢
PUREX BLEACH for	2 Qts. 25¢	MATCHES 6-box carton	19¢
CHERRIES, Red Pitted No. 2 can	39¢	POST TOASTIES 11-ounce box	10¢
SALAD DRESSING Blue Bonnet, pint	27¢	MILK, White Swan Tall cans	2 for 25¢

Tomatoes No. 2 Can— **2 for 29c**

PICKLES Sour or Dill, 24-Oz. Jar, Each— **15c**

CATSUP Colorado Red, 14-Oz. Bottle— **19c**

GREEN BEANS No. 2 Can— **2 for 25c**

Shortening Wilson Advance, 3-Lb. Carton— **98c**

Grapefruit Juice Queen of Sheba, 46-Oz. Can— **19c**

FLOUR Gold Medal, 25-Lb. Bag— **$1.59**

COFFEE Flemings, 1 Lb. Jar— **29c**

COTTONSEED MEAL Per 100 lbs.	$4.15	EGG MASH, Big V Per 100 lbs.	$3.95
MEAL AND HULLS Per 100 lbs.	$2.35	BRAN Per 100 lbs.	$2.35

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Congratulations to the Jones-Watkins Clinic

For a long time this bank has been proud of the local hospital and the medical attention that the people of the Wellington area could receive here at home.

We are pleased to note the addition of two very highly trained young doctors to the medical profession in Wellington, and we congratulate all concerned upon the formation of the clinic—the first, we believe, to be established in a town of our size in this part of Texas.

The First National Bank

Member F. D. I. C.

Fire Safety Rules For Hotel Guests Can Save Lives

The tragicly mounting death toll from hotel fires has brought these ten safety rules for hotel guests from the National Board of Fire Underwriters. The recommendations are based on official engineers' studies of hotel fires. The same rules would apply in any large apartment or office building.

1. Upon arriving at your hotel room, investigate all possible means of emergency exit.
2. Read carefully any instruction to guests posted in the room.
3. Be as careful in a hotel as you would be in your own home. Do not smoke in bed.
4. If you detect smoke or evidence of fire, give imediate information to the management.
5. Close the transom door at once.
6. Take time to plan your exit.
7. Feel the door before you open it. If it does not feel hot, open it slightly. Hold head away, brace door with foot. Put hand across door opening to test for heat of air.
8. If hallway appears safe, use the already planned exit.
9. If hallway is not safe, stop up any openings or cracks by which smoke may enter, using wet towels, sheets, blankets, mattresses, etc.
10. Open window slightly and stay near it. Keep calm, avoid hysteria. Do not jump out. Many lives have been saved by closing doors and transoms, blocking all openings for hot air and gases from hallway, and calmly awaiting rescue.

At home, at the office, or wherever you may be, the National Board of Fire Underwriters urges that before fire strikes know how to notify the fire department; learn the location of the nearest fire alarm box and how to turn in an alarm, and keep the fire department telephone number posted prominently near the phone.

When fire strikes, notify the fire department immediately, get everybody out of the house or building; if you turn in an alarm from a fire alarm box, stay at the box to direct the firemen to the fire; and don't give fire a headstart by trying to fight it yourself. Call first for help from the fire department, then use first aid fire appliances.

Boy Scout Notes

By ANSEL McDOWELL JR.

An increase in attendance was shown Tuesday night when Troop 32 held their weekly meeting. The meeting was opened with the Scout Oath and one of the twelve laws was discussed. The hiking season, which is not very far off, was talked about, and an all day trip was planned. D. E. Reeves, who is in charge of the Troop's Indian Lore program gave a brief talk on the organization of this unit and of their program. The meeting was then closed and a few Scouting games followed.

ROUNDUP

By THELMA W. JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Schoonover and children moved recently to the place of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Jolley of Lutie. We hated to see them move and we wish them success in their new home.

Kenneth E. Johnson of Shamrock spent awhile Tuesday evening with his mother Mrs. Thressa A. Johnson and other relatives and friends in our community.

Our community is sending best regards to Mrs. Irvin and her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Fate Russell of Childress. We hope that they will be out of the hospital soon.

Weldon North of near Samnorwood spent Wednesday night with Robert K. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Simpson moved on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunter in our community. We welcome them to our community and wish them success.

John F. Moody and son John Henry were in Marlow, Okla., to be at Mr. Moody's brother's bedside.

Mrs. Edward Todd and Lewis Green are both ill this week.

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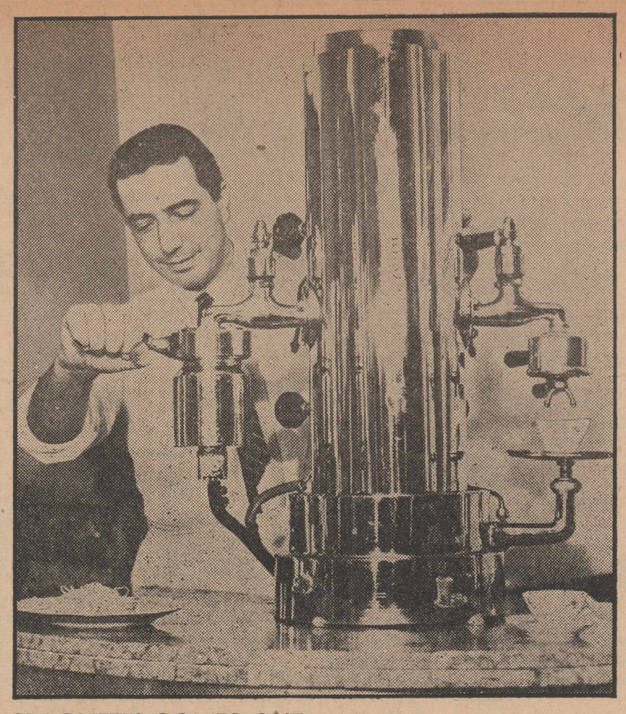
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Enterprising bartenders in Rome have found a way to put idle coffee urns to use—making spaghetti! The container at left cooks about five ounces of spaghetti in less than a minute.

Baptist Churches of North Fork Area Plan April Revivals Simulatneously

Plans are being formulated to conduct simultaneous revival meetings throughout the North Fork Baptist Association from April 6 through April 20, Rev. Oliver Riley, chairman of the publicity committee for the movement, announced this week.

The 114 associations that compose the Baptist General Convention of Texas are to hold simultaneous revival meetings during the summer. The date of April 6 through April 20, for the North Fork Baptist Association, was decided upon at a recent workers conference held at the First Baptist Church in Mobeetie.

Rev. Riley, chosen to publicize the unique plan, is pastor of the Lela Baptist Church. He issues the following statement:

"A spiritual awakening is coming in the hearts of God's people. It is coming for several reasons: because there is a need for one; because many people are praying for one; because God wants to send and will send one when we are ready to receive it; and because we are making plans for one.

"There is evidence on every hand that there is a definite need for a spiritual upheaval in the hearts of the people called Christians. Sin is too manifest in the lives of too many of our church people and indifference is crushing the life out of too many of our churches. There needs to be a revival that will set Christians on fire for God and righteousness.

"Many of our people have recognized the need for such a revival and have covenanted with God to pray daily for it to come until it has come. Throughout the state of Texas there are tens of thousands who have made such a covenant. Prayer changes things.

"God is ready and anxious to send a revival. He told Soloman, 'If My people, which are called by My name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land,' 2 Chron. 7:14. Thus we see that when we are ready to receive a revival, God will send it."

Baptist churches of Collingsworth County are included in the North Fork Association.

A gallon of oil weighs less than a gallon water.

Personal

Mrs. Ed Ward is in Houston this week visiting her daughter Mrs. Bill Leach.

Dan Austin and Jack Boverie enrolled in Texas Tech in Lubbock Tuesday.

Billy Hatch and Tim Hatch visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gribble in Lubbock Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatch returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Fisher are in Dallas visiting her brother who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson of Power, Montana, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gosnell of Quail. They plan to be here until the first of February.

Wayne Thurman, who recently left here to be employed in Enid, Okla., was here Sunday visiting his wife and son. They will join him in Enid in about two weeks.

Mrs. Vince Thompson of Fort Worth was here visiting her father, Bob Goodnight this week. Mrs. Goodnight is now in Fort Worth under medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Templeton and son, Pat Neff of Austin were here last week on business and visiting their parents Mrs. R. H. Templeton and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tennison. Mr. Templeton is the Representative for the 122nd Legislative District.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cherry of Big Springs visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. French Self, this week.

Mrs. J. R. Atkinson of Gardenia, Calif., is visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. French Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Boice of Borger are visiting with their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. B. DePauw and Mr. and Mrs. Boice of Quail.

Charles Little visited in Wichita Falls last week.

Mrs. R. G. Angslin of Santa Monica, Cailf., is here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Homer Willoughby. She is the former Ruth Willoughby.

Students from WTSC in Canyon here for the week end were Charles Hester, Noel Cudd Jr. and Don Leach.

Miss Elizabeth Gillentine of Amarillo was here Sunday visiting her father, R. L. Gillentine and friends.

Reed B. Scott of Childress visited his brother E. C. Scott, Sunday.

Mrs. L. M. Bartlett and Mrs. C. M. Aaron were in Childress on business Saturday.



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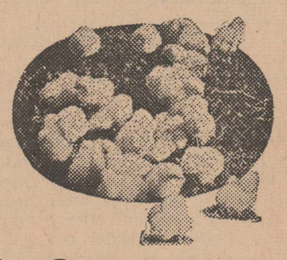
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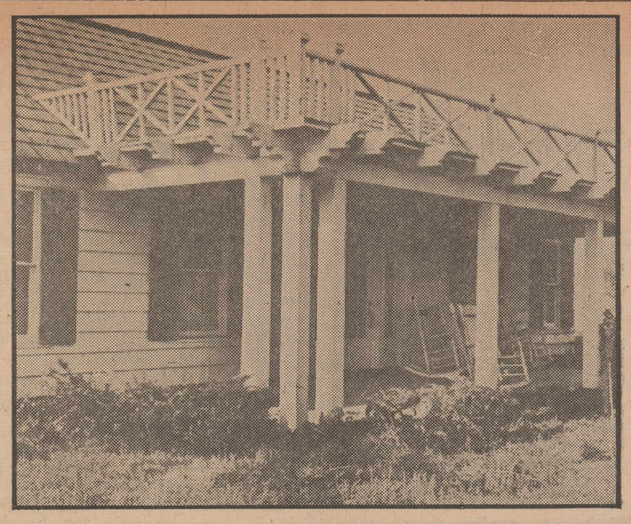
Lt. R. W. Bingham, who formerly taught at Samnorwood, received recently an award from the Navy covering a battle engagement that took place three years ago in the South Pacific. The award read:

"On 3 September 1946, the Secretary of the Navy awarded Cruiser Division 12 of the Navy Unit Commendation for outstanding heroism displayed by the crews of the vessels forming Cruiser Division in action against enemy Japanese combatant ships off Empress Augusta Bay, the night of November 1 and 2, and the hostile air attack of the morning of November 2, 1943.

"By virtue of your service in one of the vessels forming Cruiser Division 12 (Cleveland, Columbia, Montpelier, Denver) during the period mentioned, you are hereby authorized to wear as part of your Navy uniform a Navy Unit Commendation ribbon, one of which is transmitted herewith."

The battle above mentioned took place on Bingham's 24th birthday and at that time he wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bingham of Clarendon, saying that his watch was broken in a big birthday party, but the battle was not mentioned at that time.

At present he is a student in the University of Texas. He received his discharge from the Navy about a year ago after serving three and one-half years with that branch of service.



BILBO'S HOUSE THAT MIKE BUILT

This is "Drean House No. 2" which Mike Morrissey, Vicksburg, Miss., contractor, testified before the Senate War Investigating Subcommittee that he built on an island in a lake for Senator Theodore G. Bilbo, Mississippi Democrat who is under fire for allegedly accepting gratuities from contractors for helping them get Army airfield building jobs. Morrissey said he built the island, too, and the lake. It's all on Bilbo's big farm near Poplarville, Miss.

Questions on Veterans Aid

Q. Does Veterans Administration pay any part of any guaranteed loan?

A. Yes. Veterans Administration will pay to the lender as a credit on the loan an amount equal to 4 percent of the amount guaranteed. This is a gift and is not to be repaid by the veteran.

Q. Can I use my terminal leave bonds as security for a G. I. loan?

A. No. Terminal leave bonds are non-negotiable and non-transferable. However, they may be used to pay premiums on National Service Life Insurance.

Q. What are the compensation rates payable to World War II veterans for service-connected disabilities?

A. The rates range from $13.80 a month for a 10 percent disability to $138 a month disability. For certain specific disabilities, the rates may be as high as $360 a month.

Q. Where can I get information about my readjustment allowance?

A. For specific information about readjustment allowances and your eligibility for them, you may inquire at a public employment office or at an office of the unemployment compensation agency in the state or territory in which you reside.

Q. I have been working part time and my readjustment allowance has never been over $15 because of my income from other sources. Am I entitled to additional weeks of readjustment?

A. The number of weekly allowance to which you may be entitled is strictly limited. Each time you receive payment of a weekly allowance, regardless of the dollar amount, you use up one of the limited number to which you may be entitled.

Q. Can I pay my National Service Life Insurance premiums at the Veterans Administration contact office?

A. No. Contact offices are not authorized to accept remittances for insurance premiums. Payments must be made to the branch office.

Q. Is a veteran of World War II entitled to emergency ambulance service to a VA hospital or other government hospital in which VA has beds allocated, if the occasion arises?

A. Yes. When a veteran or his representative contacts a field station requesting emergency ambulance service, the chief medical officer or his designate will get all information possible about the case and will grant authority, if warranted.

Q. I was captured by the enemy during World War II and was in a prisoner of war camp for 15 months but my claim for disability has been denied by Veterans Administration. What can I do now that the disability is getting worse?

A. Veterans Administration will give special consideration to disability claims filed by veterans interned in enemy prison camps. You should get in touch with your nearest VA office and have your case reopened.

Q. I am going to school under the G. I. Bill. My eyes didn't bother me while I was in service, but they bother me now when I try to do very much studying. Will VA pay for a reader to read some of my textbook assignments to me?

A. No. Veterans with visual impairment are eligible for reader service only if they are enrolled under the Vocational Rehabilitation Act (Public Law 16).

For Results, use the Want Ads.

Father of County Resident Dies

A number of county people were in Vernon Monday, January 13, to attend the funeral services of T. B. Bourland, the father of Mrs. Travis Clement.

Mr. Bourland died Sunday, January 12, following a long illness. He was 86 years of age and had been a resident of Wilbarger county since 1907. He was a native of Alabama and was reared in Fannin County.

He is survived by a son and four daughters, Mrs. Clement, T. P. Bourland of Vernon, Mrs. Hattie Goldman of Fort Worth, Mrs. Acie Weaver of Littlefield and Mrs. George Tooley of Amherst. Four stepdaughters and a step-son also survive.

Going from here were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kesler, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harwell, Loal King, Bus King, Mrs. W. A. Morrow, J. T. Clement, Earl Newton Clement, E. W. Clement, Travis Guy Clement, T. C. Clement, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clement, Miss Inez Clement and Miss Mable Clement. Mrs. Clement was at her father's bedside when he died.

Hints Given on Rendering Lard

COLLEGE STATION — Since fats are still a big shortage item, homemakers shouldn't pass up the chance to render a supply of lard at home this year, says Miss Gwendolyne Jones, food preservation specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

The biggest problem in making lard at home is how to keep it from becoming rancid, says Miss Jones. The selection of a vessel in which the lard is to be rendered has much to do with rancidity. A large kettle of aluminum, stainless steel or enamel should be used. Scientists have found that copper, zinc and iron containers cause fats to become rancid. Too much heat, air, light and moisture are other causes of rancidity.

Leaf fat makes the best lard, the specialist says, but back fat and trimmings are also good. Fat from the internal organs should be cleaned, chilled and then rendered separately from other fats. These fats sometimes give a darker product with a slightly "off" odor and flavor, which is why they are rendered separately.

If it is necessary to let fat stand several days before making lard, it should be kept cold in a tight container. The sooner it can be rendered the better, says Miss Jones.

Homemakers who want detailed procedures on making lard can call at their county home demonstration agent's office and get a copy of Extension manuscript 686, "Rendering Lard at Home". Or they may write to the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, College Station, Texas, and ask that a copy be sent to them. The publication gives equipment needed for making lard, information on the selection and preparation of fat, and steps in rendering and storing lard.

If and when West Point plays Sing Sing we'll know for sure then whether the pen is mightier than the sword.

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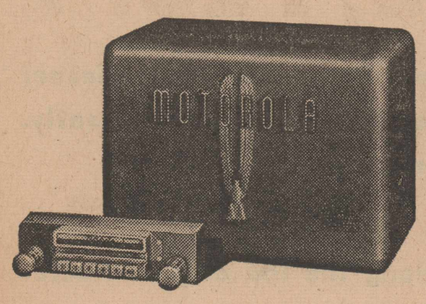


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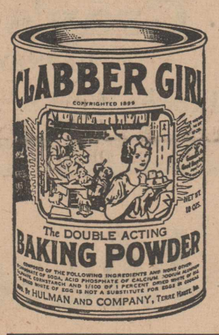
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ORANGE JUICE SUGAR ADDED, 46 ozs. 21c

COFFEE ADMIRATION, Pound— 41c

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VAN CAMPS BEANS No. 2	17¢
MORTON'S SALT Box	7¢
FREDERICK SOAP 35c size	19¢
APRICOTS No. 2 1-2 Can	27¢
FRUIT COCKTAIN No. 2 1-2 Can	39¢
KRAUT No. 2 1-2 Can	15¢
MALT-O-MEAL Pkg.	23¢



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CELERY LARGE, Bu.	19¢
TOMATOES Cello Pack	29¢
GRAPEFRUIT 8 lb. Texas	35¢
SALAD MIX Washed Ready to Eat, 8 oz.	19¢
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GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 46 Oz. Can	23¢
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SLICED HAM Lb.	55¢
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VINEGAR Qt.	9¢
MUSTARD Qt.	10¢
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Premium List -

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The animals will show in the following order and each boy must be ready to go when his class is called.

HOGS

Registered sows: first $5; second $4; third $3; fourth $2; fifth $1; sixth ribbon.

Grade sows: first $4; second $3; third $2; fourth $1; fifth ribbon.

Registered gilts: first $6, second $5, third $4, fourth $3, fifth $2, sixth $1 and seventh ribbon.

Grade gilts: first $6, second $5, third $4, fourth $2, fifth $1, sixth $1, seventh ribbon.

Grand champion female, $2 extra.

Fat hogs, over 150 lbs: first $5, second $4, third $3, fourth $2, fifth $1, and sixth ribbon.

Feeder pigs, under 150 lbs: first $3, second $2, third $1, fourth $1, fifth ribbon.

Registered boar: first $5, second $3, third $1.

Each boy may enter only one hog in each of the above classes.

Fifty cents will be paid for each hog entered that is fitted and groomed for the show and is shown, but does not place.

LAMBS

Lambs: first $6, second $5, third, $4, fourth $3, fifth $2.50, sixth $2, seventh $1.50 and eighth $1.

Best two fed by one boy: first $3; second $2; third $1.

Each boy may show two lambs in this class.

Fifty cents will be paid for each lamb fitted and shown that does not place.

DAIRY CATTLE

Heifers, any breed: first, $6; second, $5; third $4;fourth $3, fifth $2, sixth $1.

Cows, any breed: first $7, second $5, third $4, fourth $3, fifth $2, and sixth $1.

One dollar will be paid for each dairy animal fitted and shown that does not place.

Each boy may show only two animals in this group, which may be two in one class or one in each class.

BEEF CATTLE

Calves will be weighed and divided into two classes.

Heavy: first, $8, second $7, third $6, fourth $5, fifth $4, sixth $3, seventh $2, eighth $1.

Light: first $8, second $7, third $6, fourth $5, fifth $4, sixth $3, seventh $2, and eighth $1.

Grand champion, $2 extra.

Best two fed by one boy. first $3, second $2, third $1.

Best five fed by one club: first $7.50, second $5, third $2.50.

Each boy may show only two calves, in one or both classes. One dollar will be paid for each calf fitted and groomed for show that does not place.

Breeding heifers: first $5, second $3, third $2.

Breeding bulls: first $5, second $3, third $2.

Each boy may show two beef heifers and two beef bulls and will be paid $1.00 for each animal fitted and groomed for show that does not place.

POULTRY

Capons: first $2, second $1, and third 50c.

A showmanship prize of $5 will be awarded some club boy.

Premium list for FHA and 4-H Girls:

4-H Club exhibit: first $10, second $7.50 and third $5.

FHA Chapter exhibit: first $10, second $7, third $4.50.

Individual clothing awards: ages 10 to 14: first $1.50, second $1, third 75c, fourth 50c; ages 14 and over: first $1.50, second $1.00, third 75c and fourth 50c. Projects: first $1.50, second $1.00, third 50c fourth 25c; Class 1: first $1.50, second $1, third 50c, fourth 25c.

Individual food awards, ages 10 to 14: first $1.50, second $1, third 75c, fourth 50c. Ages 14 and over: first $1.50, second $1, third 50c, and fourth 25c.

Adults wishing to exhibit their animals should send their entries to Walker P. Todd, Wellington, by February 15 so that proper arrangements can be made to take care of them.

Third of Oxygen -

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tives there. In fact, I (Mrs. Wood) was Georgia Somerville and was born in Wellington."

Mrs. K. A. Wood of Lubbock wrote:

"Am enclosing a check for $5 to be added to the George Richards fund, as Wellington was my home for 27 years and am glad to donate a small bit to this worthy cause."

Other contributions during the last week were:

Claude Nelson, $5.
R. L. Templeton, $2.
Dr. J. M. Orr, $10.
J. W. Neely, $10.
C. W. Lee, $2.
W. H. Moody, $2.
Pink Sullivan, $10.
Alda Wynn, $2.
Mrs. Stella V. Mattox, $5.
Darvin Nix, $5.
Mrs. Edna Kesler, $10.
Mrs. T. F. Lamb, $5.

Donations may be brought to The Wellington Leader or left with Dr. E. W. Jones at the Jones-Watkins Clinic, or at St. Joseph's Hospital.

For Results, use the Want Ads.

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By MRS. A. V. MOTE

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Dobbins and baby spent Sunday in the J. A. Dobbins home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stout and La Juan of Skellytown spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence DeBord and children were in Hedley Sunday.

Frances Anne Mote spent Saturday night with Delores Hook.

Beatrice and Lillie Sizemore visited in the home of Frances Anne and Cora Mae Mote on Sunday.

Bill Casey visited in the community from Thursday to Monday morning of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Mote had as their guest Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. C. Casey and son of Amarillo.

W. H. Allen transacted business in Memphis and Childress on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Hartman were in Memphis on Monday.

Robert Richards of Quail spent the night in the community Saturday night.

Hendricks Brothers

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and is widely remembered by many who lived here then. Although A. C. Hendricks never lived here, he did live at Memphis and owned the Wellington Telephone Exchange. He was the father of Clement Hendricks, formerly of this city who is a brother-in-law of Miss Katherine Boverie.

After selling the telephone exchange, Mr. Hendricks bought large ranch holdings in New Mexico. Both men lived at Flying H, about 65 miles from Roswell.

The plane was piloted by A. C. Hendricks, who learned to fly a few years ago and obtained his pilot's license in 1942. He was considered a skilled pilot. He also owned the flying school at Roswell, N. M.

He is survived by his widow and two children, Clement Hendricks of Flying H, and Mrs. Cleo Dugger of the Hendricks Ranch near Carizozo, N. M. George Hendricks is survived by his widow, three sons, Gene Hendricks, Burt Hendricks, and Dee Hendricks of near Fairfax, Okla., and a daughter.

Miss Boverie went from here to attend the funeral, which was held Sunday.

They refer to ships as she because they both make their best showing in the wind.

Jones-Watkins -

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members are currently employed in the offices, including George Graham, business manager, Mrs. Ernest Harwell, laboratory technician, and Miss Lois Cooper, office attendant.

Effective February 1, the appointment system will be used in receiving patients at the clinic as far as is possible, and the co-operation of the public is asked in making this system work.

Of the two young doctors joining the clinic, both are graduates of the University of Texas School of Medicine at Galveston, and interned at St. Paul's Hospital in Dallas.

Dr. E. K. Jones served for three years and nine months in the Army Medical Corps with the 56th Evacuation Hospital. Assigned to internal medicine, the field in which he has specialized, he was with the hospital throughout the Italian Campaign. Upon his release from active service a little more than a year ago, went to New Orleans for advanced study in internal medicine at the Ochsner Clinic and the graduate school of Tulane Medical College. He has been qualified by the American Board of Internal Medicine.

Dr. Watkins served with the Army Medical Corps through the campaigns in France and Germany. Upon being released from active service, he returned to St. Paul's Hospital for a year's residency in obstetrics and gynocology. He completed this work last fall and came here to make arrangements for his practice here.

"We feel that in the establishment of the clinic we are able to offer the people of Collingsworth and adjoining counties who our patients, a skilled medical service that would have been impossible heretofore. Most of you we have known for many years and our association has been one of friendship, as well as of doctors and patients. It is with a deep sense of satisfaction that we are able to complete our plans for the Jones-Watkins clinic," the doctors said.

Quail Baptists -

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an extensive expansion program supervised by the Rural Extension Department under the direction of the pastor, Rev. Guy Killian, and Rev. Baker.

Rev. J. C. McKenzie, District 10 missionary, will also be present for this meeting and will help with the program for the week.

"Baptists of the Quail district are invited to attend any or all of the services. The membership is looking forward to some good results as a direct outcome of the meeting. Anyone interested in rural church work should attend these services," Rev. Killian said.

Services will be held at 7:30 each evening, and the regular services will be at 10:00 and 11:00 a. m. Sunday morning.

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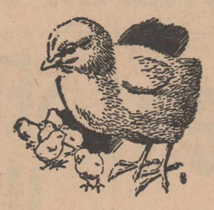
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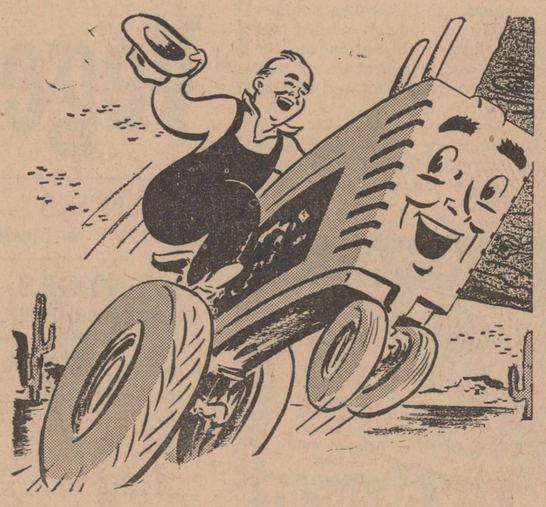
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Society News

Anna Bird Stewart, Noted Author Of Juvenile Books, Gives Talk At School Friday

Miss Anna Bird Stewart, noted authoress of children's books, poetess and lecturer, visited Wellington High School and Junior High on Friday, January 24. Miss Stewart gave a talk to the entire high school group and then conducted work shops for the individual classes in the morning, and then the junior high in the afternoon.

One of America's outstanding writers of juvenile poetry and prose, Miss Stewart is the author of twelve published books. Her latest book "The Young Miss Burney" will appear this fall.

For three years she was associate professor of English at St. Mary's of Notre Dame. She graduated from the University of Cincinnati, with honors; and has taken graduate work in New York, London, Oxford, Paris, and Terigeaux in Paris.

Miss Stewart also has had stage experience with the Jessie Bonstelle Players, reading Shakespearean leads.

Miss Stewart lectured on the importance of reading the good literature, and gave a recitation of some of her poems, and the experiences that have influenced her writing. In the work shop, Miss Stewart told how she prepared her stories before she wrote them, and gave valuable information to the students in preparation of their own themes and compositions.

Minister Shofner Speaks to P. T. A.

Minister Vaughn Shofner, of the Church of Christ, was guest speaker for the January meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association on Thursday, January 23. Minister Shofner spoke on "Youth and the Uncertain World". He stated that some of the causes of the crime among youth was the uncertainty due to the aftermath of war, and that Dallas blames the parents instead of the children because of marital infidelity, drunkenness, and broken homes. Minister Shofner ended with these thoughts, parents should bring their children up in the fear of God, and love of justice, and that the home is the fountain of life and no stream can rise above its fountain.

"What Will Make Us Grow" was the title of a play given by Mrs. Alda Wynn's first grade students.. Children taking part in the play were: Carl Hodges, Raymond Minatrea, Virginia Graves, Harvey Isaacs, Carolyn Gammill, Jimmy Kay Norman, Edgar Holman, Katrina Gray, and Dennis Ray Harris. A poem "January" was given by Gaynelle Leggitt, and "Number 1947" was given by Jim McDowell. The song "January" and "Snow Flake Dance" were the last numbers of the program given by this group.

Mrs. J. W. Thomas, vice president, was in charge of the meeting and at this time a report was made on the investigation of text books. The committee reported that text books had been promised for the last semester. Mrs. Wynn's room was awarded the prize for having the most mothers present.

At the February meeting the topics to be discussed are "First Aid" and "Sudden Death in the Home".

Mrs. Ida Hagerman Attends Reunion at St. John, Kansas

Mrs. Ida Hagerman returned recently to her home at Loco after visiting for five weeks with her two sons, Orville Hagerman and Leonard Hagerman, and their families at Sweetwater, Okla.

During that time Mrs. Hagerman attended a reunion of her family at St. John, Kansas, where she was born and reared. Getting together for the first time in about 20 years were three brothers and two sisters, Charlie Eddingfield of Vera, Sask., Canada; Jasper Eddingfield of Hutchinson, Kansas; Carl Eddingfield of Great Bend, Kansas; Mrs. Mary Gillespie of Altamount, Kansas, and Mrs. Hagerman.

Nazarene W. F. M. S. Meets At Church on Friday January 24

The Nazarene W. F. M. S. met in the Nazarene Church on Friday, January 24 with ten members present.

The meeting was opened with a song and prayer. The lesson was taken from the Missionary paper "The Other Sheep."

The next meeting will be on Friday, February 14 at the church and the lesson will be taken from the study book "Let Us Look at India."

Francile Crouch Has Fourth Birthday on January 27

Mrs. Mike Crouch honored her daughter Francile with a party on her 4th birthday, Monday, January 27. Mrs. Crouch was assisted by Mrs. Cal Sugg, Mrs. Jake Crouch, and Mary Lou Crouch.

During the afternoon games of twiddle winks and put the tail on the donkey were played.

Cake, punch and ice cream were served to: Celia Ray Anderson, Vada Bell, Linda Orr, Winston Cocke, Joan Henry, Linda Brantley, Mike Rapp, Cager Wilkins, John Charles Welch, Mary John Starr, Janet Jones, June Watkins, Joe Cal Crouch, Mary Parsons, Molly Ann Denley, Barbara Denley, John Rogers, John Eikenburg, Madilyn Eikenburg, Channy Jones, Larry Craig, Linda Gale Singley, Elizabeth Ann Hurst, Mary Beth Kelso, Frances Sue Crouch, Cina Faye Crouch, Michael Crouch and the honoree.

Winston Cocke Celebrates Sixth Birthday on Saturday, Jan. 25

Winston Cocke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Cocke celebrated his sixth birthday on Saturday, January 25.

After games were played refreshments of cake and soft drinks were served. Favors were Valentine baskets filled with candy.

Those attending were: Phillip Lee Cobb, Edalaine West, Drue Warrick, Francis Drake, Sharon Swift, Fary Esther Hagler, Celia Ray Anderson, Elinor Drake, Francile Crouch, Mike Crouch, Forest Ray Hunter, Cager Wilkins, John Charles Welch, Mike Rapp, Billy Swift, Gus Drake, and the honoree Winston Cocke.

Mrs. Argie Jones and daughter, Linda, returned home to Erick, Oklahoma, this week after visiting with friends and relatives here.

Jewel Sanders Marries In McLean Recently

Miss Jewel Sanders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sanders of McLean and A. D. Nichols, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Nichols also of McLean, were married on Sunday, January 19 at 9:00 a. m. in the parlor of the First Baptist Church at McLean, with Rev. Lawrence, pastor, officiating.

Miss Tommie Nichols, sister of the groom was the bride's only attendant and Johnnie Mertel, was the best man. Edwin and Howard Sanders, brothers of the bride, were ushers.

Miss Neva Clay played "Star Dust" on the piano before the ceremony and "Always" while Miss Evelyn Burrows lighted the candles. The wedding party entered to the strains of the traditional wedding march.

The bride was attired in a white crepe street-length dress. She carried an orchid on a white Bible with forget-me-nots and white satin streamers.

Miss Nichols wore a gray gaberdine suit with a pink carnation corsage.

The bride's mother wore a gray suit with a pink rose bud corsage and the groom's mother wore a gray pin stripe suit with a pink rose bud corsage.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the groom's home. Miss Naomi Hancock registered the guests. Miss Tommie Nichols and Mrs. Neal McBroom served coffee and cake.

Immediately after the reception the couple left for San Antonio and Old Mexico. After January 25 the couple will be at home in McLean.

Mrs. Nichols is a former resident of this county.

H. D. Council Meets On Saturday, Jan. 25

The regular meeting of the Home Demonstration Council was held in the Commissioners Court Room Saturday afternoon, January 25, with the President, Mrs. Morgan Tucker, acting as chairman.

Roll call was answered by Club Presidents and Council Delegates introducing themselves and telling of the work in the different clubs of the county.

Mrs. Alfred Knoll, Texas Home Demonstration Association Chairman, urged that the clubs study the paper which is published by that organization, and respond to the raising of the 4-H Club fund.

Miss Riley suggested that each club learn at least one hymn, one patriotic song, and one fold song to be used at the regular meetings. She also asked that an effort be made to make every community a healthier, happier, and more prosperous place in which to live.

There was some discussion as to providing a cooperative Home Demonstration Market in the county.

The next meeting of the Council will be on the third Saturday in February since the 4-H Club Project Show will be held on the fourth Saturday of that month.

Reporter Mrs. R. R. Kellison

Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett Is Hostess to Excelsior Club on Thursday

Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett was hostess to the Excelsior Club on Thursday evening, January 23.

Miss Inez Leach was in charge of the program. She gave a very interesting talk on "Fashions and Fabrics."

Other members added to the program by naming the color they wear best.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. Ruth Barton, Loula Daniels, Burnalee Duncan, Frances Jones, Nell Mills, Betty Welch and Misses Mary Alston, Jell Davis, Inez Leach, Loeva Pierce, Effie Lee Richards, and the hostess Mrs. Bartlett.

Yvette Schaded to Play In Senior Recital In Dallas

Mrs. Enis Schaded is in Dallas this week attending the music recital for the senior class at Ursuline Academy.

Her daughter, Miss Yvette Schaded, a student in the Academy, is one of those who is being presented at this recital and she will take a leading role in the musical.

After the activities at the Academy are concluded, Mrs. Schaded will visit with relatives and friends in Tyler before returning to Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Norwood Celebrate Fifty-fifth Anniversary Sunday, January 19

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Norwood of Samnorwood observed their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary Sunday, January 19, at their ranch home near Samnorwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood, prominent pioneers of this section, first established their home in the community which was later named for them in 1898 after leaving Stephenson, Alabama. The Norwood's came to Texas for Mr. Norwood's health.

Mr. Norwood helped to organize the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Shamrock and assisted in the organization of the Shamrock Masonic Lodge.

The pioneer cattle raiser was a partner of the late Judge E. H. Small of Wellington. Mr. Norwood played an active part in the growth and development of this section until his retirement.

Mrs. Norwood numbers her friends by her acquaintances. Her charming personality radiates to those about her. Mrs. Norwood is an ardent church worker and enjoys reading.

The couple moved to Shamrock and then to Clarendon where they put their children in Clarendon Junior College, but in 1918 they moved back to their ranch home.

Members of their family present for the celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jackson and son, Jack of Dallas; Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Jones and children, Janet and Danny of Wellington; Mrs. Jewel Lyle of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs .Frank DuBose, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clay, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Purcell and son, Tom, all of Shamrock.

Eastern Star Has Social January 16

The members of the Order of the Eastern Star met at the Community Hall on the evening of January 16th ostensibly to enjoy a social evening of forty-two, but in reality to honor a very dear member, Mrs. Inez Cummings, who is moving to McLean.

The honoree was kept in the dark as to the true purpose of the party and was thoroughly surprised when she was presented with a beautiful gift of eight pieces of Franciscan Ware in the "Apple Pattern".

Twenty-eight members were present. Those who contributed toward the purchase of the gift were as follows: Mrs. Bessie Slay; Walker and Mary Todd; Clarence and Dorothy Nelson; Mrs. Susie Leach; Mrs. Perdita Daw; Mrs. Vera Holder; Mrs. Hattie Scott; Mrs. Ola Wall; Orval and Marian Couch; Mrs. Lucille Floyd; Mrs. Mae Hix; Miss Loeva Pierce; Bob and Vera Wilder; Levi and Pearl Duncan; Mrs. Maybelle Plank; Martin and Jennie Williams; Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Orr; Mrs. Eva Starr; Mrs. Geneva Jones; Mrs. Mary Jones; Mrs. Zena LeDerer; Mrs. Mayme Somerville; Mrs. Gladys Richards; Mrs. Letha Cunningham; G. E. and Gwenn Craig; Mrs. Loula Daniels; W. M. and Lee Ella Seale; Mrs. Margaret Fuson; Alf and Alda Wynn; and Mrs. Cummings.

Reporter Alda Wynn

Samnorwood H. D. Club Meets with Mrs. Willie Knoll on January 24th

Mrs. Willie Knoll was hostess to the Samnorwood Home Demonstration Club on January 24th. The meeting was opened by singing "My faith Looks up to Thee."

All the members present filled out their yearbooks. After a business meeting we had a round table discussion on Household Pests with Mrs. Willie Knoll in charge.

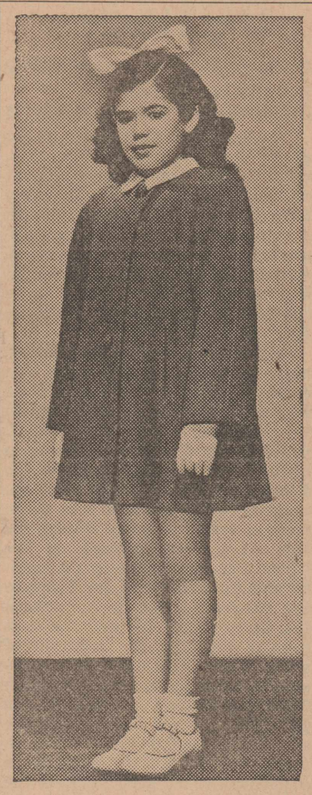
Refreshments were served to: Mmes. Robert Bartex, S. G. Glazer, T. A. Jones, Harry Jones, Alfred Knoll, Orville Cunningham and a visitor Miss Viola Hyman and the hostess Mrs. Willie Knoll.

Allene Raburn Appears On Musicale Given at Denton Recently

Miss Allene Raburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Raburn appeared on the first 1947 Twilight Musicale presented recently at Texas State College for Women.

A soprano, Miss Raburn sang "Come Beloved Atlanta" by Handel, "Landy Moon" by Edward and "Yesterday and Today" by Spross.

Majoring in music education, she is now a senior at TSCW. She is a graduate of Wellington High School.



Steppin' Out

For a special afternoon at the movies with another young friend, Frances Lynn wears a soft green wool coat cut full with a sigh round neckline. In her hair is a white velvet bow, and white gloves complete the winter



Party Pink

A strapless pink chiffon dancing dress is Helen Parrish's choice for winter parties. The dress, is full skirted and has sequin embroidery on the bodice. coat ensemble.

Cinda Kay Prestidge Has Sixth Birthday Friday, Jan. 24

Cinda Kay Prestidge celebrated her sixth birthday Friday, January 24. Mrs. Iris Gulley Prestidge gave a party on that date honoring her daughter.

Pictures of the guests were taken and favors of suckers, balloons and baskets of mints were given each guest.

Refreshments of punch and angel food cake were served to: Anne McCarver, Dickie and Gene Sweat, Linda Herring of Wichita Falls, Brenda Joyce Young, Arlo Hopwood, Anita Savage, Mary Hagler, Peggy Jefferies, Channy Jones, Ralph and Robert Owens, and Mmes. A. O. Sweat, J. T. Young, Dick Sweat and E. M. Gulley.

Those sending gifts were: Kern and Harold Pigg, Mrs. C. C. Prestidge, of Shamrock; Jerry Spear, San Diego, Calif., and the great grandfather of the honoree who celebrated his 72nd birthday in Shamrock.

Fresno H. D. Club Has Meeting in C. A. Kesler Home on Jan. 24

The Fresno Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. C. A. Kesler, Friday, January 24th.

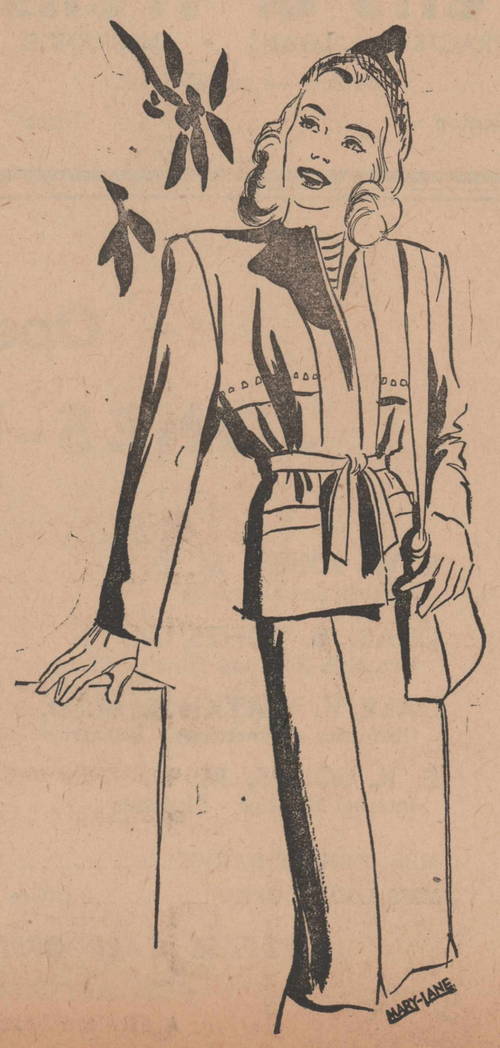
Miss Joy Riley gave a talk on "Diseases Transmitted Through Milk."

Those present were: Mmes. W. A. Morrow, P. E. Lowrie, H. B. Lowrie, E. C. Clement, W. C. Harwell, Clyde Roberts, Elliott Wynn, Charlie Donnell, James Wattam and Misses Inez and Mabel Clement and Joy Riley, and the hostess Mrs. C. C. A. Kesler.

Eastern Star to Have Game Tournament

The members of the Order of the Eastern Star will sponsor a Benefit Game Tournament at the Community Building on Monday February 11, according to the plans of Mrs. Pearl Duncan, Finance Chairman for the local chapter.

More details will be given next week.



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Farm and Ranch Chatter

With Layne Beaty, WBAP, Fort Worth

Here are some facts about foot and mouth disease given by State Veterinarian T. O. Boothe in a recent WBAP broadcast.

There is no foot and mouth disease in the United States now that we know about. It does exist in some places in Mexico and while we might well be alert and on guard against a spread northward, there is no need for hysterical alarm.

The Federal Bureau of Animal Industry and the State Livestock Sanitary Commission are working to examine all cattle and other animals susceptible to the disease which have entered Texas since the embargo was lifted early in October. The border had been closed to livestock since June. It was closed again late in December. The importation of other articles capable of carrying this disease, such as meat hides, forage, etc., is also either prohibited or regulated.

The disease has been reported in the following states of Mexico: Vera Cruz, Tlaxcola, Puebla, Guerrera, Hidalgo, San Luis Potosi, and the Federal District. It was reported first in Vera Cruz on December 26, 1946. Officials say the infection spread from a shipment of bulls from Brazil which were admitted to the mainland of Mexico on September 28, 1946.

The correct name for the disease is "Foot and Mouth Disease", not "hoof and mouth disease", because the soft tissues of the animal's foot, and not the hard tissues of the hoof are affected. The virus is extremely hard to capture, it can travel on uncooked meats, raw milk, on the feet and bills of birds, on contaminated hay, feed bags, hides, garbage,—even clothing. And of course, on animals.

The only safe method of eradication is slaughter of all infected and exposed susceptible animals, burning of the carcasses and thorough disinfection of all contaminated articles, and keeping all susceptible animals off the premises for at least 90 days, and then supervised gradual restocking. There is no known effective cure.

Foot and mouth disease exists in most of the inhabited world. The countries which don't have it include the United States, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Central America, West Indies, Columbia, Venezuela, Scotland, Iceland and the Union of South Africa. Most other countries have foot and mouth disease. The last outbreak in this country occurred in California in 1929.

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All phases of the poultry industry in Texas are invited to a meeting at Texas A. and M. College February 10 to discuss the outlook for poultry. . . The Chamber of Commerce at Kemp, in Kaufman county, headed by veterans, has begun an intensive campaign for diversified farming and improved livestock and poultry production in the area. It plans to sell purebred sires to farmers at cost, after buying in large quantities for reduced prices. . . The Fort Worth and Denver Railroad is sponsoring a series of soil conservation meetings along its route. . . Harold Frazier, Collin county Poland China breeder, will visit herds in Wisconsin and Illinois for a couple of weeks this month.

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By-product feed will be more plentiful this year than last, but still short of minimum requirements, Walter Berger, president of American Feed Manufacturers told Texas feed mixers in Dallas last week. . . A meeting to discuss sweet potato diseases, production and marketing problems will take place in Gilmer, February 19th.

It is pecular how some people stimulate our minds and others paralize it.

Legal Notices

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH

The revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, Article No. 2544, requires the Commissioners Court of each county at the February term thereof next following each general election to receive proposals from any banking corporation, association, or individual banker in such county that may desire to be selected as the depository of the funds of such county.

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker in this county desiring to bid, shall deliver to the County Judge, on or before the 10th day of February, 1947, which is the first day of the term of the Commissioners Court for the February term, at which time the selection of a depository is to be made, a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest offered on the "Time Deposits" made by the county and interest rates for loans to the county, for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository. Said bid shall also be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half of one per cent of the county revenue of the preceding year, (which check will be for $500.00) as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of said bank, and that if said bank is accepted as county depository, that it will enter into the bond hereinafter provided. Upon the failure of the banking corporation, association or individual banker in such county that may be selected as such depository, to give the bond required by law, the amount of such certified check shall go to the county as liquidated damages and the county judge shall readvertise for bids.

Within fifteen days after the selection of such depository, it shall be the duty of the banking corporation, association or individual banker so selected, to qualify as county depository in one or more of the following ways, at the option of the Commissioners Court:

By executing and filing with the Commissioners' Court, a bond or bonds payable to the County Judge and his successors in office, to be approved by both the Commissioners' Court and the Comptroller, either one of the following types of bonds: (1) a bond signed by five sureties, (2) a bond made by a solvent surety company and (3) by making a bond by pledging securities.

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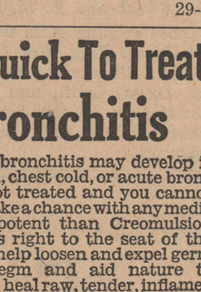
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Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg wields the gavel as President Pro Tempore of the Senate for a two-year term. The Michigan Republican is a 1948 presidential possibility.

Fertilizing Pastures Most Effective When The Soil Is Damp

COLLEGE STATION — In fertilizing pastures, the first aim is to apply the fertilizer where and when it will stay moist the longest.

This is true, say chemists and pasture specialists of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, because plant food must be dissolved in soil moisture before the plant can use it.

Fertilizer left too near the soil surface will dry out, which is likely to leave the phosphorus and potash content of the fertilizer in a dry form that is not available to benefit plants. Nitrates are highly soluble and pass readily into the root zone. Potash is also fairly soluble and usually finds its way into the soil, but liming materials should be mixed into the surface soil because they do not dissolve readily.

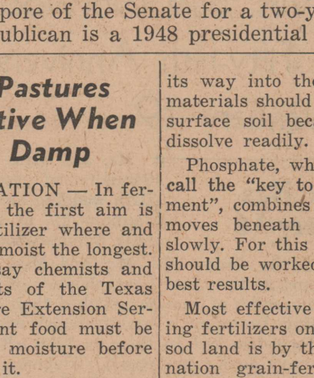
Phosphate, which the specialists call the "key to pasture improvement", combines with the soil and moves beneath the surface very slowly. For this reason, phosphate should be worked into the soil for best results.

Most effective method of applying fertilizers on sandy and loamy sod land is by the use of a combination grain-fertilizer drill. The drill puts the fertilizer in the soil about two inches deep, in narrow bands along the drill rows.

A common method in fertilizing sod land and temporary pastures is broadcasting with a regular fertilizer spreader, and endgate seeder of trailer-type line spreader. When broadcasted, superphosphate needs to be worked into the moist soil by a light disking, chiselling or springtooth harrowing, the specialists say.

The time has come for the kids to inquire "If Santa brings all of those gifts, then who buys all of those things in the stores?"

Little girls love painted dolls; little boys love soldiers; big boys love painted dolls; big girls love soldiers.

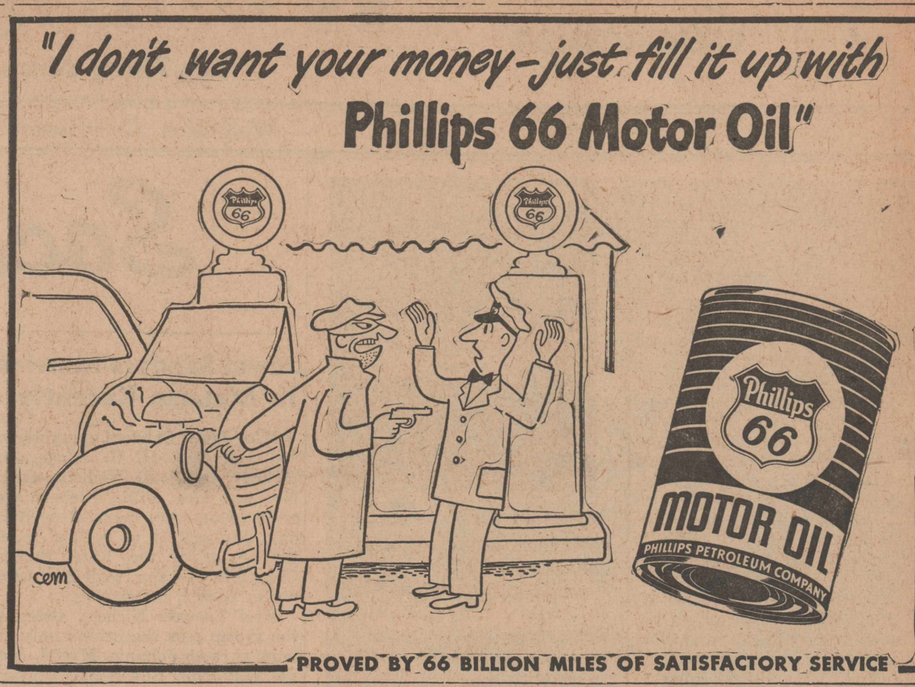


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This is your first trip to Texas, you have been here a few weeks and you are more than ready to go home. Texans are all right, but you just cannot get along with them. The facts are, they get into your hair, and you are annoyed because you let them.

You have been taught that if a thing needs to be done, then do it right now. Texans are a little different. They reason that if you wait until tomorrow or next year, maybe you will not have to do it. It usually works out that way, especially if there is somebody like you around all fired up to do it right now. Which is all right with Texas.

A native Texan would rather sit down and talk it over than get the job done. He likes to talk, and after he has told you his family history, he sits back expectantly, eager to hear you tell yours. If you fail to reciprocate, you are not friendly and, therefore, queer. After patient prodding if he still gets no results, he diagnoses your case. You are just a damyankee, which means that you hailed from somewhere north of Red River. Lots of "furriners" from up north are real folks once you get to know them; but they are all a little "standoffish" at first.

To you, the "furriner" from up nawth (which may mean that you are from Kentucky or California) Texans seem nosey. It isn't that you have anything to hide, but you wonder why anyone should be interested in things which are, strictly, none of their business.

There is only one way you can ruffle the easy going Texan. Ruffle him? You will make him fighting mad if you persist in it. That one thing is to try to change him, to teach him to become like you. He does not want to be like you. He confidently expects to live to put flowers on the graves of people like you, and he usually does. He reasons that if you don't like this country, you can go back where you came from. And sure enough you do.

Or maybe you don't. Possible circumstances detain you a while longer, an unwilling guest, in friendly Texas. What happens? Do you continue trying to change Mr. and Mrs. Texas into a perfect composite of Messrs. and Mesdames Massachusetts, Maine, Michigan, and Montana? No, you realize you might as well try to change the miles of grassy plains into a range of snow-capped peaks.

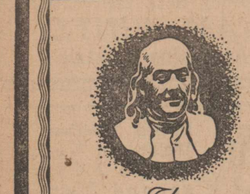
So you admit, a bit grimly perhaps, that Texans are Texans and that is that. And since you cannot change them, you must make the necessary adjustments to get along peaceably with them. But how? The answer is simple. Be yourself and allow them to be themselves. Do your job as it should be done when it should be done, and let their jobs go undone unless that interferes with your own work. In that instance, you may prod the native gently, and if he does not respond, then do your job and his too. He will smile tolerantly and think you are a sap.

With your drive, your success in Texas is assured. At the height of that success, you take a trip back home. You rush out to see old friends, to give them the glad hand. The first fellow you meet seems a bit cold, not half as glad to see you as you are to see him. It could not be that he is jealous of your success. No, impossible. He must be worried about something. Perhaps you were not sufficiently interested in him and his business. Should you look him up again, ask some friendly questions?

You meet some other friends, and they are all alike, lacking in warmth and friendliness. None of them have done as well as you, doubtless due to the stiff competition in that country. But they should not resent your success. No, jealousy was not the answer. But what?

Disappointed in your vacation, you return to Texas, and feel a glow at the prospect of getting back into the old harness. Your Texas friends and acquaintances welcome you back, give you the glad hand; they say they missed you, ask interested questions, hope you had a nice trip. You are grateful for their interest, flattered by their warm welcome.

Alone, you ponder. What was the matter with the old friends back home? Don't you know? They are the way you used to be. You are a Texan now!



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MARCH OF DIMES BEGINS

Governor Beauford Jester pledged every co-operation in the annual March of Dimes sponsored by the National Foundation sponsored by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. He is pictured with George D. Wilson, Texas chairman for the fund-raising campaign which is now under way and will continue through January 30.

Thad B. Trew Is A & M Graduate

Thad B. Trew of Wellington will receive his Bachelor of Science degree at Texas A. and M. College Friday, January 24, as a member of one of the largest mid-year classes ever to graduate from that institution.

Mr. Trew is majoring in agriculture. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Trew Sr. of near Wellington and is a graduate of Wellington high school. He attended A. and M. before enlisting in the Army, with which he served in the Pacific. He held the rank of captain at the time of his discharge this fall.

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

Dick Ellis on Dean's Honor Roll at Baylor

WACO — Dick Gibbs Ellis, has made the Dean's list at Baylor University by maintaining an "A" average in all courses taken during the fall quarter.

Ellis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Ellis of Wellington. A graduate of Wellington High School, he is a pre-medical student at Baylor

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Won't someone please tell us at what age does a bachelor become confirmed.

Male mosquitoes do not bite human beings.

Veterans' News

Nearly 200,000 veterans of World War II are going to school or training under federal veterans benefits in the Dallas Branch Area of the Veterans Administration, a year-end report has revealed.

As of January 1, 1947, veterans in training by states in the Branch Area numbered 131,306 in Texas, 31,310 in Louisiana, and 33,444 in Mississippi.

VA reported the status of other major veterans benefits in the tri-state area as follows.

1. Disability compensations being paid to veterans of all wars—Texas, 112,088; Louisiana 28,072; Mississippi, 31,433.

2. Number and value of GI guaranteed loans — Texas, 28,271 for $147,557,537; Louisiana, 5,224 for $29,731,875; Mississippi, 2,234 for $10,896,787.

3. Veterans in VA hospitals in the three states—6,432.

4. Out-patient treatments — monthly average of 41,000 examinations and 25,000 treatments. (No state figures available)

5. Insurance—more than one million GI policies representing accounts of 986,000 veterans in the three states. (No state figures)

6. Death compensation and pension awards—33,000 awards in the three states. (No state figures)

The cost of all veterans benefits (including administrative expenses) in the three states for 1946 was: Texas, $180,775,264; Louisiana, $37,411,561; Mississippi, $45,084,790.

Veterans with service-connected dental conditions may apply to the VA regional office in their area for out-patient treatment by private dentists participating in VA's "home town" medical program.

For one year after a veteran's discharge, VA will accept prima facie evidence of a service-connected or aggravated dental ailment and authorize out-patient treatment.

After the veteran has been out of a service a year, his application must be adjudicated by a rating board as service-connected before out-patient treatment can be authorized.

Treatment authorized must be in a VA clinic if it is feasibly available. If not, treatment on a fee basis by a participating dentist of the veteran's own choice will be authorized.

Remember the fellow in the circus who used to stick his arm in the lion's mouth? Now they call him "Lefty."

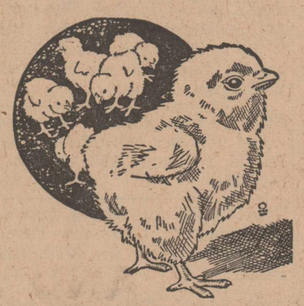
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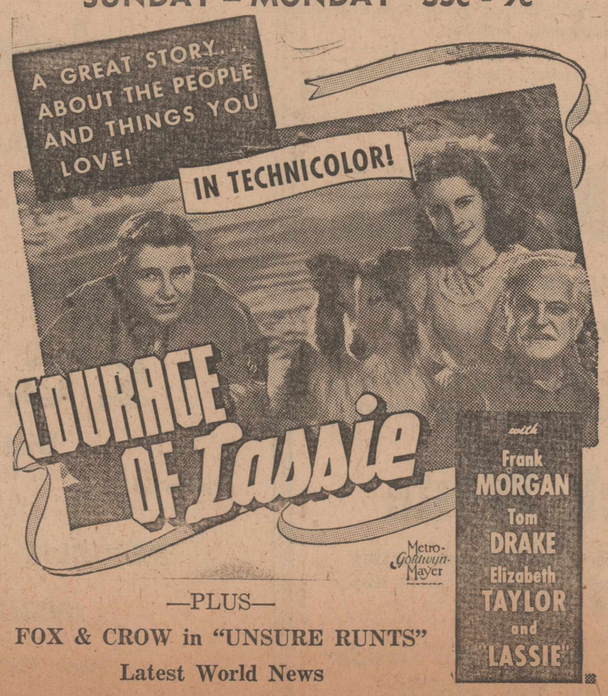
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Norwood Eagles Down Lakeview

The Samnorwood Eagles defeated the Lakeview Eagles 28 to 20 in one of their hardest fought basketball games of the season. Bryan and the Overcast brothers highlighted the play for the Eagles, giving the spectators some fast action throughout the game.

The Samnorwood girls played their fastest and best game of any season against Lakeview. After getting off to a poor start with the score at 13 to 1 against them in the first quarter, they came back with Bobbie Oldham, Helen Carreker and Betty Jean Price as guards and Cleo Brooks forward to give a magnificent display of teamwork and sportsmanship. The three guards kept the blackboard clear and played smart games all the way through, and Cleo Brooks came through to bring the closing score to 21 against Lakeview's 26. She was high-point girl on the Samnorwood team.

Kelton has dropped out of the conference and Lakeview has taken their place.

Cotton Industry To Plan for 1947

BRYAN — Twenty official representatives of the cotton industry from Texas will participate in industrywide program planning for 1947 at the annual meeting of the National Cotton Council at Galveston, January 28-30, George G. Chance, chairman of the Council's Texas Unit, announced today.

The 1947 Council meeting will take up problems confronting the cotton industry in the fields of foreign trade, sales promotion, research, and cotton production and marketing, Mr. Chance said. Plans for the program to increase cotton markets during the coming year will be worked out by 244 official delegates elected to represent the more than ten million people engaged in the cotton industry in the cotton-producing states.

Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson and Oscar Johnston, Scott, Miss., president of the Council, will deliver the principal addresses of the meeting, the Texas chairman said.

"This meeting will be one of the most important in the history of the cotton industry," Mr. Chance asserted. "Indicated all-out production of consumer goods during the months ahead means that cotton soon will be in the midst of the greatest battle for markets we have ever known. It is up to the industry to carry out a concerted program of action which will allow to cope daily with all of its competitors."

Former Countian on Navy Cruise Through Caribbean Waters

Marvin Vernon Fritts Jr., formerly of this county, who is in the Naval Reserve, left Friday, January 24, for Houston, then New Orleans, where he will board a ship for a two-week's cruise.

The Navy Department has scheduled this cruise in Caribbean waters for Naval Reservists of the Eighth Naval District. The Cruiser Macon and the Minelayer Shannon will be used. They will depart from New Orleans and return to the same port. Forty-five officers and 740 men will make the cruise.

Cuba and Panama will be included in the iteniary.

Fritts is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Fritts of Amarillo, but formerly of Samnorwood.

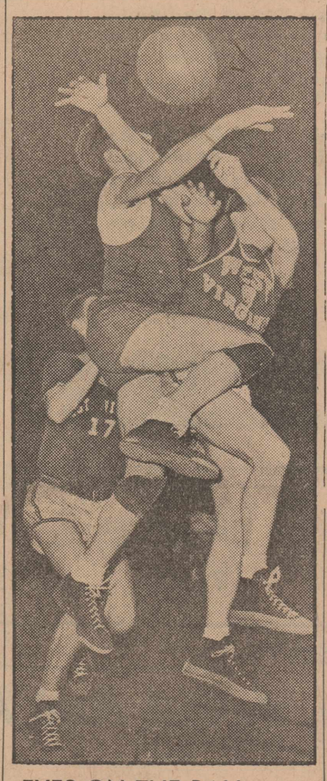
Baptist Pastors to Attend Plainview Meeting Feb. 3 and 4

Several Baptist pastors of Collingsworth County are expected to attend the Panhandle Pastors and Laymen's meeting at Plainview February 3 and 4. The meeting will be held at Wayland College in that city.

The program will begin at 10:00 a. m., Monday and close Tuesday evening at 8:30 p. m., Rev. Guy Killian, pastor of the Quail Church has announced.

'Okay, Harry, Let's Go!'





EYES ON THE BALL

Two West Virginia Mountaineers and a St. Francis Terrier jam up in a tangle of flailing arms and legs in a recent basketball game at Madison Square Garden, New York. Players are Tom Laverto (17), West Virginia; Tony Agoglia, St. Francis; Bob Carroll (9), West Virginia. Game ended 72 to 42, West Virginia.

The new structural map published by the University of Texas Bureau of Economic Geology is now ready for distribution, Dr. J. T. Lonsdal, director said. The map is printed on four sheets, corresponding to the northwest, northeast, southwest and southeast quadrants of the state. It shows oil and gas fields, faults, salt domes, and structural contours with 500-foot interval on key stratigraphic horizons.

Insanity seldom develops in persons under fifteen years of age.

Rocket Boxers Take Bout from Memphis 7 to 5 Friday Night

Rocket boxers downed a Memphis Cyclone team 7 to 5 Friday night, January 24, giving credit to early season predictions that what Coach John Lee's team lacked in size it would make up in fight.

One of the largest crowds ever to watch a boxing match in Wellington was on hand to witness the bouts, which proved to be some of the closest the boys have fought this year.

The outcome ot the fights was:

65-pound weight: Warrick won over Welch.

80-pound weight: Hodges won over Freeland.

85-pound weight: Hood won a close decision over Pearce and McCutcheon won over Bishop.

95-pound weight: Donald Baird won over Jefferies.

100-pound weight: Terry won over Stephens, and Childress lost a close fight to Henry. This was the Wellington boy's first fight.

105-pound weight: Glen Young lost to Stegall.

118-pound weight: Patterson lost to Stewart and Harris lost a close fight to Young. This latter was considered one of the best fights of the season.

125-pound weight: John D. Ingram decisioned Grimes in a smart fight and Roberson lost out to Ackron. This was Roberson's first fight and he had only three days training in preparation for it.

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As Sam reports—every section has something different; a different way of talking; different tastes in food and drink; different laws and customs. But bigger than all these differences is the American spirit of tolerance that lets us live together in united peace.

"Of course," says Sam, "you run into *intolerance* from time to time. Individuals who criticize another's right to speak his mind; enjoy a glass of beer; or work at any trade he chooses. But those are the exceptions—and we're even tolerant of them!"

From where I sit, more of us ought to make a trip like the Hackneys — to realize firsthand how America is bigger than its many differences ... how *tolerance* of those differences is the very thing that makes us strong.

Joe Marsh

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1. Plan to plant first early vegetables.
2. Get the irrigation system for the garden in working order. It should be tested before the season begins.
3. Look for native shrubs which are valuable in gardens for their colored fruits.
4. Plow insect-infested ground so that pests will be exposed to cold weather.
5. Prune grape vines.
6. Finish up all the odd paint jobs that have been started earlier.
7. Store rabbits in frozen food locker.
8. Inspect all cream cans for rust and leaks. This may be causing cream to sour.
9. Plan hotbed and prepare for use.
10. Haul and spread a few loads of gravel on the driveway before the spring rains begin.
11. Start work on the income tax return. The deadline is March 15.
12. Clean out the farm pond in preparation for summer.
13. Restrain impulses to prune fruit trees too seriously.
14. Select some good cotton seed for spring planting.
15. Get some bone meal for livestock and mix with the salt ration.
16. Begin preparations for the spring oats planting.
17. Plant beans, clover and other legumes.

It's time for the farm wife to:

1. Assist in preparing tax report and help bring written farm records up to date.
2. Take extra precautions in preparing a well balanced diet for prevention of colds in quick changing temperatures.
3. Reserve space around the vegetable garden for flowers.
4. Start planning the children's spring and summer wardrobe.
5. Wash and iron a printed feed sack and make a new apron.
6. Take children to the doctor for physical check-up and vaccinations or inoculations.
7. Attend at least one session of the garden club in your community.
8. Plan a Valentine party for the children.
9. Plan spring cleaning and other chores of long duration now so that when spring weather comes there will be some time to apply it.
10. Plant some spinach.
11. Vary family meals by using mutton.
12. Check fruit jars to see if each has a good, tight lid. Better to do it now than in the middle of summer canning.
13. Think about raising mushrooms in the basement or storm cellar.

Sgt. Mike E. Patrick To Be Discharged From Armed Forces

Sgt. Mike E. Patrick of Route 6, Wellington, has been ordered to the separation center at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, for separation from the Armed Forces.

He was stationed at Brooke Medical Center, largest and most complete medical installation of its kind in the world.

In a strong wind a big smokestack will sway from eight to ten inches.

Bulls are no more sensitive to red than they are to any other color.



MAYBE THEY LIKE IT

These Bengal tigers don't seem at all concerned about the non-tropical scenery as they loll in the snow at Chicago's Brookfield Zoo.

SAMNORWOOD

By Mrs. Ada Thompson

Samnorwood played host to the Wellington Skyrockets Friday night in a twin-bill program. The Samnorwood B boys defeated the Skyrocket B team by a score of 41 to 12. The game between the A squads was less wreckless and more exciting in that both teams guarded carefully and worked hard for every point. Two of Wellington's first string players were not present at the game and their absence was most noticeable. The Eagles won 28 to 13.

Women of the Samnorwood faculty, dressed in a variety of style and color, defeated the Eagle sextet before a hilarious crowd, by a score of 12 to 10. Miss Effie Rankin, water "boy" for the faculty, stole the show for the evening when she dashed on the court with a large pail, stewer cup and fan.

A large crowd is expected to attend the tournament at Samnorwood beginning Thursday at noon and continuing through Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodard were Groom and McLean visitors Saturday.

Coach and Mrs. Guy Briscoe spent the week end with their parents at Elmer, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Norwood celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary January 19. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jackson and Earl Norwood Jackson of Dallas; Mrs. T. J. Lyle of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Dubose, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clay, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Purcell and Tom Clay Purcell of Shamrock, Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Jones and children of Wellington. The Norwoods are an inspiration to us younger people and have worked tirelessly to build a good school and community in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Breeding and son, Bill, of Miami, were recent guests in the O. M. Payne home. Another recent guest was Mrs. Luther R. Irwen, who visited her son, George Irwen, who is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Payne attending school since his parents moved to Dalhart.

Mrs. Richard Wischkaemper, formerly of Lutie, but whose home is now in Riverside, California, visited with Mrs. Ada Thompson several days last week.

We were glad to have all our college boys home for their midterm vacation.

Mrs. Monte Phillips of San Jon, New Mexico, visited in the home of A. J. Shields last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ross have moved to their new concrete home.

Jack Walker of Canyon visited with his father, Barney Walker, over the week end.

Bartow Riley purchased the A. J. Shields garage and took charge Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carter and children made a short visit to Gage, Okla. Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Carter's mother, went home at that time. She had been visiting here for some time.

Lewis in Amphibious Training Exercises Off California

Eugene H. Lewis, seaman, first class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis of Dodson, Texas, has participated in "Operation Duck", the joint Army and Navy amphibious training exercises held off the southern coast of California, while serving aboard the cargo ship USS Rolette.

Twenty thousand Army, Navy, and Marine personnel, 500 planes, and 60 ships were engaged in the operation which was concluded with landing of the Sixth Army's Second Infantry Division on San Clemente Island, and the California mainland near the mouth of Aliso Canyon, Oceanside, Calif.

Rear Admiral A. D. Struble, USN, Commander Amphibious Forces, Pacific Fleet, and Major General George P. Hays, Commanding General of the Sixth Army, directed the overall planning of the exercises.

Real Estate Transfers

William Aldon Futrell to E. L. Hively—interest in 122.14 acres in Survey 61, block O. S.

Roy Campbell and wife to O. L. Scott—the northeast one-fourth of section 68, block 14.

E. F. Bartlett and wife to Mrs. Mary E. Sugg—approximately 7 acres in the northeast corner of the southeast one-fourth of section 24, block 15.

A. J. Shields and wife to Bartow H. Riley—lot 20, block 5, Duncan Addition, Samnorwood.

J. J. Bragg and wife to J. C. Phipps—lots 17, 18, 19, 20, block 97, Wellington.

Austin O'Neil Jr. and wife to Joseph G. Thomas—lots 11 and 12, block 72, Wellington.

Loyd N. Francis and wife to Mac H. Wilkerson—lots 21 and 22, block 75, Wellington.

E. F. Bartlett and wife to Troy W. Gardner—the north one-half of lot 21; all of lots 22, 23, and 24, block 89, Wellington.

C. D. Dameron and wife to L. G. Yarbrough—the north one-half of section 39, block 19.

Lee C. O'Neil and wife to Leelah Beth O'Neil Roberts—lot 7, block 13; lots 14 to 22 inclusive, block 16; lot 5, block 20; lots 1, 2 and 3, block 41; lots 1, 2, 5 and 7, block 70; lot 6, block 115; lot 12, block 118; lots 1, 2, 6, 7, 8, 9, block 136; lots 18 and 19, block 147; lot 16, block 174; lot 22, block 176; lot 21, block 177; lots 15 and 16, block 181; lot 24, block 193; lots 21 and 22, block 212; lots 13, 14, 19, 21 and 22, block 214; lots 3 and 4, block 219; lot 9, block 225; lot 5, block 229; lots 20 and 21, and the east 40 feet of lots 22, 23 and 24, block 230; and lots 1, 2 and 3, block 236, all in Wellington.

R. V. Eason and wife to C. S. Bearden—the southeast one-fourth of section 7, block 11.

Joe L. Parker to Willie Davis Parker—lots 23 and 24, block 24, Wellington.

Myrtle McClenney and William E. McClenney to E. L. Ellis—lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 86, Wellington.

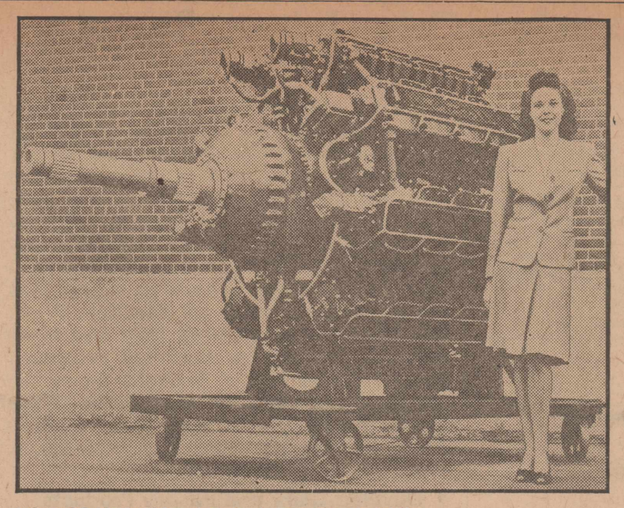
J. W. Stanton and wife to Floy Watson—the northwest one-fourth of section 31, block 15.

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Rev. W. E. Brown, pastor

Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Church ..... 11:00 a.m.
BTU ..... 6.30 p.m.

The church plans a study course for the first week in March, beginning March 3.



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A mystery is "a profound secret; something unknown; something beyond the comprehension of man." Therefore, we can understand why Moses said they belong to God. "But the things that are revealed belong to us," for they have been brought to the range of our understanding, that we may obey the words of God's law.

Then to build a religion upon mysteries, to look and feel for evidences of salvation from secret shadows is a departure from the "revealed things," and is a launching out into the seas of speculation through a labyrinth of unfounded theories.

God revealed all that is essential unto the eternal welfare of man. "Every scripture inspired of God is also profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for instruction which is in righteousness: that the man of God may be complete, furnished completely unto every good work." (II Tim. 3:16, 17)

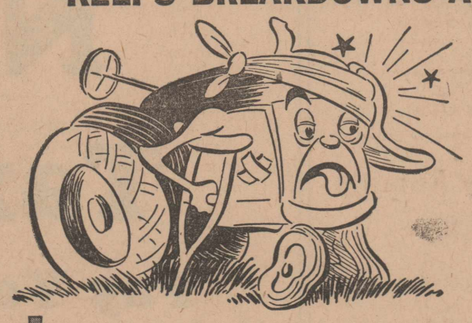
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Editorial

It is fairly clear that if you keep a lot of people from dying, there will be more folks living longer. Anyway, there are. The doctors kept so many oldsters running ahead of the Pale Horseman that the increase for 1930-40 in the 65-years-and-over bracket was 35 per cent, compared to a national population growth rate of 7.2 per cent.

We feel a lot better—those of us who used to start negotiating for a cemetery lot as we approached three score. The world, though, may not be all cheers. Not unless the doctors have something up their sleeves to do about old age. What are you medical people going to do about removing the crotchiness of us oldsters?

How old was Old Scrooge, anyway? Dickens didn't say. But it is dollars to pennies that he was older than old Marley and that old age was a lot of what ailed him. Took a pint of ghosts to make him reasonable, too, didn't it?

We come into this world, not with a halo but with a pretty good dispostion. It is surprising how much of it gets chipped off as we trudge the years. Bills and taxes rub whole layers off the sunshine of the human smile. Schools make us wise and skeptical. Matrimony and child rearing (and child bearing for the ladies) scrape off some more. Half a century of politicians and promises do a good job of that, too. By the time we are seventy, we are plumb cantankerous. Little things upset us, especially little things in the way of grandchildren and the neighbor's brats. We know so tarnation much more than the mere upstarts of thirty and forty and the trouble is they won't listen to us.

Well, we've been submerged all these years. The uppity world set us in a corner and paid no more attention to us than if we weren't there. Now you'll see. We're growing. Nine million of us in 1940, which is 2,500,000 more of us than you expected, ain't it? We mean you, Mister. We've got pensions or will get them. There will be more of us every year. And you'll have to put up with us whether you like it or not. —The Dallas Morning News.

Other Editors Say

• Duck Hunt

Sunday morning we were invited on a duck hunt. The ice had to be broken in the pond before the decoys could be set out. Unless the ducks were kept warm, the moisture from the hunter's breath soon froze and they became toneless and rauous. Our automatic shotgun became a single shot when the low temperature stiffened the lubricant to such an extent that the mechanism would not function. When the decoys were taken up they had to be broken from the ice that had reformed. Some weather but it brought down the absent ducks from the feed fields of the North Plains and it was some hunt.—Anton Koch in The Quanah Tribune Chief.

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• Develop Dairy and Poultry Products

By continuing with dairy and poultry development, Wheeler County farmers should be in a favorable position if farm price trends go down as some economists are predicting they will, J. H. Martin, Wheeler County farm agent, predicts.

The county agent reminded that during times of low prices, farmers are usually forced to milk cows and raise chickens to help pay the grocery bill. Since local farmers are already fairly well established in these lines, they should not have to make adjustments when they are forced into them, he said.—Arval Montgomery in The Shamrock Texan.

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Plans to make U. S. and British weapons parts interchangeable have evoked concerned objections from the Soviet UN delegation. The Soviets seem to argue that interchangeable armaments AND policy toward the Soviet is unfair.

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From all accounts, our occupation forces in Germany and Japan are setting a pretty accurate example of how American democracy works. They are dealing through the black market just like a lot of home folks did during the war.

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Congressmen are using the franking privilege to send a Children's Bureau booklet, "Infant Care," to voters. It's the Republicans, however, who plan most of the changes.

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Not many of the Soviet UN delegation can speak English. But they're picking up a word or two here and there—on occasion, Molotov has even been heard to say something that sounded like uncle.

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Some New Year's resolutions didn't last any longer than the headache.

City Seeks Fire Fighting Material

DALLAS — Wellington officials are negotiating for the purchase of additional fire fighting equipment from the Dallas regional office of War Assets Administration. Interest centers in powered pumper and crash fire trucks and other types now in the war surplus inventory of the Dallas WAA office, said William T. Worley, chief, public interest division.

"The Dallas regional office is offering this fire fighting equipment for sale to municipalities and city governments at fixed prices until January 24, "Worley added. "Where more than one offer is received on any one item, awards will be made by drawing lot."

With one exception, the equipment is classed from "fair" to "good" with repairs needed on some items. Some are without tires and tubes. Offers to purchase will be opened January 28, four days after date for receiving offers to purchase, Worley added.

Among other cities interested in the purchase of the fire fighters are Quitman, Paris, Marshall, Gilmer, Kilgore, Garland, Gainesville, Goldthwaite, Arp, Pittsburg and Longview.

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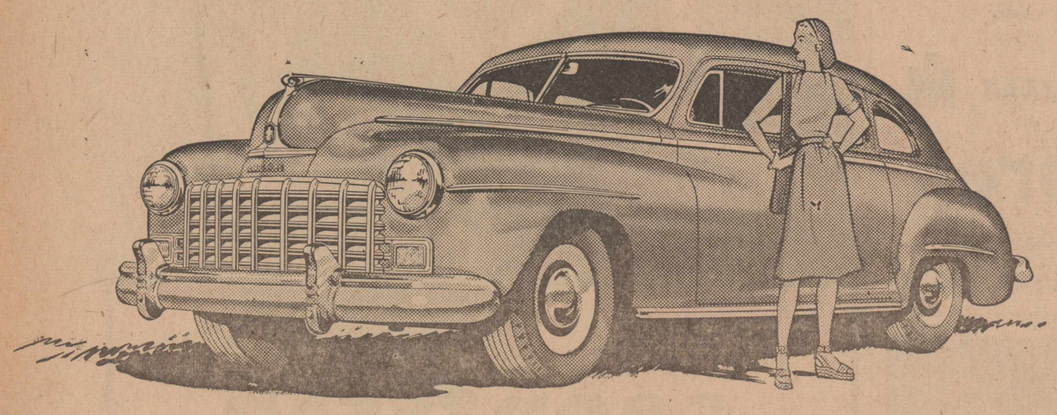
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Those who were 60 years of age or more on January 1, 1946 are not required to have an exemption to vote; those who have moved into the county since January 1, 1946 are required to have an exemption; those who have become 21 years of age since January 1, 1946 or will become 21 before election are required to secure an exemption certificate during January, 1947, before they may vote in any of the elections during the year; no charge is made for these exemptions.

J. W. Holder

TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR

Church Calendar

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH
9th and Floydada Streets
Rev. George Shoff, pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Services ..... 11:00 a.m.
Young People's Services 6:30 p.m.
Evening Services ..... 7.30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m.
S. S. Teacher's Meeting, Friday ..... 7:30 p.m.
Everyone is cordially invited.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. Austin Moore, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
NYPS ..... 6:30 p.m.
Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m.
Mid-week Service, Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Vaughn Shofner, Minister
Bible Study ..... 10:00 a.m.
Preaching ..... 10:50 a.m.
Young People's Class .... 6:15 p.m.
Evening Preaching ..... 7:15 p.m.
Mid-Week Service, Wednesday ..... 7:15 p.m.
Ladies Bible Class, Thursday ..... 3:00 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. C. C. Armstrong, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship ..... 10:55 a. m.
Youth Fellowship ..... 7:00 p. m.
Evening Worship ..... 7.45 p. m.
Women's Society of Christian Service, Monday ..... 3:00 p. m.
Choir Researsal, Wednesday ..... 7:45 p. m.

METHODIST CIRCUIT
Rev. C. D. Dameron, pastor
Quail, first Sunday.
Salt Fork, second Sunday.
Bethel (Loco), third Sunday.
Aberdeen, fourth Sunday.
Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m.
Preaching ..... 11:15 a.m.
Evening Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Chas. A. Knapp, Pastor
Mass, 11:00 a.m. each Sunday.
Mass, 6.30 each morning at the convent at St. Joseph's Hospital.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Howard Jones, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Preaching ..... 10:55 a.m.
BTU ..... 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

DODSON CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. John Eppler, pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Preaching ..... 11:00 a.m.
NYPS ..... 6:45 p.m.
Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m.
Mid-week Prayer Service, Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
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J. J. Grubbs, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Preaching .... 11:00 a.m., 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting,, Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.
C. A. Service, Friday .... 7:30 p.m.
Everybody Welcome

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Sunday School ..... 10.00 a.m.
Preaching Service ..... 11:00 a.m.
Ycung People's Class ..... 7:00 p.m.
Preaching Service ..... 8:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. J. F. Mathews, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a. m.
Morning Service ..... 11:00 a. m.
Night Service ..... 7:00 p. m.

Deep Plowing Is Erosion Remedy

COLLEGE STATION — Demonstrations in Terry County indicate that breaking land deeply is a worthwhile practice in preventing wind erosion and getting larger crop yields in West Texas.

Terry County Agricultural Agent R. N. McClain reports that the demonstrations carried out show that land broken deep enough to bring clay to the top of the ground suffers "scarcely any" from wind erosion, and "in practically every instance" deeply broken plots showed crop yield increases over unbroken land.

On the J. J. Jones farm in the Johnson Community, a plot was broken 12 inches deep and planted in milo, County Agent McClain says. This plot yielded 400 pounds more grain than a plot of equal size that was not broken deeply. And on the Beavers farm near Wellman, 160 acres were broken to a depth of 28 inches and yielded double the amount of grain raised on shallow-broken land.

The clay brought to the top by the deep breaking offered definite resistance to erosion by wind, McClain says.

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"Well, I just try to do what's right, Boss. I figure if people can't depend on you, you're not apt to get very far in work or business or anywhere else."

"Right, Jim. I wish everybody felt that way."

"Oh, I'm not taking any credit, Boss. We were just brought up that way—my wife and I. I guess it's part of our religion. You see, we are church people, and we believe that a good conscience and a right mind are more important than anything else."

"That's true, Jim. If everybody took their church and their religion more seriously, we could solve most of the problems we face in our human relations."

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Independent Ball Teams Announce Game Schedule

The second round of the Wellington independent basketball team schedule is now under way, and will continue through Monday, February 17, S. G. Weaver announced this week. Future games include.

Thursday, Jan. 30: Steve Owens vs. REA; Modern Market vs. United Super Market;

Monday, February, 3: Faculty vs. United Super Market; Modern Market vs. REA.

Thursday, February 6: Faculty vs. Steve Owens; Palace Drug vs. United Super Market.

Monday, February 10: Modern Market vs. Palace Drug; United Super Market vs. Goats Cafe.

Thursday, February 13: REA vs. Goat's Cafe; Steve Owens vs. Palace Drug.

Monday, February 17: Faculty vs. Goat's Cafe.

All games are played at the high school gymnasium.

LETTERS FROM MEN IN SERVICE

Azores Island
January 19, 1947

Dear Mom, Dad and all,

You have probably thought that I had died, and been carried off by the vultures but it isn't quite that bad. I believe I would have been better off if the buzzards did have me.

I have been trying ever since Dec. 28th to get home and I'm still 4500 miles from there. I stayed in the Bremershaven S. A. for twelve days and finally on the 8th of Jan. got on the U. S. A. T. Gen. Heinzelman. I wish I had never seen the floating tub. We were tossed around for eight days in one of those Atlantic storms and then one of our engines went "kaput". We hobbled into the Azores doing four knots an hour. We have been sitting here for four days now. I think we are going to pull out tomorrow, if so I should be in N. Y. in a week.

If I had left on schedule and not had any trouble I would have been home with that "little paper" by now. It doesn't look like I'll ever get it now.

The third day we were out from port I got so seasick that I just lay in my bunk and tried to die peacefully. I finally got over it after I had lost everything I had ever eaten. I feel fit as a fiddle now though.

These Azores are really a paradise, they have tropical climate and grow about everything under the sun. They have been selling us all kinds of fruit over the side of the boat (ship to the Navy). They have pineapples, oranges, figs, tangerines, just about everything you want. Believe me they stick you for it too. Prices in the states could never compare with these.

These islands are about 2300 miles from N. Y. You can find them on the map. I hope they are the last "foreign land" I see, but I doubt it. The "Mate" says we are going by the Bermuda Islands. Just in case we have any more trouble of course it would be something more to see, but I had much rather see the "Lady" first.

Here's hoping I get this in the mail bag, or you'll probably start drawing insurance on me. "Missing in the Atlantic."

All my love,
C. G. Gray



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A hundred and fifty-four assorted slot machines go up in smoke at Skokie, Ill., on orders of the state's attorney after confiscation in an anti-gambling campaign. It's a $152,000 blaze.

Countians to PCA Meet at Memphis

A large attendance from among the members of the Memphis Production Credit Association in Collingsworth County and nearby territory, along with their wives and guests, is expected at the thirteenth annual stockholders' meeting in Memphis, Feb. 10, according to Silas Crawford, Loco, chairman of the advisory committee for the association's Wellington office.

The meeting will be held in the Memphis High School Auditorium, beginning at 11 o'clock, with registration taking place earlier in the morning. A short, interesting program has been announced and will be followed by a John Snider barbecue, Mr. Crawford said.

Other members of the Wellington advisory committee who are expected to head the local delegation are V. K. Orr and A. V. Jones, Quail; H. J. Clark, Dozier Route, Shamrock; Thomas L. Carter, Dodson; B. F. Evans, Childress County, and Chas. Cason, G. K. Patterson, E. H. Hartman, W. M. Seale and Green Hodges, of near Wellington.

The porcupine is a member of the rodent family.

Bids Open on 4 Star Routes

Bids are now open for carriers for four star mail routes serving Collingsworth County. Three of these are out of the Wellington office and the fourth runs from Memphis to McLean via Quail.

Bids must be in the office of the Postmaster General by February 21, R. F. Curry, Wellington postmaster, said.

The Wellington routes include Route 5, or Loco Route, approximately 40 miles in length, now carried by G. T. Austin; Route 6, or the Aberdeen Route, carried by Henry Davidson; and the Childress-Shamrock Route, one round trip daily, approximately 120 miles, carried by Henry Davidson and Sam White.

The Memphis-McLean Route is approximately 150 miles per day, round trip.

Blanks for making the bids may be secured from the Post Office at Wellington, at Quail, or by writing the Second Assistant Postmaster General at Washington, D. C. A Bond must accompany each bid.

World shortages of fertilizer means the farmer should order his 1947 supply of fertilizer early.

Crippled Children Clinic at Plainview

On Saturday, February 8th a clinic for crippled children will be held at the Plainview Sanitarium and Clinic.

Dr. Si Driver and Dr. Eugene P. Legg of Dallas will be at the clinic for consultation. Dr. Driver was formerly of the Carroll-Driver Clinic in Dallas, and is reputed to be one of the most prominent orthopaedic surgeons in the State. He is a professor at Southwestern Medical Foundation, and is Chief of the Orthopaedic Division of Baylor Hospital. Dr. Legg, also a staff member at Southwestern Med staff member at Southwestern Medical Foundation, is associated with Dr. Driver there. Both of these men have been designated to carry on follow-up work as it relates to orthopaedic care of polio patients at the West Texas center at Plainview.

The clinic is not intended solely for polio patients, but is intended for anyone who may have problems of an orthopaedic nature. It is suggested that those wishing to take advantage of the opportunity should write to Edmund R. Mattos, superintendent at the Plainview Sanitarium, in order that an appointment may be made.

It is hoped that it will be possible for everyone to be cared for on February 8th, but should appointments be of such volume as to make it impossible for all to be seen Sunday, February 9th may also be designated for this work.

DOZIER

By MRS. C. H. CAPERTON

Mrs. M. L. Phillips of San Jon, N. M., is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. J. Shields, and other relatives at Dozier.

J. A. Coleman has been appointed deputy sheriff of this precinct, No. 4.

Commissioner Cortez Barnett has done an unusual amount of road and bridge work the past month. Congratulations.

Donal Bradley, Cecil Gooch, James Paul Jones and Royce Laycock are home from Lubbock for mid-term vacation.

At the end of the day both walkers and drivers are tired and impatient. Because reaction is slower, caution must be greater, says the Texas Safety Assocation. More people are killed in the evening rush than at any other time of the day. Take care--and don't be rushed to death.

Sincere Congratulations

TO THE STAFF OF

The Jones-Watkins Clinic

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Again we extend our best wishes to the staff of the Clinic and our congratulations to the people they will serve.

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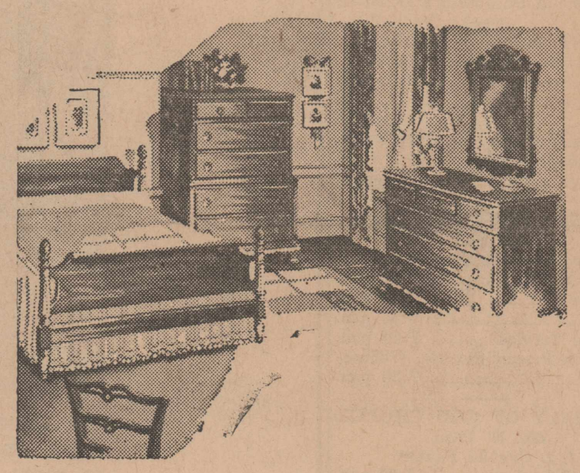
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