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Farmers Wanting Drouth Aid Must Act Before Aug. 20

Unless more farmers in Dawson county show need for food and feed loans to help them get by another year we will not be included as a "Drouth" county by the government and will NOT get AID, according to Alvie Debnam, County Agent. Debnam further stated that it was his opinion that many farmers who would actually need help would be in very destitute circumstances unless this county received help through this channel.

If you are a farmer and need to get help other than what you have already received to enable you to get by until you make another crop get busy and register at the District Court room next Saturday—and Saturday only—it is the last day and your last chance.

Help get this word around to your neighbors and friends to do so will help you. To date only 33 have registered. Debnam says the county should show at least 1,000 applications to get included as a "drouth" credited county.

These applications have come from farmers who have young feed growing but have no assurance of its maturing. Debnam states that if the feed does mature less help will be needed but unless more rains fall and a late season is had little assurance is had of the material good from late feed.

Two Day Agricultural Conference To Be Held In Plainview

Plainview, Texas, August 16.—An invitation is extended to the citizenship of Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma and particularly the actual farmers for a two-day agricultural conference which will be held in Plainview, Texas, August 30-31, ending the second day with a recognition demonstration to Congressman Marvin Jones, Chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the lower house of Congress, for the services he rendered in the enactment of agricultural legislation at the recent special session of Congress.

Henry Moranzthau, Governor of Agricultural Credit Corporation, Tom Conally, U. S. Senator, Henry Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture of the U. S., W. H. Murray, Governor of Oklahoma, Arthur Seligman, Governor of New Mexico, Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, Governor of Texas, J. E. Huff, President National Grain Cooperative, Chicago; C. O. Moser, President American Cooperative Ass'n, New Orleans; Harry B. Cordell, Chairman of Oklahoma Board of Agriculture, J. E. McDonald, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, J. E. Hill, President West Texas State Teachers College, Bradford Knapp, President Texas Tech College, Dr. Kent, President New Mexico A & M College, Henry G. Bennett, President Oklahoma A & M College; and T. O. Walton have been invited to the two day conference.

The first day will be given over to conferences among the agricultural leaders dealing with the farm problems of the Southwest; and particularly those affecting Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma. Some of the best posted men upon agricultural subjects in America will appear upon the program and will give needed explanations of the agricultural bills enacted at the special session of Congress.

The recognition event to Congressman Jones will be at 2:00 P. M. on August 31.

Farmers, livestock producers, and business men generally, regardless of affiliations are cordially invited to join in this conference and recognition demonstration to the splendid West Texas statesman, Congressman Marvin Jones.

J. T. Allen To Open Hardware Store At Ralls This Week

J. T. Allen of the Allen Hardware Company here has this week put in a hardware store at Ralls and expects to be open for business Friday.

The new business will be known as Allen Hardware and Implement Company. Ben Allen will be the manager.

Revival To Begin At Nazarene Church

A revival meeting will begin this evening (Thursday) at the Nazarene Church with Rev. V. B. Atteberry of Abilene doing the preaching.

The local Pastor, Rev. A. L. Dennis, will be in charge of the song services. Everybody has a cordial invitation to attend these services.

Making Plans For Next Trades Day

Lamesa merchants are making elaborate plans for Lamesa's next Trades Day program.

Plans are being made to include in their program a balloon ascension in fact several hundred balloons that will have tags attached bearing the names of merchants. These balloons will be released from the top of the court house and the folks will have the times of their lives scrambling for them for they will have valuable prizes in store for certain people who run them down.

At ten A. M. a part of the regular program will take place from the band stand. At four P. M. the rest of the regular program will take place. Call for your tickets at all Lamesa stores for admittance to this show and entertainment.

A dollar day is being planned in connection with next first Monday. All stores are being asked to cooperate in putting on a dollar day sale.

A water carnival will be staged at the swimming pool one mile south of Lamesa. Lots of fun here all day.

The day will be full from ten A. M. to five P. M. Begin now to prepare to come and bring your folks for an all day affair.

Guy Weekes Brother Dies At Ranger

Guy Weekes received a message last Saturday afternoon of the death of his brother, Tom C. Weekes at Ranger, he and Mrs. Weekes leaving immediately for Abilene where the funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon.

In ill health for several years, Mr. Weekes had been critically ill about a week. He was visiting with his sons at Ranger at the time of his death. He was 53 year old. His wife died four years ago.

Survivors include two daughters, four sons, one Cicero living near Lamesa, his mother, three sisters and four brothers.

Prices Climb To New Highs In Most Lines

The upward trend of retail and wholesale prices continues in local stores.

Edibles and wearables, because they are necessities, are most noticeably taking a balloon ride on the wave of the NRA, new federal taxes and natural price advances.

In the grocery line, such staples as flour, potatoes, shortening, and sugar are especially upish, while other staples and practically all luxuries have not yet jumped enough to hurt the pocketbook to any great extent.

Cotton goods have risen like skyrocket. The new processing taxes, plus manufacturers' increased costs due to NRA wage and hour scales, plus cotton's doubling up within the past few weeks, have sent some items—necessities all—to astonishing levels.

Shoes, silks, and other wearables are following the leader at a slower pace, but following, nevertheless.

Tires took their third boost last week with a few weeks, making the total advance 25 to 30 per cent.

Livestock feed of all kinds, including meal, hulls, molasses and good hay, is so high that it is almost prohibitive in some cases.

Standard local prices for barber work, tailor work, beauty shop work, gasoline, bread and other such every day demands have been in effect from a week to a month or more.

There seems little indication, most merchants and salesmen will tell you that the rise is stopping. Instead, it will probably go gradually on in most lines until the peak of NRA prosperity is achieved.

Wheat Processing Tax Exemptions Listed

Washington, Aug. 12.—The Department of Agriculture today announced that wheat starch, bran, shorts and middlings, products of wheat will be exempt from the processing tax of 30 cents a bushel which went into effect on July 9.

It provided that gluten, a by-product of wheat starch should be taxed. The department reduced the conversion factor for canned macaroni and spaghetti from 62.5 to 31.2.

This means the tax on 100 pounds of canned macaroni or spaghetti shall be 31.2 per cent of the 30 cents per bushel tax on wheat.

County School Board To Meet Saturday

We have been asked to announce that members of the county school board will meet on Saturday, August 19th at the court house at 2 o'clock P. M. The purpose of the meeting will be to work out a plan where all pupils coming in to high school may have free transportation, as passed by the legislature recently.

Rural Transportation Aid Law Outlined

Information on Eligibility, Amounts and Contracts is Set Out in Letter from State Department

Summary of provisions for transportation aid under current rural school aid legislation has been received here by W. T. Webb, county superintendent, from Myrtle L. Tanner, secretary of the rural aid division, State department of education.

Transportation aid is to be given for children transported from one district to another, provided their grade is not taught in their own district. For high school children the aid is \$2 per month per pupil, and for children in the elementary grades \$1 per month per pupil. Aid is also allowed for children residing in the school district at the rate of \$1 per month per pupil.

Answering an inquiry of Supt. Webb, for a definition of the term "county unit" as applied to transportation, Miss Tanner replied that L. A. Woods, state superintendent, had not made a definite ruling as to the meaning of the term.

The Tanner communication gives the following information on transportation aid:

1. Conditions for eligibility for transportation aid:
(a) Aid can be granted on the basis of only those children who live more than two miles from school.

(b) The county board of trustees must approve the transportation as planned and must approve the aid claim, because the law presumes that a unified system of transportation be set up by the county board.

(c) The district must show a need for aid, because it would be manifestly unfair for the state to reimburse a district which already was amply able to care for itself.

(d) Contracts and bonds for drivers must be approved by the county superintendent as provided in general law.

(e) As discussed under salary aid, buses should show 70 per cent average daily attendance.

2. How much aid may a school receive for transportation?
(a) Two dollars per scholastic per month.

High school pupils transported from one district to another district where the grade is not taught in the sending district.

All students transported in a district containing 100 square miles or more.

(b) One dollar per scholastic per month.

All pupils (both high school and elementary) transported for more than two miles within a district.

Note:—The law has been interpreted to mean that where students are transported in a rural high school district, formed under the grouping law, if they are transported across district lines of their original districts, they shall be considered as having been transported between districts, for the law states that the district lines of a grouped district have not been obliterated. High school students transported between original districts of the grouping will receive \$2 per scholastic per month as transportation aid.

3. Making Of Contracts
Under the new law, who makes contracts? In the first place all transportation contracts would have the approval of the county board before aid can be secured.

If the county board desires to operate a bus through two or more districts on a unified plan of transportation it may, if it so desires, make its own contract, with an individual to operate this bus. The county board in this event, will, of course, have no funds with which to purchase the bus and will necessarily have to depend on being able to make a contract with an individual who will purchase his own bus and be able to operate it from the revenues received from transportation aid and any other supplementary funds which might be arranged for. For example, if it is found that the revenues from transportation aid will not pay enough to employ a driver, then either sending districts or parents of children transported might make a collateral contract or agreement with the county board whereby sufficient funds can be arranged to have these children transported.

Local districts may make contracts with bus drivers, particularly where they own their own bus or where the bus line is wholly within their own district.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Yates will leave Sunday for Chicago where they will visit the Century of Progress.

Mrs. A. O. Harvey of Abilene, who has been here visiting Mrs. Tom Burn side, left Saturday to join her husband, who is a civilian overseer at Palo Duro Canyon.

Baseball Tournament Having Good Games

The Dawson County baseball tournament got off to an auspicious start last Sunday afternoon. The park has been filled with enthusiastic fans for all of the games.

All the games that have been played so far have been good ones with some good pitching, fielding and a few of the boys have done some good hitting. Gus Ragsdale leads the hitters with an average of .415.

Games of Sunday
Shacktown 5
Hancock 2
Batteries: Shacktown, Ragsdale and Willingham; Hancock, Stephens and Moore.

Lamesa 3
O'Donnell 4
Batteries: Lamesa, Berry and Peterson; O'Donnell, Hudnell and Preston. This game went 11 innings.

Monday Games
Woody 14
Sporenberg 12
Batteries: Woody, Gresham and Johnson; Sporenberg, aCdditz, McNew and Williams.

Swenson 10
Punkin Center 6
Batteries: Swenson, Cook, Pittman and Hill; Punkin Center, Reeves and J. Addison.

Tuesday Games
Hancock 15
New Moore 4
Batteries: Hancock, Stephens and Moore; New Moore, R. Sullivan and Bevell.

Lamesa 12
Shacktown 3
Batteries: Lamesa, Evans and Peterson; Shacktown, Ramsey and Parker.

Wednesday Games
O'Donnell 9
Sporenberg 4
Batteries: O'Donnell, Pierce and Harris; Sporenberg, McNew and Williams.

Punkin Center 14
Woody 6
Batteries: Punkin Center, Paul Reeves and J. Addison; Woody, Boatright, Gresham, and Johnson. Game called at the end of the 8th inning on account of darkness.

Thursday Games
1st. game, New Moore vs. Swenson.
2nd. game, Hancock vs. Shacktown.

Friday Games
1st. game, Lamesa vs. O'Donnell.

No Paid Teacher's Institute This Year

At the recent meeting of the State Legislature they voted to do away with paying the teachers to attend the joint teachers institute held each year. County Superintendent W. T. Webb, stated this week that there would probably be called meetings of the teachers in the county during the coming school terms, but no institute would be held in Lubbock as in former years.

Mr. Webb, also said that he had received information from the State Board of Education, that a law had been passed, enabling county schools to have a circulating library, that is each school room in the county would be required to buy \$10.00 worth of books, selected from an approved list. These books when finished by the home school to be circulated thru the county superintendents office to other schools in the county.

Lions Club Hears Talks On Bond Issue

Robert Kirk was in charge of the program for the Lion's Club meeting Wednesday at noon at the Westland Hotel.

Very interesting talks were given by Judge J. R. Lowrie and William A. Wilson on the bond issue to be voted on in the coming election of August 26.

Miss Willie Belle Cleveland gave a short talk on "Our Home Town." Sherman Hill and Guy Travis of Lubbock were visitors at the meeting. Lions present were J. R. Flaniken, Bernie Holt, William A. Wilson, J. R. Lowrie, Sam Smith, Robert Kirk, Dr. Harrington, Mrs. Barnard rendered the music.

Local Beer Option Election August 26th

A petition was filed here Monday with the Commissioners Court signed by several hundred Dawson county citizens demanding an election on August 26 to repeal the local option on the sale of beer. The Court immediately called the election to be held on that day.

Buster Herndon has returned from a short stay in Los Angeles, Cal.

T. G. Broughton of Pride purchased a new Ford pick-up from Lamesa Motor company this week.

Much Support Being Given Bond Issue

Austin, Aug. 16.—Enthusiastic support of the state bond amendment as the only means of meeting the winter months in feeding the more than a million destitute unemployed of Texas was exhibited here last week at the statewide mass meeting called by Governor Miriam Ferguson. Approximately 500 county judges, mayors, RFC officials and business men from all sections of the state attended the meeting.

Among those present R. Dyerl Kirk, county attorney; J. R. Lowrie, and county judge Philip Yonge of Dawson county, who were three of the speakers called upon during the rally. Every representative on the floor of the meeting pledged active work in behalf of the proposal.

James E. Ferguson, speaking for the governor; Col. Lawrence Westbrook, state administrator of the Texas Rehabilitation and relief commission; Edgar Witt, lieutenant governor; and William Strauss, of Houston, state chairman of the relief bond issue steering committee, were among the principal speakers. A telegram was read from Col. Harry L. Hopkins, federal relief administrator, stating that Texas must vote the bond issue authority in order to participate further in federal relief funds. The last allotment made to this state was for August and totaled \$2,377,000, bringing the total of federal donations to more than 13 million dollars for the state's destitute unemployed.

Telegrams urging support of the bond issue were received from a number of Texas leaders including Congressman Joe Eagle, Congressman J. J. Mansfield, Congressman Clark Thompson, Tom Hunter of Wichita Falls, C. C. Small of Amarillo, Mrs. R. F. Lindsay and Mrs. J. W. Fincher, state women leaders and many others.

It was explained by speakers at the meeting that the solution of the relief question by adoption of the bond issue proposal is one of the most vital steps linking with President Franklin D. Roosevelt's national recovery program. It was also pointed out that the resolution submitting the amendment specifically provides that no ad valorem tax may be assessed against real of personal property to pay off the bonds.

Heavy Buying Of Goods for Local Stores

Local dry goods stores are replenishing their shelves in anticipation of exceptional buying this fall.

Most of the merchants have gone to market and returned but a few are still marketing in distant cities.

Fall colors are already draping the show windows, while work clothing and other such staples are being unpacked in large quantities. W. B. Collins and Mrs. Howard Lee of Collins Dry Goods Co., spent last week in the Dallas markets where they bought heavily in clothing for all members of the family.

R. B. Bryant of Stamford has been shipping many boxfuls of merchandise to the local Bryant-Link store. He has been in St. Louis, Kansas City and other markets since late July. Mrs. Jim Waldrip, ready-to-wear manager, spent last week in Dallas markets purchasing new garments for her department.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierce also visited in Dallas markets last week bringing back with them many boxes of new fall staples and ready-to-wear which has been placed on display at Pierce's Toggery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin of the Baldwin Store are in St. Louis this week making purchases for their store, with much of their purchases already arriving and being put on display.

R. N. Kayal, owner of the Fair Store has returned from the St. Louis markets where he purchased a full line of new winter goods for his store here and the one at Snyder.

Local Women's Sister Dies at Waxahachie

Miss Nannie Billingsley and Miss Louisa Price received a message late Friday night of the death of their sister Mrs. J. M. Euing at her home in Waxahachie. Full particulars were not learned but it is supposed that a heart attack caused her death.

Miss Billingsley and Miss Price were unable to attend the funeral services which were held on Saturday.

ATTENDING SCHOOL IN DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Proctor left this week for Dallas where Mr. Proctor will attend a window decoration and card writing school for two weeks. Mr. Proctor has charge of the mens department at Bryant-Links.

Ernie Parchman has returned from a three weeks stay in Slaton.

Rev. D. G. Wells Passed Away At His Home Sunday

Rev. D. G. Wells, 74 years of age, passed away at his home here late Sunday afternoon, August 13, following an illness of several weeks.

The Rev. Mr. Wells was a pioneer Baptist minister and widely known in Texas and Arkansas. He having held many important pastorates in the two states.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock with Rev. E. F. Cole, Baptist pastor, officiating. Burial was made in the Big Spring cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

He is survived by his aged mother, and four daughters, Mrs. Grace Bray Lamesa, Mrs. John Priddy, Stanton, Mrs. Howard Hodge of Midland and Miss Alma Wells of Cisco, and one son, Sid Wells of Corpus Christi. All were present at the funeral.

The Courier joins with the families many other friends in extending sympathy.

Facts About The \$20,000,000 Bond Issue

1. Texas is one of two states in the nation not supplementing Federal relief funds.

2. The Federal Government has given Texas \$13,000,000 for relief and Dawson county \$22,000.

3. Texas has 1,370,000 people, or one out of every six of her population and Dawson county has more than 3,000 people, or one out of every four of her population on the relief rolls at this time.

4. One half of Texas' unemployed are not yet on relief rolls but will be by winter.

5. Unless this bond issue passes the Legislature cannot appropriate a single dollar to aid destitute and hungry families.

6. If all of twenty millions are spent for labor and destitute aid no property or real tax can be levied to pay for same and it will not cost more than 50 cents per capita per year.

7. While we are constitutionally opposed to state bonds, yet we surely prize the lives of more than a million of our good citizens above our desire to levy bonds.

8. It is not fair to the Federal Government to carry the whole burden and let we people of Texas and Dawson county sit back on our oars and get all benefits. We owe it as a matter of loyalty to our government our citizenship and those who will suffer if the issue does not pass to do our part at this time—and that part is to vote for the issue August 26th.

9. It will cost us MORE to take care of our unfortunate and unemployed this winter if the issue fails than if it passes. Our City and County Governments are not financially able to—if they could vote bonds and sell them at all—to take care of the situation as it will surely exist if these bonds fail. Another bond, or amendment election cannot be called until the next regular session of the Legislature—then the burden will fall on our people individually. The burden will be heavy, but we will have to take care of our unfortunate as long as we have something to divide—and we WILL.

10. The Federal Government has promised if we need more relief money after we have spent the twenty millions, to grant Texas twenty million more if necessary.

11. No more relief money after August 26th unless we pass the bond amendment. Will we do it, or will we choose to take care of our own destitute on our private funds.

12. It seems a citizen's duty and a Christians duty to vote for these bonds. We are our brothers keeper.

J. R. Lowrie, County Chairman, Texas Relief Bond Issue.

Attend Family Reunion At Eunice, New Mexico

E. L. Emfinger and family, Elvie Emfinger and family and E. J. Emfinger attended a reunion of the Emfinger family at Eunice, N. M., on August 4th. Grandmother Emfinger of Maryneal, Texas, who was here visiting them accompanied them. Eleven of the 12 children were present together with 59 grandchildren and great grandchildren. Plenty of barbecued mutton and beef was served.

Rural Aid Money For County Received

The last half of the rural aid money to be paid to county school teachers for the past terms work has been received by the county superintendent, W. T. Webb. The amount received was \$6,302.

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WANT ADS

FOR RENT—To houses with all modern conveniences. See J. W. Barrington, 408 N. Travis St. Lamesa, Tex. 2tp

WANTED TO RENT: 160 to 200 acres of good farming land, reasonably close in. Will buy 4 head of work stock.—John Moody, c-o Charlie Boldin. 2tp

FALL PLANTING

Wheat and barley. Sow Japan Clover (Lespedeza) with your wheat to increase winter pasture. Turnip seed. Located one block from N. E. corner Square.—J. C. Billingsley and Son. 2tp

Philadelphia, July 27.—The blue eagle that will display its wings at all establishments cooperating with the president for industrial recovery was born in the air.

Summoned to Washington, the artist boarded an airplane and, while soaring to the capitol, he drew two rough sketches of what he conceived the president of the United States wanted as the emblem of his recovery plan.

Charles T. Coiner, of this city, art director of N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc., was the artist who satisfied both Gen. Hugh S. Johnson, recovery act administrator, and the president.

One of his two sketches was selected and after completing the detail work it was rushed to the printer in order that the emblem might be distributed on time. Johnson refers to it as "My Blue Hawk."

Coiner's opinion of his national recovery "badge of honor" is that it represented a departure from the traditional and has about it certain modern tendencies which he feels are significant in this government insignia in the past have adhered largely to tradition.

ANNOUNCING

The removal of my shop and equipment from the Key Buick Company to my home on Lynn Street west from Lamesa Oil Mill.

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In SOCIETY

Mission Program For August 21st

The following is the program for the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church for Monday, August 21.

Topic: Return of the Word to Europe and Palestine.

Song. Devotional: Mrs. W. H. Johnson. Song: What a Wonderful Savior. Journeys of the Word—Mrs. St. Clair.

Europe Without the Word—Mrs. Edith Williams. Roll Call of the Fields—Mrs. T. W. McSpadden.

Solo—Mrs. Jimmy Cotten. From a Missionary Diary—Mrs. S. C. Albertson. Palestine Without the Word—Mrs. R. E. Speck.

Song. Prayer. **Dorothy Nell Burleson Party Honoree**

Dorothy Nell Burleson, 5, was given a birthday party last Friday afternoon by her mother, Mrs. Elzie Burleson, at their home.

Out door games of all kinds were enjoyed by the little guests after which ice cream cones and birthday cake were served to Ted McCollum Jr., Lanette Carroll, Walter Curtis Perkins, Nancy Hollingworth, Jimmy Lee and Wynelle Cotten, Thomas Clyde Brannon, Billy Caldwell, Ann McGuire, Jim Little, Mariam Holton and the honoree.

Mrs. Jack Phinizy Hostess To Club

Members and guests of the Tuesday Bridge Club were entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Jack Phinizy at her home.

In the games of the afternoon Mrs. Bob Lavender won high score receiving four glasses of jelly as award.

A delicious salad course was served to Mesdames F. T. McCollum, W. D. Arnett, Lavender, Gilbert Watson, Wallace, Truman Campbell, Elzie Burleson, Tom Burnside, Frank Rose Roscoe Holton, Philip Yonge, and J. H. Harp.

Mrs. Glen Barkhurst Of Los Angeles Is Honored Thursday

A very lovely bridge party was extended to six tables of bridge enthusiasts last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. F. J. Barkhurst, when she entertained at the Burnside home in compliment to her sister-in-law, Mrs. Glen Barkhurst of Los Angeles, Cal.

Vases of beautiful roses and snapdragons gave pretty adornment to the rooms used for entertaining.

In the afternoon play, Mrs. Raymond Hatch succeeded in winning high score and was favored with an oriental lamp. Second high was won by Mrs. Jim Little and she was presented with a box of Evening of Paris Toiletries. The honoree was given a lovely alabaster statuette.

At the refreshment hour a delicious plate consisting of stuffed tomato salad, nut bread sandwiches, wafers, iced tea and mints were served to Mesdames Elzie Burleson, J. H. Harp Carl Proctor, Bill Creighton, Raymond Hatch, Louis B. Reed, Truman Campbell, Jimmy Cotton, Cecil Bryant, Bogan Caldwell, Wright Boyd, Dvrel Kirk, Fayne Wilkes, L. B. Rice Jim Little, Guy Simpson, Philip Yonge, W. D. Arnett, J. D. Burleson, A. G. Barnard, J. E. Garland, Bob Bird, Jesse Carroll, the honoree and hostess.

Entertains With Chicken Barbecue

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Burleson and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Campbell entertained a few friends with a chicken barbecue at the Burleson home on last Friday evening.

Delicious chicken barbecue served with spaghetti salad, sliced tomatoes, cucumbers, beet pickles, rolls, iced tea and iced watermelon were enjoyed by the guests, after which contract bridge games were played with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Holton winning a prize for high score.

The guest list included Messrs. and Mesdames Louis B. Reed, F. T. McCollum, Roscoe Holton, J. H. Harp, T. A. Miller of Fort Worth, Mrs. R. L. Tate of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hail Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hail of the Shoemaker community entertained with a big dinner Sunday, August 13. A delicious dinner was spread under a large elm tree in the yard to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davidson of Klondike, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Knight and children Virginia Faye, Jack and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Duke and Fred Crites.

In the afternoon all enjoyed a wonderful musical program rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hail and Mrs. Reuben Knight. At 3 o'clock ice cream and angel food cake and ice cold watermelon were served. Supper was spread at 6 o'clock and all attended the revival services at Five Mile where Rev. J. J. Gentry is doing the preaching.

Miss Beverly Wells Entertains With Bridge

Miss Beverly Wells was a most delightful hostess to a few friends on Tuesday afternoon when she entertained with four tables of bridge at the home of her parents.

In the games of bridge, hand-drawn score pads and tallies were used, these being drawn by the hostess' cousin, Miss Dude McCoy of Tahoka. High score award went to Miss Ethel Iris Simpson and high cut prizes were won by Misses Alice Busby, Irma D. Palmer, Aileen Graham, and Ethel Iris Simpson.

Delicious refreshments of pineapple phiz and angel food cake were served to Misses Irma D. Palmer, Alice Busby and Alice Joy Bowler, all of O'Donnell, Grace Weaver,

Rhoda Lou Clark, Bernice Ragan, Evelyn Baker, Audrey Faye Bailey, Marie McDonald, Thelma Lee Norman, Myrtis Painter, Aileen Graham, Ethel Iris Simpson, Prudence Grant, Edna Watson and Virginia Sanford of Tahoka.

ON TEXAS FARMS

By W. H. Darrow

Extension Service Editor

Seventeen Nolan county 4-H Club boys and girls recently marketed 16,520 pounds of beef calves for average net profits of \$22.55 per calf at the annual club show and sale in cooperation with Sweetwater business men. First place calf fed by Henry Bennett sold for 9 cents per pound.

It cost 75 farm women an average of \$26.42 to dress appropriately last year in Parker county, the home demonstration council reports after a study of clothing accounts kept by these women in cooperation with the home demonstration agent. The low cost was made possible by watching sales, making clothing budgets, and by making clothes at home.

It cost William Deek of Ochiltree county, one gallon of gas per acre to terrace one of his wheat fields last year, not counting use of machinery or labor. His wheat made 3 to 5 bushels more on terrace land, the county agent reports.

Ninety cotton dresses, tailored for correct street wear, were made at costs ranging from six cents to \$2 by Childress county home demonstration club women and shown in their annual dress contest this summer.

Buying a farm abandoned because of poor yields on the banks of the Rio Grande near Laredo three years ago, Chester Smith has brought up production by use of manure until he recently filled a trench silo 40 feet long, 8 feet deep and 11 feet wide from 8 acres of corn. He is a dairyman aiming to produce milk cheaply.

Information gathered by the United States Department of Agriculture indicates that Texas cotton crop this year will be the smallest since 1922. It was estimated 3,541,000 bales of 500 pounds each would be produced, as against 3,222,000 in 1922.

Conditions of the crop as of August 1 was given 71 per cent of normal against a ten year average of 66 for the same period of the season. The report said the indications were the harvest acreage this year would be the smallest since 1922. Acreage harvested that year totaled 9,900,000 acres. The 1933 harvest acreage was estimated at 11,095,000 acres.

WEST TEXAS EXHIBIT PLACED AT WORLD'S FAIR

The space set aside for Texas exhibit at the Century of Progress Exposition is to be occupied in the near future with a showing so comprehensive and varied as should reflect credit on the State and its six million inhabitants. The active work of the committee, backed by the concerted support of the press, has assured the assembling of material which will give the world some conception of the unrivaled resources of Texas and which will be transplanted to Chicago at an early date for installation in the waiting booths.

The exhibit will thus be in place in time to impress the heaviest influx of visitors to the great exposition, and it should yield returns to Texas out of all proportion to the amount invested in the showing.

The contributors, committee workers and chambers of commerce who have made the exhibit possible merit heartiest commendation. They have served the state constructively, not only by assuring creditable representation at Washington, but by laying the ground which will warrant outer world to take part in its own Texas in extending invitations to the

Two hoboes stopped at a cafe for a hand-out. The proprietor told them to stay outside because ex-Secretary of the Treasury Mellon was inside. Mellon, overhearing the conversation, said: "Let the boys come in and I'll pay for the meal."

The proprietor consented and the boys ate very heartily. Mellon, watching them enjoy the meal, said: "I wish I had your appetites."

One of the boys, looking at the other, said: "Wouldn't that kill you; the man has got our money, and now he wants our appetites."—Ex.

"Rabbi Levi, when are you going to become broad-minded enough to eat ham?"

"At your wedding, Father Kelly," responded the Rabbi.

Our revival day night. Brother Nell will be with us.

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Buy in August



"BUY IN AUGUST" should be the uppermost thought and plan of every person who contemplates buying anything in dry goods for fall. In accordance with the N. R. A. program, September the first marks the date, when all cotton goods or goods processed principally from cotton will have added processing tax of approximately four and one-half cents per pound. This will mean about ten cents per pair on standard makes of overalls, two cents per yard on wide sheetings and other goods in proportion. To make the president's plan a success, every citizen is urged to buy whatever is needed and help lift our people back to the level of comfortable and decent living. Only through a fair price for farm products and living wages for industrial workers can this be accomplished.

Baldwin's are better equipped than ever to fill your requirements for dry goods, clothing, shoes, and in fact anything carried in a general line of dry goods. Our prices are the lowest, we believe you will see for years to come. We invite you to come and see this stock of up-to-the-minute styles and values. Make Your plans to buy in August at Baldwin's.

— Buy now at these prices —

<p>PRINTS</p> <p>36 inch fast color prints in pretty patterns. August price</p> <p>10c</p>	<p>OUTING</p> <p>Heavy weight, full yard wide and comes in both dark and light patterns. August price</p> <p>12½c</p>	<p>DOMESTIC</p> <p>Yard wide brown domestic, a good value. August price</p> <p>8c</p>	<p>TICKING</p> <p>Standard eight ounce feather proof ticking. August price</p> <p>17½c</p>
<p>SHEETING</p> <p>Full 81 inch unbleached sheeting. Our best quality. August price</p> <p>29c</p>	<p>SHIRTING</p> <p>Hoosier chevot, plain and fancy patterns. Heavy weight August price</p> <p>12½c</p>	<p>BLANKETS</p> <p>Double size cotton blankets. A real value. August price</p> <p>98c</p>	<p>BLANKETS</p> <p>25 per cent wool, full 3½ lb. weight. Size 66x80. August price</p> <p>\$2.95</p>
<p>PLAY SUITS</p> <p>Children's hickory stripe play suits. Sizes 2 to 8. August price</p> <p>49c</p>	<p>WORK GLOVES</p> <p>Men's solid leather work gloves August price</p> <p>39c</p>	<p>OVERALLS</p> <p>One lot men's 2:20 weight overalls, to close out, August price</p> <p>75c</p>	<p>SHOES</p> <p>Boys' solid leather oxfords, sizes 8¼ to 2. Goodyear welts, sizes 2¼ to 5¼</p> <p>\$1.49 AND \$1.98</p>

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"LAMESA'S LEADING STORE"

KEY NEWS

A lot of the Key folks have been attending the McCarty and Mt. Olive meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Franks of Sparenberg visited Rev. and Mrs. S. C. Shipley Sunday.

Mrs. Ocie Fields of Haskell is visiting her mother Mrs. W. T. York.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Bennett and Mrs. Jene Towns visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tyler of Five Mile last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cox of Ballard visited Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Whitmire Sunday.

H. E. Kerby was home Sunday and Monday from Commerce where the Kerby family are attending summer school.

Mrs. Henry Jeter is visiting in Haskell county.

Mrs. Mae Whitmire spent last week in the McCarty community and attended the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Riley and Mrs. Ed Shipley visited relatives at Merkel last week.

Sam Skeen visited his wife at Lubbock last week. Mrs. Skeen is in school there.

Our revival meeting will begin Friday night. Brother Jenkins of O'Donnell will be with us after Sunday to

do the preaching.

SPARENBERG

Albert Reithmayer of Longview is here at the bedside of his mother who has been critically ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Albert Beckmeyer of Ackerly was a visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Turner attended the all day singing at Lou Sunday.

Miss Opal Martin of Lamesa spent the week end with her parents here.

Miss Sener Bradford has returned from a months visit in Pecos and Monahans. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Love of Pecos brought her home, and Miss Mary Bradford returned home with them expecting to stay there several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parrish of Big Spring visited home folks here last Friday.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Davis has been seriously ill for several days but is improving at this time.

Miss Nena Jo Freeman is spending this week with friends at Key.

Mrs. E. H. Lay and daughters have returned from Brady and Fredonia where they visited for several weeks.

PERSONALS

C. E. Martin, local Sinclair dealer attended a meeting of Sinclair agents in Big Spring Wednesday.

Bernie Holt and G. V. Fulton made a business trip to Plainview Wednesday night.

Ben Allen has returned from a several months stay in Los Angeles, Cal. The Baptist meeting which has been in progress at the Midway church closed Sunday night with 3 additions to the church. Rev. Thomas did the preaching.

Miss Marjorie Ferguson is in Lubbock this week taking treatments for an ear infection.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Wilkes and son Tom and Mrs. Edgin are on a vacation at Benton and Hot Springs Ark.

Mrs. N. L. Bradford and daughter Deloras left Tuesday for a few days stay in Anson.

Emery Edwards made a business trip to Anson Tuesday.

Mrs. L. E. Eager is visiting her daughter Mrs. Bill Watson in Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Duke and daughter Ella Dale of Altus, Oklahoma, arrived Sunday for a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. P. Baker accompanied Mrs. John Reynolds to Slaton Tuesday afternoon to take a train to her home in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Glover and son are spending a two weeks vacation at Artesia and Hot Springs, N. M. Leonard Scott is carrying the mail during Mr. Glover's absence.

Miss Clara McSpadden of Greenville visited Mrs. Matt McCall here last week.

Miss Agnes Hughes of Dallas spent the week end here visiting her sister Mrs. Louis B. Reed and Mr. Reed. Mrs. Reed accompanied her home on Monday for a few days visit.

Weldon Lindsey has returned from Mountainaire, New Mexico where he has been working.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldrid Travis spent Sunday in Ralls visiting relatives.

Mrs. Paul Gooch of O'Donnell visited Mr. and Mrs. L. W. West Tuesday night.

R. B. Bryant and D. B. McKinney of Stamford were business visitors at the Bryant-Link Company here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Lambeth and children are visiting in Colorado City.

Miss Evelyn Cherry returned Saturday from a visit with relatives in San Angelo.

Mike Barrett and Troy Griffin spent a few days this week in Abilene.

Joe Evans of Plainview visited friends here last week.

Joe Hardesty of Midland spent last Thursday and Friday here visiting friends.

Miss Miriam Goodloe returned to her home in Lubbock Sunday after a weeks visit here with friends. She was accompanied to Lubbock by Miss Mary Dean Shepherd, Jimmy McKinnon and Sol Cleveland.

Aubrey Arnett left this week for Los Angeles, Cal., where he will work.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Echols, Mr. and Mrs. Durwin Echols and son, returned Tuesday night from a visit in Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Bill Leslie of Texhoma, Okla. is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones.

Jim Little and J. L. Bradford, who recently moved to Anson to sell Chevrolet for T. F. Vaughn, spent the week end here visiting their families.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McAfee and daughter spent a few days this week visiting in Lubbock.

Bernideen Little of Childress is here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Little.

Mrs. John Hayes and two daughters of Crane spent last week here visiting her mother, Mrs. B. P. Conklin.

Miss Merle Miles of O'Donnell is here visiting Miss Jim Ellen Wells.

Miss Aileen Howard returned Tuesday from a visit in Haskell. She was accompanied home from Lubbock by Mrs. Arpie Oliver, Pip Salser and S. P. White.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bayless and children left Sunday for a visit in Coolidge.

Farmers May Sell Now At High Market Price

Crop production loan borrowers having 1931-32 collateral cotton in storage have authority to order it sold at any time at the prevailing higher market prices, according to information issued here Thursday by P. F. Murray, district supervisor. In case the proceeds from the sales are more than enough to pay the loan and the interest charges, the balance will be paid to the borrower or to others upon his written order.

At the time the cotton was taken as collateral on the loans the market price was about seven cents. The government allowed nine and one-half cents per bale, but it is now deemed advisable to give the farmer opportunity to exercise his judgment on the selling proposition.

Mr. Murray is confident that the loans will be paid this year 100 per cent.

The letter from Owen W. Sherrill, regional manager at Dallas, relative to the new provision on the cotton collateral reads as follows:

To All Borrowers Having Collateral Cotton:

"During the fall and winter of 1931 and 1932 the prevailing prices of cotton was such that the Department realized that forcing the liquidation of loans by selling the cotton would work a considerable hardship on the majority of the farmers who secured Government aid.

"The Secretary of Agriculture, in order to be of assistance to farmers who secured aid through this department, permitted borrowers to withhold their cotton from the market and store same in Federal Licensed Ware houses or any recognized Cotton Cooperative Association.

"We were advised that all cotton held by this office was sold to the Secretary of Agriculture on June 19, 1933 at the price of 9 1/4c per pound basis middling 7-8 inch staple as of the close of the July New York market on that date. We are now in receipt of instructions from the central office at Washington D. C., authorizing us to inform all borrowers having collateral cotton that the sales was not made as of June 19, for the reason that the market now shows considerable advance in excess of the market value of the cotton on that date. This cotton is still being held in your name, and until further advised you have authority to have it sold at any time.

"In view of this information we are enclosing herewith a Selling Order showing where your cotton is stored. If you now desire the sale of your cotton at the current market price, you may sign the order in the exact manner in which your name appears at the top of same, and forward it direct to the Warehouse or the Cooperative Association as indicated, or you may wire at your expense authority to sell. They should make sale of the cotton in accordance with your wishes, and the proceeds from the sale will be applied on your account with this office.

"Sales orders which were forwarded to this office or to any Warehouse or Cooperative Association between the dates of June and July 20 have not and will not be acted upon. There fore, it will be necessary for those who have forwarded such orders to

give new instructions on the attached form. Where borrowers executed sales orders prior to June 16 and have received copies of our sales instructions to the cooperative Associations, it will not be necessary for them to issue new sales instructions as the original ones were executed and remittances will now be made on them.

"In the event the proceeds from the sale of this cotton fail to fully liquidate your account, after the deduction of all primary claims, cost and expense, the balance due will remain an obligation of the borrower. If, however, the proceeds from the sale are more than sufficient to pay the loan, interest, and accrued charges, the balance will be paid to the borrower or others upon his written order."

Father Kelly and Rabbi Levi were seated opposite each other at a "get-together" luncheon, where some delicious roast ham was served. Father Kelly smacked his lips and commented very favorably on the ham, and in a quizzical voice he inquired of his friend:



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Whichever you want — Pathfinder or All-Weather — remember this: More people are saving money with Goodyears than with any other kind.

Goodyear All-Weather Supertwist Cord Tires	Price
4.40-21	\$7.20
4.50-20	\$7.60
4.50-21	\$7.90
4.75-19	\$8.40
4.75-20	\$8.65
5.00-17	\$8.55

Other sizes priced proportionally. All Full Oversize.

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Grapes 5 pound basket	Price Low
Order Early	

1/2 lb TEA Orange Pekoe	JAR RINGS Dozen in package Red rubber
14c	5c

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Just Received — Fresh Shipment Fine for jelly. Price low

FLY SWATTERS	GRAPE JUICE pints
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Pork and Beans . 5c

COFFEE lb. fresh ground	KOOL-ADE 10 glasses of punch
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Hams Picnics. Boned, rolled and tied. Pound **15c**

SALT PORK pound	STEAK Seven-cuts pound
10c	10c

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Bond Issue Amendment Safeguarded

Below is a copy of the \$20,000,000 Bond Issue Amendment. Please read and note the safe guards the Legislature has to place around this amendment in issuing these bonds if 4 percentum per annum and

passed by the people of Texas. "Section 51a. The Legislature shall have power to authorize by law the issuance and sale of the bonds of the State of Texas NOT TO EXCEED the sum of Twenty Million (\$20,000,000) Dollars, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed four and a half percentum per annum and

payable serially or otherwise not more than ten (10) years from their date and said bonds SHALL NOT BE SOLD FOR NOT LESS THAN PAR and accrued interest, and NO FORM OF COMMISSION SHALL BE ALLOWED in any transaction involving said bonds. The proceeds of the sale of such bonds to be used in furnishing relief to needy and distressed people and in relieving the hardships resulting from unemployment, but to be FAIRLY DISTRIBUTED OVER THE STATE and upon such terms and conditions as may be provided by law, and the Legislature shall make appropriations as are necessary to pay the interest and principal of such bonds as the same become due. The power hereby granted to the Legislature to issue bonds hereunder is expressly limited to the amount stated and to TWO YEARS FROM AND AFTER THE ADOPTION OF THIS GRANT OF POWER by the people. Provided that the Legislature shall provide for the payment of the interest and redemption of any bonds issued under the terms hereof FROM SOME SOURCE OTHER THAN A TAX ON REAL PROPERTY and the indebtedness and evidenced by such bonds SHALL NEVER BECOME A CHARGE AGAINST OR LIEN UPON ANY PROPERTY, real or personal within this state."

Mrs. John Cason is again back at her window at the post office after a several months leave of absence.

Plans Underway Hope To Fix Cotton Price

Formation of a permanent organization aimed at promulgation of a federal code to fix a minimum price of 16 cents per pound for cotton was perfected at Austin Saturday when Texas cotton farmers met there in response to the call of J. E. McDonald, state commissioner of agriculture. Mr. McDonald has gone to Washington to confer with federal officials on provisions of the proposed code.

He also was requested according to Associated Press dispatches, to invite the agricultural commissioners of the leading cotton states of the south to join him in pressing for immediate stabilization of the cotton market through governmental action. A resolution stating that the declining cotton market will prove disastrous to the south unless it is checked was adopted by the meeting. Sixteen cents was suggested as a price at which farmers will be able to pay their obligations and provide for their families on the rising commodity market.

It was the opinion of the meeting that any plan, however radical, must be adopted to stem the declining market and advance it to an adequate price level.

Other resolutions adopted were: That the cotton plow-up campaign be extended if necessary.

That provisions be made for farmers to borrow money at low rates of interest with their cotton as security to enable them to hold their crop and prevent its being placed on a disorderedly market.

That the government acquire a substantial portion of the surplus and apply it to uses not in competition with the new crop.

That a permanent plan be devised to govern agricultural production next year.

Just how effective this plan will be, if adopted, remains to be seen, but it is plain to anyone that the sharp decline in the price of cotton following the government report of more than 12,000,000 bales, accompanied by increase in the prices of food and clothing is working a hardship on farmers and business men. The prosperity of any nation depends on the prosperity of the buyers of that nation, and it stands to reason that when increased prices of merchandise so far outbalance the price of products, buyers will be unable to purchase that merchandise.

The Index makes no claims to economic sense other than that acquired in the struggle to make a small income meet bills at the end of the month, but it seems that the increase in prices of edibles and wearables should have followed rather than preceded a rise in the price of cotton and wheat.

What will benefit the grocer and the drygoods merchant to price their goods higher if the price of farm products prohibits farmers from buying their actual necessities? What this country needs is some form of stabilization whereby farmers will be able to provide their families with the actual necessities of life. And don't mention diversification as the panacea for all ills. We are ardent believers in the benefits to be derived from raising the greater part of your living at home, but when cotton is three cents, eggs four, and cream

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Burleson and children left Wednesday night for a visit in Mineral Wells and Ft. Worth.

Guy Travis and Sherman Hill of Lubbock were in Lamesa Wednesday transacting business.

John McCleary of Colorado City spent last Wednesday and Thursday here visiting friends.

Mrs. Walter Cox of Seminole was shopping in Lamesa Wednesday.

Miss Myrtis Wright returned Tuesday night from a two weeks visit with her mother in Hamilton county.

Miss Erma Sprawls returned this week from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe. L. Ray in Austin.

Miss Juanita Nolan of Amarillo is here visiting her mother Mrs. Porter Nolan.

Miss Nellerine Goodman of Mississippi is here visiting in the J. T. Broughton home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Canon and Bernie Holt made a business trip to Lubbock last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Lambert of Sweetwater and Mrs. Ollie Higgins of Merkel are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Owen Taylor. Mrs. Lambert and Mrs. Higgins are sisters of Mr. Taylor.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Dunn, Mrs. J. H. Clark and daughter Vanabel returned Tuesday night from a vacation at Ruidoso, N. M.

Miss Juanita Cain of Denton is here visiting Miss Lois Spruill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Spruill have returned from a visit in Grapeland and Dallas.

Mrs. Happy Dyer of Odessa is here visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Key were in Lubbock over the week end. Mr. Key underwent an operation for sinus trouble at the Lubbock Sanitarium Saturday morning.

Mrs. R. L. Tate and son Mike of Sulphur Springs are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truman Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hanson and daughter Roberta Lee, Mrs. Tom Woods and Miss Evelyn Burnside left Saturday for a short stay in Austin.

Miss Laura McKinney of Colorado City is here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin left last Wednesday for St. Louis where they will buy fall merchandise for the Baldwin store. They will also visit the Century of Progress at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin and children are spending this week in the mountains of New Mexico.

Troy Griffin of Deport, Texas, is here visiting Mike Barrett.

Misses Marie McDonald, Ethel Iris Simpson, Audrey Faye Bailey, Rhoda Lou Clark and Mvurine Morgan spent last week end in Odessa visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brock and son Lex, left Saturday for a months visit in Sayre, Oklahoma, Siloam Springs, Arkansas, and points in Kansas and New Mexico.

Bryan Roquemore of Lubbock spent the week end in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Perry of Lubbock spent the week end here with their daughter, Mrs. Walter Harold Collins and Mr. Collins.

E. L. Emfinger and family spent the night of August the 4th in Hobbs with a nephew, W. C. Childers and family.

Miss Prudence Grant returned Sunday morning from a few days visit with friends in Lubbock.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clint Aldridge on Thursday, August 10, a baby girl. The young lady has been named Lavelle. Mother and baby doing fine.

Mrs. Louis Hobgood, Miss Norma Joy Thruston and D. Cates of Olton spent the week end here with Miss Viola Thruston. They were accompanied to Lamesa by Miss Ora Thruston who has been spending the summer with her parents at Olton.

Miss Hazel Shipp has returned to her home here after a six weeks visit with relatives in Littlefield and Lubbock.

twelve, very little calico and gasoline can be bought.

Mrs. C. A. Luck returned to her home in Levelland Sunday after a visit here with the C. M. Burton family.

Miss Olive Meadows spent the past week end in Dickens, visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Backenstoss have returned from a several months visit at Mountaineer and Taos, New Mexico.

Miss Maurine Morgan will leave the latter part of this week for Anson where she will work at the Anson Motor Company, which was recently purchased by T. F. Vaughn.

Miss Virginia Sanford of Tahoka is here visiting Miss Ethel Iris Simpson.

Mrs. Vernon Carver of Shamrock is here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Smallin were in Ralls Sunday where they attended a family reunion of the G. J. Eagle family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Taylor have returned from Lubbock where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Waldrip.

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