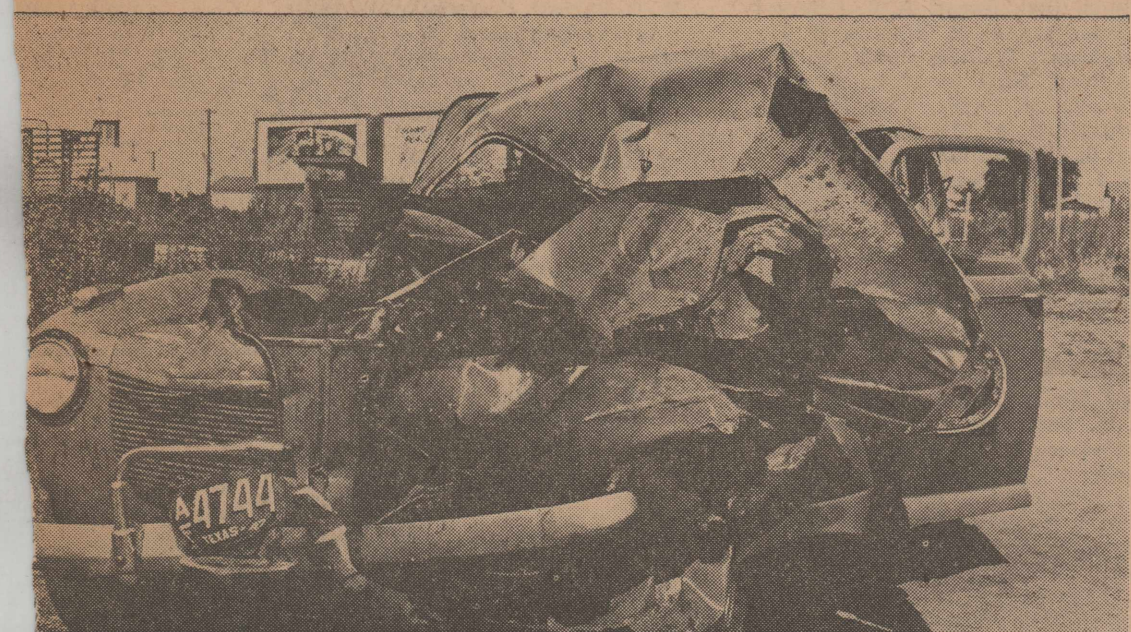




IN WHICH THREE LOST THEIR LIVES

Shown here is the car in which two prominent young countians were fatally injured when it was involved in a collision with a truck Thursday evening, July 31. The car belonged to James McClendon of Loco, who succumbed Friday morning at 2:45 o'clock. With him were Mrs. Keith Smith of Wellington, who died Monday morning, and Miss Virginia Sachse, of Loco, who is recovering from injuries received. This picture was taken after the car was brought from the scene of the accident to Wellington.

—Leader Staff Photo.

H. S. Cook Dies Thursday Home Here

H. S. Cook, a resident of county for 36 years, who with his wife provided the land on which the town of Samnorwood is located, died Thursday night, July 31, at 9:00 o'clock at her home in Loco. She was 90 years of age.

One of the oldest of this county's families, she was a native Texan, born in Anderson County, November 26, 1859, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cook, who came from Tennessee to pioneer in the young state. She was before her marriage Miss Levellyn Montgomery.

and Mr. Cook were married December 1, 1879. To this union three children were born. Her husband died in 1917.

For most of the time Collingsworth County has been her home. She and her family lived in what is now the Samnorwood community, first a part of the town of Wellington.

When the town of Wellington was established through the county, she lived in the effort for the town of Samnorwood, and her land was used to lay out the town.

She became a member of the Methodist Church in early life and remained a faithful member to her home, church and community. Mrs. Cook had a strong influence and helped her. She was a member of the Methodist Church at Loco.

Funeral services were held at the Loco Home in Wellington Thursday afternoon, August 2, with Rev. Noel Bryant, pastor of the church, and the Rev. O. C. Evans of Lakeview, formerly of Loco, as officiating.

Survivors were Luther Thompson, Cecil Brown, Bockman, Henry and Walter. She is survived by three sons, Mrs. Martha C. Cook of Wellington, and Mrs. J. C. Sanders of New Mexico. Four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

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To Announce Program for Old Settlers Reunion

Complete plans for the county Old Settlers Reunion, to be held at the LaHue Grove three miles east of Wellington Thursday night and Friday, August 14 and 15, will be announced next week, Dave Thomas, who is in charge of plans, has announced.

Invitations have been sent to a large number of former residents now living throughout Texas and other near-by states, and one of the largest crowds in recent years is anticipated.

County residents were reminded that no invitations are being sent locally.

Mrs. Martha Ellen Goode Dies July 31 of Long Illness

Mrs. Martha Ellen Goode, a county resident for 33 years, died Thursday evening, July 31, following a prolonged illness. She was 87 years of age.

Mrs. Goode made her home with her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Laycock, at 310 15th Street in Wellington. During most of the time she had lived in the county, however, she made her home in the Dozier community.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Methodist Church with the Rev. Noel Bryant, pastor, and the Rev. O. C. Evans of Lakeview, formerly of Samnorwood, in charge. Pall bearers were Harold Laycock, Carroll Laycock, (Continued on Page Twelve)

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Funeral Rites For H. T. Sears Are Held Sunday

Funeral services for H. T. Sears, who was fatally injured in an automobile accident north of Wellington Thursday afternoon, July 31, were held at the First Methodist Church Sunday afternoon with the Rev. Noel Bryant, pastor, the Rev. O. B. Hutson of Central Baptist Church, and the Rev. S. T. Greenwood of Alenreed in charge.

Pall bearers were Clarence Littleton, Clinton Sanders, Wren Hartman, Jack Lancaster, Junior Lancaster, W. E. Hall and Neil Powell. Flower bearers were Louella Lancaster, Louise Powell, Pauline Sanders, Arvis Nell Powell, Thelma Wisdom and Barbara Brickey. Hymns included "Farther Along" and "God Will Take Care of You" sung by the choir, and a special, "When I Make My Last Move," sung by Mr. Sears' son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Sears of Fort Worth.

Burial was in the Wellington cemetery with the Kelso Funeral Home in charge.

Henry Tillman Sears was born in Union, Arkansas, October 14, 1886, and at the time of his death he was 60 years, 9 months and 17 days of age. On September 22, 1907 he was married to Miss Lou Bray of Sidney, Arkansas, and immediately afterward moved to Wellington. A short time later they left here, but returned in 1927 and had made their home since that time.

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Car-Truck Collision Thursday Is Fatal to Three Area Residents

Wellington Tenth In Bank Deposits In Panhandle Area

Wellington ranks tenth among the towns of the Texas Panhandle in the amount of money on deposits in banks, it was revealed recently when the list of deposits by towns was compiled.

Total bank deposits in 29 towns of the Panhandle were more than \$200,000,000 on June 30, when calls were made by the Federal Reserve Bank and the State Banking Commissioner. Deposits at this time, however, show only part of the tremendous cash income of the 1947 wheat crop, which is expected to add another hundred million to banks in the area.

In the lower Panhandle area, only Memphis banks have more on deposit than do those in Wellington. Dodson ranks 27th, but at the same time, it is one of the smallest towns of the area to have a bank.

Bank deposits by towns, as shown by the bank statements June 30, are: (numerals indicate number of banks.)

Amarillo (3)	\$92,935,110.78
Pampa (one of two banks reported)	10,395,993.74
Borger	10,454,811.51
Perryton (2)	9,041,646.59
Dalhart (2)	7,286,904.08
Hereford (2)	6,162,943.17
Tulia	5,478,269.50
Memphis (2)	5,412,639.16
Spearman	5,024,570.50
Wellington (3)	4,951,944.89
Panhandle	4,895,684.71
Clarendon (3)	4,518,323.43
Shamrock (2)	4,193,983.32
Canyon	4,172,781.29
Dumas	3,895,177.12
Canadian	3,506,552.10
Farwell	2,222,893.66
Dimmitt	2,129,337.32
Friona	1,563,288.83
Granger	1,503,712.80
Claude	1,426,761.21
McLean	1,313,659.05
White Deer	1,294,826.71
Miami	1,097,536.76
Wheeler	1,070,264.54
Vega	988,247.46
Dodsonville	669,254.78
Lakeview	562,783.85...
Hedley	536, 341.22

Junior College District Cut

The number of counties in the proposed junior college district to be placed at Childress Army Air Field will be reduced from seven to four, Childress, Hall, Cottle and Motley, The Childress Index reported in a story Monday, August 4. The decision was made at a meeting of the steering committee Monday morning.

"Some opposition has developed in some of the counties and the district, as originally planned, was too big to get all of the information to all of the people, it was said," the story continued.

"Our plans are now to vote the district in counties where it is definitely favored and then start to work in the other counties to have them vote to join the district," said Charles Dameron, chairman of the steering committee.

Sponseller Goes To McLean School

Fred Sponseller, band director for Wellington High School, has resigned to accept a place as band director and vocal instructor in the McLean school, he announced this week.

Mr. Sponseller came here from Sayre, Oklahoma, in April to take over the Skyrocket band. They were unable to locate a house before school was out, however, and had not moved their household goods here.

The family is here at present, however, as Mrs. Sponseller underwent an operation in St. Joseph's Hospital Monday morning. She was resting well at the last report.

Miss June Lamkin With Mill Iron Ranch

Miss June Lamkin of Wellington started to work for the Mill Iron Ranches Monday, August 4. She will do secretarial work for Frank Anderson, Bill Hughes, and Austin O'Neil.

Miss Lamkin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lamkin of Wellington and was graduated from Wellington High School in May, 1947.

Two City Men Seek \$48,000 In Rebates

Two Wellington men are asking \$48,000 in rebates from a Missouri Implement dealer on combines ordered for the current season which were not delivered. The two, Paul Bell and J. I. Crawford, are asking \$24,000 each.

An Associated Press Release from St. Joseph, Mo., Monday told the story. Men from throughout the wheat belt had placed orders for 135 combines with Harry J. Murphy, 35, implement dealer in Little Tarkio Mo., and had made down payments which totaled \$270,000.

A suit has been filed in Federal Court by two bonding companies who claimed that Murphy failed to deliver the machines or refund the advance payments. They alleged he gave surety bonds by the Maryland Casualty Company and the Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company.

Federal Judge Richard M. Duncan placed Murphy's enterprises in

bankruptcy on petition by creditors representing less than \$12,000 of the \$900,000 which the receivers report showed he owed.

The implement dealer said that the bonding companies did give him time to make good on the combine deliveries and that the heavy wheat harvest drew the delivery of machines from factories to the southern part of the United States and none came into the more northern areas, consequently he had been able to make only a few deliveries.

Some of the amounts listed by the receivers as allegedly paid to Murphy as deposits on combines and now owed by him, in addition to the two local men, are: Will R. Christion (Ulysses, Kansas, representative in the Kansas legislature, \$144,000; Kenneth Cook, Vega, \$84,000; Stanley Carmichael, Hamlin, \$36,000; an Archie Pardue, Stamford, \$24,000.

City Man Dies Instantly: Two Fatally Injured

A car-truck collision which occurred two and one-half miles north of Wellington Thursday evening, July 31, took the lives of three widely-known area residents. Two others were injured while one of the drivers escaped injury.

The dead are: H. T. Sears, 60, of Wellington, who died instantly.

James M. McClendon, 28, of Loco, who died Friday morning at 2:45 a. m.

Mrs. Keith Smith, 23, who died Monday morning about 5: o'clock.

Injured were Miss Virginia Sachse of Loco, who was in the car with Mrs. Smith and Mr. McClendon, and Cecil Turner, J. A. Goodson, owner and driver of the truck, apparently escaped injury but was badly shaken up.

Mr. Goodson, Mr. Sears and the Turner youth were riding in the truck.

Following an investigation by Sheriff Claude McKinney and State Highway Patrolman Blackie Caloway of Memphis, the sheriff reported that the accident, which occurred about 7:00 p. m. was apparently unavoidable.

Both vehicles were traveling south. Mr. Goodson told investigators that he was preparing to make a left-hand turn into the D. H. Handley farm and signaled the turn with his hand. The sheriff said that apparently Mr. McClendon, driving a 1941 Mercury Tudor, had started to pass the truck when he saw it turning, then tried to get the car back into the right-hand side of the road and in doing so struck the back end of the truck.

The force of the impact turned the truck around heading north and over on its side. Mr. Goodson was thrown from the cab instantly. The truck was upright and driven from under its own power, the sheriff said.

The front portion of the car was demolished.

Mrs. Smith's husband is the owner of Keith's Confectionery in Wellington. A resident of this city most of her life, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Dunson.

Mr. McClendon, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. McClendon, was associated with L. A. Sachse, father of Miss Sachse, in construction work.

Miss Sachse, who was treated for a head injury in St. Joseph's Hospital, was returned to her home at Loco Saturday evening.

Turner, who was also treated at St. Joseph's, was dismissed late last week.

Mr. Sears had been employed by Mr. Goodson to help with his trucking. They had picked up the 18-year-old Turner boy a short time before. The youth, who was reared here, had been living in Arkansas recently with relatives and was returning to Wellington at the time.

Dodson Teacher Receives Degree

Mrs. George Beavers, a teacher in the Dodson Schools, was named as one of the two highest ranking students in the summer graduating class at Southwestern Tech, Weatherford, Oklahoma. She has a 2.27 average of a possible 3.

Mrs. Beavers is receiving her B.S. degree this summer. In addition to her work in the Dodson school, Mrs. Beavers teaches music in her home. Before going to Southwestern Tech, she attended Clarendon Junior College.

She is the mother of R. Deane Beavers of Hollywood, Calif., who is known under the stage name Bruce Landley. He recently signed from the show, "Oklahoma!" to enter the University of California. She has one son, Sammy Jo Beavers of O. City.

Midway Baptists to Open Revival on Friday, August 8

The Midway Baptist Church of Wellington has announced a revival meeting to open August 8.

Pastor of the church is the Rev. Roland Jenkins. A preacher from Plainview has been secured to lead in charge of the revival service. Those interested are invited to attend.

Funeral of Mrs. Keith Smith Set Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Keith Smith, popular and beloved young Wellington woman, are scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, August 6, at the First Baptist Church at 4:00 p. m. The Rev. Howard Jones is to officiate.

Mrs. Smith, 23, died Monday morning, August 4, about 5:00 o'clock of injuries received Thursday evening in a car-truck accident.

Pall bearers were to be Jimmy Bowen, Jim Leach, Harmon Elliott, Richard Bailey, Teddy Jo James and Quince Fulton. Burial will be in the Wellington cemetery under the direction of the Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Smith, the former Clara Frances Dunson, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Dunson, (Continued on Page Twelve)

Dozier Revival Opens August 10

Revival services will be held at the Glen Davis Memorial Methodist Church at Dozier during the week beginning Sunday, August 10, the Rev. H. R. Bennett, pastor, has announced.

The Rev. Hubert Bratcher, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Shamrock, will be in charge of the preaching.

Services will be held twice daily, at 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The quarterly conference will also be held at this church on Sunday, August 17. The Rev. W. R. Hamilton, district superintendent, will preach at the 11 o'clock hour and the quarterly conference will be held at 2:00 p. m.

Plans Announced To Open Norwood School Monday

Plans for the opening of the Samnorwood School Monday, August 11, were announced this week by Orville Cunningham, superintendent.

Plans for the year will be outlined for parents and students at a meeting at 10:00 in the school auditorium, after which the boys and girls will get down to work on the new school term.

A teachers meeting is planned for Friday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. School will take up at 8:30 and dismiss at 3:30 p. m. until the days get shorter, Mr. Cunningham said.

At the same time he announced that Harvey J. Walker has been elected to teach vocational agriculture in the high school, however, he will not begin work until September 1.

A county man, Mr. Walker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker of the Elm Creek community. He is a graduate of Shamrock High School and received his bachelor's degree from Texas A&M. At present he is teaching in A&M and working on his thesis for his master's degree.

His wife and three-year-old son will accompany him here.

Mr. Walker is a veteran of World War II.

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In reviewing the work done during the summer, Mr. Cunningham said that the building had been redecorated, teacherages have been redecorated and several added on to; an the canning center has been converted into a teacherage. Altogether, eight teachers will live on the campus, while the remaining seven have homes in the community or near-by.

All busses have been repaired and two new ones added. The lunch room will be put in operation when school opens.

The Samnorwood school district at present consists of 211 square miles, with an additional 70 square miles transferred and 30 square miles contracted.

Bus drivers announced for the coming year are C. J. Brooks, Mrs. Herbert Knoll, Wesley Terry, Mrs. Fren Johnson, Buck Martindale, Joe Francis, and Richard Overcast. One more will be hired. Mr. Brooks will also serve as janitor; Charley Bradley is mechanic, and Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Knoll and Mrs. Clemons will be in charge of the lunch room.

Legal Notices

AN ORDER CALLING A SPECIAL ELECTION

Regular meeting of the Commissioners Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, was held, in the Commissioners Court Room of the Court House of said County, on the 14th day of July A. D. 1947, with the following members thereof present, to-wit:

H. S. Riggs, County Judge; Troy W. Gardner, Commissioner, Precinct No. One (1); Wayne Johnson, Commissioner, Precinct No. Two (2); Pat O'Hair, Commissioner, Precinct No. Three (3); W. C. Barnett, Commissioner, Precinct No. Four (4); when, among other business transacted, was the following:

Commissioner Pat O'Hair offered and moved the adoption of an order, which motion was seconded by Commissioner Wayne Johnson, and passed by the following vote:

Voting "AYE" Commissioners Gardner, Johnson, O'Hair and Barnett;

Voting "NO" None.

The order as passed follows: There came on to be considered the matter of an election to determine the following proposition, to-wit:

PROPOSITION

"Whether or not the Commissioners Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, shall be authorized, for a period of six years from the date of such election, to re-allocate the county tax rates of twenty-five (25) cents for county purposes, fifteen (15) cents for roads and bridges, fifteen (15) cents to pay jurors, and twenty-five (25) cents for permanent improvements, in any one year, on the one hundred dollars valuation, by changing such rates provided for any of the foregoing purposes by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event to exceed eighty (80) cents for all of the foregoing purposes," as provided may be done under Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended."

And it appearing to the court that such proposition should be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of Collingsworth County, Texas, as provided for under the foregoing Article and Section of the Constitution of this State:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Commissioners Court of Collingsworth County, Texas:

That an election be held throughout Collingsworth County, Texas, on the 23rd day of August A. D. 1947, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, at which election there shall be the following proposition:

"Whether or not the Commissioners Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, shall be authorized, for a period of six years from the date of such election, to re-allocate the county tax rates of twenty-five (25) cents for county purposes, fifteen (15) cents for roads and bridges, fifteen (15) cents to pay jurors, and twenty-five (25) cents for permanent improvements, in any one year, on the one hundred dollars valuation, by changing such rates provided for any of the foregoing purposes by either increasing

or decreasing the same, but in no event to exceed eighty (80) cents for all of the foregoing purposes, as provided may be done under Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended."

All persons who are duly qualified electors of Collingsworth County, Texas, and who own taxable property within said county, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to authorize such re-allocation of such tax rates by the Commissioners Court shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "FOR AUTHORIZING THE COMMISSIONERS COURT TO RE-ALLOCATE THE COUNTY TAX RATES FOR THE SIX YEARS FOLLOWING."

And those opposing the proposition shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "AGAINST AUTHORIZING THE COMMISSIONERS COURT TO RE-ALLOCATE THE COUNTY TAX RATES FOR THE SIX YEARS FOLLOWING."

Said election shall be held at the following places and the following officers are hereby appointed to hold said election at said places, respectively, to-wit: Precinct No., Place, Judge, and Asst. Judge:

1. So. Box, Wellington, Joe Terry, E. M. Hunter; 1. No. Box, Wellington, Dick Sweat, A. J. Peters; 2. Aberdeen, Aberdeen, N. E. Willard, W. E. Brashears; 3., Buck Creek, L. W. Hartman, Muri Lacy; 4., Samnorwood, O. M. Payne, Theo Parker; 5., Quail, L. A. Morris, G. T. Owens; 6., Pleasant Mound, E. T. Morris, J. D. Coleman; 7., Dodson, Gilbert Hunt, H. A. Painter; 8., Dozier, James Murray, C. H. Caperton; 9., Abra, Guss Gooch, Pat Bradley; 10., Swearingen, Ralph Messer, R. O. Thomas; 11., Ring, O. L. Hartman, W. H. Allen; 12., Lutie, W. A. Bennett, F. W. Thompson; 13., Lone Mound, F. M. Stafford, Henry Taylor; 14., Shinnery, E. H. Yarbrough, D. C. Lacy; 15., Nicholson, C. F. Hyman, Willie Knoll; 16., Rolla, J. B. Trew, Wallace O'Rear; 17., Lillie, Woodrow Wilson, Malcolm Horton; 18., China Grove, J. E. Walker, C. R. Overcast.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Election Laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in a newspaper published in Collingsworth County, Texas, for three consecutive weeks before the date of said election, and, in addition thereto, there shall be posted a copy of said notice at four places within said county, one of which shall be at the Court House Door of Collingsworth County, Texas, for three consecutive weeks prior to the date of said election.

The County Clerk is hereby directed to cause said notice to be published and posted as hereinabove directed.

Passed and approved this 14th day of July A. D. 1947. H. S. Riggs, County Judge, Troy W. Gardner, Commissioner Precinct No. One, Wayne Johnson, Commissioner Precinct No. Two, Pat O'Hair, Commissioner Precinct No. Three, W. C. Barnett, Commissioner Precinct No. Four

ATTEST: J. M. Moore, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of Collingsworth County, Texas 4-3c

ORDER FOR ROAD BOND ELECTION STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH

The Commissioner's Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, convened in regular session at the Court House in Wellington, Texas, on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1947 with the following members present, to-wit:

H. S. Riggs, County Judge; Troy Gardner, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; Wayne Johnson, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Pat O'Hair, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; W. C. Barnett, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

When, among other proceedings, the following business was transacted; Commissioner Pat O'Hair introduced an order and moved its adoption, the motion was seconded by Commissioner Troy Gardner and carried by the following vote: Ayes, Commissioners Troy Gardner, Wayne Johnson, Pat O'Hair and W. C. Barnett. Noes, None.

The Order thus adopted, follows: There came on to be considered the petition of more than fifty duly qualified resident electors of Collingsworth County, Texas, who own taxable property within said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, praying that an election be held throughout said county to determine the following proposition:

"Whether or not the bonds of said Collingsworth County shall be issued in the principal amount of SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, (\$60,000.00) bearing interest at a rate of not exceeding two per cent per annum, and maturing serially over a period not to exceed six years from their date, for the purpose of, and in aid of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved lateral roads, including necessary bridges, in said Collingsworth County, Texas, and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied on all taxable property within said county, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity."

And it appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty duly qualified resident electors of said county, who own taxable property within said county and who have duly rendered the same for taxation;

And it further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property in said county; THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Commissioner's Court of Collingsworth County, Texas:

That an election shall be held throughout Collingsworth County, Texas, on the twenty-third day of August, A. D. 1947, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, at which election there shall be submitted the following proposition:

PROPOSITION

"Whether or not the bonds of said Collingsworth County shall be issued in the principal amount of SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, (\$60,000.00) bearing interest at a rate of not exceeding two per cent per annum, and maturing serially over a period not to exceed six years from their date, for the purpose of, and in aid of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved lateral roads, including necessary bridges, in said Collingsworth County, Texas, and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied on all taxable property within said county, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity."

Said election shall be held under the provision of Chapter 3, Title 22, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as Amended.

All persons who are duly qualified resident electors of Collingsworth County, Texas, and who own taxable property within said county, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue said bonds and levy said tax, shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF AN AD VALOREM TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

And those opposing the proposition shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "A-

gainst the issuance of the bonds and the levying of an ad valorem tax in payment thereof."

Said Election shall be held at the following places and the following officers are hereby appointed to hold said election at said places, respectively, to-wit:

Precinct No., Place, Judge, Asst. Judge: 1. So. Box, Wellington, Joe Terry, E. M. Hunter; 1. No. Box, Wellington, Dick Sweat, A. J. Peters; 2. Aberdeen, N. E. Willard, W. E. Brashears; 3. Buck Creek, L. W. Hartman, Muri Lacy; 4. Samnorwood, O. M. Payne, Theo Parker; 5. Quail, L. A. Morris, G. T. Owens; 6. Pleasant Mound, E. T. Morris, J. D. Coleman; 7. Dodson, Gilbert Hunt, H. A. Painter; 8. Dozier, James Murray, C. H. Caperton; 9. Abra, Guss Gooch, Pat Bradley; 10. Swearingen, Ralph Messer, R. O. Thomas; 11. Ring, O. L. Hartman, W. H. Allen; 12. Lutie, W. A. Bennett, F. W. Thompson; 13. Lone Mound, F. M. Stafford, Henry Taylor; 14. Shinnery, E. H. Yarbrough, D. C. Lacy; 15. Nicholson, C. F. Hyman, Willie Knoll; 16. Rolla, J. B. Trew, Wallace O'Rear; 17. Lillie, Woodrow Wilson, Malcolm Horton; 18. China Grove, J. E. Walker, C. R. Overcast.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Election Laws of the State of Texas regulating General Elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in a newspaper published in Collingsworth County, Texas, for three consecutive weeks before the date of said election, and, in addition thereto there shall be posted a copy of said notice at four public places within said County, one of which shall be at the Court House Door of said county for three consecutive weeks prior to the date of said election.

The County Clerk is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted as hereinabove directed.

Passed and approved this 14th day of July, A. D. 1947.

H. S. Riggs, County Judge, Troy W. Gardner, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, Wayne Johnson, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, Pat O'Hair, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, W. C. Barnett, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4

ATTEST: J. M. Moore, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioner's Court of Collingsworth County, Texas. 4-3c

Veterans Administration processed over 800,000 applications for all types of benefits during February.

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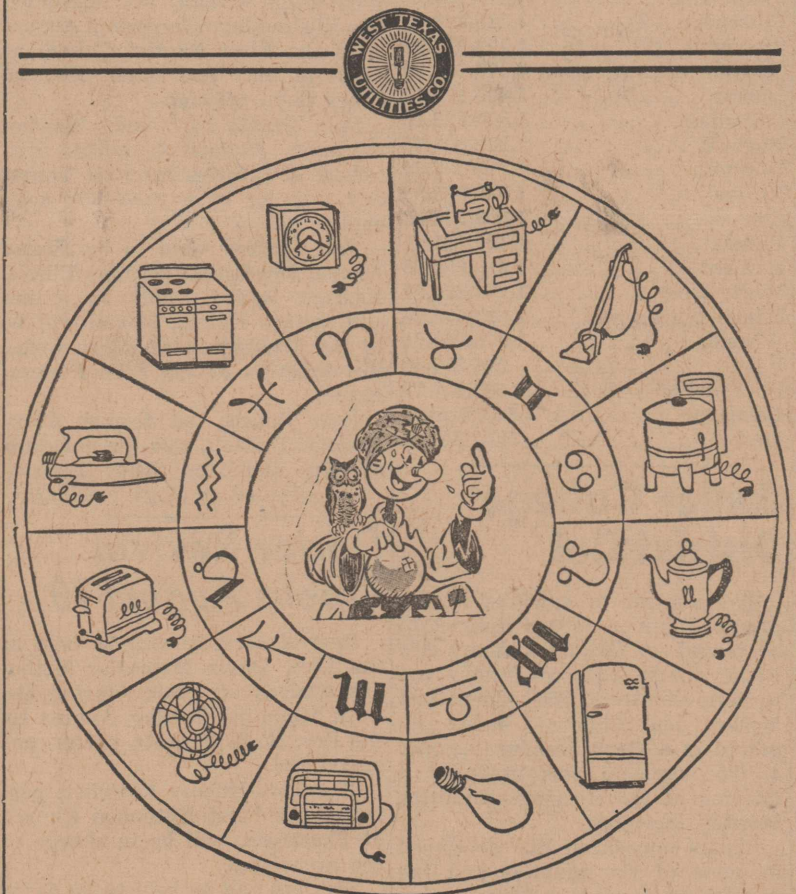
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"This army of domestic help costs you less than a bottle of milk a day! So you see electric service is not only high in efficiency, it's low in cost! Twenty years ago the average family got only half as much electric service for the money as it gets today. And think how many more jobs electricity does around the house in 1947! Yes, Madam, yours is a very good fortune, indeed!"

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Driving Courses Help Automobile Accidents

J. STACK
Director, for Safety Education, New York University

If we could get all the high schools in the country to offer driver education to all students before graduation, in a few years we could have an improved crop of drivers on the highways. These trained drivers would be far more skillful than their elders, better informed, and have better attitudes with regard to safe driving practices and regulations. What has been done by some states and communities can readily be done by all.

During the past year more than 5,000 high schools, about one fourth of the public high schools of the nation, have had some type of driver education, and the number of schools offering this instruction is steadily increasing. There is clear evidence that this instruction improves the driving performance of youngsters. In one state, Wisconsin, where more than 80 per cent of the schools have been offering driver education, there has been a gratifying improvement in the accident record, in driver attitudes, and in the driver violations by younger operators. Other states and cities where a large percentage of schools are giving instruction show a similar improvement.

According to the report of the President's Highway Safety Conference, "a sound, comprehensive traffic-safety program can prepare the youngster to take his place in traffic as an intelligent and skillful driver, bicyclist, and pedestrian." Just as it is necessary to train good teams in high school sports, skilled workmen in shops and good musicians in school orchestras, it is even more important to train youngsters to be good drivers.

The secondary school years, during which students reach legal driving age, are most suitable for training drivers. This training becomes an excellent preparation for the driver's license examination. At the present time the driver licensing bureaus in some 15 states award certificates to students who have completed an approved driver education course, and waive a part of the complete license test.

The driver education course should consist of at least 30 periods of classroom work, followed, if possible, by behind-the-wheel training. Because of the lack of cars, some states are recommending a "home supervision plan," securing the aid of the parents in behind-the-wheel training. Where the school offers systematic road instruction, accidents are materially reduced. A study of 3,200 students in one city showed half as many accidents for those with driver instruction as for those without.

The President's Conference looks

to the schools for help in this national problem of highway safety. There are certain responsibilities of school superintendents and principals. They should work far adequate public assistance and support by informing the community about the aims, nature and scope of the school traffic-safety problem. More over, according to the Conference, they should "immediately determine adequacy of the instructional program and make plans for driver instruction as near to the legal driving age as is practicable. In addition they should provide this instruction whenever possible as a service during the summer, at night sessions, and for adults."

In a nationwide survey reaching thousands of people, the opinion Research Corporation not only found that 78 per cent "were in favor of driver instruction in the high schools, but 60 per cent favored actual road instructions." It is quite as important to see to it that youngsters learn good driving as to run a lathe, solve problems in mathematics, or learn foreign languages. Schools have found it important not only to teach the rules of the road, sound driving practices and certain units on the mechanics of the car and preventive maintenance, but also to stress psychological skills and good driving attitudes. This instruction includes visits to inspection stations, traffic courts, and garages. There are some excellent movie films for being used widely by the schools.

Driver education has been approved and recommended by school administrators of the National Education Association and by officials of more than 80 organizations that make up the National Committee for Traffic Safety. It has been clearly demonstrated that traffic safety education produces real results in the reduction of child accidents. What is needed now is to have all states and communities move ahead with the preparation of young people for their responsibilities as motorists.

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D. V. Brashears to R. A. Nichols Jr. the northwest one-fourth of section 96, block 16.

Austin O'Neil Jr. and wife to Barney Jones—two and one-half acres in the northeast part of section 82, block 14.

Reberta Dederick and husband, Larry Dederick; Geraldne Eslinger and husband, Earl Eslinger, to Reberta Dederick and Larry Dederick—the south half of the southwest one-fourth of section 39, block 16, and the west one-half of the west one-half of section 51, block 12.

F. M. Knoll to Herbert Knoll—one and one-half acres out of the north part of section 37, block 16.

N. R. Cocke to Bettie Cocke—one acre of land out of the northeast one-fourth of section 82, block 14.

Miss Mona Peoples left Saturday by plane for her home at Eugene, Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peoples, Rex and Hubert Peoples returned recently from Eugent after having spent the last nine months there. All other members of the family are remaining here. Miss Peoples is employed with the Telephone Company at Eugene.

Mrs. G. W. Taylor returned home the middle of last week after visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Fred Taylor in Shamrock. She was there for the marriage of the latter's daughter, Miss Jane Ann Lane, to Paul Dodgen, on Tuesday evening, July 29.



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No. 2 Can —

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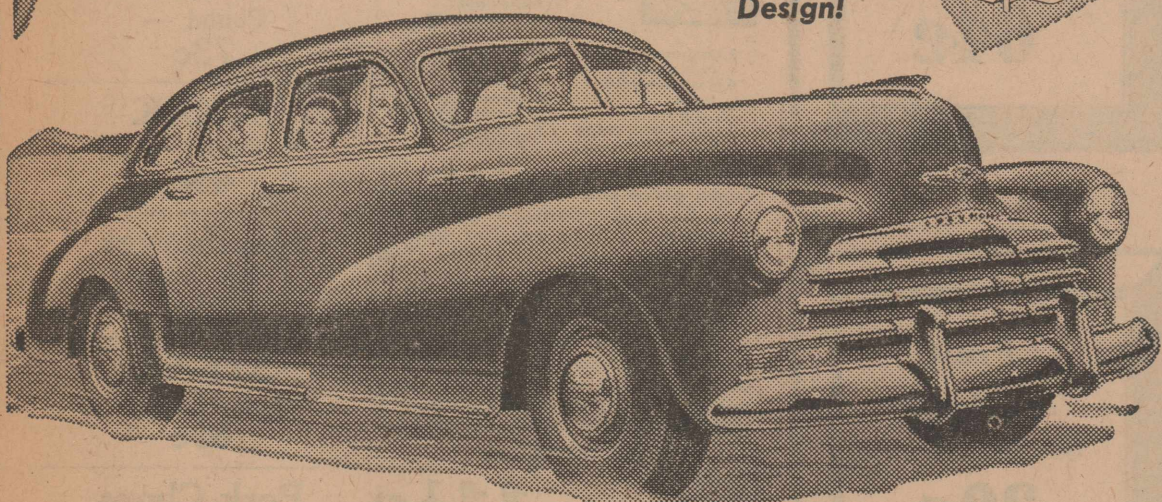
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Farm and Ranch Chatter

With Layne Beaty, WBAP, Fort Worth

Twenty-five or 30 years ago, the "agricultural train" was quite an innovation, and when a trainload of exhibits of the latest accepted agricultural practices came to town, everyone turned out to go through it from end to end. Texas A. and M. College was one of the institutions which sponsored such traveling exhibits.

The advent of automobiles and good roads had something to do with the disappearance of such traveling educational devices, but the railroad are back at the same project now, with a reversed technique. Instead of taking the exhibits and lecturers to the people, they endeavor to take the people to the exhibits.

Not long ago the Burlington lines, in cooperation with the Second National Bank of Houston, sponsored a series of soil conservation meetings through northwest Texas. A group of bankers, business men, and agricultural experts visited farms along the way, and took part in the meetings. Last week Missouri, Kansas and Texas went together with the Houston group, took bankers and business men to see conservation work along its lines through central Texas.

In October the Santa Fe Railway will follow a similar program through central and west Texas. Business people, including the railroad and bank operators, are realizing more and more that our declining soil fertility is a direct threat not only to the farms themselves, but to cities and towns and all associated enterprises.

At the Methodist Rural Life conference in Lincoln, Nebraska, last week, Soil Conservation Chief Dr. H. H. Bennett told the church people, "You can't get good effective ministers for the kind of pay some rural and small town churches in poor farm areas can afford to give their preachers."

He's right. You'll notice that when farming gets bad in a community, the church house is the first building to go unpainted and the preacher's salary is the next place for "economy". Pretty soon the minister is engaged in half time, and perhaps before long, unless fortunes improve, the church sabbands. The condition of the church and appearance of the church building are usually pretty good indications of the condition of the soil in the neighborhood.

Watch for the National Palom Horse Show in Fort Worth, September 17 to 21—Over at Tyler, classes of dairy animals will be judged in the Heart of East Texas classification dairy show on August 26.

Louis Barnes, tenant on T. J. Farrell's farm east of Grandview, Johnson county, has a twenty-foot strip of huban clover completely surrounding a cotton field. Louis says the clover stops runoff water from the cotton rows, prevents fullies and besides is a good oil builder.

It's week, a special course in handling insecticides from airplanes is being taught at Oklahoma State and M. College for the flying farmers and ranchers who are to be in national convention there.

A. D. 1947, in this cause, numbered 3253 on the docket of said court and styled Harley C. McKinney Plaintiff, vs. G. F. Snider, if living, and if deceased, the unknown heirs of G. F. Snider, deceased Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Suit in trespass to try title to All of Lots nos. 1 and 2 in Block No. 69 original town of Wellington, Collingsworth County, Texas, and includes a plea of the three, five and ten years statute of limitation as more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Wellington, Texas, this 2nd day of August A. D. 1947.

Attest:
Mrs. George Keller
Clerk, District Court,
Collingsworth County, Texas
(SEAL)

Terminal Leave Deadline Aug. 31

WASHINGTON—Only six weeks remain for former servicemen to file claims for settlement of unused terminal leave under the Armed Forces Leave Act of 1946, finance officers of the four armed services have announced. Two million former servicemen who are estimated to be eligible for payment will have until midnight August 31, 1947 to obtain forms, fill them out, have them notarized and mail them to the proper paying offices listed on page 2 of the form entitled "Claim for Settlement—Unused Leave." Forms are available at post offices.

C. M. Mims spent Friday and Friday night of last week in Amarillo with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Crutchfield.

Church Calendar

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

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Vaughn Shofner, Minister
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 10:50 a.m.
Young People's Class 8:15 p.m.
Evening Services 8:15 p.m.
Wed. Evening 8:15 p.m.
Ladies Bible Class, Thursday 3:00 p.m.

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

PLEASANT HILL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. J. Sims, pastor
Sunday School, Every Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Church Services, 2nd and 4th Sundays 11:30 a.m.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Howard Jones, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 10:55 a.m.
B.T.U. 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Noel Bryant, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 7:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.

Women's Society of Christian Service, Monday 3:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal, Wednesday 7:00 and 7:30 p.m.
CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
11th and Arlington Streets
Rev. B. O. Hutson, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching Service 11:00 a.m.
Young People's Class 7:00 p.m.
Preaching Service 8:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 7:00 p.m.

DODSON CHURCH OF CHRIST
Morning Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

DODSON NAZARENE CHURCH
Rev. John W. Eppler, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
N.Y.S. 7:00 p.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY
Thursday 2:30 p.m.

LILLIE CHURCH
Rev. Steve Greenwood, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m.
B. T. U. 7:30 p.m.
Preaching 8:30 p.m.

W. M. U. at 2:30 p.m. each 1st and 3rd Monday
O. R. Spears, Sunday School Supt.
Rev. Vernon Jones, B. T. U. Director

SAMNORWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Clyde Garrison, pastor
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Church 11:00 a.m.
B.T.U. 7:30 p.m.
Preaching 8:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
402 El Paso
Walter E. Lane, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m., 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
C. A. Service, Friday 7:30 p.m.
Everybody Welcome

QUAIL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Guy W. Killian, pastor
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m.
B.T.U. 7:00 p.m.
Preaching 8:00 p.m.

DODSON METHODIST CIRCUIT
The Rev. H. W. Gaston, pastor
Dodson 2nd and 4th Sundays
Kelley 1st Sunday
Fresno 3rd Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

SHAMROCK METHODIST CIRCUIT
Rev. O. C. Evans, pastor
Samnorwood: Church School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. each first Sunday.

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Confessions, Saturday, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.

LUTIE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. E. Brown, pastor
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Preaching 11:30 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Night Service 7:00 p. m.

ROLLA BAPTIST CHURCH
Jack Minter, pastor
Sunday School, Every Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Preaching, 1st and 3rd Sundays 11:00 a.m.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH
9th and Floydada Streets
The Rev. George Shoff, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Services 11:00 a.m.
Y. P. Services 7:00 p.m.
Evening Services 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Meeting 8:00 p.m.

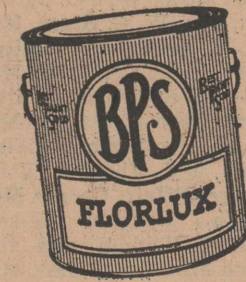
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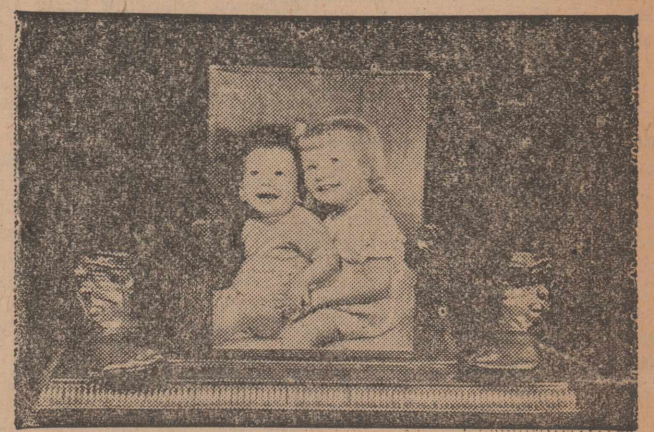
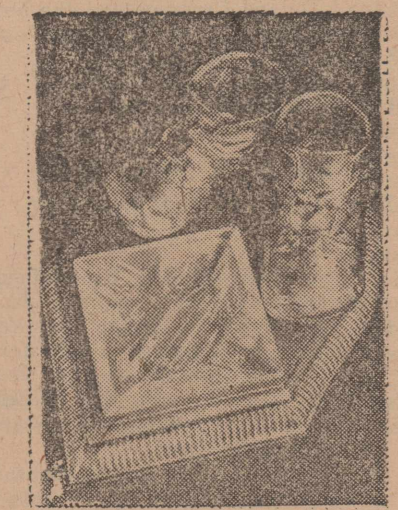
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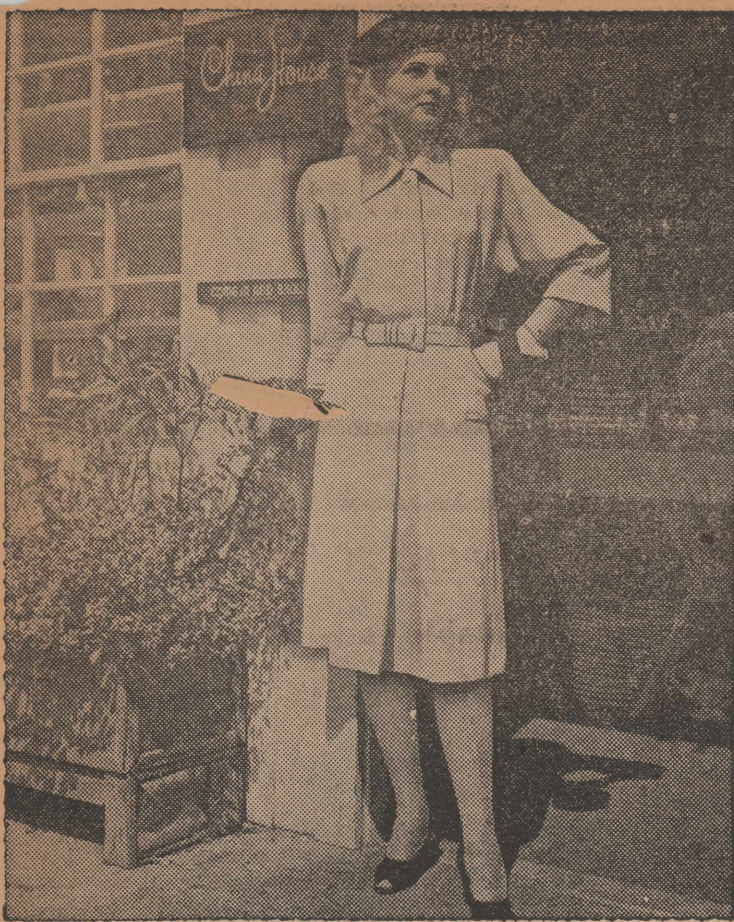
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The Wellington Leader

Thurs., August 7, 1947



Cruise Line

What could be better for a vacation in the South or California this winter than a neutral gabardine coat dress like this one worn by Mary Meade. The dress has Dolman type sleeves and the pocket flaps, which are repeated in back, are new style notes. The dress is photographed at the entrance to China House in Los Angeles' Farmer's Market.

Announcement of Approaching Marriage of Miss Betty Jo Jones And J. T. Alexander Made

An afternoon tea announcing

the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Betty Jo Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones of Childress and Johnny Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Alexander of near Wellington; and that of Miss Jeanette Lowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowe to Harold Anderson of Childress was given Thursday, July 31 in the Jones home in Childress.

Miss Jones and Mr. Alexander will be married on September 7 in her home. She attended Childress High School. Mr. Alexander is a graduate of Wellington High School and entered the Navy in 1944. He was discharged in July of 1946. He is now majoring in pre-law in Texas University in Austin, where the couple plan to make their home.

Mr. Anderson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Anderson. Miss Lowe is a former Wellington resident, and was a popular member of her class at Wellington High School.

The announcement "Jeanette and Harold, September 7, and Betty and Johnny, August 31," was inscribed in white on a blue and white beribboned coffee table.

The honorees chosen colors of blue and white were also carried out in the floral decorations of the entertaining rooms.

As the guests entered, they were received by the bride-elects, their mothers and the mothers of the rooms-to-be. Miss Jones was attended in a blue summer frock and Miss Lowe wore a yellow and white dress. Corsages of blue and white carnations were presented to the honorees and the house party in honor of the occasion.

Presiding at the white satin bride's books were Miss Louise Alexander and Mrs. Edgar Wright.

Miss Mary Lee Weddington poured punch from a beautifully appointed refreshment table, which held a centerpiece of pink amaryllis graced on either side by lighted white tapers. Blue and white napkins bore the inscription "Betty and Johnny," and "Jeanette and Harold."

Assisting Miss Weddington at the table were Mrs. Opal Reed and Misses Joyce Lowe and Zella Matthews.

Misses Dalby and Fleming and Homer Paine assisted with the urties.

Miss Lowe and Mr. Anderson will be married on September 7 in her home. She is attending Childress High School and will continue her education next year. The room-to-be is a graduate of Childress High School and served in the Army for two years. Following his discharge in August of last year, he was employed at Childress.

CARD OF THANKS

I take this means of expressing deepest appreciation to our friends for their kindnesses and sympathy at the death of our dear husband, dad and granddaddy, T. Sears.

Many words of comfort you and the things you did to this hour of grief easier for me never be forgotten.

God bless each of you is our prayer.

H. T. Sears

Mrs. I. N. Sears and

and Mrs. W. O. Sears

and Mrs. Tom Fowler and

children

Veda Belle Sears.

Rev. Killian & Family Are Honored Recently

Rev. and Mrs. Guy Killian and family were entertained with a farewell party and shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Hair on Monday evening, August 4. Mrs. Dalton Vaughn presided at the guests book. The guests were greeted by Mrs. O'Hair and Mrs. Paul Grigsby.

During the evening the group was entertained with games and special music.

Refreshments of punch and cake was served with Mrs. O'Hair pouring the punch and Mrs. Vaughn and Mrs. Grigsby serving the cake.

The guests were the honorees, Rev. and Mrs. Guy Killian, James and Sheila, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Risinger and children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jordan and son; Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy and Jenny Anne, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gollighugh, Paul Grigsby and Paula Jane, Mrs. Grover Pettett, Mrs. Jim Lowe and Billy Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gilbreth and Jimmy Don; Mrs. W. A. Byrrett and family; Mrs. W. C. Starr, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shanks and family; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Crabtree; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weaver and family; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clay, Bobby Jordan, Maud, Dorothy and Melba Pendergrass; Ted Thomas, Reba O'Hair, Louise O'Hair, George McGill, Wanda Vaughn, Mickey Vaughn, Gary Vaughn and the hosts Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Hair, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Vaughn, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Grigsby.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fritts Honor Louis Fritts with Chicken Fry

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fritts entertained honoring their 13 years old nephew Louis Fritts of Amarillo, Wednesday evening, July 30 from 3 p. m. to 9 p. m. with a chicken fry and picnic on Salt Fork River.

Wading and playing ball was enjoyed by the young people, after which a picnic supper, of fried chicken and all the trimmings, and ice cream were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde East and children, Joe Allen, Mary Lee and J. C. and Mrs. J. L. East; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jarrard, Sr. of Twitty, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jarrard, Jr., of New Orleans, La., Mr. and Mrs. Lueman Hornby and children, Jerry, Kenneth, Dick, Laraine, Buddy and Erwin of Twitty, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Young and children, Mrs. Johnny Young, Mrs. Robert Young, and Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Young, Mrs. Sonney Young and Jenny and Tommy Lee, Helen Faye Hopwell of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Odis Bradley and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Minatrea and children; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller and sons; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitfield and children; Mr. and Mrs. Hick Morrow and Dona, Billy Morris, Juanita Morris and L. C. Craven and the honoree Louis Fritts and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fritts.

Banner Sunday School Class Of First Christian Church Has Ice Cream Supper

The members of the Banner Sunday School Class of the First Christian Church enjoyed an ice cream supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zook Thomas on Friday night, August 1.

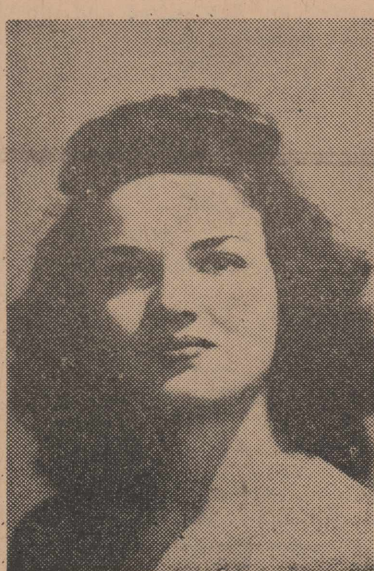
Music and singing was the main entertainment of the evening.

Refreshments of cake, soft drink and ice cream were served to Mr. and Mrs. Raburn Holton and Beth; Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kersten, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Plank, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Childress, Robert Wayne and Sandra; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Childress, Herman Clyde and Kay; Mr. and Mrs. George Farris; Mrs. Zella Lindsey and Wayne Lee; Rosemary Strong, Miss Jocille Gray, Sissy and Buddy Gray; and Billie Boone Eads and the hosts Mr. and Mrs. Zook Thomas and John Alf.

Ray and Ellen Boykin and Ethel Jean Isaacs Are Honored at Party

Ray and Ellen Boykin and Ethel Jean Isaacs were honored with a party on Thursday night, July 31, in the home of Mrs. Artie Boykin.

Those attending the party were Alvin Sutton, William Sutton, Elton Sables, Jessie Sables, W. C. Williams, Billy Gene Williams, Jr. Rogers, Harold James, Theron Ray Morris, Donald R. McKinney, J. A. Pergan, Evrie McKinney, Johnnie, Ruth and Mary McKinney, Billy Grissom, C. J. Welch, Helen Harris, Barbara Jean Benton, Jimmy Roberson, Chis Harris, Wade Welch, David Luckes, Charlene McNeill, Bobby Grissom, Hazel Pendergraft, Rayland Wischkersham, William Sheffield, Meral Jones, and Pat Patrick and the honoree, Ray and Ellen Boykin and Ethel Jean Isaacs and the hostess, Mrs. Artie Boykin.



Mrs. Boyd Williams

The announcement of the marriage of Boyd Williams to Miss Martha Kelley of Spearman was made here last week. Mrs. Williams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelley and Mr. Williams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Williams. Both are students in West Texas State College at Canyon where they are making their home while the groom attends summer school.

Young Women of Methodist Church Form Circle of Regular W.S.C.S.

The younger women of the Methodist Church met Friday, August 1 in the home of Mrs. Noel Bryant to organize a circle of the Women's Society of Christian Service.

Co-chairmen of the society are Mrs. Elmer Knox Jones and Mrs. L. C. Hill. Mrs. Myrrett Henry was selected to be the spiritual life secretary. These women will work together and make the program outlines for the year.

The circle will meet once a month on every first Friday and then they will meet every third Monday with the regular W.S.C.S. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Elmer Knox Jones on September 5.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes L. C. Hill, Elmer Knox Jones, Myrrett Henry, Donald Curry, Henry Sullivan, Jesse Coleman, Byron Duncan, J. B. Floyd, Olan Alexander, A. L. Elliott, Sam Gholson and the hostess, Mrs. Noel Bryant.

W. M. U. of First Baptist Church Elect Officers At Monday Meeting

The members of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church had their regular Royal Service program at the church on Monday, August 4.

Circle one had charge of the program which was led by Mrs. Jess Cook.

During the business meeting the nominating committee presented the names for the new officers for the coming year and they were accepted and voted upon. Those elected were Mrs. C. C. Bishop, president; Mrs. Nobel Murry, secretary, and Mrs. J. A. Whisman, treasurer. The other officers will be appointed by the new president later.

Fourteen women were present for this meeting.

Don Roy Raburn is spending this week in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brinson and family.

Mrs. Melvin Kiker Is Honored with Shower

Mrs. Melvin Kiker was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Willie Smith on Friday evening, August 1, from 7 o'clock to 9 o'clock. Mrs. Kiker is the former Miss Betty Ann Fleming. She and Mr. Kiker were married on July 4 in San Saba.

Assisting Mrs. Smith with the hostess duties were Mrs. A. V. Cooke, Mrs. William Barjenbruch, Mrs. W. A. Morrow, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. Robert Karnes, Mrs. Wilton Ketchum and Mrs. Roy Cunningham.

As the guests arrived they were received by Mrs. O. A. Kiker, mother of the groom, who in turn presented them to the honoree. They were then registered in the bride's book by Mrs. Barjenbruch. Miss Diane Wells and Miss Veda Mae Kiker, sister of the groom, showed the many lovely gifts which were on display.

The serving table was centered with a lovely bowl of Mexican dahlias and flanked with white candles in crystal. Mrs. A. V. Cooke presided at the crystal punch bowl. Other crystal and silver appointments completed the table arrangement. Cut garden flowers were used to decorate the other entertaining rooms.

Approximately twenty-guests called during the receiving hours.

Mrs. Barjenbruch To Present Pupils

Mrs. William Barjenbruch will present a piano and voice recital Tuesday evening at 8:00 in the First Baptist Church.

Those taking part in the recital will be: Misses Patsy Smith, Barbara Brickey, Betty Wood, Sandra Faulkner, Dorothy Starkey, Patricia Hughes, Jeanette Fenley, Tanya Smith, Cynthia Aikin, Oreta Boyd, Jo Ann Moore, and Linda June Hampton.

Mrs. Barjenbruch extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend.

Personal

Mrs. Chet Gibbs of Irving arrived Monday evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leach, and sister, Miss Inez Leach.

Miss Maurine Hunt and her guest, Miss Marjorie Hattaway of Monroe, La., left recently for an extended visit in San Antonio.

Gordon Fowler of Chattanooga, Tenn., came here to attend the funeral of H. T. Sears Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Martin of Bossier, La., are here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Koen. Mrs. Martin is the former Miss Bessie Koen. They plan to remain until September 1 and during the time they will also visit in the C. T. Bruns home in Alanreed.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hughes of Aledo were here to attend the funeral of H. T. Sears Sunday. They also visited with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hughes and daughter.

Allene Raburn visited in Norman, Oklahoma with Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Holton last week.



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Group of Young People Have Backward Party On July 29

On Tuesday evening, July 29, a group of young people entertained with a backward party. The group went swimming at Shamrock and then had a picnic supper in one of the parks there. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Reese Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hurst, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fires.

Those attending were Peggy Riggs, Edmond Schaded, Joyce McPherson, Bill Combs, Joyce Wood, Walter Lee O'Neil, Ethra Jean Norman, Kenneth Strickland, Diane Wells, Robert Fulton, Jerry Bollen, Jeanne Way of Jay, Oklahoma, Lura Finley and Jack Covey.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Fowler of Memphis were in Wellington Sunday to attend the funeral services of H. T. Sears.

Among those here to attend the funeral of H. T. Sears Sunday were Mrs. Clara Brewer and children of Twitty.

Misses Ann Richards, Lynn Moore, and Sue Anderson left Wednesday for Panpa where they will attend the Annual Pampa Rodeo. Miss Richards will ride her horse Flicka for the Campbell Ranch, and Miss Moore will ride her horse, Junior as sponsor for Wellington.

W. C. Thompson attended the recent Old Settlers Reunion and Rodeo in Memphis.

Welcome to Wellington

For Newcomers to the City

This column, edited by Mrs. Edward Harrison of the Leader staff, will be a regular feature in The Wellington Leader. New residents of the city are invited to call Mrs. Harrison at 16 and get acquainted. This week we welcome

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McLaughlin and daughter Bonnie Rose, formerly of Fort Worth, moved to Wellington last week to make their home here.

Mr. McLaughlin came here to work with Mr. Max Garbin, who has recently bought the Wellington Machine Shop. When in Fort Worth Mr. McLaughlin was employed as an engineer at the Fort Worth Army Air Field. He was an active member of the Masonic Lodge there.

Bonnie Rose, age 17, will enter Wellington High School as a junior. During the time she was living in Fort Worth, Bonnie Rose was an active member of the Rainbow organization and the Baptist Church.

The McLaughlins are making their home at 400 12th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kersten and children, formerly of Ashdown, Arkansas, are now making their home in Wellington. Mr. Kersten came to work for Emil Kersten at the East Side Welding Shop. While in Ashdown, Mr. Kersten was employed in blacksmithing and welding.

Coming with Mr. and Mrs. Kersten, were their children; Will, Jr., age 18; Mildred, age 16; Margaret age 14; Geneva age 11; Augustine age 9; Sonny age 6; and Travis, age 4. Mildred will enter High School as a sophomore, and Margaret as a freshman. Geneva will be in the Junior High in the sixth grade, while Augustine will be in the 5th. Will Jr. will assist his father in the East Side Welding Shop.

Mrs. Kersten and children are active members in the Baptist Church. They joined the Wellington Baptist Church Sunday, August 3. Mr. Kersten belongs to the Methodist Church.

The Kerstens are now making their home in the Roberts Apartments on West Avenue.

Bledsoe-Curry Has Reunion in Childress

On Sunday, August 3, members of the Bledsoe and Curry families had a reunion in the Childress Park. All the children of these two families were present.

At noon a basket dinner was served. During the afternoon those attending went swimming and visited.

Those present for the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Curry, Hollis, Oklahoma; Mrs. M. M. Bledsoe, Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bledsoe and Delroy of Olton; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moss and children of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller, Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Altus May, Clovis, New Mexico; Clyde and Frank Miller also of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Strong, an family, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Bledsoe and Billy all of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bledsoe, of Olton; Mr. and Mrs. Leon McClen don and son of Wellington; Mrs. Ray Maxwell and daughter of Wellington. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller and sons of Memphis; Mrs. J. E. Miller and son, Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Detemere, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Eugene Miller, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Miller Borger; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bledsoe and son, Olton; Mrs. Henry Miller, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curry and daughters of Hollis; Mrs. Raymond Spradlin and children of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Snelling and family, Hollis; G. J. Curry of Clovis; O. E. Curry of Hollis; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mass and son, Hollis; Mr. and Mrs. M. Donaldson and grandson of Hollis; E. A. Curry and sons of Hollis and these visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Greenwood, Hollis; Mr. Albert L. Walthall, Olton; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rucker, Childress; Mrs. Sherrill Gardner and Barbara, Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Olli Wilson and daughter, Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and family, Wellington; Bill Wilson of Wellington, and George Stephen of Quail.

Mrs. Doshia Dix and daughter Johnadon, of Dalhart have been here recently with Mrs. Dix grand son, Richard Fourmentin, who was severely burned in a wheat stubble fire July 21.



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Maid Hilma Sees Hollywood

Left—Pretty Hilma Jane Seay of Memphis, Tenn., 1947 Maid of Cotton, greets Joyce Reynolds, (right), at the studios during her recent visit to Hollywood. Right—The cotton industry's Maid wears a smart new cotton in all white percale. The costume illustrates the new trend to hooded garments.

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DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

Prospects for cotton and feed are about the best they have ever been at this time of the year. Of course, this does not count the acreage that was hailed out. It will be something if the Wellington area hits a good yield at the present prices. Farmers say that one more good rain will make it a inch. That rain could come before August 15 this year; but our usual autumn rain date varies from August 20 to September 20.

Last week Publisher Gene Howe of the Amarillo News sent one of his crack reporters, David Rasco, to Phoenix, Arizona to investigate the rain making experiments being made in that state.

Reporter Rasco says: Don't laugh, but in the future there may be a new government agency called something akin to the Interstate Cloud Commission. He goes on to say: "With cloud-breaking already off to a head start in Arizona, out of state water users in the arid Southwest may ask: Is Arizona going to use her share of the moisture in the currents. Will the Arizona operators release all of the moisture leaving us just hot air."

Mr. Rasco is talking about the experiments conducted by the Phoenix Republic. They have dumped dry ice pellets on tall cumulus clouds and produced rain. The results of these experiments could mean much to the people of this area.

Mr. Rasco has written his articles seriously, and he is quite correct in saying that the discovery may create a need for a government commission. Suppose that Gene Glenn has some cotton that needs water in the next ten days or it will fail. But near him Kelly White is planning on harvesting his alfalfa seed crop and needs just ten more days of not dry weather. Suppose that Gene goes ahead and finds a nice cumulus cloud, gets his dry cloud, drops it and gives both his cotton and Kelly's alfalfa a tremendous soaking. And again suppose that Wilbur Ketchum has ready lost both his cotton and alfalfa as a result of hail and is anning on putting all his land wheat. He needs moisture and

plenty of it; he buys 1,000 pounds of dry ice instead of the 100 needed for his farm, he mistakes a 3rd degree cloud for a 1st degree cloud; but he hires an airplane and drops it anyway. As a result he washes out all the crops as well as deep gullies over ten square sections. That is when the fun would start—for the lawyers.

Congressman Gene Worley has sent me a report made by an agricultural sub-committee regarding the foot and mouth disease in Mexico. Neither space nor newspaper will permit the full report; but here is an interesting item or two from it:

Under the system of distribution now in operation, the farmer is paid in cash for oxen which are destroyed in the campaign. He is later permitted to buy a team of mules, harness, and a single shovel plow for the exact amount of cash he received for his yoke of oxen. At the time he receives the plow, he must turn in his old wooden plow."

Later on the report tells of difficulty in appraising a herd of holstein cows for which the owner wanted an indemnity of \$110 per cow.

This observation is not in the report; but these cows would have died anyway even if the United States Government did not have on its present program of trying to stamp out the disease.

This money comes from you as a tax paying citizen of the U. S. At first blush you might wonder

why we are spending millions to help Mexican farmers and stockmen buy mules and plows. The answer lies in the dread nature of the disease. As I wrote from Mexico last spring, no country that has experienced this scourge has ever been able to remove it from the soil entirely. As compared to the foot and mouth disease, hog cholera is as a simple compared to a boil. The treatment is expensive just as the method is drastic; there may be a lot of graft and chiseling in the process; but on the whole it seems to be money that must be spent regardless of how well spent it is.

The foot and mouth disease could ruin the beef cattle, the dairy and the hog industry not only of Texas but of the nation.

Before it completes its present building plans the City of Wellington will need every cent it can lay its hands on. What about parking meters for Wellington?

It is a debatable question especially for a country town no larger than Wellington. In bringing it up I am not thinking so much of the revenue the city would derive from meters. I am thinking of the convenience to the rural people who trade here. Time is important to farm people just as it is to business people. The congestion on our streets on Saturday afternoon and night is a plain nuisance to them. Of course the business of putting in a nickel for an hour or a penny for ten minutes would be something

of a nuisance too. But what farm wife who comes to town with her children wouldn't pay a nickel for an immediate place to park? It would eliminate this business of half the parking space being taken up by cars belonging to business people.

I realize that this suggestion will bring a clash of opinions. For a good many years I have held the opinion that it would be too much like putting on "big city manners," and the thing I have liked always about Wellington is that it is a country town and I never want it to be any-

thing else. But now I am thinking in terms of convenience to the farm and stock people who trade here regularly.

They like the convenience too. They have electric lights, refrigerators, gas or butane stoves etc. And time is becoming more and more important to them. I could be dead wrong; but it is my guess that a surprising number of farm women will be in favor of the parking meters. The Leader would like to have letters from farm women on this subject.

Parking meters would cause

one or two parking lots to spring up; but if they intended to stay in town from 5 to 6 hours what farm family would object to paying 25c for a place to park their car where they knew it would be watched and where they could get their car out easily when they got ready to go home? Well, let the row start. I intend to take no part in it personally.

Hint: Went to Plainview Sunday. The Tulia cemetery has Chinese elm trees bordering the entire cemetery plot, with evergreens planted in rows along the streets. It is just an idea and might not

fit our own. Mr. Love has done wonders to date; but there is so much to do, including grading the streets.

Mrs. W. T. Huston and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Truman of Cisco left Tuesday for Amarillo on a business and pleasure trip. They are planning to visit Mrs. Huston's sister, Mrs. Aliene Howard there. They will return home Friday.

Freddy Watkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watkins, is visiting relatives in Gould, Oklahoma this week.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh



How to Go to Sleep

We were sitting around Bill Webster's parlor Friday evening and the talk turned to the best way of overcoming sleeplessness...like breathing real slow and deep, imagining that you weigh a ton, or simply throwing away the pillow.

The consensus favored counting sheep. But right away was the question: what kind of sheep? There were some votes for countin' Merinos, Shropshires, Oxfords and Dorsets. Ed Mapes said he had best luck counting crossbreeds.

Finally, Bert Childers spoke up

with his formula: A light snack and a mellow glass of beer at bedtime. Sort of puts you in the mood for quiet thoughts and peace of mind. Lets you relax ... and "ho hum," off to pleasant dreams!

From where I sit, there's nothing like a temperate glass of beer to smooth away the creases of the day, relax a body, and pave the way for a good night's sleep. Try it, and see if I'm not right.

Joe Marsh

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Editorial

Back in the days of "too much production," that is to say, when government "experts" were killing cattle and hogs, hiring farmers not to farm, and dumping excess wheat and other foods in the sea, dieticians said that if all of the people in the United States could be fed a normal and healthful diet, the markets would readily absorb all that was being produced, plus all that could be produced on another 100 million acres.

During the "boom" days of the war, which merely meant the able-bodied of the nation at work on "living" wages, we came very near reaching a normal and healthful diet. And we had shortages in meat, bread, vegetables, fruits, and all the other essentials of wholesome diet.

Now from Washington we have the word of "experts" that America must find new lands for agriculture or begin importing some of the foods necessary to proper nourishment. These men say, with considerable reason, that we have neglected our lands, that we do not know how to make proper and sensible use of our natural resources.

They point out the undisputed fact that America has great rivers rushing through unproductive deserts, only to pile up at their outlets in destructive floods. And they point out that we have immense swamps, of high potential production, which are now homes of alligators and water moccasins.

The major need for irrigation, the land-use men in the Department of Interior say, are in four main streams; the Columbia, Arkansas, and Missouri, and the streams in California, Central Valley system. These streams annually carry water sufficient

Other Editors Say

• For Summer Fun

Work on the two tennis courts in the city park was nearing completion this week as the back stops began to take shape. The work is being done under the supervision of Chas. Cocke and Pete Fulbright.

Plans are under way to light the courts for night playing, but nothing definite about these plans has been announced—Lester Campbell in The McLean News.

Church Recreation

A photographic dark-room is under construction at the First Baptist Church to provide a place for wholesome recreation for the young people, Rev. LeRoy Meyer, associate pastor, reported today.

The room will be completely equipped to handle all types of photographic work, including an enlarger, contact machine and photoprint dryer.

Instructions will be given on how to take better pictures, how to develop, print and enlarge negatives and how to do trick photography. All chemicals and equipment will be available to the young people free of charge. The best pictures made each week will be posted on the bulletin board in the church—Ben Langdon in The Mangum Star.

Return

Well, the home-folks are coming back this week. Harvest crews which left the county a month ago are beginning to show up. Some have followed the harvest as far north as Nebraska. Vacationers are on the homeward trail, too, everyone filled with tales of tall wheat and long fish. We poor stay-at-homes just have to sit and listen—Dick Dudley in The Hollis Weekly News.

Hereford Progress

Standards for parking meters are being placed along Main Street and adjacent side streets this week, and the meters will be installed early next week, Mayor W. E. Dameron reported. Notice will be given, however, before the meters go into operation—Jimmie Gillentine in The Hereford Brand.

for the irrigation of 14 million adjacent acres, now producing weeds, cactus, and rocks.

While we are working at the job of restoring Europe to economic stability through full development of its own natural resources, we might give an eye to development of our own resources to the increased stability of our own economic system.

Bond-A-Month Can Spell Retirement For Farmers

WASHINGTON, D. C. —Something new has been added to America's thrift program. Beginning in June thousands of banks in the nation will offer to their depositors as a public service a "Bond-a-Month" plan for the regular, automatic purchase of U. S. Savings Bonds.

The Treasury's third peacetime campaign to promote the sale of more savings bonds to more Americans, which started today, will concentrate this month and next on advertising the new plan and on increasing participation in the Payroll Savings Plan by wage and salary earners. The June-July campaign theme is: Save the easy, automatic way . . . where you work . . . where you bank . . . with U. S. Savings Bonds.

Payroll savings participation has taken a decided upswing since last November, when it reached its post-war low point, according to Vernon L. Clark, national director of the Treasury's Savings Bonds Division. With prices of consumer goods so high and some trying to go higher, the times call for careful spending and persistent saving, he said.

Through the new Bond-a-Month plan, Mr. Clark explained, "we hope to reach ten million bank depositors able to buy a bond a month and add them to the regular buyers. Regularity is the secret of a successful personal savings program, as tens of millions of payroll savers have found out since 1941. Up to now the man or woman to whom the payroll plan was not available has had to make a separate effort to buy each bond. Under the new plan the bank will buy a bond or bonds each month for the depositor, debiting his checking account with the purchase price and mailing or delivering the bonds to him.

"This automatic plan will be a boon particularly to business men and women, farmers, professional and other self-employed persons who have no social security protection or pension for old age," Mr. Clark announced. "Like the payroll savings plan it will be used to build up funds for buying homes and farms, equipment for better living, for education of children and for emergencies in the meanwhile. Small business men and firms will use it to build up reserves against a day of need. There are dozens of ways the thrifty American can gain by investing regularly in savings bonds. The success of the bond program shows that more people are realizing this each month.

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Road Bond and Tax Re-Allocation Elections

In placing a Road Bond Election before the taxpayers, your court has given this a careful study for several months and this seems to be the only solution to help improve your roads and bridges, and not increase your taxes for other funds.

The reading of the Bond Election Order is worded to comply with the Statutes and the proceeds from the issue will be used in the aid of maintaining your roads by paying for our new road machinery and dividing the balance between the precincts to help repair bridges.

Our source of revenue for the maintenance of roads and bridges, which practically all comes from the registration of motor vehicles, has never been sufficient to meet the need of our county. With the high cost of labor and material, we cannot make ends meet. We have suffered a damage of over \$25,000.00 to our roads and bridges from the heavy rains during the past few months. Many have suggested that we raise the valuations for taxes, but this will not solve the problem, because each precinct only receives two cents out of each \$1.00 paid in county taxes. If we were to raise each assessed valuation \$100.00, in order to secure an extra two cents for each precinct, it would cause each taxpayer to have to pay an extra .72 cents State Tax, and an extra school tax, which would probably lead to the lowering of the State Aid for the Schools. This county enjoys the distinction of having the lowest taxable values of any county in this section of the State, but raising valuations will not correct our road and bridge problem, and would only prove more costly to the taxpayer by having to pay extra taxes into the other funds.

Your State Highway Department will not consider maintaining a graded road for less than \$250.00 per mile annually, while your commissioner is trying to pay for his machinery, purchase material, and pay for the labor to maintain the roads and bridges on about \$15.00 per mile. It cannot be done.

By voting this Bond Issue, with a 20c levy, it can be retired in six years and only cost an extra tax of \$2.00 on each \$1000.00 assessed valuation, without having to pay extra taxes to the other funds, and every penny goes into your Road and Bridge Fund. This will leave the revenue from motor vehicle registrations free from the payments on machinery and allow it all to go for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

The Election to Re-Allocate the Tax Rates will not raise your taxes, but gives the Commissioners Court permission to decrease the tax rate on any of the funds, where the revenue is not needed, and to increase the tax rate with the difference on the funds that need more revenue.

Respectfully,

Commissioners Court

The Buck Creek Philosopher

J. A. Says Tractor Makers Aren't At Seat of Economic Trouble

Editor's note: The Buck Creek philosopher on his Johnson Grass farm on Buck Creek is treading dangerous ground, but it's his wry, not ours.

Editor:

Last night I was reading in a log, sort of idly turnin the new labor devices had

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Yours faithfully,
J. A.

City Soldier Has Japanese Vacation

Cpl. Clifford Pritchard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pritchard of Wellington is finding that Army service in Japan has its lighter moments, too. Earlier in the summer he was sent to the Takeshima Hotel, on Honshu Island, for a period of rest.

The Special Services Hotels have been developed under the auspices of the 8th Army Special Services Division, Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard were told.

Red Cross girls handle the entertainment and recreation. During the week Cpl. Pritchard was there, activities included boating, swimming and fishing, a great variety of tours, in which the men get an inside view of Japan. Other sports include bicycling, horse-back riding, eennis, badminton, horse-shoes, baseball, volleyball, archery, hiking and the scenery

Collingsworth Is Asked to Help Canyon Museum

Collingsworth County citizens will be asked to share with others of the 30 counties of the Panhandle in the current campaign to raise a minimum of \$50,000 to complete the second unit of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum at Canyon. Estimates set this amount as required for finishing the floors, walls, and the stairways, and purchasing essential furnishings.

Director of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society meeting in Amarillo recently declared the policy of the society to be the completion of the new unit in order that they might house and display collections valued at more than \$100,000. These gifts, though already made over to the museum, will not be formally presented until fire-proof

which is the delight of camera fans.

Indoor sports are provided in the hotel's recreation, along with movies and stage shows. Utilizing the local color and atmosphere of the Japanese theatre, a buffet supper and Japanese theatre party was held. Supper was served in typical Japanese style, with the guests sitting on the floor, grouped around low tables and eating with chopsticks.

Other activities that crowded the week Cpl. Pritchard was there were horse races at Okaski, a trip to a sake brewery and to a cotton weaving mill, a cruise to a pearl farm, to the Gamagori shipyards and to various Japanese shrines, trips to an aluminum costing factory and a silk mill.

housing is provided.

Included in these donations are the Judge Hamlin collection of early English furniture, Chinese objects d'art antique silver and original paintings, and the O. T. Nicholson collection of small arms.

Stressing the Panhandle-wide scope of the museum and its value as a drawing-card to tourists as well as an educational force for school children, the directors point out that finishing of the new unit should be accomplished as soon as possible.

Already overcrowded as to floor space, the museum has store-rooms teeming with invaluable articles and collections which should be on display.

When proper exhibit space is made ready, museum visitors will have access to an outstanding group of world-famous canvasses by such artists as George Innes, Walter Ufer, Blalock, Ernest Thompson Seton and to a matchless display of archeological treasures, as well as early western life relics.

Director from Collingsworth County, through whom donations to the fund may be made is S. R. Pinkston.

VA Takes Over GI Job Approval

Veterans administration regional office at Lubbock announced today that the State of Texas has assumed complete responsibility for inspection and approval of all facilities for on-the-job training of

World War II veterans under Public Law 364 (GI BILL).

In addition, the State has taken over the supervision of 6,043 West Texas firms, establishments and shops presently conducting on-the-job training for veterans.

VA advised that all future requests for inspection and approval of concerns to train veterans on the job under the GI Bill should be addressed to — State Approving Agency for Veterans Education, Land Office Building, Austin, Texas.

The Veterans administration regional office emphasized that it had not relinquished supervision of some 4,000 veterans engaged in job training but that sufficient funds have been allocated to the State in order ehat it may inspect and supervise the facilities which provide the training.

This arrangement will enable the VA to intensify its efforts toward rehabilitating disabled or physically handicapped war veterans. Formerly, VA's own training facility officers made surveys and forwarded reports to Austin for approval disapproval.

VA further points out that it would continue the inspection and approval of all educational institutions, as well as all facilities where veterans are being rehabilitated under Public Law 16. At present, more than 2,000 disabled veterans are pursuing courses of vocational rehabilitation under supervision of the West Texas VA regional office.

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It is said that cleanliness is next to Godliness. It is also known by some that health, good health, is the richest pearl that a person can possess in life—others tragically find it out after it is too late, after they have let it carelessly slip between their fingers and too often it is for keeps. Disease has been responsible directly for man's greatest losses—socially, politically, economically, disease, sickness, epidemics, death are every single day at war with life, everybody's life and that includes yours and mine. Defensively we battle it with surgery and medicine. Offensively we do battle with the wisdom and science of sanitation.

As individuals form families and families grow into a community, the problems of sanitation grow in size and in number. We take it for granted that there should be and seem willing to pay for a fire department to protect our houses, policemen to guard our lives and property from the imperfections of human nature. We spend millions in all kinds of insurance for economic protection. Yet when it comes to fighting together against the most deadly enemy, the most costly, and the most tragic, disease, the grim reaper, by means of the science and knowledge, the skilled and daily precautions of sanitation guided and administered by men of special training, we bury our heads like ostriches in the sand of stupidity, crying out that we are poor and can not afford to guard our house and our health at the same time; or that our fathers grew up and lived without such stuff and nonsense, forgetting that now there are many more of us than there were of them and forgetting, too, those who might have been fathers, who because of death from disease never made the grade.

A sanitary engineer is not a lawful thug snooping about for reasons to blackmail people, run them out of business, or push them around. Rather his purpose is to educate and to introduce ideas, ways, and means of providing the community with the highest possible sanitation conditions in a practical manner. His job is to work with—not against—the people who furnish water, milk and roads to the community. His job is to work with everyone against contaminations of the community against improper disposals of waste material. It is his job to protect the health of the community against ignorance by giving freely of his time, knowledge and experience. It is also his job when it becomes necessary to protect the health of the community against the inevitable selfish few by patient but firm discipline legally and fairly administered. It is a full time job that requires a specialized scientific training and study of experience. He is insurance against epidemics of disease, the tragedy of which, through less spectacular than tornadoes, floods, fires and explosions, is far more ravaging.

It is worth while for the county to budget against soil erosion and the town against fire and theft why is it not equally worth while for both to budget against loss of human life from lack of sanitation? Certainly it is pennywise and dollar foolish to pay taxes to protect your home and your land and not

yourself. It would be well to think about the fact that when you pass from this world into the great beyond you can not take with you any part of your home or your land, if you sincerely have the interest of your children at heart, if you want to remain here as long as possible to enjoy the things you have, a slight increased tax burden raised to provide a better weapon against all man's common foe, death from disease, is surely worth the sacrifice of one less dress, or several movies, keeping the old car on year longer—because you can't take em with you.

Farmers Can Use August to Get Ready for Winter

In spite of the heat, August can be one of the busiest months on the farm. It is a good month for the farmer to:

Check wheat bins for insect infestation.
Get the barnyard and farmyard drainage system working.
Patch roofs in anticipation of fall rains.
Plant that Irish potato crop.
Repair the combine and get it ready for storage.
Paint up and clean up for fall.
Repair and oil machinery not in use for storage.
Cull poultry flocks for winter laying needs.
Build a stock pond or repair the old one.
Check pasture fences for possible breaks.
Repair or build new terraces.
Treat small grain for smut.
Plan winter cover crops.
Check and plan supplementary pasture for dairy stock.
It is time for the farm wife to: Can all possible vegetables and fruits.
Check up on winter clothing needs.
Plan economical clothing for school children.
Make preparations for fall housecleaning.
Make plans for enjoying and helping family to enjoy the fall season.
Begin saving up material and making plans for the children's Halloween party.
Check quilts for winter use and repair those that need repairing.
Make good will by having neighbors in some evening for a real old-

23 Births Listed in County During August

Twenty-three births were recorded in the office of Judge W. G. Hits, justice of the peace, during July, he said Monday morning, August 4. The group includes one set of twins.

Included in the list were: Shirley Joyce Horton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Horton, July 1; David Miller Jones, son of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Jones, July 2; James Donald Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Clinton Sanders, July 7; Judy Lynelle Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Leo Smith of Childress, July 9.

Westley Dale Burkhalter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eben Burkhalter, July 10; Arthur Roy Oxford, son of Mr. and Mrs. William

fashioned watermelon feed.

Make the most of those relish recipes.

Look up recipes for crap apple jelly.

Make some oatmeal cookies.

Use blackberries for variety in desserts.

Remember the autumn and cooler weather soon will be along.

Nevan Oxford of Vinson, July 10; Linda Ruth Maxwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maxwell; Robert Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Alexander of Childress, colored, July 9; Robert Esteran Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ford, colored, July 10;

Jerry Paul Aaron, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Aaron of Quail, July 12; Linda Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Brown of Loco, July 13; Donald Elwin Nored Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Nored, July 15;

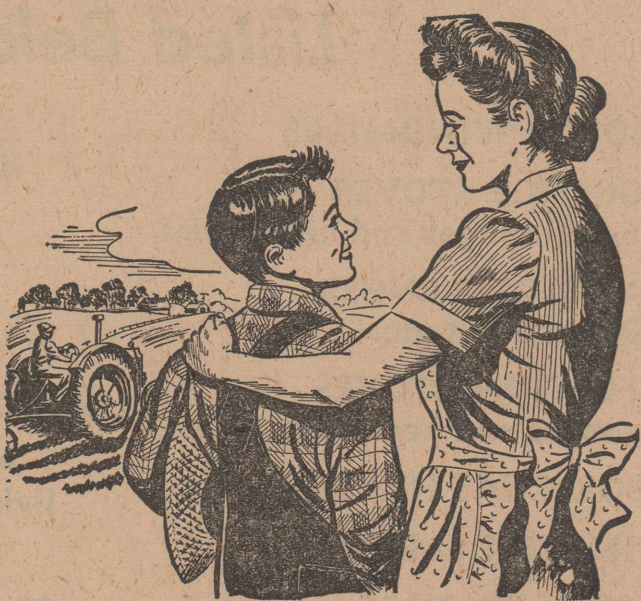
Ronnie Dean and Rosie Jean, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Creed R. Baker, July 16; Beverly Ann Singley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Singley, July 20; Jackie Lynn Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Duncan, July 22; Vickie Vondell Mayhugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland C. Mayhugh, July 21; Celia Ann Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davidson of Canadian, July 23;

Bonnie Gail Newman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond H. Newman, July 27; Rudy George Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl G. Simpson, July 25; Jo Ann Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Williams, July 28; Patricia Elaine Anglin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel A. Anglin, July 29; and Jimmy Duane Epps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton C. Epps, July 31.



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2nd chapter of Acts. Here the Spirit began his work on the Pentecost we read of in the Spirit spoke to a multitude of people through the apostles and by their words wrought conviction of sin. This has ever been the way of the Spirit to bring conviction to heart of man.

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J. H. Nooe saying he'd heard about a place that was hot, and read about it, but he knows it can't come up to the heat at Dallas, where he's just been visiting—Bill Bengel carrying home a 2x4 that was considerably longer than he is—Mrs. Nettie Means with another of the wheat scenes from Collingsworth County, this one published in the St. Louis Star-Times. It was sent her by Mrs. Dorothy Lionberger of Maddison, Ill., who was here for about a month last year.

J. S. Driskill buying levis for his two granddaughters, Rose Marie and Austa Jean, visiting here from Kansas City. Just about the first thing they wanted when they got here were some "cowboy clothes."—Lorene Williams, just back from her vacation, and saying she was thrilled to death, for she went fishing for the first time while she was away.

Rita Lowrie, another of the college crowd home for the summer, wearing a chic grey chambray dress with a panel of ruffles down the back—Betty Berry, whose summer vacations are just week ends when she comes down from Tech, hunting material on recent Texas History. She was finding that most of the available material stopped with the siege of the Alamo.

Sandy Parsons, scoutmaster, saying that the Scouts have gotten the windows in their hut in Ellison Park and as soon as they can get it wired and the ceiling in, they'll start meeting there.

Dickey Dodd wanting to thank U. S. Kitchens for finding and returning his lost watch—More and more proud teen-age owners of motor-driven bicycles around town. This is like having your cake and eating it too - the sport of bicycling without the effort of pedaling.

When Mrs. W. W. Baird returned to her home at Kaufman after visiting the Sam Moores here, she found an item in The Dallas News entitled "Friendly Town" by James J. Metcalfe. Sending it to the Moores, she wrote; "This Reminds Me of Wellington and its people." This is the rhyme she was talking about. "The little town has many charms—With which to gather fame—And make its people extra proud—To mention it by name—And more than all its other traits—And qualities combined—Is that of being courteous—Considerate and kind—Not of being sympathetic in—A manner warm and true—Not only in its circle but—To every stranger too—It smiles and says good-morning and—Good-evening and good-night—And in so many other ways—Its friendly open arms—And proves a little town can be—A place of many charms."

Meeting Under Way At Vinson Church

A gospel meeting is under way at the Vinson Church of Christ, with Minister Michael Honey of Mangum, Oklahoma, in charge of the preaching.

The public is cordially invited to attend any of the remaining services.

The meeting began Sunday to continue for 10 days.

Prayer Meeting Is Organized at Marella

Prayer meeting services have been organized in the Marella community, to be held each Sunday evening in various homes of the area.

The initial meeting was held in the H. C. Martin home with 32 present. The other meetings will be held in the Eddie Mounds home and the Walter Sweeden home.

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Farm Bureau Sets Picnic August 28

The county Farm Bureau has set Thursday, August 28, as the date for the annual picnic for members and guests. The entertainment will be held at Ellison Park.

An effort is being made to secure one or more speakers who are outstanding in agricultural work.

This meeting is open to the public and all persons interested are invited to attend. Each family is to bring its own basket supper, but drinks and ice cream will be furnished.

Ellen Goode -

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Louis Berg, Lee Laycock, John Forbis and Gus Barton.

Burial was in the Wellington cemetery with the Kelso Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Goode was before her marriage Miss Martha Ellen Davis, the daughter of James and Permelia Davis. She was born in Warren County Missouri October 27, 1859.

On October 9, 1879 she was united in marriage to J. T. Goode at Bales, Mo. To this union was born six children, all of whom survive. Mrs. Goode and her family moved to Texas many years ago, and before coming to this county, she made her home at Wichita Falls.

She was the daughter of a family prominent in the Methodist of their area, and she united with that church at the age of 13. She remained a loyal member, and for a number of years has had her membership in the Samnorwood Church.

Throughout the years she had lived here, Mrs. Goode had devoted to herself to her home, but at the same time she was an inspiration to those who met and knew her. Her patience and thoughtfulness of others continued to the end of her life, even during the late weeks of suffering.

Surviving Mrs. Goode are four sons and two daughters, Mr. R. A. Barton and Mrs. G. W. Laycock of Wellington, N. A. Goode of Kansas City Mo., R. L. Goode of Wichita Falls, G. T. Goode of Houston and J. L. Goode of Oklahoma City. Other survivors are two brothers and a sister: C. E. Davis of Neosho, Mo., Rev. W. A. Davis of Los Angeles, and Mrs. M. J. Davidson of Bozeman, Mont.; eleven grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Miss Henrietta Sauermilch of Yorktown and Mrs. Christian Miller of Nordheim returned to their homes recently after a 10-day visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knoll of the Nicholson community.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Jarrell of the Swearingen community attended the Old Settlers Reunion and Rodeo in Memphis last week.

James McClendon-

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Funeral Home.

James Marion McClendon was born September 12, 1918, near Hollis, and at the time of his death he was 28 years, 10 months and 19 days of age. His entire life was spent in this area with the exception of the time he was in the armed forces. He attended school at Loco and Wellington, graduating from the latter school.

James McClendon entered the Army October 13, 1941, and served for four years and 13 days, receiving his discharge October 26, 1945. He spent a year and eight months in Alaska, then he was returned to the United States for duty. Much of the time he was stationed at El Paso. He served first in the Army, then transferred to the Air Force, and finally returned to his original unit in the Army.

Upon receiving his discharge, Mr. McClendon returned to Loco to live, and immediately became associated with L. A. Sachse in construction work, particularly building cathern dams and farm lakes. For several weeks he had been engaged in work on Childress county roads for Mr. Sachse, a Childress County Commissioner.

He was keenly interested in sports of all types, and did much to encourage younger friends in them.

Mr. McClendon was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion.

One of the best known young men of his area, Mr. McClendon to all those who knew him typified the best of the young manhood of their community, one who served for them in war, and who returned to a useful peace-time life.

He is survived by his parents and three brothers, Leon McClendon, J. D. McClendon and Wayne McClendon, all of whom live in this area. A number of other relatives also live in this section.

Mrs. Keith Smith -

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came to Wellington when a small child and with exception of a few years when she lived in California, she has made this her home since. She was one of the town's most popular young women.

She and her husband operated Keith's Confectionery in Wellington.

Mrs. Smith is survived by her husband and two daughters, Sherry Ann and Judy Kay; her parents and a brother, R. J. Dunson, all of Wellington.

Miss Mary Lewis returned home last week with Mrs. John J. Ford from Lawrence, Mass. where she will stay for a month and return with the Fords to Wellington where they are planning to make their home.

Horton Taxi Service To New Location

Raymond Horton, operator of Horton Taxi Service in Wellington, announced this week a change in the location of his headquarters for his taxi service.

"In the future," Mr. Horton said, "I will be located at the Pullman Cafe." He also expressed his appreciation for all past business and his desire to continue serving the people of Wellington.

H. T. Sears -

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16 years and became a member of the Methodist Church at Union, Ar. He continued to live as a devout Christian and took part in church work.

Mr. Sears is survived by his wife and four children: W. O. Sears of Fort Worth, Norman Sears of Amarillo, Mrs. T. L. Fowler of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Miss Veda Belle Sears of Wellington. Other survivors are five grandchildren: Wanda, Raymond, Kenneth and Bobby Fowler of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Jo Ann Sears of Amarillo; four brothers, W. G. Sears of McAllister, Oklahoma, Willis Sears of Melbourne, Ark., Wesley Sears of Wild Cherry, Ark., and Arthur Sears of Port Arthur.

In addition to the children and their families, out of town relatives here for the funeral were W. G. Sears, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Copeland and daughter and Mrs. Graden Hale of McAllister, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Collie and family of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Oakley of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Warrick of Hereford.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our dear friends, the doctors, Sisters of St. Joseph's Hospital and all others for every kind word and deed in the loss of our darling son and brother, James McClendon. We thank those who brought the nice food to our home, and for the floral offering.

May God's richest blessings be upon each one is our prayer. Mrs. and Mrs. E. V. McClendon J. D. McClendon and family Leon McClendon and family Wayne McClendon.

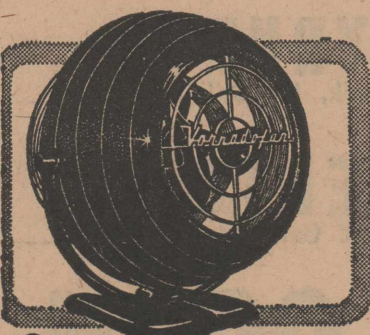
Stewart Jones spent the week end visiting relatives in Amarillo. Mrs. R. L. Stewart, Mrs. Maybelle Swanner, and Sharen Faye Riddesburger returned home with him Sunday night. Mrs. Swanner and Miss Riddesburger returned to Amarillo Monday night, while Mrs. Stewart is here visiting her daughter Mrs. W. D. Jones on an extended visit.



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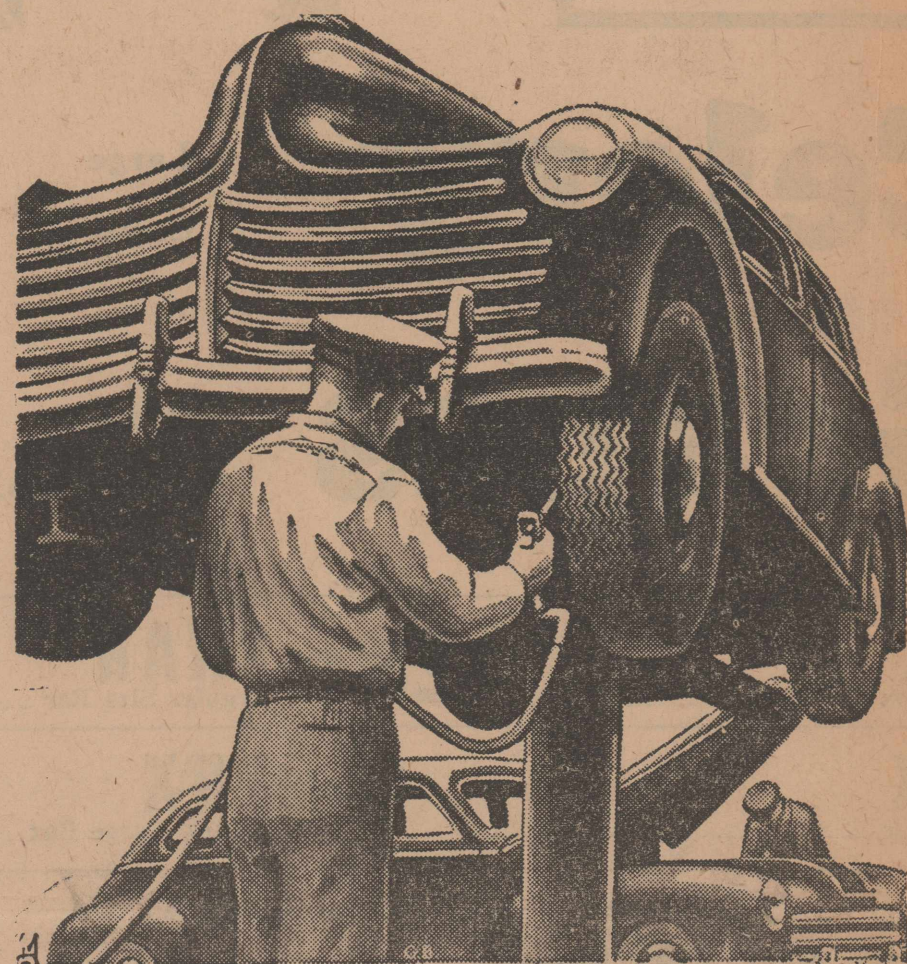
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