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Premiums Listed For Quail Stock Show March 31

Plans are nearing completion for the annual Quail FFA Project Show Friday, March 31, Frank Kennedy, sponsor said Tuesday, March 21, as premiums amounting to approximately $100 were announced. This event annually draws one of the largest crowds of any school event of the year.

Three divisions are planned, fat calves, hogs and rabbits, with hogs forming by far the major portion of the show. Both registered and grade stock will be included.

In the beef calf division, there will be two classes, fat steers and breeding heifers, with prizes of $5.00 for first place, $3.00 for second and $2.00 for third given.

The following awards will be made in the hog division: grade gilts, grade sows, fat barrows, and sows with litters: first prize, $4.00; second, $2.00 and third, $1.00; boars, any age or breed: first, $3.00; second $2.00 and third $1.00; registered gilts and registered sows: first, $5.00; second, $3.00; and third, $2.00; and feeder pigs: first, $3.00; second, $2.00 and third, $1.00.

Three classes of the rabbit division are planned: does, buck and does with litters. First place money will be $2.00; second, $1.00 and third, 50 cents.

Ribbons will be given all winners through sixth place.

Jake Tarter, who judged the show last year, will again judge the event.

Mr. Kennedy said that all entries must be in place by 10 o'clock on the day of the show and must be left in place until 2:00 p.m. Each boy bringing an entry will be responsible for his own feed and watering facilities.

QUAIL'S EIGHTH GRADE CHORUS

Fine young voices and gracefully swirling skirts make Quail's Eighth Grade Chorus delightful to the eye as well as to the ear. These girls, who can do "Ten Pretty Girls" and the "Schottiche," as they did recently at the coronation of the School Queen and the annual pie supper, are directed by Mrs. Lowell Wells. In the bottom row are Doris Hartman, Sonja Atkinson, Fayteen Peeples, Janell Langford, Linda Milton and Shirley Robinson. In the back row are Alice Wilkerson, Sharlene Saunders, Wanda Vaughn, Melba Pendergrass, Barbara Weaver, Joan Kirkland, Erma Lee Farris and Nena McGill.

Youth Project Show Livestock Premium List Totals $650.00

Six hundred and fifty dollars in prize monies will be paid in the livestock division of the Youth Project Show April 15, Duard Scott, president of the Chamber of Commerce, announced Tuesday, March 21.

This will include $50 for the Grand Champion beef calf, the largest amount ever paid in the local show. The Reserve Champion will receive $25.

A $10 showmanship prize is offered.

This $650 does not include the homemaking division of the show, which will be announced at a later date.

The show, for the one day only, April 15, will be held at the Cicero Smith Lumber Yard, as it has in the past.

Only members of Future Farmer Chapters and 4-H Clubs of the county may compete for prize money, Mr. Scott said.

The premiums, as set up by the Youth Project Show committee, include the following:

Swine Division

There will be 9 classes, grade gilts; registered duroc gilts; registered Chester White gilts; registered Berkshire gilts; registered Hampshire gilts; sows, any age or breed; sows with litter; registered boars, all ages; and fat barrows.

Prizes in these 9 classes will be: first, $12.50; second, $10.00; third, $7.50 and fourth $5.00.

The grand champion barrow will receive $25.00; the reserve champion $12.50; grand champion gilt, $25.00 and reserve champion gilt, $12.50.

Dairy Cattle

There will be 3 classes of dairy cattle: dairy cows, any age; dairy heifers, under two years; and dairy bulls, any age. Prizes will be: first, $12.50; second $10.00; third, $7.50; and fourth $5.00.

There will be $25.00 for the grand champion female and $12.50 for the reserve champion.

Beef Calves

There will be three classes of beef calves, dry lot fed, light weight, heavy weight, and breeding heifers under two years. Prizes will be first, $12.50; second, $10.00; third $7.50; and fourth $5.00.

Fifty dollars will be paid to the grand champion and $25 to the reserve champion.

Rabbits

There will be three classes: doe, any breed; buck, any breed; and doe with litter. Prizes will be first, $5.00; second, $3.00 and third, $1.00.

C-C Group to Highway Commission

Seek Resurfacing of Highway Business Loop

The Wellington Chamber of Commerce has voted to send representatives to Austin early in April to seek an appropriation from the Highway Commission to resurface that portion of 8th Street included in the business loop of Highway 83, Jack Gibson, chairman of the highway committee, has announced.

This action was taken on the advice of J. B. Nabers of Childress, District Engineer of the Texas Highway Department.

The committee, which had contacted Mr. Nabers, was told that the Highway Commission passed an order designating the loop, but according to records in the Childress office, no appropriation was ever made for any improvements on it. The Austin office did ask for an estimate on the cost of paving the street and was given the estimate July 9, 1947, although the Childress office recommended the improvements on several occasions, Mr. Nabers told the Wellington group.

He pointed out that his office can make recommendations only to engineers in the Austin office, it is up to City, county and Chamber of Commerce officials to get an appropriation for the work made by the Highway Commission.

The 1947 estimate for a 49-foot width pavement was $46,400, although Mr. Nabers recommended that the pavement be 64 feet wide to give it the appearance of the business district that it now is.

Invitation to the Land of Make Believe

Gay Operetta by Tiny Tots Planned In Two Performances

The annual elementary school operetta, "Make-Believe Magic," will be given at two performances, Monday afternoon, April 3, and Tuesday night, April 4, Miss Bonnie Willis, principal, has announced.

Hours for the two performances will be announced later.

Directing the operetta is Mrs. Windel Brewer, with approximately 125 boys and girls taking part.

The story of "Make-Believe Magic" is of a group of youngsters who feel that their own small jobs and duties are much harder than those of pioneer days. By "make-believe magic," the group does live a pioneer life, complete with Indians and pirates, before they are rescued by Captain Brave of the U. S. Army and his gallant company. The children are called to lunch, agreeing that their work isn't so hard after all.

Leading the cast are Lucia, who becomes the pioneer maid, Lucinda, played by Jimmy K. Norman; Beth, the pioneer maid Betsy, Carolyn Couch; Suzette, who by magic make-believe becomes Ochaweechee, an Indian girl, Sally Lee; Jack, or John Strong, a pioneer lad, Michael Glen; Bill, or William Stout, Glen Reeves; Sam, in make-believe Big Chief Warhorse, Dickie Dodd; Bob, Chief Busta Pirate, Jerry Elbert; Ben, or Bingo the Pirate, Madelynn Eikenburg; Percy, or Percivallo the Pirate, Harold Sisk; Dave, or Captain Brave, a soldier, Jimmy Thompson; and a group of pioneer maids and lads, Sally, Sherry Bounds, Nan, Veda Bell, Marge, Francis Drake; Tom, Donald Tinney; Dick, James McDowell; Harry, Mack McKinney; and Ned, John Charles Welch.

Indians: Cloyce Scarberry; Jerry Lynn Lacy, Elbert Loving, Billy Jack Gibson, Pat Wilkins, Walter Abney, Clifford Conner, Dickie Dodd, Sally Lee.

Pirates: Jerry Elbert, Harold Sisk, Madelyn Eikenburg, Farris Wood, James Lusby, Micky Breedlove, Windell Williams, Reginald Scott and Carroll Nunnelley.

Soldiers: Jimmy Thompson, Dale Russell, Cager Wilkins, Randall Raburn, Dwayne Raper, Ray Hen-

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Sandy Parsons Jr. to Receive Scout Honor

The monthly Southern District Scouters' and Cubbers' Roundtable will meet in the Donley Hotel Coffee Shop at 7:00 P.M., Thursday night, March 23rd. About 40 Scouters and Cubbers are expected to attend the meeting which will open with a dinner program. After dinner those attending will meet in separate Roundtables in accordance with their special interest in Scouting: Cubbing, Scouting, Exploring, or District Committee.

During the dinner meeting special Veteran Scouter Awards will be made to three men of the Southern District: 15 year Veteran, Walter Elliott, Scoutmaster, Troop 70, Kellerville; 10 year veteran, Sandy K. Parsons, Jr., Scoutmaster, Troop 32, Wellington, and Vice-President of the Adobe Walls Council; 10 year Veteran, Jerral W. Messer, Advisor, Post 35, Memphis.

Special guests who will attend are: Jack Thornton, Cubmaster, Pack 66, Phillips, Texas; Dick Rust, Adobe Walls Council Exploring Chairman; Mr. Paul L. Beisenherz, Scout Executive. It is hoped that A. W. Paris, Phillips, Texas, President of the Adobe Walls Council, will also be able to attend.

During the Roundtable meetings, plans will be laid for attendance of Southern District Scouters, Cubbers, and Scouts at many coming events, including: Region IX Annual Meeting, April; Explorer "Sundowner" Bivouac, Palo Duro Canyon, April; Summer Camp at Camp Ki-o-wah, June; Cubbers' Pow-wow, April; Explorer summer activities; Canoe Trip in Canada, and Philmont Scout Ranch Cavalcade.

$700 Fire Damages Tailor Shop

A fire which resulted in damage that amounted to about $700.00 occurred at the A&J Cleaners on the north side of the square Saturday morning, March 18, about 10:30. The shop is owned and operated by Austin Williams.

The blaze started in the dry room, a small compartment in which clothing had been placed to dry, and it believed to have been caused by sparks from a motor in the room. This was the only part of the building that was damaged, Mrs. Williams said.

About $500.00 worth of clothing was destroyed, and the damage to the dry room amounted to $200.00. The loss was covered by insurance, Mrs. Williams added.

Mrs. W. W. Carter, Beloved Dodson Woman, Passes

Mrs. W. W. Carter of near Dodson, one of the county's best loved women, died in St. Joseph's Hospital Sunday morning, March 19. She had been in the hospital for five weeks, and her condition had been critical throughout that time.

Mrs. Carter was 74 years of age, and had lived in this county for 44 years, residing throughout that time in the Dodson area.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church at Dodson Monday afternoon, with the Rev. J. M. Morrison, pastor, and the Rev. C. C. Montandon, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, officiating.

Gathering to pay final tribute, friends filled the church, and as many stood outside during the service. The large floral offering likewise told of the esteem in which she was held by those who knew and loved her.

Pall bearers were Herschel Lewis, Teddy Lewis, Jimmy Terry, Billy Carter, J. C. Lewallen and Malcolm Dodson. Flower bearers were Mrs. Buster Barnett, Mary Lou Bogle, Elva Bogle, Joanna Langford, Georgia Lee Underwood, Jessie Mae Underwood, and Nellie Pearl Underwood.

Hymns included "The Old Rugged Cross," and "God Will Take Care of You," by the choir, and "Angel Band," by Mr. and Mrs. Mid Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Vaughan.

Burial was in the Dodson cemetery under the direction of the Kelso Funeral Home.

Mrs. Carter was before her marriage Miss Hattie Minerva Bradford. She was born November 2, 1875, in Arkansas, and grew up in that state.

On November 25, 1897, at Cabot, Ark., she and Mr. Carter were married.

In 1901, the couple and their family moved to Hollis, Okla., and made their home there until coming here 44 years ago.

Mrs. Carter had been a member of the Methodist Church since she was 12 years of age, and she was one of its most devoted members.

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Return Body of Pfc. Jack McMillin For Reburial

Mr. and Mrs. Claud McMillin have received word that the body of their son, Pfc. Jack L. McMillin, is being returned to the United States for reburial at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio.

Pfc. McMillin was living in Wheeler at the time he went into service in 1941. He served in the 60th CA-AA on Corregidor in the Philippine Islands. He was taken a prisoner by the Japanese in May, 1942, and died while in prison in Osaka, Japan, February 17, 1945.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud McMillin; a sister and two brothers, Mrs. Sandy Parsons Jr., and Dudley J. McMillin, all of Wellington; and Donald C. McMillin of Weatherford, Okla.

LaVerne Purkey Named Irish Rose

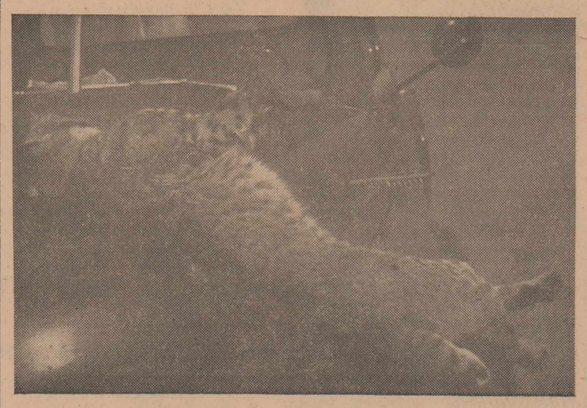
Samnorwood took the spotlight at the St. Patrick's Day celebration in Shamrock March 17 when its "queen," Miss LaVerne Purkey, was named "Irish Rose."

Miss Purkey, 15-year-old high school senior, was crowned by Grady Hazlewood, state senator from Amarillo, with a crown of red roses, and was also presented a wrist watch by the senator as a prize.

The "Irish Rose," who rode the float sponsored by the B & L Dry Goods Store of Shamrock, was crowned, twice, once at 2 p.m. on the sound stage at the corner of Third and Main and again at Denver football field at 2:30.

Miss Purkey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Purkey, who live near Samnorwood.

Second Farm Clinic Thurs. Feature Cotton and Hogs



BOW AND ARROW KILLS BOB CAT

This big bobcat may have been wise to the ways of men with guns, but it was a bow and arrow that got him. He was shot by Oran Starkey, Wellington, to whom bow and arrow hunting is sport. He insists, however, that there was no sport to this kill, since the bobcat was first caught in a trap, then killed as he dragged it off.

Baumgardner to Appear From Texas Tech

Second in the series of county-wide farm meeting sponsored by the Wellington Chamber of Commerce and the Extension Service, will be held Thursday, March 23. This meeting will be held in the Community Building, beginning at 1:30 P.M.

The Northern Star Seed Farms, O'Brien, is sending a representative to speak to the group concerning the outlook of cotton and cotton varieties, and John Henry Baumgardner, from Texas Tech, will speak on "Feeding and Management of Swine."

Mr. Baumgardner, a Collingsworth County boy who is now an instructor in the agriculture department of Texas Tech, was one of the speakers at last year's clinic. He is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baumgardner, who live south of Wellington.

All farmers and agriculture classes are invited by the Chamber of Commerce to attend the meeting. The meeting sponsored earlier this winter, a large crowd attended and enthusiasm was enough that the sponsors felt a second farm meeting would be more than justified.

It is pointed out by Duard Scott, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and J. W. Thomas, county agent, that it is their aim to bring practical information to the farmers of the area.

While the speaker from the Northern Star Seed Farms has not been named, the topic set for his discussion is one that is of prime importance and interest here.

Those who heard Mr. Baumgardner's talk on dry lot feeding of calves last year remember his conciseness and the practical information his talk contained.

Base Now Complete On F-M Highway

Work on the Farm to Market road extending from Highway 83 west to Samnorwood, then north and west to Dozier, is well under way, and laying the rock base will be completed Thursday, except for 2,000 foot gaps by Sand Creek and Dozier Creek, Clyde Drake, resident engineer for the State Highway Department, said Wednesday, March 22.

Steel for the bridges over those two creeks is expected about April 22, and construction on them will get under way immediately. Gaps in the rock base will then be finished.

Mr. Drake said that pouring the asphalt will start around June 1, and completion of the road may be expected by July, unless unforeseen delays occur.

From the financial standpoint, the road is about 80 per cent completed, Mr. Drake pointed out, that is, approximately that much of the money appropriated for the road has been expended.

Norwood FFA Win Quail Tourney

Samnorwood's two Future Farmer basketball teams walked off with the two first place trophies of the Quail Future Farmer basketball tournament during the week end, Frank Kennedy, vocational agriculture director, announced.

Lakeview won the consolation bracket.

Handsome trophies were given the winners.

Other teams entered in the tournament were Wellington, Quail and Hedley Future Farmers.

Proceeds went to the Quail FFA.

C-C Membership Meeting Monday

There will be a general membership meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night, March 27, at 7:30 p.m., in the County Court Room, Duard Scott, president, has announced.

The whole membership is urged to attend, and any person in Wellington or the entire county who is interested in the work of the C of C, or who has a suggestion to lay before the organization, is invited.

Memorial Park to Benefit

Norwood to Crown School Queen Fri. Nite

Betty Fain, Samnorwood basketball queen, will be crowned in the annual coronation ceremony and pie supper Friday night, March 24, at the high school gymnasium.

This is a benefit entertainment, and all proceeds go to the memorial park fund, Supt. Orville Cunningham, announced.

This park, located beside the school grounds, was dedicated two years ago in memory of the men from the Samnorwood area who gave their lives during World War II, and those men and women in any way associated with the school who have died.

A similar entertainment a year ago raised $96.00 which was used for setting out shrubbery.

Proceeds from this year's event will go toward the purchase of a monument.

"It will be necessary to have many pies and a good attendance, so that we will be able to buy a monument of which we will all be proud," Mr. Cunningham declared.

In the coronation ceremony, Miss Fain's escort will be Eugene Terry. Both are senior students.

Their attendants from the other grades are:

Nora Pearl Honeycutt and Duane Reynolds, juniors; Geneva Baker and Billy Ray Alexander, sophomores; Goldie Lee Tippie and Dale Clark, freshmen; Sue Pritchard and Tom Whitson, eighth grade; Odessa Kidwell and Ernest Schaub, seventh grade; Glenda Cook and Keith Whitfield, sixth grade; Merrita Taylor and Leslie Oldham, fifth grade; Margaret Rountree and Jerry Thompson, fourth grade; Karen Breeding and John Alexander, third grade; Mary Ann Bockman and Butch Reynolds, second grade; and Elaine Tate and Joel Lowry, first grade.

It's General Effect that Counts

Rocket Band Brings Home First Music Trophy to High School

The Skyrocket Band, directed by Rufus Johnson, won first place in the high school band competition at the St. Patrick's Day Celebration in Shamrock Friday, March 17, and brought home the first trophy Wellington high school has ever won in the field of music, so far as can be learned.

The band competed with those of seven other schools in Class A competition, winning over such schools as Memphis, Sayre and Dumas. Memphis placed second.

The judges were headed by Glen Traux, former band director at Shamrock and one of the originators of the St. Patrick's Day celebration. The bands were judged on the quality of playing while marching, alignment and general effect.

The Rockets played "The Thunderer" by John Philip Sousa.

Fifty-two boys and girls participated in the band contest, making up the entire band. This is 21 more than were enrolled in the band last year when he took it over, Mr. Johnson said.

Making the trip were: Flute, Jennie Nell Scott, Mary Ester Kidd, Jocelyn Wells; Oboe, Freddy Alexander; Clarinets: Jo Ann Bumpas, John Smith, Jerry Nix, Cecilia Elbert, Maxine Uselton, Jo Ann Aaron, Ella Hill, Delores Somerville, Genevieve Bartlett, Georgia Durfey, and Clifton Bradford.

Saxophone, Glenna Yarbrough, Betty Wood, Camal Dakil, Fred Saied and Mary Jane Johnson; coronets: James LeDerer, Jerry Drummond, Roberta Posey, Jeanette Finley, Donald Green, Joe Thompson, Jimmy Strickland and Lyle Martin; baritone: Shirley Agee; trombone: Lewis Johnson, Phil Handley, Harold Moore, J. R. Bain and Delores Ward.

Basses: Bobby Cotton and Don Shoff; Drums: Ludean Perkins, Betty Ann Wright, Jeanne Drummond, Guthrie Hite and Peggy Jeffries; French horn: Bing Crosby, Benny Graves, Tommy Bryant, Tanya Smith, and Jean Stingel.

Majorettes are Veda Mae Kiker, Betty Finley and Joyce Dell Wood.

Election April 1

Six Names Filed for School Trustee Places

Names of six candidates for places on the board of trustees of the Wellington School District were filed as the deadline was reached Tuesday, March 21, Bill Hughes, secretary of the board, said.

Two places are to be filled in the election April 1.

Earlier, Tom Campbell and Elmer Hiett had filed for re-election to those places.

Other names filed are Merritt Durfey, D. E. Scott, L. A. Manzer and L. W. Brummett.

Mr. Durfey is a farmer at Loco; Mr. Scott is a former president of the school board at Dodson, serving for a number of years, before moving to Wellington; Mr. Manzer is a former president of the Wellington School Board; and Mr. Brummett is the immediate past president of the Chamber of Commerce.

He Started in 4-H Work

YOUNG RANCHER FOLLOWS FOOT STEPS OF FATHER, GRANDFATHER

(Editor's Note: The following story about Faris Jake Hess appeared in the Sunday issue of a recent issue of the Amarillo News. The story was one of the feature articles in the News' annual Amarillo Fat Stock Show edition.)

By DAVID RASCO

There are many ways to guage the growth of the Amarillo Fat Stock Show. You can look at the men around the ring . . . only yesterday they had black hair and a lean look. Now the hair is well white and the middle's spreading a mite.

Or you can look at the youngsters who come here. And you can find them back as men — full-fledged cowmen in their own right.

That's one of the finest proofs the stock show is growing up—that it is a beloved institution, an integral part of our way of life on the Plains.

Just one of the 4-H lads who has been through the mill, gone away to college, fought the war, and now is back in the cow business is F. Jake Hess of McLean.

Jake is called "Faris" at home, but most of his associates over the Panhandle follow his old Aggie handle, which was Jake.

He showed his first calf in the Amarillo Fat Stock Show back in 1929 — the second year the show was in operation. He's grown as the show has grown.

It is an ironic note that Jake's first show also brought him his greatest honor.

He was just a fad of 8 years, standing just about as high as his calf in that '29 go-round. But displaying the same savvy which has done so much good in the adult show ring, he waltzed the little calf to 2nd place, standing next to the calf which was named grand champion.

Jake never hit it so good again. Not in all the seven years he came to the fat stock show as a 4-H boy.

He never finished out of the money, but couldn't quite match his initial success. It didn't stop him a whit.

Jake Tarter, then the county agent at Wellington, where the Hess clan ranches and subsequent 4-H advisers, instilled the right kind of thinking in the boy. He didn't give up and he liked the cow business.

Young Hess went off to Texas A. and M., finishing in time to catch the first of the war. He spent 3 1-2 years in the service, before he could get back to his beloved cattle again.

He had resolved to get in the purebred business when he returned, and that he did. He bought one of the most famous sires of Panhandle Hereford lore, old Dr. Domino, and went about the sometimes treacherous business of building up a herd.

He bought the old Dr. from H. H. Reeves at private treaty. And he planked down -5,000 for the great sire. He's never regretted it. For his show record is reflecting the wisdom of his judgment.

Without attempting to recite all his winnings, it might be pointed out Jake had the top selling female up at Perryton when he sold a daughter of the Dr. for $700.

At Pampa, he had a grand champion female, who also sold tops. She was another daughter of the Dr.

Jake recently bought from his dad, also known to the Plains Hereford world as "Jake" or "J. L.," all registered cattle which had been held in partnership. He is getting out.

The ranching tradition is deep set in Jake Hess. He's just 29 years old, but his roots in Panhandle soil go far back.

His grandfather, George W. Sitter, was an early-day rancher of the eastern Panhandle country. He bought his first land in 1899. Jake's father is another great rancher, stressing commercial production as well as the purebred.

The Hess family started the registered herd in 1916 and it's been going ever since — passing now more or less from father to son.

That's how these Panhandle 4-H boys grow. And that's what keeps the country alive as a real cattle empire.

VACATION QUEEN

Anita Tinsley, of Detroit, Mich., has been selected by the Phoenix, Ariz., Chamber of Commerce as the "Tourist Queen of Arizona's Valley of the Sun." Anita holds the title during the current winter vacation season.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Woods and Alvanell of Mason were visiting in Wellington for a few days last week. J. W. Woods returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reeves of Shamrock were here Sunday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson.

Alvin Horton, Paul Bell, Raymond Horton, and Pip Holloman returned Sunday after a short business trip in Old Mexico.

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Zenith Swift
Cherry Diane Crownover
Jeanette Teutsch
Gary Miller
Iva Bishop

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Chase and daughters of McLean visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Scarberry and family Sunday.

Ernest Harwell and I. W. Tinney were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fulcher and daughter of Wichita Falls were in Wellington over the week end visiting his mother, Mrs. Eva Fulcher, and other relatives. Mrs. Eva Fulcher accompanied them to Shamrock Sunday to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts of Pampa were in Wellington this week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roberts.

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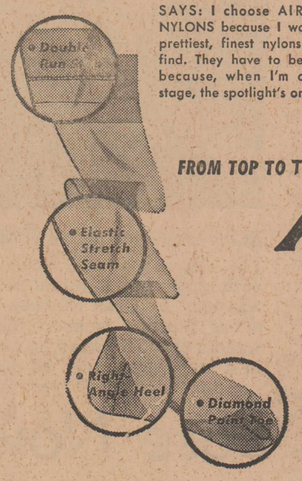

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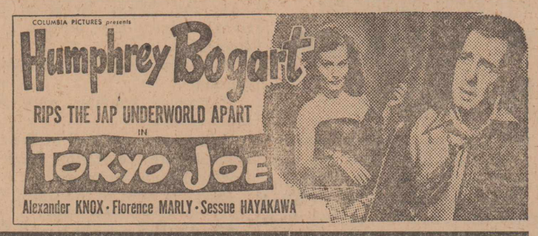

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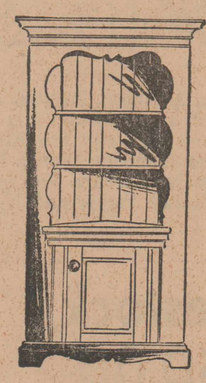

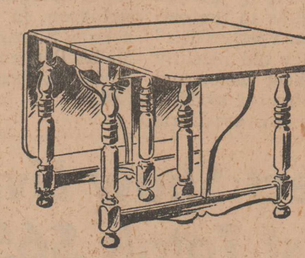

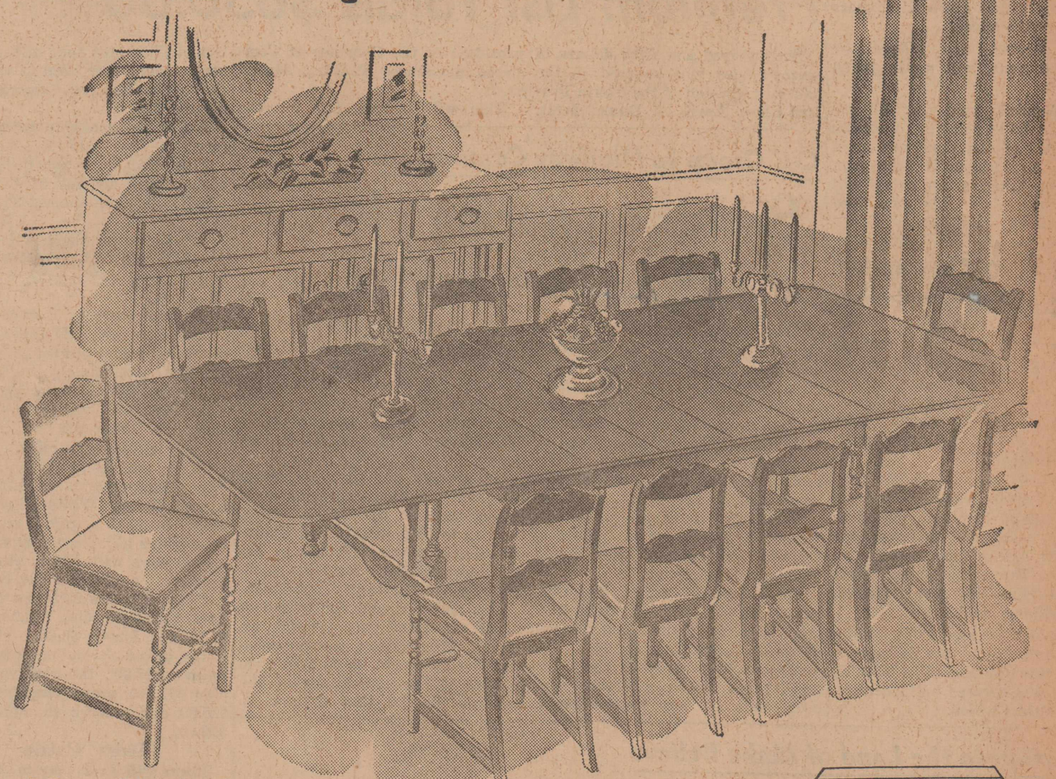

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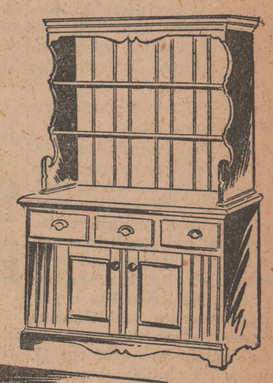

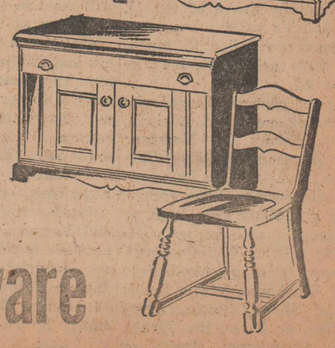

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Dodson News

The weather is fine, if you like showers of sand, for we have had some good ones.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Painter were visitors in Amarillo, Tulia and Hereford recently.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Bolton and children of Dumas were guests here last week of Mr. and Mrs. Sherd Bolton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Abbott of Mangum, Okla., visited here Friday with Mrs. Mattie Jameson.

We are sorry to report Mrs. James as being on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Branum and Bennie Z. of Amarillo were visiting here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dumire and boys of Childress spent the week end here.

Mrs. Nita Dodson McCullough and Mrs. X. R. Hyde of Fort Worth are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Dodson here this week.

Mrs. Howard Hunt and boys, Jeanette and Zenith Swift, and Mrs. Z. McKinney spent Saturday in Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McCutchen and Mrs. Effie Stanley were in Snyder last week to visit Miss Peggy Stanley, who is working in a telephone office there. They returned by Clovis, New Mexiro, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Elton Owens. Mrs. Owens came home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jameson and family of Plainview visited here Sunday with Mrs. Mattie Jameson, the G. E. Hunts, Van Bonneaus, Pete O'Briens, and Howard Hunts.

Billie Dale Hunt of Lubbock visited his parents here Sunday.

Our community was saddened Sunday by the passing of another of our pioneer citizens, Mrs. W. W. Carter, who had been seriously ill in St. Joseph's Hospital, Wellington. Mrs. Carter was known and loved by the Dodson and surrounding communities, and will be greatly missed by all.

Mrs. E. H. Dodson, who has been receiving treatment in a Vernon hospital, is better and has returned home.

Loco Girl Burned Painfully Sunday

By BETHINE ADKINS

Kathryn Cates received minor burns Sunday afternoon when she accidentally caught her dress on fire.

Her mother, Mrs. Velma Cates, received burns on her hands when she put out the blaze on Kathryn's dress.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Springer and children, Allen, Arthur and Anola of Cactus visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Capps and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomason and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gholson returned from Springfield, Mass., last Thursday.

Walt Chambers of Denton was in Wellington on business Saturday, and also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Gholson and family of Quanah were here Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Holton and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gholson.

Mrs. Sid Harrison was in Oklahoma City last week at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Beulah Hutchinson, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stansell and daughters Ruth, Beth and Ann of Olton visited her father, W. M. Forbis and other relatives over the week end.

Mack Saied Jr. visited in Lubbock Sunday.

Buddy Forbis was a business visitor in Snyder Friday.

Mrs. Laura Campbell of Turkey was here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Howell of Sterley were in Wellington Sunday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn.

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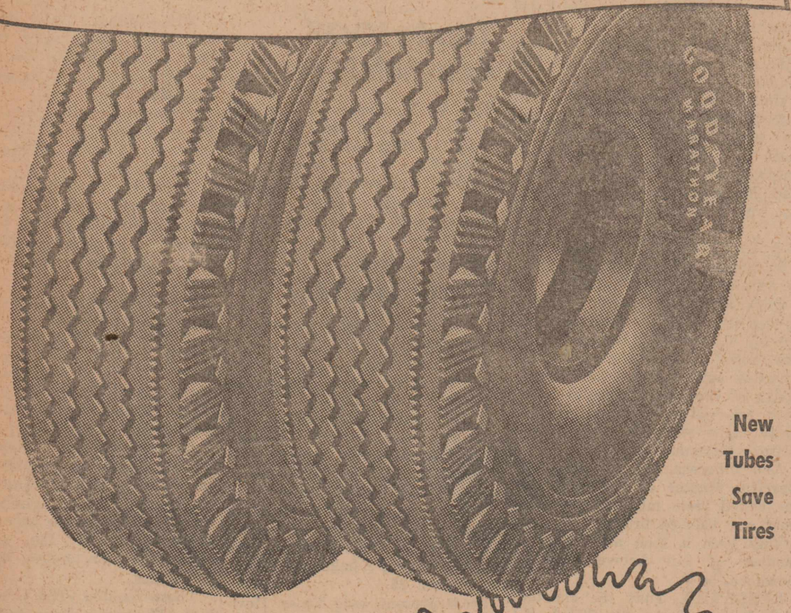

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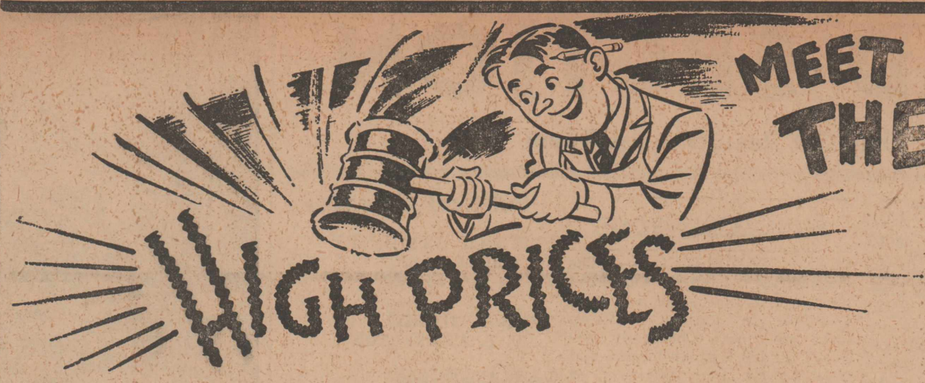

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CARD OF THANKS

We express our sincere appreciation to our many friends who were so kind and thoughtful at the death of our husband and father. Your words of comfort, and your kindnesses brought consolation to our hearts.
May God bless each of you.
Mrs. Bob Wilder
Robert F. Wilder and family

CARD OF THANKS

To all who were so kind and helpful following the sudden death of Bob Wilder, we wish to express our sincere thanks. We especially appreciate the Eastern Star and the Masonic Lodge for the things they did and sent.
Your thoughtfulness will continue to be remembered with appreciation.
Mrs. Bob Wilder
Robert F. Wilder and family

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our heartfelt appreciation to our many friends for their kindnesses and sympathy during the illness and at the death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. W. F. Manney.
Your words of sympathy, the flowers and the food sent have been a source of comfort to us.
May God bless each of you.
W. F. Manney and family

BUSINESS MEETING—
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SOCIAL MEETING—
3rd Thursday each Month
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Stated meeting of Wellington Lodge No. 76; A F & A M second Thursday of each month at 8:00 p. m.
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Political Calender

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THERE'S A STRING ATTACHED

Pictured at Chicago White Sox spring training camp at Pasadena, Calif., is this "batting tee"—the new gadget for driving players "bats." Outfielder Gus Zernial is getting exasperated as the ball comes back like a yo-yo each time he hits it, but it helps the young hopeful develop a sharp eye at the plate.

Wheeler County Soil Board Meets With Local Group

A joint meeting of the boards of supervisors of the Wheeler County Soil Conservation District and the Salt Fork Soil Conservation District was held here Saturday, March 18.

An exchange of ideas, and outlining of the work each board is doing made up the program.

During the business session, 9 applications for assistance were approved on 11,375 acres, and 6 farm plans covering 3,424 acres were approved.

Applications approved were I. E. Sparlin, 160 acres; Mrs. S. B. Jackson, 330 acres; Vera Dial Dickey, 2,749; Mrs. Lucy Green, 6,720; E. T. Vaughan, 320; J. T. Scott, 100; Jess Deger, 240; Mrs. Mary Sugg, 656; and D. R. Shanks, 100.

Farm plans approved were L. A. Greer and John Barjenbruch, 940; H. C. Stout, 640; Mrs. J. Deaver and C. E. Pitts, 640; D. M. Jarrell, 640; George Creed, Jr., 244; and M. C. Spencer, 320.

Attending were George Taylor, District Conservationist, Childress; C. A. Tidwell, Assistant State Conservationist, Amarillo; W. K. Frye, County Agent, Wheeler; Austin O'Neil Jr., G. I. Agriculture teacher, Childress; Dusan Pakan, Clarence Zybach and Howard Rogers, Wheeler County Soil District supervisors; and Jake Tarter, Wood Coleman, J. F. Coleman, W. F. Ford, and Alfred Knoll, Salt Fork Soil Conservation District Supervisors; and J. W. Thomas, county agent.

Adv.

Voice of Wellington

Dear Son:

There is one thing that I like about Wellington folks. I mean one thing especially, and that is that they like to think things out. In a recent issue of the Wellington Leader, one of our banks had an ad that was excellent reasoning. It would be good for just any man in any town to read this and give it some consideration. It reads as follows: "Do you trade with our local merchants? They are an important part of our commlnity and take pride in it. They contribute time and money for civic improvements. Their merchandise is on display for inspection and is available without delay when you want it. They anticipate your requirements and invest substantial sums to purchase and carry thousands of items in various sizes, patterns, styles, designs, colors and qualities. Would you like to live in a town unless it had good stores?"

Personally, I'm glad to be living in a town where the bankers think in such concise and challenging language. It is our desire to serve Wellington and Collingsworth county through broadcasting daily items of local interest. In trying to do this, we are receiving fine cooperation from local merchants who like to deal with local men in our combined efforts to build Wellington into a finer place to fully enjoy. Our studio is always and conveniently available for use of Collingsworth schools, and we believe that as Wellington merchants reason things out, our ads from them will be without high-pressure methods and the results will be entirely satisfactory.

As ever,
Dad

Dean Stayton Dies Friday

Dean Stayton, who formerly lived here, but who has made his home at Retrop, Okla., since being released from the U. S. Navy after World War II, died in a Sentinel Hospital Friday, March 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Stayton came here about 1934. He farmed for several years, then was in charge of the parts department of the Collingsworth Motor Company until they moved to Shamrock in 1940. He entered the Navy in 1942, and had considerable service overseas.

Mr. Stayton was 46 years of age. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the American Legion.

Funeral services were held Sunday at the First Baptist Church at Retrop, with the Rev. Aaron Hacker and the Rev. Dewey Horton in charge. Burial was in the Port cemetery.

Mr. Stayton is survived by his wife, a brother and sister and his mother.

Going from here to attend the funeral service were Dave Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Zook Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell, Harold Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Long, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Yates.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

In Memory of Brother Bob Wilder, who died March 15, 1950.

Once again a Brother Mason, having completed the designs written for him on life's trestle board, has passed through the portals of Eternity and entered the Grand Lodge of the New Jerusalem and hath received as his reward the white stone with the new name written thereon.

And Whereas, the All-wise and Merciful Master of the Universe has called from labor to refreshment our beloved brother, and he having been a true and faithful member of our beloved Order, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the charter of Wellington Lodge No. 763 A. F. & A. M. of Wellington, Texas, in testimony of our loss, be draped in mourning for thirty days, and that we tender to the family of our deceased brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

Frank Anderson
H. A. Wynn
J. T. Forbis

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their help, kindness and flowers during the illness and passing of our beloved husband and father. Especially do we thank the doctors, Sisters and nurses at St. Joseph's Hospital.

The family of Thomas R. Daves

Mrs. Howard Goodrich of Amarillo visited her father, W. M. Tucker here early this week.

Cantatas and operas differ in that a cantata is a musical drama sung without costume, scenery or action, while those things are present in an opera.

Most musical terms are derived from the Italian language.

Society News

Peggy Pierson to Wed Bob Fowler

Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Peggy Ann Pierson, former Wellington junior high school teacher, to Robert R. Fowler.

Miss Pierson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Pierson of Mangum, Okla., and Mr. Fowler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fowler of Fort Worth.

The wedding will take place in the First Methodist church in Mangum, June 4.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Mangum high school and Oklahoma College for Women, Chickasha.

While attending O C W, Miss Pierson was a member of De Gamma Ve social club, serving one year as president. She also was a charter member of Zeta Phi Eta, national speech fraternity, and a member of Cap and Bells. The Literatae and YWCA. She taught in Wellington junior high school last year and is now teaching in Springlake.

Mr. Fowler was graduated from Northside high school, Fort Worth, where he was affiliated with the Aviation club. He attended Texas Christian University, Fort Worth.

While in military service in the South Pacific he was a Japanese prisoner of war for several months. He is an employe of the Singer Sewing machine company in Fort Worth.

Salt Fork W.S.C.S. Has Meeting

The Salt Fork Society of Christian Service met Friday night, March 17, at the church.

Services opened with the singing of "Holy Holy," followed by a prayer by Mrs. Richardson.

Mrs. Ted Isbell gave the scripture reading, and Mrs. Wright led in prayer.

Mrs. J. P. Cummings and Mrs. Wright made interesting talks on Japan yesterday and today, and Mrs. Richardson read a report from one Missionary.

Rev. Richardson gave a talk and instructions on the visitation campaign.

The group had met on Wednesday night, March 15, and heard a message by the pastor, and his plans for the visitation program.

There were six members present and five visitors.

The next meeting will be Friday night, April 14, and everyone is invited to attend.

Trio to IOOF Rebekah Meet

Mrs. W. M. Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kersten were in Dallas during the first part of the week to attend the State Convention of the IOOF and Rebekah Lodges.

The convention opened Sunday and continued through Tuesday.

H. D. Club Meets Thursday

By MRS. Z. O. McKINNEY

The Dodson Home Demonstration Club meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Homo Yarbrough Thursday, March 14.

A very interesting meeting was held, and Miss Jo Wiley, County Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on "The Three Large Things in the Kitchen."

A report on the trip to the State Hospital was given and the needs put before the Club. Members also voted on having a bake sale Saturday, March 25.

Those present were Mmes. Howard Hunt, Tom Bowling, Thurman Crownover, Wayne Reynolds, Billie Brewster, Kenneth King, John Lowrie, Ben Bogle, Z. McKinney, Marvin Wynn, Chester Wadley, Orville Lowrie, V. P. Findley, Zeb Wilhite, and hostess, Mrs. Yarbrough.

Charles R. McMinn Killed in Crash

Leut. Charles R. McMinn, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McMinn of Lillie, was one of the three Texas National Guard fliers who were killed Sunday, March 19, near Fort Worth when two light planes crashed after touching wings in flight.

The two planes were from the National Guard base at Eagle Mountain Lake, near Fort Worth.

Another Guard flier who witnessed the accident told officials that one of the planes pulled up alongside the other that one apparently tried to swerve away, and that a gust of wind probably caused the two planes to touch wings.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McMinn attended the funeral services in Fort Worth.

Blackshear-Sutton Vows Read

Mrs. Thelma Blackshear and William Sutton were married in a quiet ceremony in Clovis, New Mexico, Wednesday, March 8, in the home of Minister Ervin Hunton.

For her wedding the bride chose a dress of navy blue alpaca with black accessories.

Mrs. Sutton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Raper of Kirkland, and Mr. Sutton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sutton of Wellington.

The couple will make their home in Wellington where he operates a taxi, and she is employed at Jay's Drive-In.

W. M. U. Has Meeting Monday

Circle No. 3 of the Womens Missionary Union of the Baptist Church met Monday afternoon, March 13, in the church for a program and business meeting.

The meeting opened with the singing of "Rescue the Perishing," and the theme of the program was "Is America Christian."

Mrs. Truman Estes entertained with some special music on the accordion.

Those present were Mrs. N. W. Murray, Mrs. Thomas McGeary, Mrs. Hattie Clifton, Mrs. W. T. Williams, Mrs. Truman Estes, Mrs. Ray Uselton, Mrs. C. T. Motsenbocker, Mrs. Jim Norton, and Mrs. H. B. Lowrie.

Mrs. Dewey Ellis Study Club Host

Mrs. Dewey Ellis was hostess to the 1924 Study Club Thursday, March 16.

Members answered roll call with first aid rules, and the program was the story of the life of Clara Barton and Red Cross today, given by Miss Katherine Boverie.

Coffee and cake decorated with four leaf clovers was served to Mmes. Clark Anderson, Jack Kopp, Tom Campbell, James Doneghy, Frank Eikenburg, Fred LeDerer, Chester Fires, John D. Glenn, E. K. Jones, Ansel McDowell, E. E. Silk, Jones Singley, W. O. Richards, and Warland Brummett, and Miss Katherine Boverie.

Mrs. L. O. Thompson Honored Recently

Mrs. Luther Owen Thompson was honor guest at a pink and blue shower, which was held in the home of Mrs. Jim Jones, Thursday, March 9.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Jones, Donald Coleman, J. P. Jones, Ravena McBrayer and Alfred Knoll.

Guests registered in a lovely lace trimmed, pink and blue satin baby book. After the games had been played, a bassinet rounded with lovely gifts was presented the honoree.

Refreshments of punch and waffle designed cookies, each topped with a pink or blue rosebud, were served to the following guests: Mmes. Johnny Young, George Childress, Alex Coleman, Willard Ethridge, Orville Cunningham, Floyd Thompson, Fred Thompson and Pat, Wood Coleman, Rolan Bran, Delbert Smith, Elmer Oldham, Mabel Pullum, Dub Marchant, Walter Deger, J. L. Alerander, Miss Camilla Coleman, the honoree, Mrs. Thompson, and the hostesses, Mmes. Coleman, Jones, McBrayer, and Jones.

Those sending gifts were Mmes. R. L. Thompson, Newt Price, Martha West, Cecil Brown, W. C. Conners, Claude Caperton, Exie Bockman, Willie Knoll, Tom Cunningham, Mamie Higgenbottom, S. J. Carrell, Odis Bradley, Barney Walker, J. M. Montgomery, Guy Lindley, Lee Christie, Lucie Montgomery, Jim Clark, Frank Mayo, and Cathy, Miss Patty Ethridge, and Mrs. Charlie Bradley.

Midway H. D. Club Meets Wednesday

Mrs. Ben Brewer was hostess to the Midway Home Demonstration club Wednesday afternoon, March 15. Mrs. Charles Cason and Mrs. W. C. Cleveland gave the demonstration on fitting, laying and cutting of patterns.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Earl Harrison, A. R. Nelson, J. R. Nelson, B. W. Beaird, Les White, Tom Caldwell, Cason, Cleveland, Emmett Cook, Harry Leonhardt, F. Popwell, W. S. Bearden, Miss Jo Wylie, agent, Miss Jessie Fuson, and the hostess, Mrs. Brewer.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Tom Caldwell, April 5.

"Everything Happens to Us."

DODSON SENIORS PRESENT GAY COMEDY ON FRIDAY EVENING

The Seniors of Dodson High will present their play, "Aunt Tillie Goes to Town," Friday night, March 24, in the high school auditorium. The curtain will rise at 8:00 upon a riotous three act comedy.

The story concerns Aunt Tillie Trask, an eccentric maiden lady, who is occupying her country home near a smart Summer resort. She is greatly upset because her favorite niece, Pamela Marsh, has announced her intentions of marrying young Mervin Tucker and spending part of their honeymoon at Aunt Tillie's. The telephone rings and Aunt Tillie is summoned to town by her lawyer on an important matter. She goes upstairs to pack a suitcase.

Mervin Tucker arrives suddenly. He has wired his pal, Ronald Howland who is vacationing at a nearby hotel, to meet him at Aunt Tillie's. Mervin deposits his suitcase in Aunt Tillie's living room, and goes out to look for Ronald.

Aunt Tillie comes downstairs, mistakes Mervin's suitcase for her own and departs for town, taking Mervin's suitcase and leaving her own. Ronald arrives looking for Mervin. The latter has decided to take a swim and when he comes back to Aunt Tillie's house he is wearing a wooden barrel since all of his clothes have been stolen.

Ronald pushes Mervin behind a screen, hands him Aunt Tillie's suitcase and tells him to change. The doorbell rings and it is Luther Lorrimer, Ron's wealthy employer who arrivse unexpectedly. Mervin comes out from behind the screen in female attire. Ronald presents him as Aunt Tillie and then the fun is on! There is never a dull moment during the entire three acts.

The following seniors make up the cast: Aunt Tillie Trask, Cleo Aaron; Lucinda Talbot—Virginia Cain; Pamela Marsh — Joan Langford; Lizzie Parsons — Wilma Hightower; Ellen Neeland —Wanda Hightower; Dr. Hattie Bing — Vonnie Bonneau; Mrs. Tillie Tucker — Katie Adkins; Charlie One Lung — Kenneth Rippetoe; Mervin Tucker — David Fillpot; Luther Lorrimer — Wendell Burge; Ronald Howland — Sammy Tabors.

Everyone is invited to come out and enjoy the comedy.

Miss Ann Killough Dies at Kirkland

Funeral services for Miss Ann Killough, for 27 years a Kirkland resident, were held at the Church of Christ there Friday, March 18, with Minister E. A. Sanders in charge.

Miss Killough, who was 82 years of age, died at her home there.

Pall bearers were Pete Clement, Clyde Nipper, Oscar Pryor, Robert Clement, Albert Storm, J. J. Goodnight. Flower bearers were Mrs. Clyde Nippert, Mrs. Albert Storm, Mrs. Oscar Pryor, Mrs. Pete Clement, Mrs. Elvie Baird and Mrs. E. D. Owens. Burial was in the Kirkland cemetery under the direction of the Ellis Funeral Home of Wellington.

Miss Killough is survived by a brother, Joe Killough of Amarillo; sister, Mrs. B. F. Taylor of Kirkland, and a niece, Mrs. Oscar Payne of Samnorwood.

SALT FORK

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gillespie and Linda Kay were among those from Quitaque to attend the services at the Wellington Methodist Church last Tuesday night. The Gillespies spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright. Mr. Gillespie has announced his candidacy for sheriff of his county.

The Gillespies are former residents of Wellington. They have owned and operated the City Bakter, Okla., had passed away. He is James and family.
ery at Quitaque for a number of years. They sold the bakery recently.

Mrs. May Gillespie was in Wellington with the Gillespies for medical treatment. She spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. W. S.

We all regreted to hear that Mr. Dean Stayton who lived near Car-Oklahoma, had passed away. He is a former resident of this community. Funeral services were held Sunday, March 19. Among those who attended the services from here were Mr. and Mrs. Zook Thomas.

Mrs. G. C. Wright and Mrs. R. H. Isbell are ill.

R. H. Isbell has a cow that has been ill with milk fever. Jessie Peters helped care for the cow.

Mrs. Lewis Morris and Darrell of Marella attended Sunday School here Sunday.

The farmers here are very interested in building some good roads. Several of them attended the road meeting Friday night.

Blake Timmons Files Candidacy

J. Blake Timmons Friday, March 17, filed his name for a place on the July 22 Democratic Primary ballot as a candidate from Potter County for U. S. Representative in Congress from the 18th District with L. A. Manzer, Democratic County Chairman.

He said that he will also file with the 28 county judges for the 10-months unexpired term in the expected special election, which will name the successor to Eugene Worley, who has been named a federal judge.

Mr. Timmons listed his present occupation as state representative as well as building contractor. He stated he has had his legal residence in Dallam, Oldham and Potter counties all his life and has had his home post office address at 1331 Broadmoor Street, Amarillo, since his return from overseas. He is 33, married, and has one little girl.

Seniors Make Plans For Benefit Show And Easter Dance

Miss Carolyn Cheatham was hostess to the senior class of Wellington high school in a business meeting Monday night, March 20.

The group made plans for selling tickets to the benefit show, Chicago Deadline," to be shown at the Ritz soon.

They also voted to hold an Easter Dance Saturday night, April 8.

March of Time Film at PTA

A March of Time film, "A Fight for Better Schools," will be shown at the meeting of the Elementary School Parent-Teacher Association Wednesday, March 29, at 3:45 p. m., Mrs. Harry Leonhardt, president, has announced.

Supt. Charles Roberts will act as commentator.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

A nominating committee to nominate officers for the 1950-51 year was named recently and consists of Mrs. J. M. Orr, Mrs. Henry Sullivan, and Mrs. Myrett Henry.

Stella Mae Harris Now at Bank

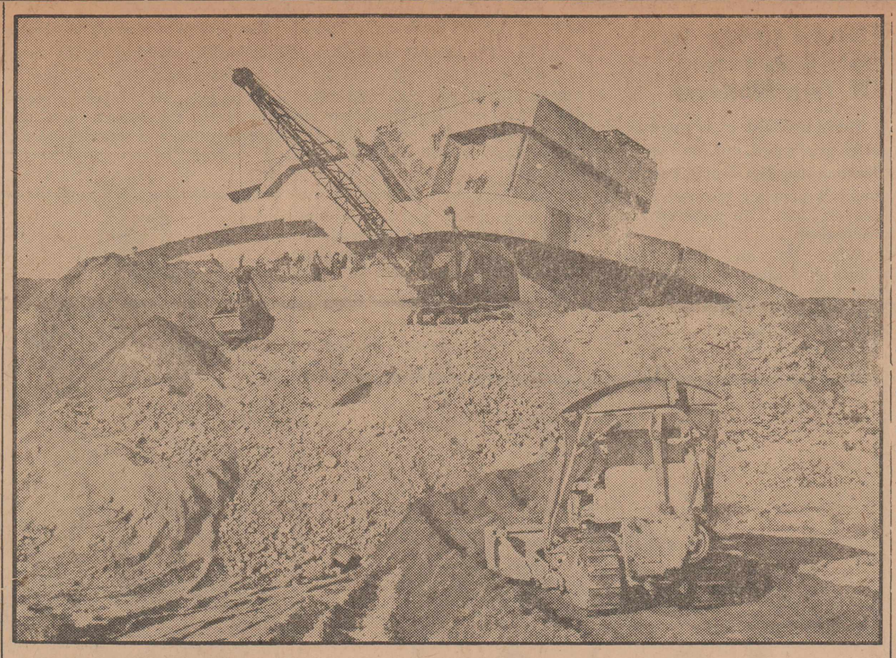
Mrs. Stella Mae Harris, who for the past six months has been employed at the Modern Market, assumed duties as bookkeeper in the Wellington State Bank Monday, March 20.

Mrs. Harris replaces Miss Betty Bennett, who recently moved to Tulia.

If the President and Vice-President of the United States should both die, the Secretary of State, an unelected official, would succeed to the office.

George Washington was first inaugurated to the Presidency in New York City on April 30, 1789.

Christmas in Scandinavian countries begins on December 13 and ends January 11.



SYMBOL OF PEACE

Workmen pile up sand to cover the ruins of a bombed anti-aircraft tower now designated to become a hill-top bird sanctuary in the heart of Berlin's British Sector. The tower formerly stood in the Tiergarden, one of the capital's most beautiful prewar parks.

Preston Smith Gives Platform

LUBBOCK MAN ANNOUNCES FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

PRESTON SMITH

Preston Smith, 38-year-old Lubbock business man, entered the political arena this week by announcing his candidacy for Lieutenant Governor.

Smith is a three-term veteran of the Texas House of Representatives. He was first elected in 1944 to represent District 119.

During his service in the House, Smith has been for four years a member of the appropriations committee. He has also served as chairman of the sub-committee on higher education. He is a firm believer in the application of sound business methods in the operation of the state government.

Born on a Williamson County farm, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Smith, he stayed with farm life until 1931. He is the seventh child in a family of 13 and has six brothers and six sisters.

Much of his career in the House has been devoted to championing the cause of Texas' rural people. He was author of the rural hospital bill and co-author of the rural telephone bill, and also has been active in the fight for farm-to-market roads and soil conservation. Smith has been a supporter of all veteran legislation.

Of his hospital plan, Smith says, "This measure will go a long way toward solving the doctor shortage in small communities. If the counties will vote bonds for hospitals and then lease them to some of the young doctors just out of college who have no financial means to build their own hospitals, the younger men will not be so inclined to go into the large towns where facilities are available."

Commenting on his race for Lieutenant Governor, Smith said, "Much of Texas' population is centered in rural areas and small communities. Unless you have lived on a farm or in one of the very small towns, of which there are many in the state, you can't realize how much is needed in the way of worthwhile legislation for the rural areas. Texas needs the services which the rural population provides. The rural population needs better facilities for day-to-day living. As Lieutenant Governor, I will continue my efforts to see that this important segment of our population receives as many needed improvements as possible, along with other necessary and important legislation."

Smith also authored the bill, in the House, which would require all boards, bureaus and state agencies that spend state tax money to hold open meetings and to advise the press in writing in advance of such meetings. The measure passed the House but did not get through the Senate.

Smith has been a Lubbock resident for 18 years. He has been in the theater business since 1936.

His schooling includes a diploma from the Lamesa High School and a degree from Texas Technological College in Lubbock where he studied auditing and accounting.

In 1935 Smith joined forces with another Smith — Miss Ina Smith by name—who is now Mrs. Preston Smith. She also is a Texas Tech graduate, born and reared in the state. The Smith's have two children, Preston Michael, 9, and Jan Lauren, 5.

A member of the Methodist Church, Smith is also active in the Kiwanis Club and is a 32nd Degree Mason.

Norwood Girls On Southwestern AAU Tourney Team

Two Samnorwood girls won places on the Southwestern AAU all-tourney basketball team in the recent meet in Dallas, although their team was nosed out of the championship in the fourth overtime period. Even so, they are playing in the National AAU Tournament at St. Joseph, Mo. this week.

The girls were Joyce Tippie and Cleo Brooks, and their team was the Wayland girls basketball team.

Defeating the Plainview college team was the Regal Beer team of Dallas. They played in the independent division.

"The Regal-Wayland game defies description," John Trowbridge, Dallas News sports writer, said. The final score was 30 to 29.

Miss Tippie plays forward and Miss Brooks guard.

Concert Group Lays Plans for 1950-51 Series

A meeting of directors of the Wellington Concert Association, with Lucius Prior of the Prior Concert Service, and Charles Thomas, a representative of the service, Thursday afternoon, March 31.

Miss Bonnie Willis, president of the Wellington association, was in charge.

Plans were made for the Concert Association Membership drive for the 1950-51 season, and the opening date was set at October 8.

The name of the Association was also officially changed to Wellington Mutual Concert Association, at Mr. Prior's request.

Election of officers was deferred until later in the year.

The Tower of Babel was 300 feet in height.

Maple sugar and rubber are both sap from trees.

Male ostriches take their turn setting on the eggs to hatch them.

Drug Crops Offer Cold Symptoms

AUSTIN — Flavor and drug crops offer new market possibilities to Texas farmers, Dr. C. C. Alberts, University of Texas drug garden director, declares.

He reports, as part of a continuing investigation, definite commercial prospects for growing:

1. Sage, a meat packing industry seasoning, in all Texas agricultural areas.

2. Coriander and fennel, volatile oils which are flavoring agents for candies, liqueurs, and pharmaceuticals, in the heavy soil of north central Texas' blackland belt.

3. Wormwood, an essential liniment ingredient, also in the blackland belt.

Sage, coriander, and fennel are harvested as grain by combine, but wormwood is mowed like hay and hauled to a still where the entire plant is processed.

Detailed information on southwestern markets for pharmaceutical and flavor crops may be obtained from the Bureau of Plant Industry, Agriculture Department,

John Elliot of Natick, Mass., translated the Bible for the American Indians.

Blayne Branum Heads VFW For Coming Year

Blayne Branum was named commander of the Glynn Moore Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in a recent election meeting. He succeeds Guy Bell, who has served during the past year.

Other new officers are Russell Yates, senior vice-commander; J. N. Glasgow, junior vice commander; John Coleman, Chaplain; Dr. D. V. Watkins, surgeon; Charles Allen, post adjutant; Jim Leach, quartermaster; William Worth McClaskey, secretary; and Truman Lindsey, adjutant.

J. M. Moore was named trustee for a three year period, succeeding Jim Brown. Holdover trustees are Jake Leach and Sunday Bill Smith.

From twelve noon to twelve midnight a clock's minute hand passes **the hour hand ten times.**

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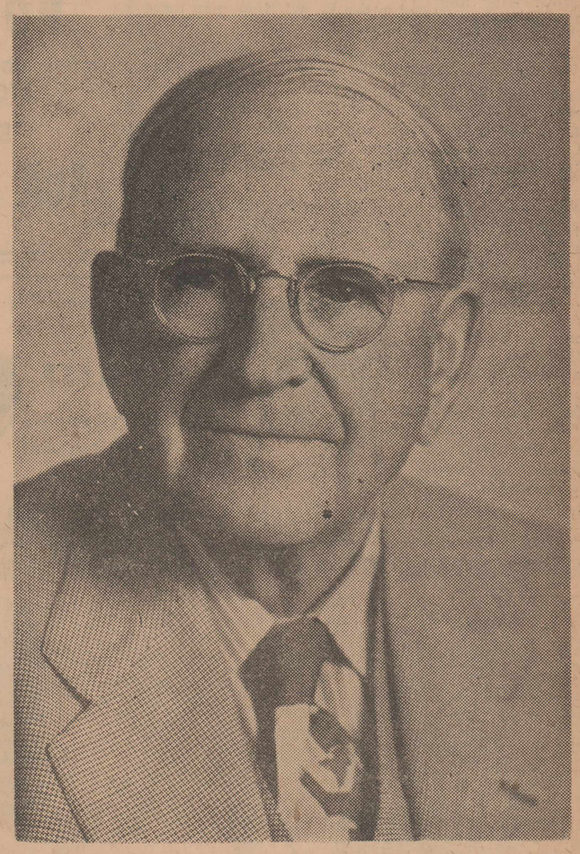

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E. T. BURK FOR CONGRESS

18th Texas District

SCENE: A store in an 18th Congressional District Town. A Farmer comes in for a little shopping.
MERCHANT: "What do you hear about the Congressional race?
FARMER: "Quite a bit of talk. Hear a lot of people say they're for this man E. T. Burk of Amarillo. He's got a good platform and lots of common sense."
MERCHANT: "I hear the same thing. Looks like Burk's got something on the ball. We need common sense. I'm for Burk."

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- **Burk knows the labor problem.**
- **Burk is not after a paycheck or a political career.**
- **Burk is paying his own expenses.**
- **Burk is not shackled. He can represent everybody.**
- **Burk believes in economical government.**
- **Burk is for private enterprise; against socialism.**
- **Burk will fight for world peace.**
- **Burk is the COMMON SENSE Candidate for everybody.**

(Every citizen of the 18th Congressional District is invited to write E. T. Burk, candidate for Congress, Amarillo, for a copy of his platform).

Get in the Swing —

BACK BURK FOR CONGRESS

Paid Pol. Adv.

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By BETHINE ADKINS

Rev. W. F. Richardson of Wellington, Min. Claude Walkup of Gould, and Rev. C. S. Bourns of Quitaque filled their regular appointments at the Methodist Church of Christ and Baptist churches here Sunday. Large crowds attended.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bearden visited in the A. A. Harbin home at Tell Wednesday night.

Mrs. W. F. Harbin is visiting her mother, Mrs. Faulkenberry, at Seagraves. Mrs. Faulkenberry is improving nicely after a lengthy illness.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Adkins and family were in Childress Wednesday.

Purchasing new cars recently were L. F. Cox, R. R. Crawley, Frank Campbell and the Mannahan family.

Attending the St. Patrick's Day celebration in Shamrock Friday were R. H. Lacy, E. C. Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Adkins, Billy Lacy, Georgia Ann Durfey, Bethine Adkins and Genevieve Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hagerman, Wayne and Dortha, visited in the Dave Duke home in Allison Wednesday.

Visiting in the M. L. and G. W. Adkins homes Friday and Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Adkins of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Adkins of Amarillo. Miss Estelle Adkins returned to Amarillo with the group for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and family visited Elmer Martindale in Wellington this week. Mr. Martindale has been sick.

W. D. Durfey, W. M. Durfey and Bill Durfey went to market in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nichols of Childress attended church services in the Methodist Church here Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Richardson of Wellington were dinner guests in the George Adkins home Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Claude Walkup and family of Gould were dinner guests in the W. W. Hagerman home Sunday.

Mrs. Gladys Young was in Amarillo on business this week.

Mrs. Clogene Mitchell of Wellington visited Miss Virginia Sachse here Monday. Miss Sachse has been seriously ill, but will return to her home in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. L. H. Wolf and Miss Neva Jo Wolf of Pampa visited in the G. B. Morris home at McAdoo Saturday.

Visiting in the G. T. Austin home this week were Mr. and Mrs. Don Austin and Betsy of Ralls, and Rev. and Mrs. Tommy Austin and family of Fort Worth. Rev. Austin filled his appointment at Midway Sunday.

Mrs. W. C. Minter is visiting in the Buford Minter home at Lefors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hagerman and Rita of Sweetwater, Okla., visited in the W. W. Hagerman home recently.

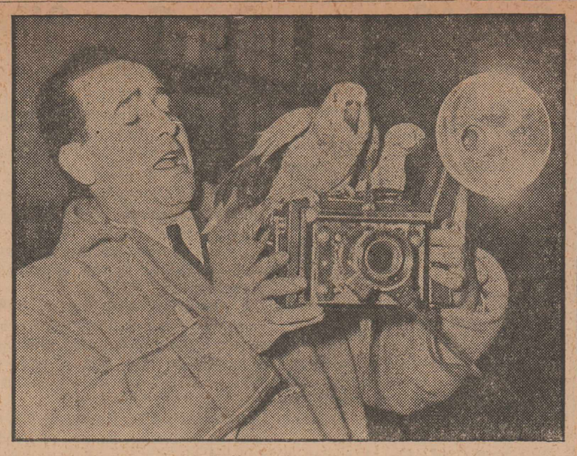
The Loco Home Demonstration Club met in the Bill Wolf home Thursday. Mrs. L. A. Sachse gave an interesting book review.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Massey and family of Hugoton, Kansas, visited in the T. H. Rainer home this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wheeler, Clarice, Beuford, and Glenn, and Mrs. Bettie Haltom, Mrs. Wheeler's mother, visited Colene Wheeler in Amarillo, Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Bourns and sons of Quitaque were dinner guests in the Ray Scott home at Arlie Sunday.

Use Want Ads For Results



"WATCH THE BIRDIE"

An Amazon parrot called Coco and an Indian parrakeet known as Pepe perch on the camera of a Paris news photographer as he attempts to take pictures during a show sponsored by the League for Protection of Birds. The photographer felt that he was given a well-illustrated example of what the stock-in-trade expression "Watch the birdie" really can mean.

Hand Painted Ties Bear Likenesses Of Two Pioneers

Men's ties with hand painted pictures aren't new, but the ones Dave Thomas and Jim White, two of the county's pioneers received recently are original. The pictures are of themselves.

When Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cloyd of Seattle, Washington, visited here recently, they took back with them pictures f Mr. Thomas and Mr. White, both mounted on horseback. A textile artist in Seattle reproduced each on a handsome silk tie, in natural colors.

The gift was from Mr. and Mrs. Audrey White and Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd, and was brought home by Mrs. Elzie White when she returned from a visit with the two families.

Mrs. Cloyd and Audrey White are the daughter and son of Jim White, who observed his 81st birthday February 15. Mr. Thomas was 73 years of age February 10. Both have lived in the county more than half a century.

Use Want Ads For Results

Mrs. Alf Wynn spent last week in Amarillo, visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson. Mrs. Wynn is recovering from the broken arm and other injuries she received recently when she fell at the Elementary School.

Jack Gibson and J. B. Stevenson were business bisitors in Shamrock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Holton visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ham Holton of Norman, Oklahoma.

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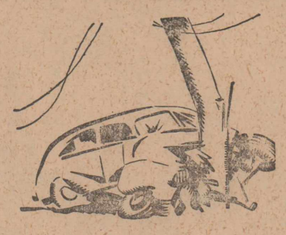

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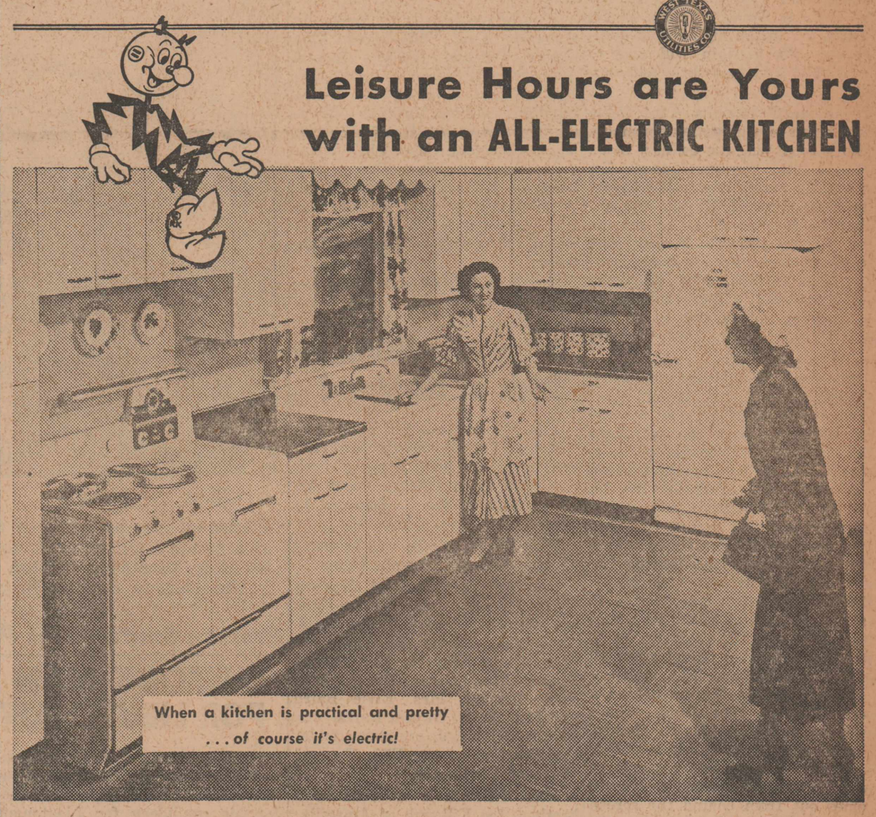

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EDITORIAL COMMENT — THE WELLINGTON LEADER
Thursday, March 23, 1950

We Are Not Ready to Fight in the North

With all of the talk of the "cold war" with Russia or possible war with Russia or atomic war with Russia, many have overlooked entirely something which will be of most vital concern should war with that nation ever comes.

This was Exercise Sweetbriar, the first combined United States and Canadian maneuver of its kind, seld near Whitehorse, Yukon Territory, and one of the roughest peacetime maneuvers American soldiers have been snt on.

Just completed, in the dead of an Artic winter, the maneuver showed one thing—that the continent's northern defenses are weak.

It was successful, however, in proving several points listed as objectives. It showed that men and machines can stand up to the rigorous sub-Artic cold, but that tse men and equipment of the United States and Canada are not ready to do it now.

For ten days, the 5,000 soldiers of the two nations maneuvered and fought a mythical "agressor" who had overrun Alaska and threatened the whole continent. Defects in the training of the men and the quality of their equipment came out quickly.

Exercise Sweetbriar - no one seems to know where the name originated - proved that radar cannot be entirely relied upon for warning of airborne invasion or attack. It also left a big question as to whether the two nations are equipped wits a force capable of holding an enemy in check in the northland for a ueriod of several months.

It is now seen that winter fighting will require the toughest indoctrination yet devised. The ordinary draftee or volunteer will be right out of it unless he has had months, possibly years, of extensive training. Officials admitted that only a force trained constantly in this region, and knowing its 50-60 degrees below zero weather, could be relied upon to make any showing against a possible invasion through tsis back door of North America.

The battle area in which Exercise Sweetbriar operated was a fantastic one, because of its grandeur and utter desolation. And the men and officers learned that an effective enemy always with them was the depression and despair whictend to settle on one when the light fades across the snows and the cold becomes numbing.

Officially, the operation was called a huge success, but higs Canadian and American military officials who attended as observers were inclined to be noncommittal when questioned openly. Off the record, some of them were plainly shocked over the state of the northern defenses.

There were bright points. Equipment generally was good and the clothing light war. There was room for improvement in the gloves and sleeping bags. Tents used by the men, of double layers of nylon, carry special steel deep-snow pegs that will not blow over, and are warm.

There is mucs to learn from Exercise Sweetbriar, and not the least of the things to remember is that Pearl Harbor is not necessarily a geographical location, it is a way of war, and can ocme in the north as well as to the tropics.

A First in Music for Wellington

Wellington's Skyrocket Band went up to the St. Patrick's Day festival at Shamrock Friday and brought home what is, so far as can be determined by the school trophy case, the first trophy the school has ever won in music. It was a first place trophy, and was won on general excellence.

The county's fine school musical organizations are deserving of much more recognition that they are getting.

Besides the trophy-winning Rocket Band, Director Rufus Johnson is training beginning band students, conducting a mixed choir of high school boys and girls to which it is a real pleasure to listen, and training boys and girls who are studying chorus for the first year.

Quail has at various times through the years had outstanding choruses, ranging from choirs for the little folks up through the high school singers. Directed by Mrs. Lowell Wells this year, their chorus not only has excellent voices, well trained, but their numbers given in folk costume are delightful. Samnorwood, with a growing concern for this type training, is stressing public school music through its instructor, Miss Sue Humphrey.

There are good voices and good musicians among these groups, and perhaps Mr. Johnson reached the point when he said, in speaking of his choir, that "They're good because they like to sing."

Continuing this young man who lives music and can get youngsters to live it, too, reminded that music stays with a boy or girl long after graduation. It helps him to contribute something to his community, not only in the choir of his church, but in more intangible ways. It adds something cultural that is hard to put your finger on.

The Leader heartily joins those who believe that with more music, more singing, any community is a better and happier place to live.

OTHER EDITORS SAY:—

Free on the Range

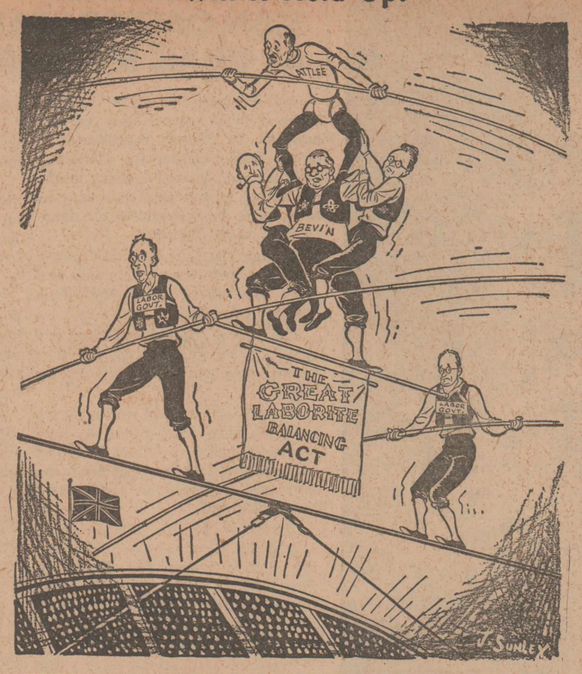
Since the days of the open range, cattlemen in the Southwest have strongly opposed needless government meddling with their business. Even the bribes that have been offered in price supports and other subsidies have failed to move many of them. Now, at their annual meeting in San Antonio, they are girding to fight congressional adoption of the unsound Brannan plan. This scheme is opposed also by three of tse nation's four big organizations of farmers.

The Brannan plan is a deceptive and, therefore, dishonest effort to buy votes. It would assure high prices for farmers and ranchmen for what they sell. While doing that, it would order low prices for the same products when housewives buy them in processed forms at neighborhood markets. The loss would be a hidden cost charged to tse taxpayer, along with heavy charges for bureaucratic administration. The sponsors of the Brannan plan apparently assume that the producers and consumers of farm and ranch products will forget that they are also taxpayers.

The cost of this fantastic plan would be so great that even its strongest advocates refuse to estimate it. It would encourage overproduction and waste. It would bring on unbalanced conditions that easily might lead to a serious depression.

The Dallas News

Will It Hold Up?



Farm and Ranch Chatter

With Layne Beaty, WBAP, Fort Worth

The big questions about the horsemeat deal seem to be "where did that many horses come from?" and "how did they get into restaurants and meat stores in Texas cities without being caught by the inspectors?"

The Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association wants to know those things, too.

It's just the idea of eating meat from a beast of burden, or a pet, or something we're not accustomed to eating, that turns most appetites against horseflesh. Actually, lots of people over the world eat it.

One fellow here said, why in Europe they sometimes headline the menu with it and charge $2 a steak.

People here eat a lot worse things sometime.

But they have the right to know what they're eating, and if they think they're getting beef, then they should be getting beef.

We aren't much concerned about horsemeat getting popular here, in our time.

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The cattlemen aren't nearly as churned up over that, however, as they have been about the presence of foot and mouth disease in Mexico.

At their meeting in San Antonio last week, they heard optimistic reports from the two men who head up the work in Mexico—Gen. Harry H. Johnson and Liciendiado Oscar Flores.

The vaccination program down there is about complete. Then follows a long period of rigid inspection, and the effectiveness of the vaccination work will become known.

Flores thinks it is possible to exterminate the aftosa virus in Mexico, oven down to the last virus in the laboratory.

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We observed some of the conditions in this regard while in South America. While ranchmen there do vaccinate and try to keep aftosas out of their herds, there is no large-scale organized program and so frequent outbreaks do occur.

Remindful of the Mexican campaign, is the new organized battle being started against rabies in east Texas. Rabid foxes, dogs and other animals have taken a heavy toll of livestock during the past year. The centers of resistance have become Wood county, with Quitman as county seat, and Tyler, where a 23-county organized vaccination program is being mapped by state and local health authorities.

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We don't know who sent us that half-grown grasshopper last week. He was too young to be a last year's hopper, even if he could have survived the winter. But they're plentiful already.

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By the way, the so-called "frost free date" in North Texas is March 13. But it's average, anyway.

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Time to plant some kinds of beans. Lawn work is in order, too.

Karl Marx was a German by birth, a Jew by extraction, and a Protestant by faith.

Collective farms in the U.S.S.R. are called Colkhoz.

James Russell Lowell was the first editor of the Atlantic Monthly.

Mongolia's great desert is called the Gobi.

The Milky Way completely encircles the world.

Hadrian (122 A. D.) built the Roman Wall in England.

Herbert Hoover into office as president.

"Gospel" means good news.

BIBLE COMMENT
FOR MARCH 26

Apostle Paul: Roman Citizen And Christian

When the Apostle Paul made his great declaration in Romans 1:14-16, "I am ready to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also. For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek." he was speaking as a Roman citizen, as well as a Christian Apostle.

Paul was a free-born citizen of Rome in a Roman world in which the mass of men were slaves. Many born in slavery had purchased their liberty with a great price, like the chief captain in Acts 22: 28. Paul, of course, had not seen Rome, though he was to go there as a prisoner, late in his missionary career. Rome was not just a city, but a world power, that had brought all of that world beneath its rule. To be a Roman citizen anywhere was to possess rights and privileges unavailable to others.

When Paul was arrested, through the false charges and investigations of his persecutors in Palestine, and could not get justice there, he did what citizens in modern democracies have often done when they have regarded themselves as denied justice in a lower court; they have appealed to a higher court.

Thereupon followed interesting and great events, the dire peril of the voyage and shipwreck described so vividly in Acts 27, the eventual arrival in Rome, the comparative freedom of his life as a prisoner there (Acts 28:16, 30-31), his writing of the great Epistles of the imprisonment, such as Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, and Colossians, the long awaiting for the justice he hoped for but never received, and the disillusionment that led him to write so differently about earthly powers, in Ephesians 6:12, from what he had written, earlier and before that disillusionment, in Romans 13:1-3.

Paul brought to Rome a power mightier than his own.

From the Files of The Leader

Other Days -- Familiar Names

Billye Tenison

Thirty Years Ago
1920

A committee was at work getting funds to equip and pay a baseball team for Wellington. The previous year, Wellington had one of the best teams in the Panhandle.

R. L. Scott received a new hearse and ambulance for use in Wellington. They were badly needed, as local citizens had been depending on other towns for a hearse for funeral occasions, and had to depend upon makeshifts for ambulance work.

Wellington Hospital operations for the week were: Otho Saunderfer of Wheeler, for an appendectomy; Mrs. Jackson of Fresno, and Clyde Clement of Plymouth, an injured foot caused in a car accident.

Twenty Years Ago
1930

Mrs. Clifton E. High won the Chevrolet Coach given as a prize in the subscription campaign sponsored by The Wellington Leader.

John Bevers was seriously ill in his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Campbell were receiving congratulations on the birth of their daughter, Tommy Anne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leach and Miss Inez Leach were in Dallas visiting relatives and attending the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

The Rock Island Railroad Lines opened offices in Wellington.

Ten Years Ago
1940

E. A. Gee of Dodson was electrocuted when he attempted to remove his son's kite from an electric high line.

Mr. and Mrs. George Green were painfully injured in an automobile accident near Kirkland.

J. A. Lucas was named vice-president of the First National Bank.

The Starkey Electric Co. completed the installation of a larger and more modern Propane bottle filling plant.

Dick Ellis was elected cheer leader of the Cub Scouts.

Joe McWilliams was in Fort Worth attending the Banker's Convention there.

Looking Ahead With George S. Benson

THE LEOPARD'S "FREE" PUNCH

Once upon a time there lived in the jungles of northern India a handsome young leopard. He roamed the dense virgin forests carefree and happy, with a zest for living and with that love of freedom which is intense in all members of the animal kingdom, including man. When he had learned to protect himself against the elements and jungle denizens, there remained for him only one real problem — food.

Early in life the leopard learned to forage for his breakfast and supper. He learned too that appeasing hunger didn't come easily. This always required physical exertion and the use of his jungle-bred intelligence. He learned, in fact, that satisfying all his wants sometimes was most difficult, but this knowledge only made the young cat work the harder.

Something for Nothing, Eh?

Bounding through the great forest, like a character in the Tarzan stories, our leopard grew to young adulthood, sleek, lithe and sinewy, a powerful and beautiful creature of 175 pounds. One day while roaming happily through a vine-hung stretch of forest, the big spotted cat caught a tantalizing scent on the down wind—raw meat. He wasn't too hungry but he swung along the scent trail to investigate.

At the edge of a clearing the leopard came upon the meat. It was a rich red hunk, odorous, tempting, asking to be taken. The cost? Nothing! The leopard circled it, sniffing. The animal really wasn't hungry, but here was something too good to pass up. He licked his chops and stepped in for the feast. Wham! The trap door worked. Four months later the leopard was the star attraction at the Oklahoma City Zoo, in an 18-foot deep concrete pit.

Zoo—A Good Provider

The zoo provided the captive with a mate, a beautiful leopardess. The spotted prisoners liked each other and they seemed resigned to make the best of things. Zoo Director Julian Frazier was delighted. He took a fancy to them. They got shelter, protection, cold running water and an eight-pound hunk of juicy horse meat every morning. No worries at all. But the big male leopard from the jungles of India got restless. He longed for the soft shady floor of the forest and the wind rustling through tree boughs. A basic instinct was at work. He longed for freedom.

Late one afternoon, driven by this powerful instinct. the leopard made a single incredible leap, cleared the moat, the 18-foot-high pit wall, and regained his freedom. While the hue and cry of the whole countryside was raised in pursuit, and front pages bannered the story from coast to coast, the leopard hid by day and roamed the woods by night—free. For three days he was lost to the world. But in those woods game was scarce. And thoughts of the lonesome mate drew the big fugitive back to the zoo area.

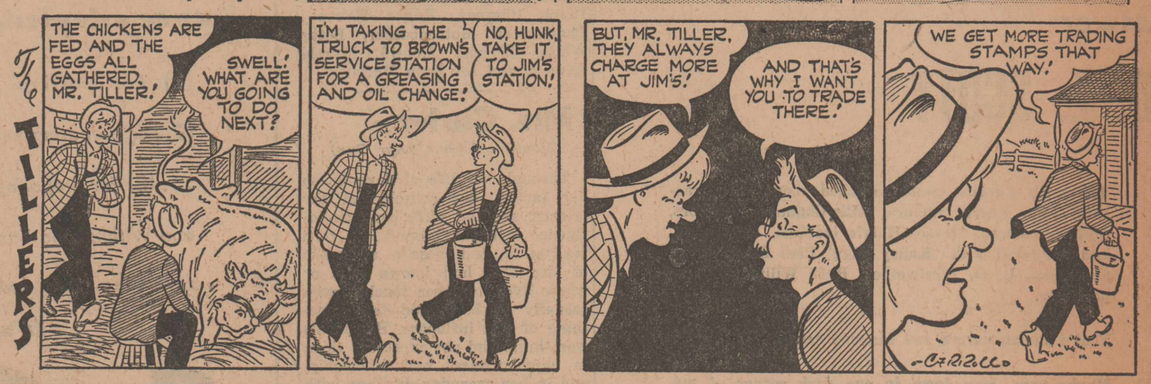
The Bait Attracts Again

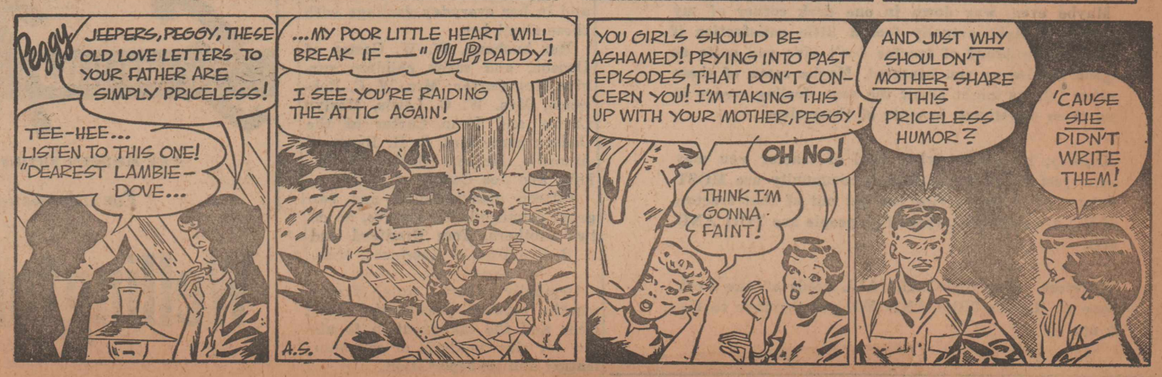
It was moonlight when the animal reached the encircling fence. One leap and he was within the zoo grounds and approaching the pit. He sent a whining call to his mate. But—ah, ha! The scent of raw meat intruded. Two big hunks of horse meat lay at the pit's rim. With a growl the big cat closed his jaws on the four-pound piece—another free lunch. The meat disappeared. The leopard attacked the second hunk, devoured it. Then, satisfied, he became strangely drowsy. He staggered down a runway and collapsed, asleep.

The captive from India never again regained his senses. Within fifteen hours he was dead. Zoo Director Frazier was grieved. The meat, he explained, contained a sleeping potion. And the leopard ate more than expected. Of course the zoo officials had only wanted to capture thefr leopard, protect him, and provide for his welfare in their own way. "We didn't want to kill him," pined the late leopard's masters. "We only wanted to put him to sleep. We thought everything was working perfectly."

Are we Americans, like the leopard, trading our liberties for a free lunch?

The O'KAYS by Jay Kay





Ticklers By George

"Heart disease is a major killer, it says here. The trouble with us Americans is that we're always in too much of a hurry. It's rush, rush, rush all the time."

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Only One-Third of Red Cross Quota Raised

Only one-third of the county's Red Cross quota has been reported, Mrs. Dora Ryan, treasurer, said Tuesday afternoon. Contributions so far are $703. The quota is $2,250.

All drive officials urged that efforts be doubled to put the drive over, since the need for funds is great, not only nationally, but locally, where the entire Red Cross income for the year is determined by the March fund raising campaign.

Only a few of the rural communities have reported, and there has been only one report from Wellington, one portion of the business section.

Contributors during the last two weeks have been:

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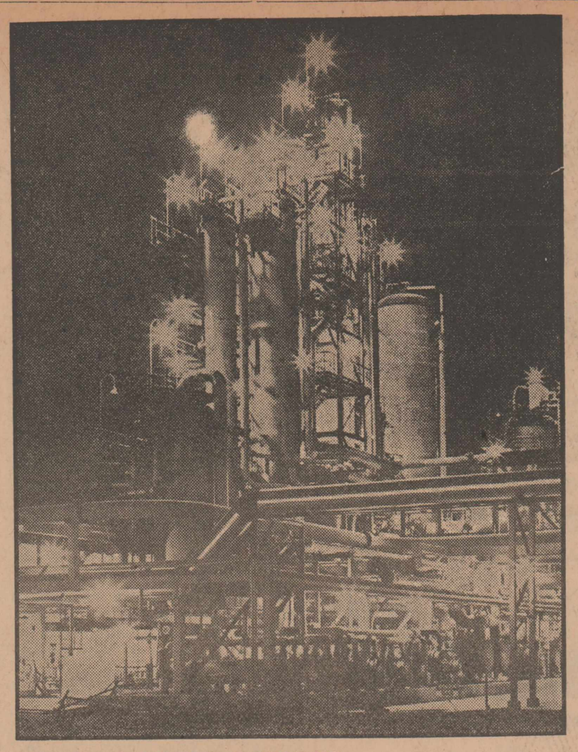

IT'S TEXAS, NOT TIME SQUARE

The lights of a new lubricant refinery at Beaumont, Tex., blaze in the night. These bright lamps are in the plant's phenol unit where petroleum is treated to free high-quality oils by dissolving low-quality oil.

Gay Operetta -

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ry, Denny Harris, Roy Dean Havron, L. B. Owens, Larry Hammons, Junior White, Dickie Sweat and Glen Warrick.

Party Chorus: Sherry McDaniel, Alicia Ham, Grover Graham, Jimmy Cummings, Jo Ann Langford, Joan Henry, Patricia Hughs, Janet Jones, Nell Wilkerson, Glenna Jean Ward, David Jackson, Taddy Hughes, Wayne Wells, Patsy Tompkins, Betty Davis, Wanda Bowen, Glenda Fay Ward, Lester Lee Dodd, Earl Nation, Leigh Carter, Cecil Berryman, Sondra White, Virginia Graves, Nell Smith,

Theda Martin, Linda Brantley, Wanda Brown, Barbara Bruce, Ascenith Thornton, J. Frank Garrison, John Stephens, Clinton Jo Gibbs, Roy Lee Cotton, Eulan Branch, Athen Lourie, Robert Owens, Kent Peeples, Stanton Trimble, Dee Holliman, Sherrie Smith, Edalaine West, Mary Parsons, Kenny Sisk, Betty Patton, Cinda Prestidge, H. W. Seeley, Carolyn Keller, Jean Williams, Barbara McCubbin, Harriett Leonhardt,

Nancy Castleberry, Novelle Branch, Fay Gray, Janie Sue Sorrels, Darlene Dodd, Peggy Somerville, Mary Joyce Mitchell, Lorettia Phipps, James Somerville, Carolyn Wright, Jo Ann Crane, Willie Johnson, Joyce Tye, Spencer McCormick, Brenda Young, Betty Jane Anglier, Anita Grissom, Bobby Dale Tyson, Catherine Sanders, Harvey Isaacs, Ronnie Thomason, Diane Puryear, Edgar Holman, Charlesreen Motsenbocker, Betty White, Michael Monrol, Myrtle Johnson and Joy Ruth McGarry.

Mrs. Carter -

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Through her life of devotion to her family, her church and her friends, she had made her own influence felt far beyond her own realization, and those in all walks of life who had known her, or whose lives had been touched even casually by hers, had felt something of this influence. Her ideals were high, and she expressed them in neighborliness and friendship, and in her everyday dealings with those about her.

Her husband, W. W. Carter of Dodson, and seven children survive Mrs. Carter: Mrs. W. C. Roberson, Mrs. W. C. Lewis, Merlyn Carter and Lynn Carter of the Dodson area, Mrs. S. H. Byers of Amarillo, Herbert Carter of Tahoka and Joe Carter of Hollis.

Fifteen grandchildren and two great grandchildren survive, as do two brothers, Tom Bradford and G. B. Bradford of Kascinsco, Miss.

Orginally there were four months between presidential elections and the inauguration to allow for slow methods of communication and transportation.

Norwood Juniors Give Comedy March 31

The Junior Class of Samnorwood High School will present their play "Everything Happens to Us" on Friday night, March 31, in the high school gymnasium at 8:00 p. m.

"Everything Happens to Us" is a three-act comedy with twelve characters. The Juniors who have parts are Nora Pearl Honeycutt, Duane Reynolds, Ronnie Gooch, Joe Henderson, Catherine Kirklin, Loretta Barnett, James Robert Cornell, Edna Pearl Groves, Dale Bradley, Martha Kidwell, Wendell Phillips, and Joan Tanner. Dolores Browning and Martha Kidwell are in charge of publicity.

Those who will be working on stage properties and advance ticket sales are Rex Peeples, Ruby Plunkett, Patsy Roark, Robert Ray Hill, and Pete King. The sponsors are Miss Mary Sue Humphrey and Miss Marguerite Light.

Gilbert and Sullivan provided the tune for the song "Hail Hail the Gang's All Here."

Stalactites are ice-like formations which hang from the ceiling of a cave.

Acreage Stil Available

SIGN CASTOR BEAN CONTRACTS AT QUAIL MEETING MARCH 30

Collingsworth County should make a good castor-bean raising area, B. M. Beard, representative of the Baker Castor Oil Company, Oklahoma City, told leaders in the movement to get this crop started here, after he had toured the county with them Tuesday.

Making the trip over the county with him were Frank Kennedy and Bert Weaver of Quail and Zook Thomas of Lillie.

The group studied localities and types of soil in the county that would produce profitably castor beans.

Only the blow sand sections were pointed out by Mr. Beard as land where the beans could not be grown successfully, but this does not mean they will not grow on sandy land, he pointed out.

Mr. Kennedy has called a meeting of all men interested in growing castor beans for Thursday, March 30, at 8:00 p.m. at the Quail school. Contracts with the company, which will purchase all seed this fall, will be signed.

Present indications are that there will be around 2,000 acres of castor beans grown in the county this year, on land diverted from cotton acreage.

Mr. Kennedy said that if as much as 15,000 pounds of seed are bought at the meeting March 30, they will be delivered here. The purchase price must be paid at that time, and the cost is 90 cents per acre.

Mr. Beard estimated that average county production will be from 400 to 500 pounds of beans per acre in this area, although good land will produce more than that and sorry land less. Mr. Kennedy estimated that 250 pounds per acre would be necessary for the grower to break even.

"This is an experimental deal. We're hunting people who are willing to plant castor beans on this basis, and if they prove out, it might be another staple crop for this section,"Mr. Weaver declared.

The Baker Castor Oil Company, which has headquarters in New Jersey and a branch house in Oklahoma City, will take all seed grown on land up to 5,000 acres at a contract price. The contracts specify that the seed are to be delivered in Vernon for hulling and marketing, but Mr. Kennedy said that an effort will be made to get a seed hulling machine put up here.

Interest in castor beans comes from all parts of the county, he said, and he believes that a fair test will be given castor beans in all types of soil in this area.

Forbis with Law Firm in Childress

Buddy Forbis, who recently received his degree from the Southern Methodist University School of Law, is now associated with the new law firm of C. A. Williams and C. C. Broughton in Childress.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Forbis, and is a graduate of Wellington high school.

Both partners of the firm have known their young associate all of his life.

County Census Takers Named

Enumerators for the county for the 17th Decennial Census, which starts April 1, were announced Wednesday morning, March 22, by Walter S. Shaller of Amarillo, district supervisor, through Mrs. Tiffin Young, county crew leader.

Working in Wellington will be Mrs. Darvin Nix, Mrs. Pearl Hill, and Mrs. Clyde Drake.

Enumerators in the rural section will be Mrs. Bill Hill, Needwood; Mrs. E. F. Bartlett, Wellington; A. W. Atkinson Jr., Quail; Ray Godbey, Rolla; Mrs. G. W. Stephens, Quail; Mrs. H. E. Wynn, Dodson; Mrs. Bryan Denley, Wellington; and Mrs. Bailey Hackler, Wellington.

Miss Benett at First National

Miss Lucille Bennett began work at the First National Bank March 15, Dick Wiley, president, has announced.

Miss Bennett, a life-long resident of the county, has had a number of years experience in banking work in various capacities, including that of assistant cashier.

During the fall and winter months, she was in charge of the bookkeeping department at the Wellington Gins.

Miss Bennett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bennett of Wellington.

A Balalaika is an old Russian stringed instrument.

Benjamin Franklin invented the harmonica.

Junior Senior PTA Meeting Called

A special called business meeting of the Junior-Senior High School Parent Teachers Association has been set for Thursday, March 30, at 3:45 p.m., Mrs. Clyde Drake, president, has announced.

This will be the annual election meeting and officers for next year will be chosen.

At this time also, plans for the amateur program to be held in April will be made, Mrs. Drake said.

Members of the nominating committee are Mrs. J. C. Ward, Lee Plante and Mrs. Johnnie Crawford.

In the patriotic hymn, "America," the word America does not appear.

Musicians speak of sweet music when they use the word "Schmalz."

Bryant, Barnett Buy Drive-In

Announcement was made this week that Tom Bryant and Joe Barnett have bought Jay's Drive-In on 8th Street from J. C. Ward, and are now in charge of its operation.

Mr. Bryant is one of Wellington's veteran restaurant men, having been in the business 20 years before selling his business last year. For an interval a short time earlier, he sold his business to Mr. Barnett, but later bought it back.

"We're mighty happy to be back serving the people of Wellington. Drop in and see us. We will specialize in good food and hospitality," the owners said.

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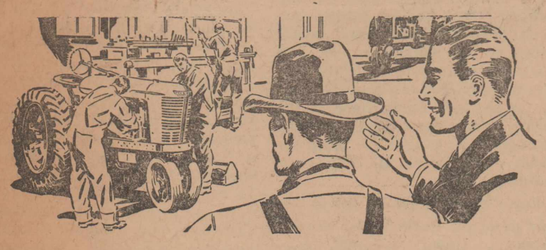

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All-Purpose

Collar cuffs and buttons from neck to hemline are set off with contrasting tone crepe on this go-everywhere casual in wool jersey. A famed designer's original, this winter wool has a wide convertible collar.

Louise McNeill Weds E. Brinkley

Miss Louise McNeill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McNeill of Wellington, became the bride of Earl Brinkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brinkley of Pampa, Sunday, March 19.

The ceremony was read in Clovis, New Mexico, in the home of J. P. Thort, Justice of the Peace. Attending the couple were Miss Ellen Boykin and Cliff Whitten of Wellington.

For her wedding, the bride chose a dress of copen blue with red accessories.

Mrs. Brinkley attended school in Wellington, and Mr. Brinkley attended schools in Oklahoma.

The couple will make their home in Wellington where Mr. Brinkley is employed at the L. E. Ward Motor Co.

Rebekahs Hold Regular Meeting

The Rebekahs met in regular session with Mrs. Marguarett Fuson, Noble Grand, Monday night, March 20.

Mrs. Ethel Loving was taken into the organization by initiation, and Mrs. Iva Clark and Mrs. Lela Carter were taken in by transfer from Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to the twenty-one members present, and plans were made to hold a bake sale at the Lewis and James Grocery Saturday, March 25, to which each member is urged to bring home cooked food.

Monday night, March 27, the Theta-Rho Girls Club of Shamrock will present a program here for the Rebekahs.

Mrs. Cleo Templeton Hostess D. S. Club

The Domestic Science club met in the home of Mrs. Cleo Templeton Thursday, March 16.

An interesting study on Kentucky and Tennessee was given by Mrs. L. E. Gribble.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Gribble, J. Frank Johnson, W. R. Orr, Pink Sullivan, Harold Watkins, L. C. Hill, Deck Wells, J. M. Orr, Henry Sullivan, Mrs. David Robinson, guest, and the hostess, Mrs. Templeton.

Society News

Coronation of School Queen Held at Quail

The juniors of Quail High School sponsored the annual pie supper on Tuesday, March 7, when Rosa Patterson, senior candidate, was crowned Queen of Quail High School. The fifth grade, led by a galloping horse whose rider was Tommie Souder, opened the entertainment. The group sang western songs and dressed in western clothes.

The candidates for queen were introduced by their escorts, and were as follows: pre-freshmen, Charlene Saunders, escort, Sammy Jett; freshman, Jo Helen White escort, Wallace Balsingame; sophomore; Ann Dishman, escort, Jack Neeley; junior, Ruth Koen, escort, Buddy Price, and senior, Rosa Patterson, escort, Kenneth Maxwell.

Judges chose the prettiest boxes that were brought to the supper, and first place honors were given to Mrs. W. C. Risinger, who also won fourth place. Mrs. Frank Kennedy's box won second place and Miss McElreath's box won third place.

Supt. Noah Cunningham started the auction by selling the box which won first place for $10.00.

As the climax of the auctioning, an old fashioned cake walk was held in order for the various classes to raise money for their candidate for queen.

Pie eaters who represented the candidates were Dale Johnson, Billy Wayne Weatherby, Loyd Parker, Robert Duckworth, and Clyde Shannon. First place honors went to freshman Billy Wayne Weatherby, second place honors to Robert Duckworth, junior, and third place honors to Loyd Parker, sophomore.

The queen candidates and their escorts entered in to the auditorium from double doors, and paused before reaching the stage to be recognized by Paul Spear as follows: Ann Ruth Messer and Roger Neal Messer, Judith Ann Wilson and Donald Driskill, Cleta Faye Kennedy and Tommy Pendergrass, Anna Nell Lacy and Neal White, June Smith and Gayno Wilson, Geneva White and Jerry Peeples, Frieda Jo Phillips and Carol Morris, Patsy White and Donald Ray Johnson, Joan Lacy and Z. J. Neeley,

Charlene Saunders and Sammy Jett, Jo Helen White and Wallace Blasingame, Ann Dishman and Jack Neeley, and Ruth Koen and Buddy Price.

Flower girls were Sue Wilson and Brenda White, and after they had been introduced Rosa Mae Patterson and Kenneth Maxwell entered with train bearers Harvey Melton and Walter Neeley, and crown bearer, Billy Jerol Smith.

All the candidates marched upon the stage which was beautifully decorated with a white picket fence, climbing roses, and morning glories. The throne was of silver with a fan-shaped shield of orchid tinsel.

Rosa Patterson, senior candidate, took her place on the throne and was crowned Queen of Quail High School by her escort, Kenneth Maxwell.

A group of pre-freshmen girls performed folk drills before the queen and her court.

Songs were sung by the junior and senior chorus under the direction of Mrs. Wells.

A total of $638.17 was collected from the pie supper, and from this amount the junior and senior classes each received $200.00, and the remainder was put into the school athletic fund.

Training Union Has Box Supper

The Young Intermediate Training Union of the First Baptist Church in Wellington held a box supper in the church Tuesday night, March 14.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Ray Uselton and Mrs. J. H. Williams.

Guests who were present were Misses Virginia Patrick, Betty Cagle, Sharon Elbert, Carlene Uselton, Maxine Uselton, Jerry Houston, Doris Weaver, and Jean Stingel, and Bobby Thomas, Floyd Hood, Odie Hood, Carl Wayne Hackler, Johnny Langford, Jimmy Strickland, Jimmy Leggitt, Phil Handley, Harold Wayne Moore, and James Frederick LeDerer.

Party for Sharon Motsenbocker

Mrs. Charlie Motsenbocker was hostess Saturday afternoon, March 11, at a birthday party honoring little Miss Sharon Motsenbocker on her seventh birthday.

Games pertaining to Easter were played and tiny Easter baskets with candy eggs and rabbits were given as favors.

After the gifts were viewed, cake and ice cream were served to the following guests: Patsy Tompkins, Jo Marie Barnett, Joy Hartman, Barbara Mayhugh, Vickie Mayhugh, Evelyn Leonhardt, Celia Lon Williams, Mary Beth Brewer, Charlesreen Motsenbocker, Mrs. Roland Mayhugh, Mrs. W. T. Williams, the honoree, Sharon Motsenbocker, and the hostess, Mrs. Motsenbocker.

Those sending gifts were Nathan Ann Watson, Wandell Williams, Lance Brewer, Mrs. S. A. Lasater, Mrs. Nina Johnson, and Mrs. Mary Motsenbocker.

Loco Club Meets With Mrs. Bill Wolf

The Loco Home Demonstration club met Thursday, March 16, with Mrs. Bill Wolf.

Mrs. Charlie Bearden had charge of the business session. Mrs. L. A. Sachse gave a book review on "How to Stop Worrying and Start Living."

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Herman Belew, Cecil Lockhart, Charlie Bearden, M. I. Wilks, Merrit Durfey, W. D. Durfey, Sachse, L. M. Bartlett, R. A. Scott, Earl Alexander, Ted Wheeler, and visitors, Mrs. Gen Johnston, Wanda Wolf, Jerry Sachse, Lynn and Donald Wolf, Betty Durfey, and the hostess, Mrs. Wolf.

Shower Honors Mrs. G. C. Vaughan

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. G. C. Vaughan, the former Miss Ludie Lee Baird, was held in the home of Mrs. I. T. Haragan of Dodson Friday, March 17.

The refreshments of cake, hot chocolate, and mints were served to the following guests: Mmes. G. C. Vaughan, Austin Provance, Cleve Milner, T. Crownover, Eva Lamb, Pauline Lemmons, Bill Lemmons, Cain, Jerry Seymour, Tony Weiser, Amo Fillpot, Homa Yarbrough, Lucy Mims, Robert Tabors, Buster Barnett, Kenneth King, Jack Crownover,

Boley Tabor, Frank Music, B. B. Martin, James Underwood, Johnny Baird, and Misses Shirley Baird, Jackie Powers, and Jessie Lou Boggs, and the hostesses, Mrs. I. T. Haragan and Mrs. A. D. Weiser.

Those sending gifts were Mmes. A. B. Smith, Tom Bowling, J. C. Howell, Billy Joe Langford, Dolly Whisenant, Nellie Robinson, Hester Williams, Kat Ford, Ed Crowder, Tolbert Painter, H. A. Painter, Z. McKinney, L. A. Rollins, Nora Wright,

V. P. Finely, Tom Underwood, Nora Lewis, Earl Reynolds, and Misses Della Bogle, Racheal Deahl, and Mae Jackson.

Mrs. Jimmy Scott Honored Recently

Mrs. Jimmy Scott was the guest of honor at a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. J. C. Scott Thursday, March 14.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Audie Scott, John Rainey, R. P. Scott, and J. R. Scott.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to the following guests: Mmes. Loyd Roberson, R. D. McCubbin, Tom Caterlin, Viola Clark, Leslie Baker of Dallas, Ace Rainey, and Porter.

Twenty-five persons who did not attend the shower sent gifts.

Shower Honors Mr., Mrs. Paschal

Saturday night, March 18, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Paschal of Amarillo were honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Ratliff of the Cottonwood community.

Miss Janelle Langford registered the guests, and games of forty-two and canasta were played during the evening, after which the gifts were presented to Mrs. Paschal. Mrs. M. M. Paschal and Mrs. C. G. Little, mother of the bride, assisted with the opening and displaying of the gifts.

Mrs. Henry Langford, Mrs. Zook Thomas, Mrs. Bill Long, and Mrs. S. R. Davis assisted Mrs. Ratliff in serving cake, cocoa, and coffee to the thirty-eight guests.

Those present or sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Langford and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Long, Mrs. C. E. Sullivan, Howard and Wayne Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Little, Douglas and Dick Little, Mr. and Mrs. Zook Thomas and John Alf, Mr. and Mrs. Tuffy Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Paschal of Amarillo, Mrs. A. L. Robinson of Quail, Miss Mildred Dokey, Charles Little, Mrs. S. B. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Loter, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Guthrie and Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Homer, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Derryberry, all of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Boyette of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jackson, Paula and Barbara Spearman, and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Jackson, all of Higgins.

Mrs. Odus Bradley Has Norwood Club

The Samnorwood Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Odus Bradley, Friday, March 10.

A report on the State Hospital in Wichita Falls was given by Mrs. Alfred Knoll.

Miss Jo Wylie gave a demonstration on the arrangements and selection of large equipment.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Donald Coleman, Willie Knoll, V. J. Simpson, Nath Thompson, Merle Whitfield, Claude Whitfield, Ruth Scott, J. L. Alexander, E. P. Tipps, Joe A. Coleman, Knoll, Miss Wylie, and visitors, Mmes. Hershel Bradley, Childress, C. W. Fritz, Lindley, Miss Ida Louise Knoll, and the hostess, Mrs. Bradley.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Willard Ethridge, March 24.

Relax in Slacks

Co-ed Mary Jane Abdill of Florida Southern College finds that a spanking-white slack suit with multi-colored blouse makes a handsome leisure costume for playtime on the campus and off. The outfit has a trapunto-worked vest and a blouse with flowing sleeves and long, pointed collar.

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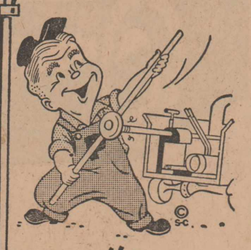

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Funeral Rites For Bob Wilder Held Friday

Funeral services for Bob Wilder, 58, one of the county's prominent farmers, and a leader in work of the Masonic Lodge and Eastern Star, were held at the First Baptist Church Friday afternoon, March 17, with the Rev. Howard Jones, pastor, officiating.

Mr. Wilder died unexpectedly at his home Wednesday morning of a heart attack. He had only the night before attended a meeting of the Eastern Star in Wellington and was in the best of spirits. He had, however, suffered from a heart ailment for some time.

He had lived in this county 38 years, residing in the Aberdeen and Seale communities, having made his home in the latter for a number of years.

Pall bearers for the funeral were Alf Wynn, A. A. Hennard, Bill Seale, Dan Henard, Orval Couch and J. B. Floyd. Honorary pall bearers were Dave Thomas, P. E. Starr, Marvin Seale, Henry Davidson, Dr. E. W. Jones, Melvin Seale, J. H. White, Ed Howell, J. A. Leach and A. Y. Bell.

Flower bearers were Mrs. Melvin Seale, Mrs. J. B. Floyd, Mrs. Lee Wilder, Mrs. Hubert Austin, Miss Shirley Winter, Mrs. Orval Couch, Mrs. Lee Huddleston, Mrs. Lanier Cook, Miss Nell Huddleston, Mrs. Billy Turrentine, Mrs. J. B. Davis, and Mrs. Buster Tidwell.

Burial was in the Wellington cemetery under the direction of the Kelso Funeral Home.

Mr. Wilder was born May 9, 1892, at New Boston, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wilder.

Thirty eight years ago, as a young man, he came to this county and had been identified with its activities since then.

He was a member of the Baptist Church, the Masonic Lodge and the Eastern Star, of which he was the immediate past worthy patron.

He was married to Miss Vera Winter March 20, 1914, at Merkel.

A man of genial nature who valued his friends highly, he had made a host of them during his years here.

Surviving Mr. Wilder are his wife; one son, Robert F. Wilder of Borger; two grandchildren, Patricia Ann and Robert Daniel Wilder of Borger; and these brothers and sisters: Cornelius Wilder of Levelland; Ted Wilder of Picacho, Arizona; Jack Wilder of Sallisaw, Okla.; Ralph Wilder of Oklahoma City; Mrs. Ed Dunning of Denison and Mrs. Earl Wellborn of Casa Grande, Arizona.

GENERAL'S GESTURE

Gen. George C. Marshall, president of the Red Cross, presents Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower with a corsage at a New York luncheon in his honor. Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, left, was on hand to hear General Marshall's speech inaugurating the 1950 campaign for the Red Cross.

TEC Issues Minors Age Certificates

The Texas Employment Commission and the Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Divisions of the U. S. Department of Labor have entered into an agreement which authorizes TEC offices to issue Federal Certificates of Age to employers and minors where the latter are employed in occupations having minimun age requirements, according to a joint statement issued today by the two agencies.

This certificate of age, the statement pointed out, is designed to protect both the employer and the minor against unintentional violation of the Federal Child Labor Laws concerned with the employment of minors. The law covering employment of minors is applicable only in those instances where goods are manufactured, processed or delivered for interstate commerce; to those engaged in interstate commerce and to agriculture during hours when school is in session.

Any employers employing minors under 20 years of age may apply for Federal Certificates of Age at the nearest local office of the Texas Employment Commission. By doing this, the statement said, employers can assure themselves against unintentional violation of laws governing the employment of minors.

The TEC has been authorizd to approve applications for these certificates and issue them when acceptable proof of age of the minor is available. If acceptable proof of age is not available, the TEC will provide assistance in submitting application to the Federal issuing agency — the Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Divisions of the U. S. Department of Labor — in U. S. Depart etaoisrshs Dallas, the statement continued.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses issued recently from the County Clerk's office are as follows:

Lee Roy Kizer and Miss Ona Bell Kirbey of Hollis, Oklahoma, March 8.

Will Joe Christoph and Miss Verna Nell Webb of Collingsworth County, March 17.

Mrs. Dick Richards and daughter, Miss Mary Ann Richards, and Miss Bessie Rainer were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Lee Plante, junior high principal, will attend a school principal's meeting in Dallas Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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A heart-pounding story of a typewriter-pounding reporter who sets out to unravel the puzzling circumstances surrounding the death of a beautiful young woman, the film, which employs the flashback technique, is suspenseful throughout and moves swiftly to a stunning climax.

Alan Ladd portrays to perfection the role of Ed Adams, two-fisted reporter for the Chicago Chronicle, while Miss Reed's characterization of the mysterious Rosita Jean D'ur is equally praiseworthy.

On a routine missing person story, Adams stumbles on the lifeless body of a beautiful girl in a cheap hotel room. Removing a black address book filled with telephone numbers from her purse, he returns to his office and attempts to learn something of her past.

Several calls soon convince him that Rosita Jean D'ur was many things to many men—to some an angel, to others a devil. But as each item in her past comes into focus, Ed is more and more attracted to the posthumous re-creation of the lovely girl.

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Johnson in ROTC Rifle Match

STEPHENVILLE — Walter Johnson, of Wellington, will participate, along with the other members of the Tarleton State College Rifle team, in the National ROTC Rifle Match.

The team started firing last week. Tarleton's team won the right to participate in this match by placing sixth out of 17 competing teams in the recent Fourth Army match.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Anderson of Fort Worth visited his sister, Mrs. S. B. Jackson last Tuesday. Together with Mrs. Jackson they motored to Spearman where they visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson. Mrs. Jackson remained with her parents, while Mr. and Mrs. Anderson visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Anderson in Perryton. They returned home the latter part of the week.

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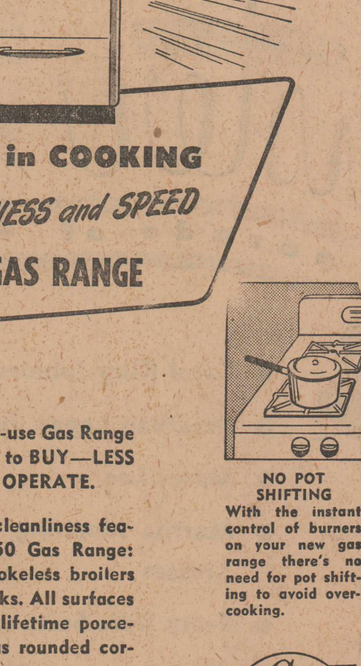

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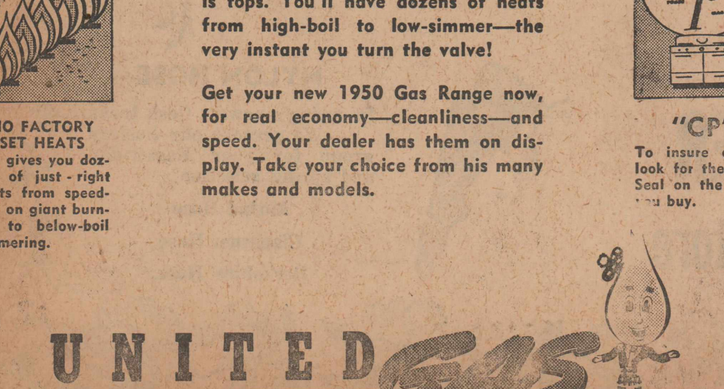

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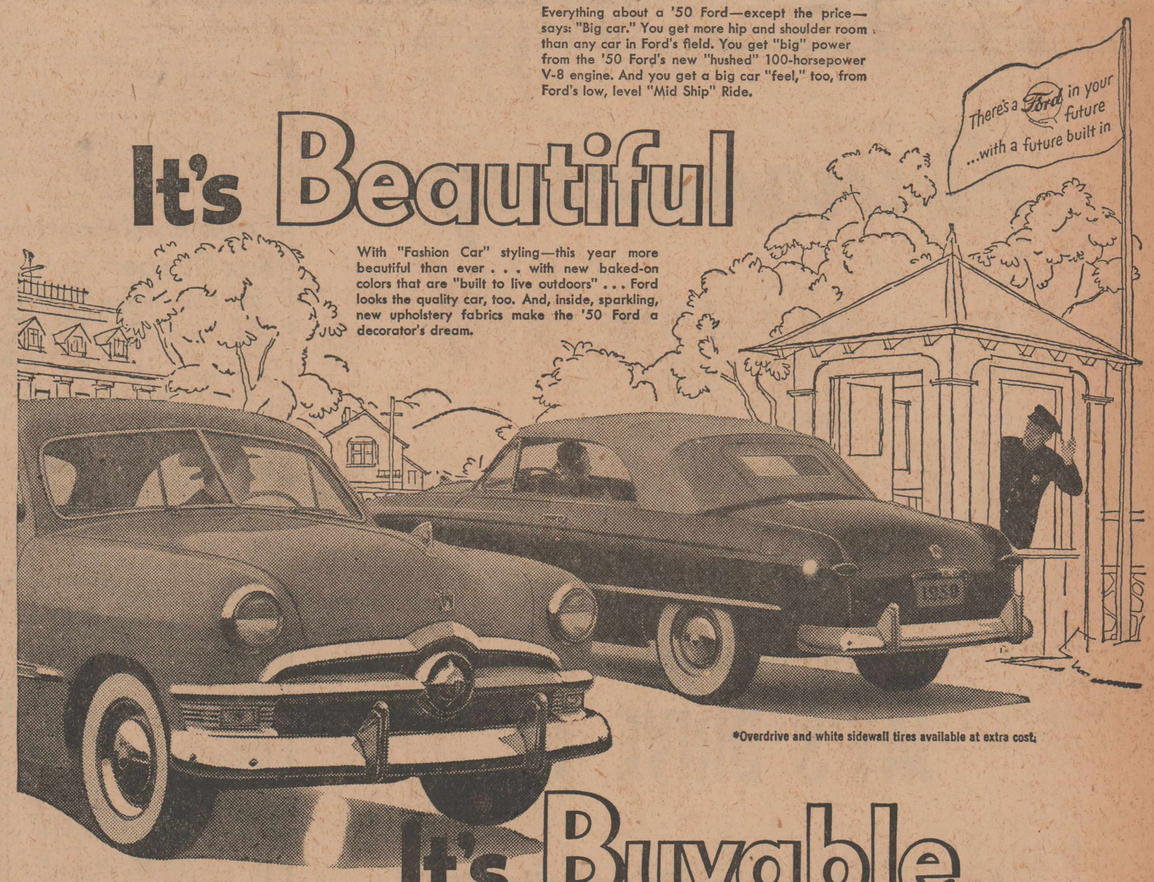

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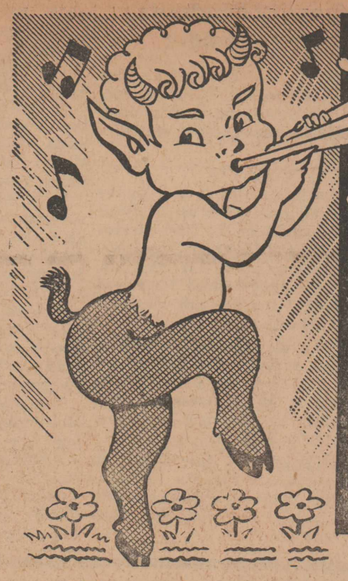

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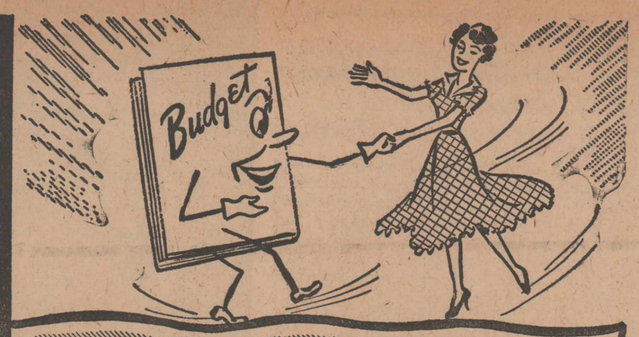

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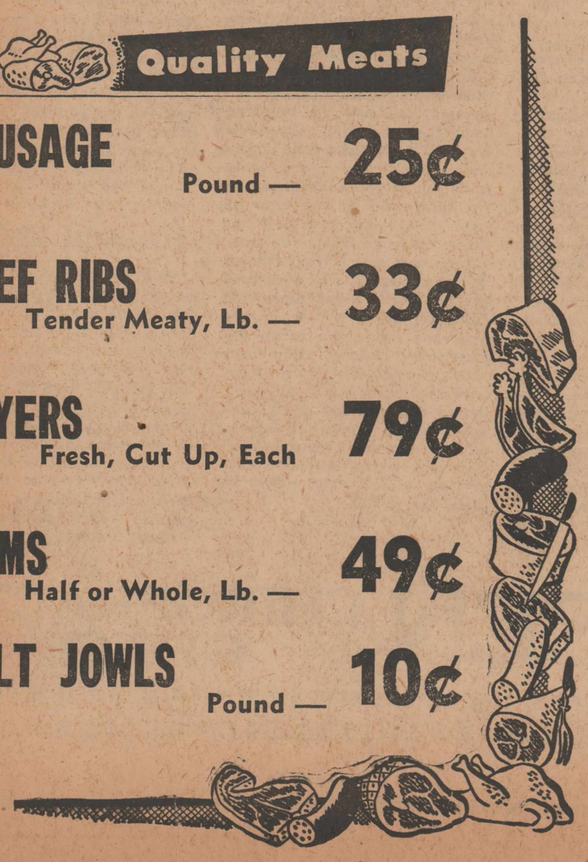

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Concert Tickets Good for Memphis Number Sunday

John Anglin, who will appear on Sunday, March 26, at 3:00 p.m., at Memphis High School Auditorium under the auspices of Hall County Concert Association, is a tenor with one of the outstanding voices and singing personalities of the age; and that is all he is. He has no colorful and vivid past, no hard-luck story to tell, no exciting adventures on the way up.

"We want to extend an invitation to the Wellington people having tickets in the Wellington Concert Association to attend our concert Sunday afternoon. Charles Thomas says in his opinion, Anglin is one of the best tenors in America, and we feel you will enjoy him," the sponsors said.

Born in Oklahoma City in 1920, Anglin made his first concert appearance in Oklahoma City at the Dunbar School at the age of eight, singing "Steal Away to Jesus" in his beautiful soprano voice to a Negro audience and getting an encore from them.

When his voice changed, Mrs. Zelia Breaux, "Patron Saint" to Oklahoma Negro musicians and music supervisor at Douglass, refused to let him sing until his voice settled. She was hoping that the rarely beautiful soprano voice would turn into an equally fine adult voice. She was not disappointed.

An important and interesting point about Anglin is that growing up in an age of jazz and jive, he maintained his innate artistic integrity. He was interested in all good music instinctively, and the chance to obtain tremendous popularity through singing "to the gallery" never held any temptation for him. For this reason he refused numerous offers to join popular orchestras who were anxious to have him as soloist.

Orville Cunningham Attends School Meet in Fort Worth

Superintendent Orville Cunningham of Samnorwood attended a meeting of school administrators in Fort Worth, which opened Sunday night, March 19, and continued through Tuesday, March 21.

School administrators from five states were present.

All Samnorwood Teacher to Meet

All members of the Samnorwood faculty attended the meeting of the Northwest Texas Teachers Conference in Amarillo March 10.

As is usual with the school, all classes were dismissed that day.

GOLD STANDARD CHAMPION

Returning from a pilgrimage to Washington where he tried to convince officials that the nation ssould go back on the gold standard, 84- year-old prospector Frank E. Gimlett suffered a stroke and was hospitalized at Joliet, Ill., He shows gold bearing ore samples as he preaches a gold economy sermon to nurses' aid Kathryn Masters.

84 Per Cent Texas University Students Church Members

AUSTIN — Eighty-four per cent of University of Texas students are church members a study of 1948-49 registration statistics reveals.

The figure is 31 per cent above the latest national compilations which shows 53 per cent of the U. S. population to have religious affiliation.

The 1948-49 University statistics are used because those for 1949-50 have not yet been compiled. "But the percentage hasn't changed much in the last 40 years, "Registrar's Office Statistician Byron Shipp reported.

In oganized religious activities, students are near national averages. Only 13 per cent of Church-member students were active in Sunday schools, fellowship groups, and training unions. Four per cent were taking Bible courses offered for University credit. Bible chairs are sponsored by church denominations and are staffed by 10 instructors.

Indications are that emphasis on University religious life is increasing. The Hillel Foundation, Jewish student organization, and the Baptists recently have completed student centers for religious activities and fellowship. Roman Catholics and Methodists will build similar installations epiccopals and other groups are planning expansion.

In keeping with the current trend to broaden teaching to include all aspects of life, President T. S. Painter has appointed a 10-man faculty committee on religious life, with Education Dean L. D. Haskew as chairman. The committee will suggest ways religious factors inherent in University work may be presented more effectively.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scott of Arlie were Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Scott and children of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sixton and family of Morton, Mr. D. M. Hobbs and Mrs. Harper of Wellington, and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd King and family.

Mrs. Raymond Ritter was in Wellington Sunday visiting Mrs. C. E. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Boggs of Hollis, Oklahoma, spent the week end visiting his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bledsoe of Wellington.

Prehistoric Foot Steps Part of Fossil Collection

COLLEGE STATION — Long before the dawn of man, a monstrous animal tread through the marshes of Texas, leaving the imprint of its two huge feet in the soft mud.

The tracks soon were filled, probably with more mud. Mineralized water in the mud in which the prints were formed turned it to stone. Through the ages, rock deposits formed on top of the tracks, then were eroded away again.

Some 135,000,000 years later, man, in his probing of the past, found the tracks of the pre-historic dinosaur in rock. Such a relic of the Cretaceous Age, found near Glen Rose, now is a part of the Dr. Mark Francis collection of vertebrate fossils in the museum at Texas A. and M. College.

The collection tells the story of animal life in Texas and other sections of the North American Continent, from the dinosaur — the largest land animal that ever lived — to the advent of the Recent Age.

It includes fossils of a Miocene rhinoceros, extinct for some 12, 000,000 years, found in the Fleming deposits near Navasota, and fragmentary remains of a Pleistocene horse that was hadly larger than a dog. Time of the Pleistocene Age has been placed at about 1,000,000 years ago.

Also included is the skull and tusks of a four-tusked ancester of mastodons and elephants. From the upper Miocene, the huge fossil was found near Cold Springs, in San Jacinto county.

Relics of the Pliocene and Pleistocene are heads from the mastodon, or mamoth, which lived until fairly recent times — becoming extinct some 25,000 years ago.

Still more recent but of an age proably before the dawn of man is the head of a giant bison, with horns which might be compared to those of its successor on the range, the longhorn cow. One specimen measures about seven feet between the tips of its horns.

The story of plant life in Texas and North America is told in the Dr. O. M. Ball collection of fossil plants, named for the first curator of the A. and M. College museum.

The remains, of leaf imprints, of Eocene plants which flourished 25,000,000 years ago are preserved in the collection.

Apart from the fossil collections but still an important part of the story of life to be found in the museum is an Egyptian mummy, entombed on the dark continent about 2000 BC.

A hieroglyphic inscription on the wooden case asks the Egyptian gods to provide the deceased with food, drink and clothing, "forever and ever."

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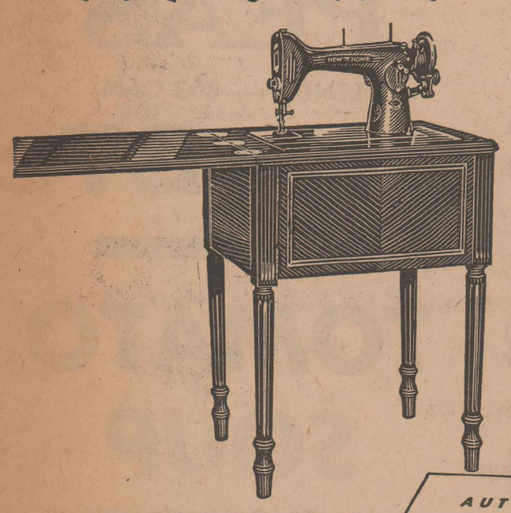

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"It looks like all my fans are getting wonderful benefits from HADACOL," said Wills. "It is a real pleasure to broadcast for HADACOL because the folks taking HADACOL are so enthusiastic that I feel like I am performing a real service for mankind."

Hundreds have told Wills of the blessed benefits of HADACOL and the following statement by Miss Carol Jean White, 3636 West Park St., Oklahoma City, is a good example:

"One of the luckiest days of my life was when I heard Bob Wills tell about the wonderful blessings of HADACOL. I had lost my appetite, my energy was down. I suffered with gastric disturbances and indigestion. I took the advice of Bob Wills and took HADACOL. I felt better right off and have felt better and better as I have continued to take HADACOL. I now recommend HADACOL to my friends."

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Bob Wills Hears About HADACOL'S Blessings

Bob Wills, famous western music band leader, loves to talk with his fans at the Trianon Building auditorium in Oklahoma City about the blessings of HADACOL. In the picture above Miss Carol Jean White, 3636 West Park St., Oklahoma City, tells Bob how much HADACOL has helped her. Hundreds of folks who are obtaining rich blessings from the precious B Vitamins and Minerals in HADACOL visit Wills each week for his network broadcast, which is originated from KBYE, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma's western music station, and sent over a leased wire to stations, KRMG, Tulsa; KWHN, Fort Smith; KGLC, Miami, Oklahoma; KLYN, Amarillo, and KWFT, Wichita Falls.

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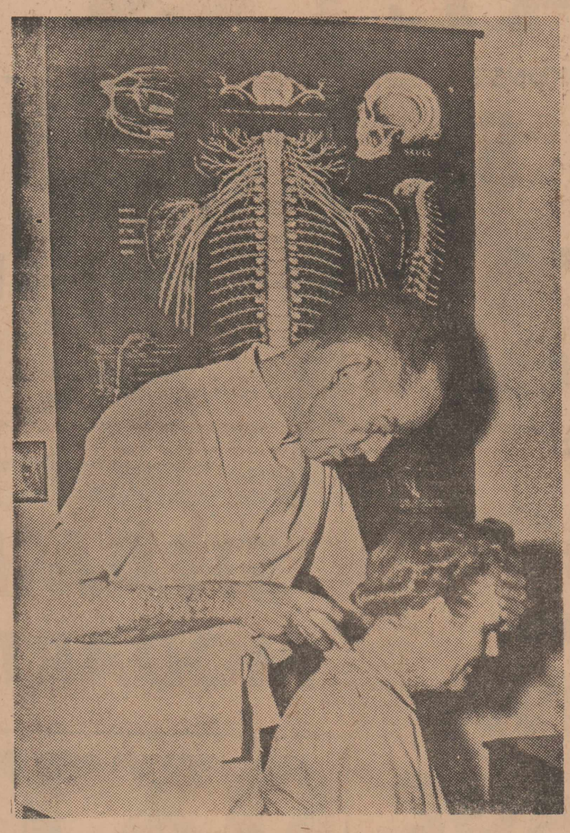

Examination of the spinal nerves given by Dr. Green locates defective nerves emitting from the spine on their way to the organs and glands of the body. Here we determine which nerves are defective when they return to normal and other data.

NERVOUS INDIGESTION

CASE NO. 371: A single working girl, age 31, suffered with backache, constipation, irregular palpitation of the heart and constant nervous indigestion, irregularity with severe cramps, nervousness, and headaches for a long time, although she had gone the usual round of doctors. She had become fearful that nothing would ever help her. In that state of mind she came to the clinic. The spinal analysis indicated nerve wave interference in the spine near the top of her neck as a possible cause of functional truble. X-rays of the area disclosed a subluxation of a vertebra. She recalled several falls that could have wrenched this vertebra from its normal position. Adjustments were begun. When she completed her service X-ray showed the vertebra in a correct position. She reported that all symptoms had vanished and that she was normal in all respects. Look at yourself in the mirror—is your neck straight, and is your head setting level or is your spine out of line?

HEAD PAINS

CASE NO. 1440

A man aged 55 years complained of shooting pains over left side of head for two years. These pains were constant every day. Sometimes the pain would dart into the ear area and would cause dizziness. He suffered from Asthma, too, and the coughing made the head pain unbearable. He went to various well known clinics where head X-rays were made for suspected brain tumor. No help could be had until he came to the Chiropractic Clinic where we found that a fall from a horse and a kick from a horse had misaligned a neck vertebrae causing nerve interference and defective nerve waves to the head and lungs. Corrective adjustments restored alignment which permitted a return to energization after which all pains ceased and did not return and the Asthma, which had been a regular complaint, disappeared. This man works daily in a supervisory capacity and claims he feels just grand.

KIDNEY TROUBLE

CASE N. 1459: A lady of 44 years complained of kidney trouble, albumen and pus on test, full feeling, backache, leggs ached, eyes swollen, hands swollen, excessive nervousness headaches two or three days a week, colon trouble and low blood pressure. Had an operation on female organs. Finally came to the Chiropractic Clinic where an analysis of the spine indicated defective nerves. X-rays located the causative vertebral subluxation and adjustments brought about a correction and the case reported feeling fine at the end of the period of corrective services recommended.

CONVULSIONS

CASE NO. 356: A young woman had been having as many as ten to fifteen convulsions daily. Treated for epilepsy without avail. Under special treatment for seven years without benefit. All hope for recovery had gone, when a friend advised Chiropractic. A spinal X-ray revealed a marked disarrangement of the neck, the result of a fall suffered when a child. Adjustments were commenced and after only a few months she was 95 per cent better.

PSYCHONEUROSIS

CASE NO. 1484: Case discharged from Army with diagnosis of Psychoneurosis and arthritis came to the Chiropractic Clinic complaining of constant pain in all his joints, and especially his spine and neck; nervous shaky spells, absent minded, blank spells of forgetfulness, dizziness blurred vision at times, terible headaches lasting several days, and a feeling that everything was wrong, that something was wrong with his mind. Spinal analysis revealed defective energization and X-rays exposed verte bral subluxation causing the nerve interference and defective energization. After a few months of corrective adjustments the alignment was restored to normal, nerve interference rmoved, and the case reported feeling well and completely at ease and full of pep and vigor. He said the past was like a bad dream.

STOMACH TROUBLE

CASE NO. 1533: A married lady of 40 years was being treated for the change of life and suffering from indigestion, stomach trouble, nervousness, sinus trouble, headaches, tender bladder and arthritis none of which had responded to any past treatments. A spinal analysis revealed the cause to be in her spine. Corrective adjustments restored alignment. She was discharged feeling grand, able to eat as she pleased without discomfort, and without a single pain complaint.

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GOVERNOR ALLAN SHIVERS LAUDS WORK OF SPECIAL SESSION

Governor Allan Shivers, reporting to the people of Texas on work of the special session of the Legislature which ended last week, declared that the purpose for which the session was called had been fully accomplished.

The session was convened to raise money to operate the State hospital system during the next fiscal year and to finance a long-range building program for the institutions included in the system. The Governor reported that the Legislature made $21,000,000 available for operating the system and established a building fund of $5,000,000 a year for seven years.

"As a result of this progressive step," Gov. Shivers said "our state hospitals will be places where sick people can be brought back to mental and physical health — rather than unsafe, unsanitary places of confinement where they exist without much comfort and without much hope of a permanent cure.

"Thus the 51st Legislature, already distinguished as a Legislature that has attempted to give Texas one of the finest school systems in the United States; that was the first Legislature to provide for a system of rural roads, and a Legislature that made a long step toward the control of juvenile delinquency, has now crowned its record with this humanitarian legislation of enduring merit and continuing benefits."

Money to finance the program will be raised through an increase of one cent per package in the cigarette tax and in slightly increased levies on beer, wine, whiskey, natural resources, public utilities, insurance companies and other items included in a tax bill passed in 1941.

The purpose for which the lawmakers were summoned was carried out in the first 24 days of the session, the Governor said. The remainder of the 30-day session was devoted to passage of other emergency legislation.

"These additional acts mean," Gov. Shivers pointed out, "that from now on, we will be protected by more stringent and comprehensive laws against sex crimes; that telephone service will be easier to secure in the rural areas of the state; that the search for a cure for cancer will be accelerated at the M. D. Anderson Hospital in Houston; that our battle against federal control of our tidelands will continue unabated, and that the legal status of many newly created or consolidated public school districts over the state has been established."

The Governor declared that the session's record provides "conclusive proof" that business methods will work in government.

"The success of this session is a tribute to the business approach to governmental problems," he said.

He explained that the accomplishments were made possible, first, by vision: "a grasp of the problem and a conception of the solution"; second, by orderly planning, participated in by a wide segment of the state's population, and, third, by "the cooperative action of the Legislature, the administration, the State Hospital Board and all the individuals, groups and organizations that had interested themselves in the program."

Governor Shivers said this formula was submitted to the people of Texas "as a sound basis for present and future operation of our state government."

FIDDLING WITH MUSIC

During the first rehersal of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra at Tel-Aviv, Israel, Conductor Serge Koussevitzky, left and screen star Edward G. Robinson talk over Robinson's "unparalleled" technique with the violin. Dr. Koussevitzky, apparently enjoyed the horse-play, is on a world tour.

Personal

Mrs. E. J. Norman was in Shamrock Sunday visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rushing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Schaded were in Dallas last week shopping for spring merchandise for the Hub Store.

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Harper and daughter of Childress visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Simpson of Hereford were in Wellington last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McPherson of Lefors were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther McPherson.

George and John Shadid were in Elk City, Oklahoma, Sunday visiting their cousin, Dr. and Mrs. Fred Shadid.

Guests in the home of Mrs. J. L. Burt Sunday were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Finley were in Wichita Falls visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Ingram and son over the week end.

Tanell Dakil, who is a student at Baylor University, is here visiting his uncles, Arthur and Ted Dakil for a few days.

Robert Templeton and Elroy Cooper were at Lake Kemp on a fishing trip this week end.

Jack Gibson and Fred Saied went to Oklahoma City last week and brought back a new car for Mack Saied, Jr.

Jack Gibson, J. B. Stevenson, and J. M. Moore were in Shamrock Saturday on business.

Aletta Coleman of Dozier was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital the 14th, 15th and 16th of March.

Little Wynona Faye Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hezze Jones, Bobby Baird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baird of Hollis, Danny Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olan Alexander and Mrs. Elmer Odom of Vinson were tonsillectomy patients in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Goswin Koetting of Groom is a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Edna Faye Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bryant underwent surgery in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Charles Dale, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Somerville is a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Carrie Archie (colored) underwent surgery in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

J. C. Ford is a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Phill Handley is a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Rita Brown of Vinson was a tonsillectomy patient in St. Joseph's Hospital Tuesday.

Allen Graves and Jimmy Graves were in Dallas last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ratzlow of Phillips were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pink Sullivan.

Bernice Welch is in Silverton for a few days on business.

Mrs. Alvin Horton and Mrs. Earnest Harwell were in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn were in Austin from Wednesday till Friday of last week visiting their son, Joe, who is attending the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bettis, Mr. and Mrs. Bill James and Joy, and Mrs. Elsie Johnson were in Shamrock Thursday night for the McMurry Band Concert.

Miss Rita Lowrie, student at West Texas State Teachers College in Canyon, was here Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Lowrie.

Mrs. Ed Howell is ill this week.

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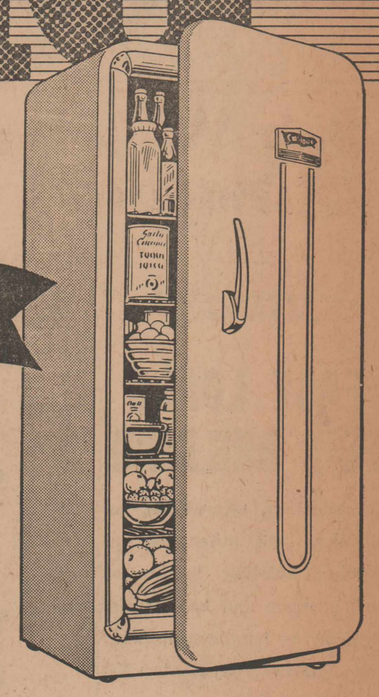

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Time Short to Get Tractor Ready for Work

COLLEGE STATION — Texas weather during the past few weeks may not have been the best for outside work, but right now is a mighty good time to get the farm tractor ready for the busy days ahead. According to W. L. Ulich, extension agricultural engineer of Texas A. & M. College, a good place to start is on the air cleaner of your tractor.

He says most farmers do a good job of taking care of the precleaner and oil cup, but the air cleaner itself is often neglected. About 9,000 gallons of air goes through the cleaner for each gallon of fuel burned, and he says you can expect a lot of dirt to lodge in the screen and element of the cleaner. The air cleaner should be removed at least twice a year and thoroughly washed in kerosene or a cleaning solvent. When it is replaced, be sure that all air hose connections are tight for a leaky hose makes the cleaner useless.

This is a good time to do a valve grinding job, but Ulich says the valves should be removed and the grinding job should be done by a trained mechanic who has the proper equipment for doing this work. The actual job of seating the valves can be done on the farm.

He says you'll want to remove the spark plugs for a thorough cleaning and point adjusting job. A steel brush will do a fair job but sand blasting is better. Ulich says to check your operators manual for the correct gap setting on the plugs. A gauge should be used in making the adjustments and a round thickness gauge is recommended for worn plugs.

While you are checking points, he says you'd better check the ignition breaking points. If they are rough, file them and then set the gap in accordance with the operators manual.

The next item that should be checked is the fuel system. The fuel screen located on most tractore near the sediment bowl and carburetor should be removed and cleaned. The carburetor should be cleaned and adjusted. Ulich says you'll want to remember that the carburetor is not a gas plant but is a metering device, and it cannot measure the proper mixture of air and fuel unless properly adjusted. He says the motor should be warmed to operating temperature before any attempts are made to adjust the carburetor. There are three major adjustments on most tractor carburetors. The idle stop screw which merely stops the throttle lever at idling speed; the idle mixture adjustment; and the third is the load adjustment. Consult your operators manuel on how to make the adjustments and the final check will come when the tractor is pulling field equipment.

Ulich says every tractor operator should be familiar with the operators manuel that goes with the model tractor you are operating and he adds, if you don't have one, better ask your local dealer about it the next time you see him. Ulich concludes that the life of your farm tractor depends largely upon the care you give it and the manual is the manufacturer's recommendations for doing this maintenance job.

HEN ADOPTS GUINEA PIGS

Betty Jane Robb, of Colorado Springs, Colo., kneels down to feed her motherly pet hen who is a busy biddy these days. The hen has adopted 20 full-grown guinea pigs and treats them as she would her own brood of chicks.

Miss Sue Anderson of SMU, Dallas, spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson.

DOZIER

Mrs. Loy Harvey, who has been in ill health for many years, passed away suddenly Monday morning at the home of her mother, Mrs. Davis, who lives in Shamrock. Mrs. Harvey had been taken to the doctor in Shamrock Sunday for treatment, and was to spend a few days with her mother. Funeral services are pending the arrival of a brother from California.

Mrs. Frank Massey spent last week at the bedside of her daughter, Miss Willie Massey, who was suffering with pneumonia at her home in Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Shields and daughter, Mary, went to Clovis, New Mexico Tuesday to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Andrew Taylor's aunt, known to her friends at Samnorwood and elsewhere as Aunt Sarah.

Mr. and Mrs. Shields will go to Portales, New Mexico and get his mother, Mrs. A. J. Shields, Sr., and bring her home with them. Mrs. Shields has been visiting her son, A. J. Shields, Jr., and family for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and son, Troy, visited their son and brother, Ray Clark, in Houston. Jim and Troy came home Sunday, but Mrs. Clark stayed for a longer visit. Ray is an employee of the South Western Bell Telephone Co.

Work on the Farm to Market road from Dozier to highway 83 is moving along fine. The gravel is on the road for over two miles South and East from Dozier.

A. F. Wischkaemper Sr. underwent major sugery in an Oklahoma City hospital last week. His condition is reported as good, and he hopes to be home in a few days.

C. H. Caperton has been ill with flu for several days, but is about the happiest sick man we have seen lately. He very jokingly told us he was "enjoying poor health," and we believe that he is.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Taylor and family of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting his sister, Mrs. Worth Shields and family.

Elder Covington of Tulia is conducting a revival meeting at the Church of Christ this week.

Leo Massey is a flu patent.

Time to Watch Typhoid Fever

AUSTIN — Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, says that the season of the year when typhoid fever is most prevalent will soon be here and urges everyone to clean up their premises to eliminate flies and other insects. A town is only as clean as the individual citizens and public health should be everyone's concern.

The typhoid germ travels from an infected person to the well person; this is generally accomplished by water, milk, flies, fingers, or food. Every case is contracted by way of the mouth and digestive system.

A carrier is a person who has had typhoid fever at some time and who even after recovery carries the germs of the disease in the urine and discharge of the bowels. Carriers who are careless in their personal habits are likely to infect any food they handle with unwashed hands. Some of the most serious and far-reaching outbreaks of the disease have been caused by drinking milk or eating foods that have been handled by carrriers. Persons may be carriers without knowing it.

Typhoid fever is unnecessary and preventable. Every case is due either to community negligence or to the carelessness of some individual. Persons planning a vacation or trip where sanitation may not be rigidly enforced should protect themselves against this disease by being immunized. Its prevention is accomplished by the enforcement of public health measures to protect food, milk, and water supplies, and by immunization. The purity of water, milk or food cannot be judged by looking at it, so the best thing to do is to play safe and have your physician protect you.

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Richard H. Cocke of Bryan, is visiting his father, Judge R. H. Cocke and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Swift. Mr. Cocke recently resigned his position as City Attorney, to devote his full time to private practice.

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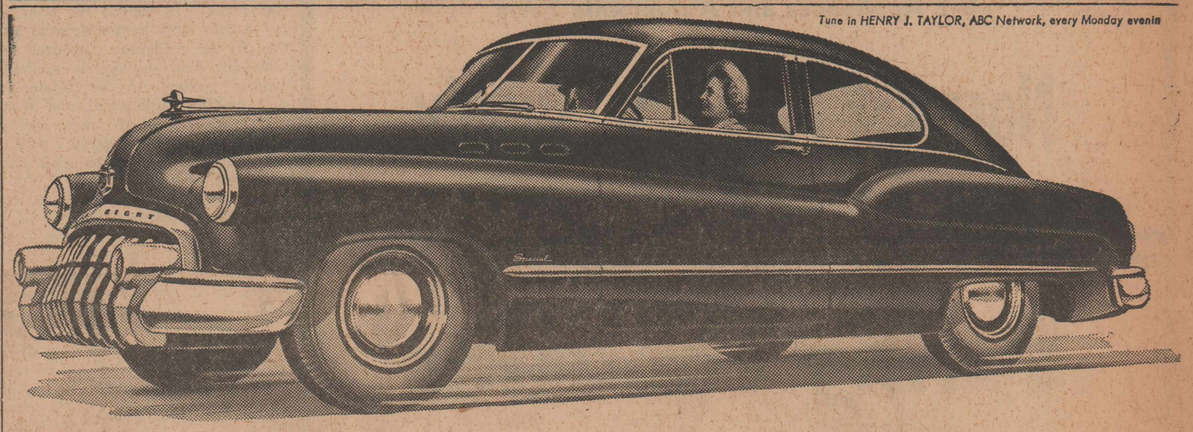

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Broughton Heads 100th District Bar Association

C. C. Broughton, Childress attorney, was named president of the 100th District Bar Association, at the recent dinner and election held in Wellington. He succeeds Judge Luther Gribble, who has served during the past year.

Other new officers are Richard D. Bird of Childress, secretary-treasurer; Edward L. Poole of Wellington, vice-president for Collingsworth County; C. Land, vice-president for Hall County; and W. J. Lowe of Carendon, vice-president for Donley County. W. M. Tucker, Wellington, is the outgoing secretary-treasurer.

S. J. Hamilton of Memphis was speaker at the dinner, discussing "Applications for Writ of Error to the Supreme Court."

Mr. Hamilton pointed out that this is the means provided by law for removing a case from the courts of Civil Appeal to the Supreme Court for review by the Supreme Court for possible errors of law.

The next meeting will be held at Childress Friday night, April 7.

Royce Atkinson Under Treatment

Royce Atkinson, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Atkinson, who was taken to the Plainview Polio Clinic recently, is still under treatment there, his father reported.

He added that as far as he can tell, the child has no indication of paralysis and is getting along fine.

Royce will probably remain in the clinic one more week, Mr. Atkinson said.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Fenley spent the week end visiting in Dallas and Wichita Falls.

WINS DESIGN CONTEST

Elizabeth Graham Bell, of Carnegie, Pa., student of architecture at Carnegie Institute of Technology, has been awarded first prize of $500 in a national small homes design competition. Miss Bell plans to use the money for futher study in Europe.

Social Security Man Here Mar. 29

A representative of the Amarillo Social Security office will be in Wellington Wednesday, March 29, at 9:00 a.m., at the court house, John R. Sanderson, manager, said this week.

"Application forms for social security numbers can be obtained at any post office," Mr. Sanderson stated today.

The post offices provide forms for the following purposes:

1. Applications for original numbers.

2. Applications for duplicate cards where the original has been lost.

3. Applications for change of name on social security cards (when a woman marries, for instance).

4. Applications for employers' numbers by owners of new businesses.

"Many persons write our office for these forms when they could save time and trouble by calling at their local post office," Sanderson said.

The completed applications should be mailed to Social Security Administration, Amarillo, where the numbers will be assigned or necessary changes in records will be made.

Real Estate Transfers

Recent real estate transfers as recorded in the County Clerk's office are as follows:

Leelah Beth Atkins and husband, Joe Atkins, to O. D. Holton and John Holton — lots 20, 21, and the east 40 feet of lots 22, 23, and 24, block 230.

C. E. McKinney and wife, Beatrice McKinney to H. L. Peters, Sr. —lots 11, and 12, in block 157.

Joe K. Davis to O. V. Weaver — lot 17, block 37, of Dodson.

E. W. Cocke to E. A. Bland — lot 1, block 4.

A. T. Smith and wife, Edna Smith to William A. White — lots 13, 14, and 15, block 115.

Thomas and Cook to Robert L. White — all of the South one-half of the North one-half of the following: lot three in block 43 in the cemetery of Thomas and Cook.

J. E. Blevins to Clarence Blevins — all of the east forty-seven acres of the north 167 acres of the east one-half of section 51, block 21, and all of the west twenty eight acres of the northwest fourth of section 52, block 21.

F. C. LeDerer and wife, Zena Z. LeDerer to Jones Singley — a part of lot 4, block 2.

Mary Julia Loving to J. B. Casey — all of the south three-fourths of all of block 20 of the Rude Addition.

F. C. LeDerer and wife, Zena Z. LeDerer to Jones Singley — lot 4, block 2.

J. W. Stanton and wife, Aubrey Stanton, to Charlie L. Starkey — all of the south 60 acres of the northwset one-fourth of section 31, block 15.

W. M. Nation and wife, Velma Nation, to Dudley J. McMillin— lot 3, block 1.

E. W. Cocke to Henry C. Sullivan and Laverne W. Sullivan — lots 11 and 12, block 6.

E. L. Walker and wife, Ada Walker, to H. O. Carter — a part of the northeast one-fourth of section 82, block 14.

Mooney Stall and wife, Marguerite Stall, to W. P. Holloman — lots 3, and 4, block 18.

Lewis Green and wife, Christene Green, to W. P. Holloman — lot 5, block 18.

C. W. Francis and wife, Dorothy Francis, to Cecil Carter — lots 23, and 24, block 93.

A. V. Cocke and wife, Lela Cocke, to J. D. Shanks — lots 19 and 20, block 80.

The First State Bank in Dodson to W. E. Reynolds — lot 11, block 43, in the town of Dodson.

Will Stockton Dies at McLean

By MRS. E. L. RANKIN

Will S. Stockton passed away at his home in McLean recently.

Mr. Stockton, who was at one time a resident here, was a brother of Mrs. W. M. Davis. He was buried Thursday, March 10, in the McLean cemetery.

His wife preceded him in death a few months ago.

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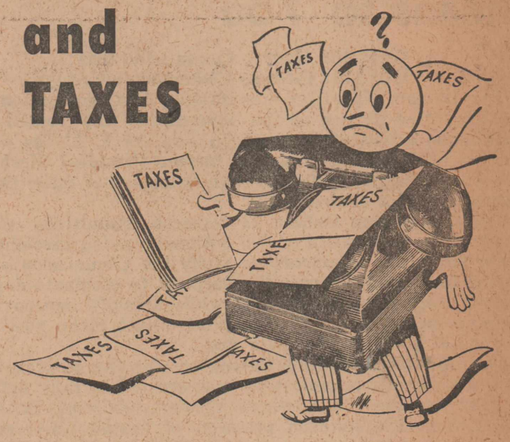

Most people consider talking on the telephone to be very much of a regular part of daily life. In spite of its day-in-day-out usefulness, however, the Federal Government insists on taxing telephone service as much as 25%. This is higher than the 20% tax on luxuries.

All long distance calls costing 25c or over are taxed 25%. The Federal tax increases the cost of your local service by 15%. Other forms of telephone service are taxed from 8 to 25%. This excise tax is imposed directly upon you as a telephone user. Your telephone company, at its own expense, acts as a tax collector.

These excise taxes are in addition to corporation income taxes and other taxes which the company pays to the Federal Government either directly or indirectly.

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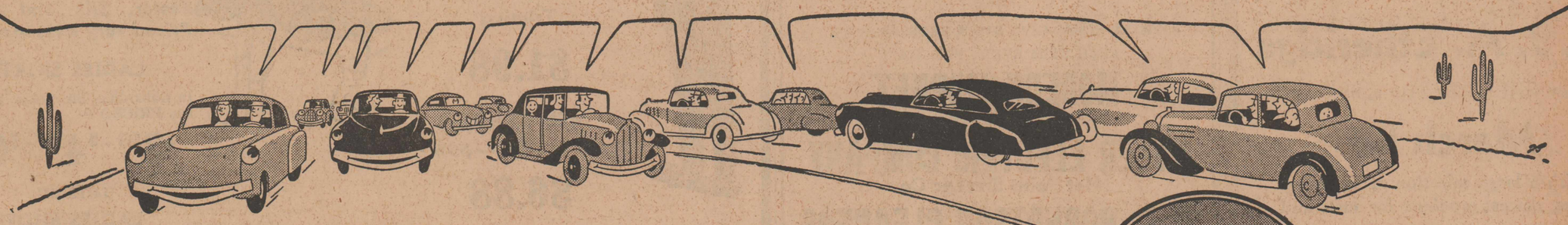

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What the Hoover Report Means to You

What the Hoover Commission was:
What the Citizens Committee is

The 12-man, bipartisan Commission on Organization of the Executive Branch of the Government was created by unanimous action of Congress in July, 1947. At the suggestion of President Truman, former President Herbert Hoover was named chairman with Secretary of State Dean Acheson as vice chairman.

The Commission utilized 24 research committees called "task forces" composed of 300 nationally noted specialists. After two years of exhaustive study the Commission submitted to Congress a specific blueprint to eliminate duplication, overlapping, and waste while actually improoving government service. This blueprint would make possible savings of $3 to $5 billions a year.

The bipartisan Citizens Committee for the Hoover Report, a nonprofit organization, was created to rally public support for the Commission's recommendations. Headed by Dr. Robert L. Johnson, president of Temple University, it maintains headquarters at 1421 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

8. Department of The Interior

Present "disastrous conflicts and overlaps in the Department of the Interior cost the taxpayers enormous sums annually," the Hoover Commission revealed.

Back in 1924 the Joint Congressional and Presidential Committee on Reorganization recommended that most Federal Government conservation and construction activities be consolidated in a single Cabinet department. The proposal was again made by President Hoover in 1932, and again by President Roosevelt's Committee on Administrative Management in 1937.

"Had such a department been created 25 years ago," the Commission declared, "hundreds of millions of dollars would have been saved to the public over these years. Today it is a complete necessity."

The Interior Department's Bureau of Reclamation and the Army's Corps of Engineers are in constant conflict. They are rivals in the business of building and operating multipurpose dams for flood control, navigation, irrigation, domestic water supply, hydroelectric power. They duplicate each other's surveys and other activities, try to outbid each other for local support at the Federal Government's expense. They prodigally waste natural resources by failing, between them, to make the best possible development of the nation's river basins.

The lamentable division of authority for public works has also resulted in over-all Government failure to check adequately on the worth of proposed construction projects and to determine their proper timing. Economists agree that the Government should hold its public works to a minimum in prosperous times, reserving them to stimulate the economy when private jobs and construction begin to slack off. But such planning and control are difficult when several rival agencies are attempting to promote their individual building programs.

Now, in a time of relative prosperity, the current appropriations for major Federal construction projects total $1,300,000,000. To complete those already underway will cost more than $5,500,000,000. Projects authorized by Congress but not yet initiated may cost $7,300,000,000.

Within the next five years Federal plants will probably be producing 15 or 20 percent of the nation's electric power. Nearly 5,000,000 acres of land are now watered by United States irrigation projects.

The Army Engineers and the Bureau of Reclamation each drew plans for a project at Hell's Canyon, Idaho. Each set of plans cost about $250,000 and different in essential praticulars of construction and by over $75,000,000 in cost of erection.

There is a consistent underestimate of costs in Federal construction, the Commission disclosed. For instance, Congress was informed that the Colorado Big Thompson project would cost $44,000,000. It eventually set the Government back $131,800,000.

The cost of the Hungry Horse Project in Montana grew from an estimated $6,300,000 to an actual $93,500,000. Such discrepancies "hardly can be explained by increase in costs of labor and material," the Commission wryly commented.

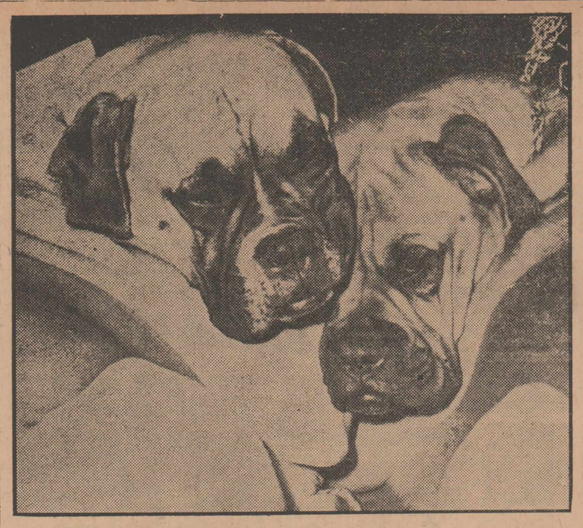
It need hardly be pointed out to you, as a citizen, that the recommendations of the Hoover Report with reference to the Department of the Interior should be adopted. It means money in your pocket. You can't afford to let these and the other reforms proposed by the Hoover Commission go by the board through public indifference.

The Citizens Committee for the Hoover Report was organized specifically to make the contents of this magnificent document an actuality rather than an ideal.

The Committee believes that an informed public will demand action by the Congress to the end that lasting good Government will secure the future of our nation.

Join the Citizens Committee in your community and work for its objectives. Write the President and your Congressman that you want these reforms that will bring economy and efficiency to the federal government.

Savings of from $3 to $5 billions a year are possible if the Hoover Commission's recommendations are fully adopted and vigorously applied.



"MOVE OVER, PAL"

The second postwar Cruft's International Dog Show drew world-wide interest in kennel circles, but these two boxers just couldn't seem to get excited over the evnt. They were found half asleep at the height of the London show.

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DOZIER

The pie supper at Abra Wednesday night of last week was a financial success. The proceeds from the sale of the pies amounted to more than $500, and this will go to the cemetery fund.

Mrs. Kate Cate of San Angelo is visiting her mother, Mrs. Julia McKinney, and other relatives here.

Pat Oldham, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Oldham, was a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital last week.

Paul Schaub, ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schaub, was a patient in Shamrock General Hospital Monday of this week.

Joe Schaub, a member of the boys A basketball team of Samnorwood, reported that his team won in two games last week, one of which was played with Wellington and one that was played with Quail.

Mrs. Albert Bettis and Lynn, Mrs. Bill James and Joy, and Mrs. George Weems and Stevie were in Shamrock Friday for the St. Patrick's Day celebration.

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Jimmy Scotts Move to Iowa

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Scott left this week to make their home in Ottumwa, Iowa, where Scott will be employed with his father-in-law, M. L. VanFossan, in excavating work.

Scott, who has lived in Wellington for a number of years, has been employed on the Mill Iron Ranch for the past fourteen months.

R. P. Scott accompanied them to Iowa, but will return soon.

Taft, an ex-president, swore Prince Albert of England composed songs, church music and an opera.

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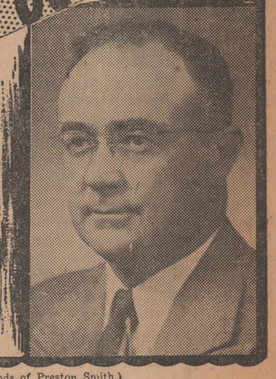

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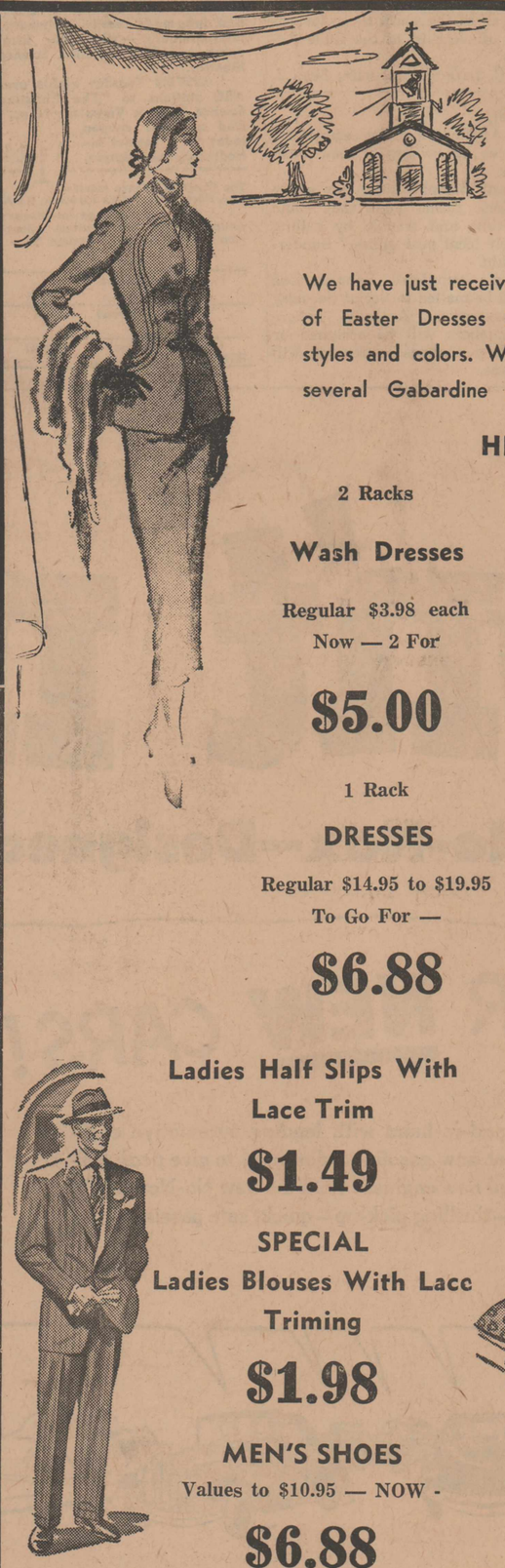

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