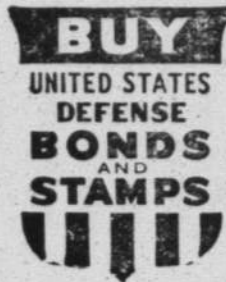




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## One Man Is Killed And Two Others Seriously Injured In Auto Crash Early Sunday

A head-on automobile collision at 2:00 Sunday morning, 15 miles west of Lamesa, claimed the life of Edwin Brewster of Post City, and seriously injured Aaron Marcom of Altus, Oklahoma and R. E. Weston of Olney, Texas.

Brewster was the sole occupant of the car in which he was riding, and was killed instantly as a result of the crash. Marcom and Weston are soldiers located at San Diego, and were enroute from that point to Fort Worth. They are in a Lamesa hospital, suffering from serious injuries.

An investigation was conducted by a Texas State Highway Patrolman, but it was not learned just exactly how the collision occurred.

## "Seven Last Words" To Be Presented Apr. 3

Mrs. Weldon A. Lindsey and Miss Carolyn Seale will direct the great sacred cantata, "The Seven Last Words of Christ", by Thurman Dubois, Friday evening, April 3, at the First Baptist Church. This cantata has gained national popularity as

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## Winners Of Literary Events In County Interscholastic League Meet Are Listed

Listed below are the names of the winners in the various literary events held in connection with the Dawson County Interscholastic League Meet which took place in Lamesa last Friday and Saturday.

Winners of the athletic events had not been tabulated at the time of going to press.

### CHORAL SINGING

Rural School Division No. I (20 pupils or less):

1. Hancock, 20 points.
2. McCarty, 15 points.

Rural School Division No. II (more than 20 pupils):

1. Harmon, 20 points.
2. Woody, 15 points.

Ward School Division (More than 20 pupils):

1. Lamesa, 20 points.
2. Sparenberg, 15 points.
3. Dawson, 10 points

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## For Results Use The Classifieds

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## Victory Book Campaign Gets Underway Here

A number of books have been received in the Victory Book Campaign which is now underway in Lamesa and Dawson County, stated the sponsors, and all who have not donated good books are urged to do so at once. The Victory Book Campaign is being sponsored by the Readers Forum and all of the books donated will be sent to the men in the Military Service camps who do not have access to libraries.

Every citizen in this territory is urged to donate to this cause. Good books are wanted; ones that you think a man in the service would be expected to read and enjoy.

Books may be left at the following places in Lamesa: Morris Pharmacy, Collins, Baldwins, Townsends Dal-Paso Hotel lobby or Bus station, Weavers Specialty Shop and the Courier office.

If you have books to donate but are unable to bring them to town, phone number 257, and they will be called for.

—BUY DEFENSE BONDS - STAMPS—

## Changes Made In AAA Regulations

The following change has been made in AAA regulations applicable in Hardeman, Foard, Knox, Stone-wall, Fisher, Nolan, Coke, Tom Green, Concho, Menard, Kimble, Sutton, and Val Verde Counties, and all counties lying west of these counties:

Item (9) Section 1B, SRB-601-Texas, provides that land planted to sweet sorghums will be considered as conserving acreage, provided a strip one rod wide is left standing alternating with each five-rod strip cut green for hay.

Many farmers are reluctant to leave sweet sorghums on the land after seed maturity because they do not want a volunteer crop of sweet sorghums the following year. Accordingly, it has been decided that the one-rod strip may also be harvested for hay, provided a substantial growth (12 inch stubble or more) is left standing.

The last paragraph of Section 1B, SRB-601-Texas, provides that the conserving requirement may be met by growing green manure or cover crops, regardless of any other use of the land during the year, except

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### WE MADE A MISTAKE

The Courier is extremely sorry that a mistake was made last week in the misspelling of M. Hatch's name in the political column as a candidate for City Commissioner. We apologize to Mr. Hatch and hope that we have not caused him any inconvenience.

## The Boys Who Have Gone!

I heard a business man yesterday worrying, "I just don't know what I am going to do. My business is not near as it was."

Mine isn't either.

Neither is that of the guy next door, or around the corner.

The automobile men have seen their car sales wiped out, but they are selling service.

The tire men are out of business. But they are trying to reorganize to do business in a new way. Used tires, recapped tires, used rubber tires. They are trying.

The tinner in our town has been almost stopped in business because he can get no stock.

But there are some other boys I want to tell you about.

These are the boys who have gone away.

Among the boys who have gone away from our town are several young business men who were just getting started in careers.

There is a young lawyer who had studied for years and almost starved here for two years to establish himself in his profession;

There are young farmers out there packing rifles or driving tanks who were driving tractors here two years ago in their own fields;

They are the boys who have laid their very lives on the altar of freedom that you might continue the business you are in. That you might continue to go to church on Sunday in the church of your choice. That you might eat the things you like and wear good clothes and live in a country that has the highest standard of living on earth.

What is that boy going to do?

He is going away to the far flung battle-fields of a world on fire and bare his chest to the worst the enemy has for him.

He may lay down his life.

But whether he lives or dies he has walked up to the lick log and not only surrendered his chance in life but offered life itself.

For what?

That you might complain of your lot now—and here.

That is your right in this Democracy which he has gone to protect.

But if you have to close your business and do something to which you are not accustomed until the war is over do you think you will be doing more than you should?

You will live as well as you ever lived because America needs every man and woman in war effort and America will pay that man or woman well.

While the boys who were here with you two years ago are in the jungles of the Philippines fighting heat and death and Japs you will be at home.

There are boys from this town who are with Wainright in the Philippines.

—And then you bellyache at your lot.

The least we can do is to raise food to feed them, cloth to clothe them and pray that they will again walk the streets of our town.

Don't worry about yourself. You are doing alright.

Let's do something for those boys who are out there doing for us. (NOTE: The author of this article is unknown to the editors of the Courier, as it was brought in by a friend with the request that we print it. It gives a man something to think about, and a moral that should not go unheeded.)

## Chief Of Police Jack Phinizy Issues Warnings To Both Motorists And Bicyclers

Chief of Police Jack Phinizy is this week issuing a warning to all motorists that there is too much wild and reckless driving within the city limits of Lamesa. Chief Phinizy states that there have been entirely too many collisions at intersections lately, and that in his opinion the majority of them are caused by excessive speed and carelessness.

According to Chief Phinizy there are no designated through streets in Lamesa, and that the law in such case is that the driver must know that the car coming from the right can pass in safety. In other words, the car coming from your right has the right of way, regardless of whether or not he is coming off a dirt street or road. The same ap-

plies on the corners where there are traffic lights when they are not in operation.

Chief Phinizy is asking the motorists of the city to use a little judgment and sanity in their driving. "There are no more new tires and cars," he says, "and everyone should think of the when they start their reckless or wild driving."

"Bicyclers are subject to the same laws and regulations as motorists" Mr. Phinizy commented when asked about this. "We expect all bicycles to be equipped with lights, to stay on the right hand side of the streets, stop turning in the middle of the block and cutting corners. If bicyclers aren't willing to cooperate we will have to force them to obey the laws."

An albatross with a spread of more than 11 feet has wings only 9 inches wide.

An albatross caught off Chile had been released near New Zealand only eight days before.

## War Board Asks Producers Return Questionnaires

On March 21, 1942, the County USDA War Board mailed a questionnaire to all producers in Dawson County regarding their farm operations for January, February and March. Each producer was asked to fill this out as accurately as possible and return it to the County USDA War Board at the AAA Office immediately. To date these forms have not been returned as promptly as requested. It is very necessary that these be returned at once so that this information can be forwarded to the State War Board. Should any producer fail to return this questionnaire this will show on the report to the State War Board office as information withheld by the producer.

Local War Board would like for each producer to return this form at once. In case this form is misplaced please call at the AAA Office and obtain a new blank. If you want to do your part in this emergency, please comply with this request.

Joe M. Peterson,

Chm. Dawson Co. USDA War Board

## School Girls Give Rotary Program

The Lamesa Rotary Club met Friday at the Plaza Hotel for their regular weekly meeting with Miss Patsey Jo Rountree in charge of the program.

The program consisted of a patriotic quiz conducted by Miss Rountree, and several songs given by Miss Marilynn Frazier.

O. H. Morris will be in charge of the meeting Friday, April 3, and he will speak on "Loans".

## Sale Of Box Seats At Ball Park Is Making Headway

J. H. Harp who is in charge of the sale of box seats and sign space at the Lamesa baseball park for the coming season, reported the first of this week that sales were coming along nicely. "Most of the holders of box seats and signs during last year have rebought for this season. But we still have a few choice seats and a little sign space left. All interested fans are requested to get in touch with either Loo Randals or myself as soon as possible," Mr. Harp stated.

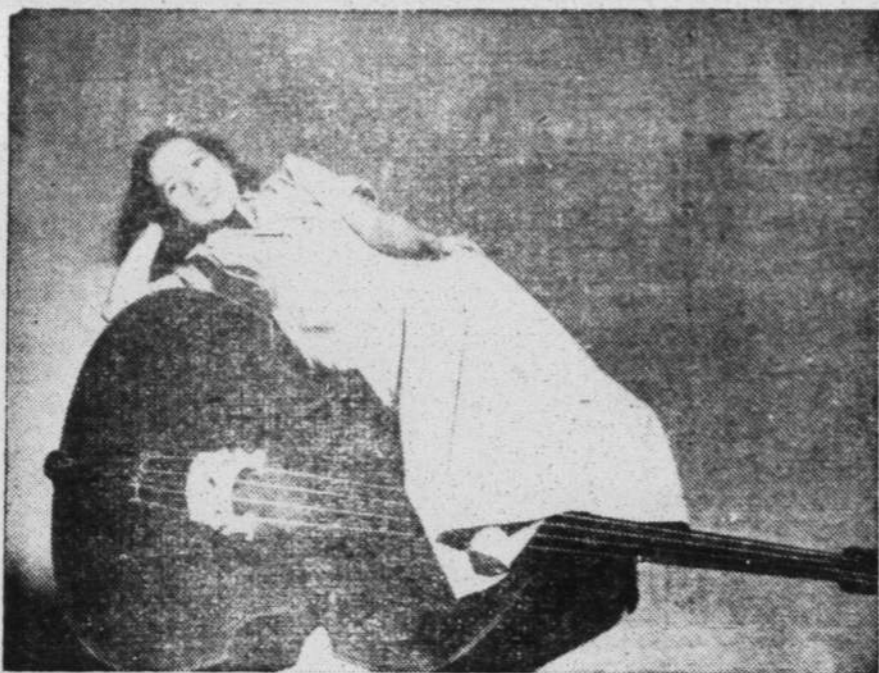
"The sale of these seats and signs is all that we have been asked to do by the present officials of the Lamesa baseball club, and we think it only right and proper that we show our complete cooperation by taking every one of them before the season opens," Mr. Harp concluded.

Workmen were busy the first of the week putting the final touches to the sodding of the infield and painting of the grandstand and dugouts, and predict, that every thing will be in first class shape by opening day.

Field Manager Jodie Tate will leave this week for Santa Barbara, California, where he will pick up the players allotted Lamesa by the Brooklyn Dodger organization, and at the same time carry a number of players out there for their spring

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### Ten-Year-Old Sings With TSCW Band



Sally Maxwell, 10-year-old mascot of the Campus Serenaders, Texas State College for Women dance band, may be small enough to fit into the curves of a bass fiddle but she's a big attraction when she travels with the band as a featured singer. Sally loves music of any kind, has been singing since she was 2, plays the violin and piano, and wants to learn to play the bass just like her two big sisters, TSCW students. Her parents are Major and Mrs. F. W. Maxwell of Denton and San Antonio.

### Cattle Feeding Trend Shows Upward Swing

There is a visible trend among farmers and ranchmen toward more feeding of beef cattle, both on pastures and in the feed lot, according to G. W. Barnes and A. L. Smith, animal husbandmen of the A. and M. College Extension Service.

The trend is apparent, notwithstanding that stockmen continue to rely very largely upon the range for maintenance of breeding herds, growing cattle and in some areas, for fattening animals. In 1941, there were 5,417 demonstration feedings in the state involving 199,496 head. Five systems of feeding; namely: creep, dry lot, combination, bundle and silage were used.

In a survey covering the year the animal husbandmen say that the increase in cattle feeding appears to be beneficial to the range cattle producer as well as to the farmer. In most instances the Texas farmer is not a breeder of beef cattle, but relies upon the range producer for his supply of feeder cattle. Most range operators found it advisable to sell their animals as feeders and to reserve their range for breeding.

Pointing to another phase of the trend induced by market demand for beef from lighter and younger animals, the specialists say, that to attain proper condition at 1,050 pounds or less young animals require some supplement feeding with both concentrates and roughages. This shift in market demand has stimulated the establishment of private and custom feed yards located near markets and feed producing areas. Simultaneously numerous farmers have become interested in the fattening of cattle as a means

of converting hay, silage, corn and grain sorghums. The leading influence now promoting the feeding of cattle by farmers are necessity for crop rotation; need for improvement of soil fertility; restricted outlet for cash sale of grain and silage in some districts, and desire for diversification of farm enterprises to comply with AAA requirements.

A continuing problem since eradication of the Texas fever tick some eight years ago, has been the control of the short nose ox louse, a bloodsucking parasite resistant to arsenical dips. In the fall of 1938 demonstrations were given in Hemphill County to establish that dipping with a mixture of 100 pounds of wettable sulphur and 10 pounds of cube (5 per cent rotenone) combined with 1,000 gallons of water at intervals of 17 to 21 days would eliminate the pest. The next year the demonstrations were repeated with about 11,000 cattle in Hemphill, Roberts, Deaf Smith and Baylor Counties with good results. As a result of educational meetings, dipping was conducted in 23 Panhandle Plains counties with more than 55,000 cattle in 1940, and in 48 counties in all sections of the state during 1941.

In order to determine fully the effectiveness of the process a 3-year demonstration plan in Jackson, Bee, Comal, Wilson and Medina counties for control of lice, ox warble, screwworm and horn fly has been arranged. A ranchman in each county agreed to dip three successive years for lice and warble.



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WHEN clothes go to the cleaner, tell him what caused the spots and stains—if you know. This will mean longer life for the garment, by eliminating experimentation with various solvents.



Then put all the dollars you'll save into DEFENSE SAVINGS STAMPS. Also remind your husband to allot part of his salary every pay day to his company's Pay-Roll Savings Plan.

### Draft Deferments To Be Based On Importance Of Job

WASHINGTON, March 20 (AP)—Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey indicated today that it would not be the dependents that a man has, but the importance of his job in war production, that would be the determining factor in his deferments from military service.

As Hershey, selective service director, was addressing a Conference on War Demands for Trained Personnel, President Roosevelt suggested to his press conference that there would be labor shortages for war work by fall.

Hershey said it was necessary

build horn fly traps and treat with Formula 62 for control of screw-worm.

Vaccinations, dehorning and other operations were subjects of method demonstrations during the year, with especial emphasis upon the damage inflicted by horns in cattle sent to market. Dehorning requires little, if any, investment, the specialists say, but it would increase the meat supply so vital to the Food For Victory campaign by eliminating the 20 per cent loss chargeable to bruises in slaughter cattle. The buyers devalue fat and feeder horned cattle 25 per cent per hundred-weight.

now to decide which are absolutely essential industries, retain these and eliminate the others or "we'll waste valuable man-power."

Many of the industries supporting the military forces are as important as the firing of the guns or dropping the bombs. He expressed belief that the need for deferment from military service would shift "from the question of how many dependents you have to what job are you doing?"

### Double Trouble For Axis At Midland School

Midland Army Flying School, March 24 — Twins in the "Hell from Heaven" department means double trouble for the Axis, and that's exactly what this world's greatest bombardier training school now has in the persons of Lieutenants Joseph H. and James R. Elder.

Officers less than a week, the two received their commissions at the Army Air Base, Albuquerque, N. M., and are now full-fledged bombardiers attached to the training department at this bombardier school.

They are identical twins, and their civilian and Army lives have closely followed the same pattern. They even received their "immunization 'shots'" at the same time.

Sons of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H.

Elder, Arlington, Texas, both graduated from Arlington High School, attended Texas Wesleyan College at Fort Worth, where they majored in sociology and economics.

Prior to joining the air corps, both worked as salesman.

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## POLITICAL Announcements

The following are candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on July 25, 1942

### JUDGE, 106TH JUDICIAL DIST.:

Louis B. Reed (Re-election)

### DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 106TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

Rollin McCord (Re-election Second Term)

### FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

Vernon D. Adcock (Re-election Second Term)

### SHERIFF, DAWSON COUNTY:

A. M. (Buck) Bennett (Re-election)

Ike Houston

### COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT:

J. H. Norris (Re-election Second Term)

### TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR, DAWSON COUNTY:

R. W. (Buster) Herndon (Re-election)

D. F. Johnson.

### COUNTY CLERK:

Howard Humphrey (Re-election Second Term)

### FOR DISTRICT CLERK:

Allan (Fish) Salser (Re-election second term)

### FOR COUNTY TREASURER:

H. Lambert Duke

Joe Medlin

Mrs. Roxie A. Gaines

### COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1:

S. C. (Spurgeon) Motley

Sherman Moulton.

J. A. (Alvin) Hogg

### COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2:

G. C. Aten (Re-election Second Term)

### COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3:

J. F. O'Brien (Re-election Second Term)

### COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 4:

J. E. Debnam (Re-election second term)

### FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE:

D. M. Campbell (Re-election)

J. E. (Joe) Hardesty

### PUBLIC WEAVER, PREC. 1:

Mrs. G. W. Wyatt (re-election)

## City Election

### FOR MAYOR, CITY OF LAMESA:

W. L. Marr (Re-election)  
Roy E. Speck.  
Charnell Jobe

### FOR COMMISSIONER, CITY OF LAMESA:

Vernon Bryant (Re-election)  
P. L. Alexander

W. E. (Bill) Roberts

Nelson Cope

M. Hatch

## U. S. Bond Keeps 'Em Flying

Lubbock, March 24 — Living proof that U. S. Bonds do their part to "keep 'em flying" is an Air Corps



## Defense Clean-Up Week Proclaimed By Governor

Civilian Defense Clean-Up Week in Texas has been designated for March 29 to April 4, in a proclamation issued by Governor Coke Stevenson.

Calling for co-operation of city and county officials, fire departments, public schools — both urban and rural, civic and patriotic organizations, the Governor, in his proclamation, has emphasized the need for a clean-up campaign at this time in the interest of public health and fire prevention.

"The health of our citizens and the preservation of property from destruction by fire is of vital importance to our Nation as an important part of its Victory program" the Governor declared.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, stated that the health of the nation in time of peace or war was of paramount importance. The men in our armed forces must be in perfect physical condition, and those engaged in supplying war material and other defense activities can not have their efforts dissipated by sickness or accidents. This week should kindle a desire on the part of all to make health a part of their war effort.

"Fire prevention has always paid liberal dividends where it has been practiced," Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, said. "The value of fire prevention is now more important than at any time in the past twenty-five years. The growing list of every day articles being removed from market as more plants are converted to war production makes it vital that all resources be protected from fire losses. A thorough clean-up with the removal of fire hazards is of major importance in fire prevention."

It has been pointed out that scrap and waste collections for the war effort can be given added emphasis during Civilian Defense Clean-Up Week by organizations engaged in such activity.

"In collecting waste paper," Commissioner Hall cautioned, "care should be exercised in storing it so as not to create a new fire hazard."

aviation cadet who has reported to the Lubbock Army Flying School here with its second cadet class.

He's probably the most widely publicized cadet in the country. "Discovered" some two months ago while taking basic training at Randolph Field, he's been adopted by the Treasury Department as a super-salesman of its defense bonds and has successfully participated in big bond drives at San Antonio and Tulsa.

The reason? Well, you see, that's his name— U. S. (Urban Selar) Bond, believe it or not. Naturally, they call him "Defense".

Flocks of boobies hunting fish will dive in unison from a height of 70 feet and disappear in a flash.

An eagle can fly off with an object its own weight.

## REMEMBER...

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- Spark Plugs . . .
- Motor Driven Pumps . . .
- Golden Rod Pumps . . .
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Prices reduced further for this week in many lines — with new merchandise added which we were unable to cancel. STOCK CAN'T LAST LONG AT THESE PRICES! DON'T WAIT — ACT NOW! WE LIST ONLY A FEW OF THE MANY BARGAINS IN THIS SPACE! HUNDREDS OF OTHERS JUST AS GOOD!



## New Easter DRESSES

We were unable to cancel this shipment. They are the new Easter styles and all the new season styles and colors. All we know to do with them is to place them in the sale at prices that will cause plenty of talk. This new lot placed on sale Monday morning at real savings. \$7.95 Dresses ONLY—

**\$5.95**

## WOMEN'S AND MISSES OXFORDS



These are for Misses and their mothers. All the new colors and combinations. Spic, span and brand new! A real honest to goodness bargain in high grade oxfords. Reg. \$3.98 values. SALE—

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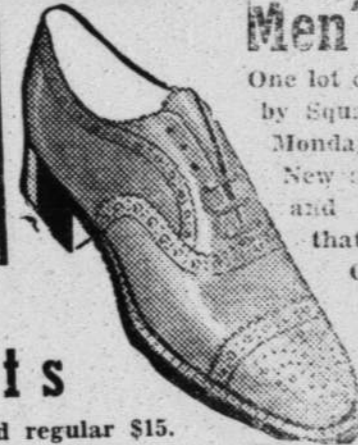
## 4,300 BUYERS ON OPENING DAYS!

### Woolens

Fine quality, 52 inches wide. YARD SALE **69c** LADIES SILK

### Robes

\$5.00 Robes in appearance **\$2.98** SALE



### Men's Oxfords

One lot of our Famous "Cross-by Square" Oxfords reduced Monday for fast action. New styles in young mens and conservative styles that should sell for \$7.95. Out they go—

SALE—

### Women Slippers

A big assortment. Pumps. Ties and straps. All styles and colors. Broken lots. Some \$4.95 values! SALE— **79c**

### WOMEN'S

### Coats

Real quality and regular \$15. values! HURRY! SALE **\$6.95**

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### MEN'S Sweaters

A Real one. Regular \$2.50 SALE— **\$1.25**

### MEN'S Slack Suits

A dandy quality. Worth \$4.00 SALE— **\$1.96**

### BUSTER BROWN Hosiery

None better. 30c quality SALE— **23c**

### LADIES Uniforms

Lovely quality white broadcloth. \$1.79 values SALE— **\$1.39**



MEN'S Shirts \$2.00 value! Sale— **\$1.39**

### TENNIS Shoes

These are the best kind! SALE— **98c**

### MEN'S FINE Hats

Reg. \$6.00 kind. Sale— **\$4.45**



### Men's Pants

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## League Results-

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### STORY TELLING

Rural School Division:  
1. Nelva Ruth Herring, Mt. Olive, 10 points.  
2. Cliber Sherman, Grandview, 5 points.  
3. Jamie Robison, Mullins, 3 points

Ward School Division:  
1. David Murray, Lamesa, 10 points; 2. Pauline Astin, Union, 5 points; 3. Wanda Lou Mathews, Klondike, 3 points.

### DECLAMATION

Rural School Division  
Senior Boys: 1. R. E. Houston, Hancock, 7 points; 2. Edgar Tapley, Key, 5 points; 3. Bobby Clanton, Midway, 2 points.  
Senior Girls: 1. Virginia Anthony, Woody, 7 points; 2. Velma Ruth Kidd, McCarty, 5 points; 3. Bonita Waldrop, Woody, 2 points.  
Junior Girls: 1. Jo Ann Bridges, Hancock, 7 points; 2. Bobby Faye Hardesty, McCarty, 5 points; 3. Roxie Lee Spruiell, Key, 2 points.  
Junior Boys: 1. Bobby Butcher, Hancock, 7 points; 2. Doyle Whitmore, McCarty, 5 points; 3. Floyd Oliver, Grandview, 2 points.

High School Division  
Senior Girls: 1. Anne Hurt, Lamesa, 7 points; 2. Laura Mae Matthews, Klondike, 5 points; 3. Nell Ponder, Ackerly, 2 points.  
Senior Boys: 1. Marvin Standerfer, Lamesa, 7 points; 2. Elton Therpe, Klondike, 5 points.  
Junior Boys: 1. Jack Reese, Lamesa, 7 points.  
Junior Girls: 1. Wynelle Cotten, Lamesa, 7 points; 2. Emma Lou Vardeman, Sparenberg, 5 points; 3. Wyvonne Crane, Klondike, 2 points.

### Ward School Division

Junior Boys: 1. Kenneth Williams, Lamesa, 7 points; 2. Billy Don Finton, Klondike, 5 points; 3. J. D. Borland, Union, 2 points.  
Junior Girls: 1. Phyllis Green, Sparenberg, 7 points; 2. Helen Applegate, Klondike, 5 points; 3. Jo

### PICTURE MEMORY Rural School Division

1. Mullins - Minnie Ann Mullins, Clyde Gibson; Key - Jim Evelyn Southard, Juanita Hadaway; Woody - Freda Beth Womack, Billie Adair, each school receiving 10 points; 2. McCarty - Jo Ann Bullard, Billie Jo Green, Francine Cox; 3. Harmony - Leland Lane, Robert Harlen Isaac.

### Ward School Division

1. Union - Sylvia Moore, Moselle Blackstock, Louise Hogg, Bobbie Agnew, Vivian Hancock, 15 points; 2. Lamesa - J. A. White, Bobbie Jean Foutz, Charles Smith, David Lawrence, Thomas Rogers, Betty Ann Serface, Betty Lou Gaines, Carolyn Tillman, Suzanne Goen, Thelma Robinson, Lloyd Hodges, Harold Parsons, 10 points; 3. Ackerly - Jean Raspberry, Hallie White, 5 points.

### TYPEWRITING

Team Event: 1. Lamesa; 2. Klondike; 3. Union.  
Individual Event: 1. Mary Frances Barnard, Lamesa; 2. Jonita Glaze, Lamesa; 3. Marilynn Frazier, Lamesa.

### SHORTHAND

1. Lamesa.  
1. Peggy Garrett, 98.57%; 2. Theda Nall, 96.85%; 3. Bobbie Bockman, 92.57%.

### READY WRITERS

Class A: 1. Jimmie Jean Baldwin, Lamesa, 15 points; 2. Frances McCollum, Lamesa, 10 points; 3. James Boone, Lamesa, 5 points.  
Class B: 1. Alice McNew, Klondike, 15 points; 2. Mary Katherine Fincher, Union, 10 points.  
Rural: 1. Wyman Jones, Woody, 15 points; 2. Lavaris Woodul, McCarty, 10 points.  
Ward: 1. Wilma Jean Jones, Lamesa, 15 points; 2. Wilmer Nichols, Klondike, 10 points; 3. Mildred Houchin, Sparenberg, 5 points.

### EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEECH

Boys: 1. Clinton Lee Hardesty, McCarty, 15 points; 2. Edd Grissom, Sparenberg, 10 points; 3. Arvis Woodul, McCarty, 5 points.  
Grades VIII and above, Rural Division: 1. Bonita Waldrop and Weldon Kinnison, Woody, 15 points; 2. Irene Klas and Herschel Rhoades, Key, 10 points.  
High School Division: 1. Dorothy Barron and Geraldine Finto, Klondike, 15 points; 2. Peggy Garrett and Estelle Winford, Lamesa, 10 points.

### Grades VI, VII, VIII

Ward: 1. H. L. Crouch and Nancy Hollingsworth, Lamesa, 15 points; 2. Zula Shortis and Laverne Martin, Ackerly, 10 points; 3. Patsy Stanfield and Lillian Alexander, Sparenberg, 5 points.  
Rural: 1. Wanda Sue Middleton and Winfred White, Woody, 15 points; 2. Louise Pearson and Bonnie Joyce Clark, O. K., 10 points; 3. Jack Rhyne and Melvin Smith, Grandview, 5 points.

### Grades IV, V, VI

Ward: 1. Betty Ruth Foster and Theta Jamison, Klondike, 15 points; 2. Jerry Renner and Floyd Carroll, Lamesa, 10 points; 3. Mary Sue Turner and Kee Robinson, Dawson, 5 points.  
Rural: 1. Leonard Mires and Ruth Lee Davis, Hancock, 15 points; 2. Juanita Hadaway and Roxie Lee Spruiell, Key, 10 points; 3. Barbara Merrick and Margie Nell Winters, O. K., 5 points.

### DEBATE

Boys: 1. Lamesa - Kenneth Earnest, Tom Wade, 20 points.  
Girls: 1. Lamesa - Mary Lu Murray, Katy Lee Randle, 20 points; 2. Klondike - Mary Bob Ellyson, Dorothy Lee McReynolds, 15 points.

### THREE R

1. Hazel Walker, Harmony, 10 points. 2. Dona Lee Hunt, Woody, 5 points; 3. Edgar Lee Hawkins, Key, 2 points.

### NUMBER SENSE

Rural: 1. McCarty - Billie Joyce Tinsley, Bobby Faye Hardesty, 15 points; 2. Harmony - Faye Marie Rogers, Betty Ruth Walker, 10 points; 3. Woody - Wanda Sue Middleton, William Green, Herbert Faulkenberry, Billie Matlock, 5 pts.  
Ward: 1. Union - Jimmie Green, J. D. Borland, 15 points; 2. Dawson - Mary Weeks, Bessie Lou Rogers, Merlene Holden, 10 points; 3. Sparenberg - Dorice Bowlin, Melba Cowger, 5 points.

### MUSIC MEMORY

Rural: 1. Harmony - Bobby Hugh Clanton, Jamie Lee Ables, 15 points.

## Workers Demonstrate At Houston Rally



Indignant because organized labor had been given no place on the speaking program of a "We Want Action" war rally at Houston, a group of workmen, some shown in action above, demonstrated loudly and beat their safety hats upon their chairs until their wish finally was granted.

### THESPIANS SET FOR SHOW TO BE GIVEN THURSDAY EVENING

The top event for the week for Lamesa High School will be: "Don't Take My Penny," the three-act comedy the Thespians have been telling you about for several weeks. This is a fast-moving, amusing play. All characters have been carefully chosen and trained. Billie Sue White is taking the part of "stage-struck Penny" Patsy Jo Rountree is seen in the part of a pert little maid. Who really isn't a maid at all but a former movie actress. Billie Grace Webb plays the part of the talented radio actress and Katie Lee Randal is at her best in the role of Gram.

A strong supporting cast is made up of Earlene Davis, Mary Frances Barnard, Lynette Carroll, Billie Jean Meyers, Mary Frances Bartlett, Raymond Orson, Homer Tisdale, James Boone, Lyndall Sharp, Marvin, Standerfer, Jack Reese, Billie Jo Norris and Owen Taylor, Jr.

The play will be in the High School Auditorium Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Tickets are on sale with the tax included, 15 and 30 cents.

### MRS. A. E. JACOBS ENTERTAINS CLUB THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. A. E. Jacobs entertained on Thursday afternoon for members and guests of the Thursday 42 club at her home.

The entertaining rooms were attractively decorated with plum blossoms. During the afternoon games of 84 were enjoyed after which strawberry short cake and iced tea were served to the guests.

Those attending were Mesdames W. K. Crawley, Arthur Hull, E. R. Tinsley, W. T. Webb, George Norman, S. L. Forrest, Clyde Privitt, and V. O. Key.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Allen K. Killough Jr. and Burnett Lightfoot, March 26.  
Curtis Lee Allen and Miss Ruth Evelyn Underwood, March 26.

Mrs. A. J. McDaniels, Mrs. Dorman Kinard and Mrs. Hervie King spent the week end at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, where they visited their husbands, who are in the Army.

Ward: 1. Lamesa - Bill Nix, Lorraine Morris, Bobby Foutz, Billy Ray Scott, Frank Rose, Myrna Townsend, Carol Jones, Rita Nell Burleson, 15 points.

Total Points for Literary Contests  
Rural: Woody 89, McCarty 75, Harmony 57, Hancock 56, Key 39, O. K. 15, Mullins 13, Grandview 12, Mt. Olive 10.

Ward: Lamesa 102, Klondike 53, Union 39, Sparenberg 37, Dawson 25, Ackerly 15.

High School: Lamesa 118, Klondike 42, Sparenberg 15, Union 10, Ackerly 10.

### MRS. HERBERT CAUDLE HOSTESS TO THURSDAY FORTY-TWO CLUB

Spring flowers decorated the home of Mrs. Herbert Caudle Thursday afternoon when she entertained for members of the Thursday 42 Club. The red, white and blue color scheme was carried out in the decorations and refreshments.

Games of 42 were enjoyed during the afternoon, with Mrs. Lee Billingsley winning the 42 prize.

Those attending were Mesdames A. H. Smith, Ray Williams, Bill White, Lee Billingsley, M. E. Boren, Walter Barfoot, Irvin Wright, Dee Hull, M. E. Smart, L. Bissett, Ross Boardman and Ross Gibson.

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Corner South 5th and Katherine. Theo F. Sager, pastor.

In place of the special Wednesday evening service, there will be a service on Good Friday morning, beginning at 11 o'clock. With this service we would remind ourselves of our Lord's death.

Visitors always welcome.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Merrick and daughter Ruth spent Sunday in Abilene visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Juanita Bennett spent the week end in Oklahoma visiting with friends.

Lee Dunn and Wayne Graves left Monday for Canyon where they will visit with Miss Loy Dunn, a student at W. T. S. T. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Oil D. Harris and Mrs. Melba George spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Roberts and sons Gerald and Tommie and Miss Charlene Atterbury spent Sunday in Midland visiting Charles Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Osburn spent Sunday in Midland with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nix, Jr. and children, Anne and Don, of Colorado City, spent the week-end here visiting Mr. Nix's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nix.

Lee Dunn of San Diego, Calif., is visiting with friends and relatives here this week.

T. L. Cowden, of Wichita Falls spent the week end here with his wife.

Billie Gill, of San Diego, Calif., is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Hugh Gill here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Corbin and son of San Diego, California, are visiting with friends and relatives in Lamesa this week.

## Arrangements Will Be Made For "Victory Special"

Arrangements for the "Victory Special" to visit Lamesa April 22, will be made Tuesday when Bob Bourdene, representing the Dallas Chamber of Commerce and Manufacturers and Wholesalers Association, and Paul Jones, publicist for the State Fair of Texas, confer with city and chamber of commerce officials.

The "Victory Special" will be just what the name implies. Plans are being made for a colorful private train to leave Dallas on April 19 and visit 27 Texas towns and two in Oklahoma before its return to Dallas on April 24th. Personnel for the trip will be made up of Dallas business executives, who, as a body, will congratulate Lamesa on the job it is doing in the war effort.

Towns to be visited on the tour are: Brady, Brownwood, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Odessa, Midland, Big Spring, Colorado City, Sweetwater, Abilene, Lamesa, O'Donnell, Tahoka, Slaton, Lubbock, Plainview, Memphis, Childress, Quanah, Vernon, Electra, Wichita Falls, Gainesville, Whitesboro, Denison, Durant, Oklahoma, Hugo, Oklahoma, and Paris, Texas.

"Heretofore," said Mr. Bourdene, "this annual tour has been known as the Dallas Goodwill tour and our objective was to let people in the towns we visited know that we appreciated the business they did with Dallas. This year, however, we are forgetting everything but the fact that we must have a unified state and nation if we are to win the war and we want the people of your city to know that we appreciate the effort you are putting forth. We want the citizens of every city we visit to know that we are behind them one hundred per cent and we want them to back us, too. We must remember that in unity there is strength."

The tour will be the 41st annual event of its kind sponsored by the Dallas Chamber of Commerce and the Wholesalers and Manufacturers Association.

### WEEK-END GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waltrip had as their house guests this week-end Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bryant and son, of Sweetwater, Mrs. J. T. Nichol, of Sweetwater, Mrs. J. D. Payton and son, of Fort Worth, Mrs. Jack Prestage, of Montgomery, Alabama, Mrs. Jack Hastings and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hastings, of Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Barrett, of Brownfield, spent Sunday visiting in the home of his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barrett.

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## Mrs. Ida Crow Dies At Slaton

Mrs. Ida Crow, of Slaton, sister of Mrs. A. J. McDaniels, passed away at her home Saturday, March 28. Funeral services were held on Sunday, at Slaton First Baptist Church, with Rev. Foster, pastor, and Rev. E. F. Cole, pastor of the Lamesa First Baptist Church, officiating.

Attending the funeral from Lamesa were Mrs. McDaniels, Mr. and Mrs. Owen C. Taylor, Mrs. Tom Tillman and Mrs. E. F. Cole.

### INFANT DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. M. C. BURROWS DIES

Betty Jo Burrows, three day old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burrows, passed away Saturday afternoon at their home.

Funeral services were held at the Lamesa Cemetery with Rev. Ernest Phillips officiating. Survivors were her parents.

Myrtis Wright spent Sunday in O'Donnell visiting with friends.

## THEATRE PROGRAM

### PALACE

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### Thursday - Friday

APRIL 2-3

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APRIL 2

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### Tues. - Wednesday and Thursday

MARCH 31 - APRIL 1-2

One of last year's biggest pictures

### "The Penalty"

## Great-Granddaddy Boy, 12, Held As Slayer Of Father Shows Marines How To Fight

By JOHN GROVER  
Wide World Features Writer

WASHINGTON — When the Marine Corps wanted to teach its toughest troops the finer points of hand-to-hand killing, America's deadliest great-grandfather was called back to active duty.

Col. A. J. Drexel Biddle, M. D.—doctor of mayhem—is teaching this war's crop of leathernecks the three B's—bayonet, bowie knife and bare hands, and there's nothing great-grandfatherly about the way he explains the better methods of fracturing arms, legs and skulls.

"Now here's a nice way of breaking a leg if you're unarmed and a man comes at you with a bayonet," he says, throwing himself on the ground. With a faster than eye flip of his feet he demonstrates a simple job of knee-cracking.

Bone-breaking, though, is considered rather crude in the three-B's. Precise military workmen prefer bayonet and bowie knife technique. "Very discouraging, a cut throat," the colonel explains.

Col. Biddle, an internationally known sportsman for 50 years, has adapted the classic strokes of his fencing to bayonet fighting. His knife-fighting research goes back to the days of gladiators in the Roman coliseum. His "Inquartata" thrust, taught to the Marines, was introduced 3,000 years ago by Gallic knife fighters.

There's a certain delicacy about the Biddle technique. He explains carefully that the bayonet should be held flat for a Grade-A ventilating job.

"It comes out easily if it's held flat," he tells his boys. "If you hold it upright, it sometimes sticks between the ribs. Very messy."

This Col. Biddle is a many-sided man. He springs from an aristocratic clan that practically invented staid old Philadelphia.

On his "correct," or Philadelphia side, he has written books like "A Froggy Fairy Tale" and travel volumes suited for young Philadelphia gentlemen. What he's done on the "active side" probably would make moss-backed "Main Line" dowagers thrown convulsion fits.

He went to grade school in Spain. That's where he first became interested in knife fighting. "You had to learn to stab your little friends, or they stabbed you," he recalls. "Sometimes, if you cut a playmate very badly, the teacher sent you home."

He was a sparring partner of Heavyweight Champion Bob Fitzsimmons. He's one of the few men alive who knows the famous Fitzsimmons shift and solar plexus wallop. Ruby Robert Biddle declares was every inch a gentleman—"when ever he put a man in the hospital he always sent flowers and a nice note."

The colonel learned jiu jitsu after he was 50. He's an authority on Cossack, Spanish, and other knife techniques, but thinks Col. Bowie is the best method, because it follows closely the conventions of fencing.

Mrs. Biddle, slim, trim and vivacious, is her husband's best pupil, and the "active" Biddle tradition is carried on now by their children. Anthony Jr., is now ambassador to the United Nations in exile. As American minister to Poland when the Germans came, he led an historic trek of Americans out of the beleaguered country. A grandson is a naval officer in the Atlantic. Now there are great-grandchildren to carry on the tradition.

What a thrill for the kiddies to hear him say: "Climb up on great-granddaddy's knee and he'll show you how to break it."

Mrs. Dudley Brewer, of O'Donnell spent Sunday in Lamesa visiting with friends and relatives.

Shorty Winborn, Raymond Everhart and Alfred Burger, of San Diego, California, are visiting with friends and relatives in Lamesa this week.



Twelve-year-old David Waldo Rogers sits at the county jail at Athens, Texas, beside Sheriff Jess Sweeten who quoted the youth as saying he killed his father because "he whipped me with a fly swatter." The father, C. M. Rogers, 69, was shot in the back of the head as he sat milking.

## Texas U. Regent



John H. Bickett, Jr., 50, Dallas attorney, was appointed March 28 by Governor Coke Stevenson to the Board of Regents of the University of Texas to fill a vacancy left by the resignation of Leslie Waggener. Bickett, general counsel for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, is a former judge of the San Antonio Court of Civil Appeals.

## Texas Sweetheart



Miss Kay Abernathy of Dallas (above) was crowned sweetheart of the University of Texas as climax of opening day ceremonies of the University's three-day annual roundup which ended Saturday.

Mrs. Herford Smith, of O'Donnell spent Thursday in Lamesa visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Norman and Helen spent Sunday in Tulla visiting in the home of Mrs. Pearl Hern.

## MARTIN COUNTY SHOW WINNERS ANNOUNCED

STANTON, March 23—Elmer Anderson had the grand champion calf of the fifth annual Martin County livestock show here Saturday.

The top animal, leader of the fed out by W. D. Chandler, and milkfed class, bested a drylot calf which took reserve honors. Other boys who placed calves, all in the dry lot division, were L. A. Baker, Leroy Baker, Ralph Coates and William R. Woolsey.

Jimmie Mashburn took top honors in the poultry division, with a pen of Rhode Island Reds.

Poultry winners were as follows: Pit Game, White Wyandotte and Rhode Island Reds, Jimmie Mashburn; Barred Plymouth Rocks and Cornish Game, Frank Heffington; Fighting Game, Astock and Anconas, Dwain Henson; Blue Andalusians, Stanton White; White Leghorns, L. T. Graves, and Brown Leghorns, Bob Hutson.

I. O. Sturkie, Midland County agent, judged the calves, and B. N. Duff, Glasscock County agent, placed the chickens. Hubert Martin Stanton, directed the show for the Stanton Service Club.

The stormy petrel gets its name from "walking" on calm water (with the aid of flapping wings) like St. Peter; on land it cannot stand.

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## PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Loveless returned Friday, from Dallas, where Dr. Loveless attended a medical convention.

Mrs. Ervin Bailey spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with her daughter, Jo Ervin, who is a student at Tech.

Mrs. Jo Hall spent the week end at Lubbock visiting with friends.

Miss Mutt Weekes, of San Diego, is visiting with friends in Lamesa this week.

The thread-finned fish, found in the Amazon river, leaps out of the water and lays its eggs on overhanging plants.

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## State Candidate



State Senator Vernon Lemens of Waxahachie has announced his candidacy for lieutenant governor of Texas. He is author of important highway safety legislation, including the driver's license law.

### DO YOUR PART— GIVE THE HOG A CHANCE

The average weight of hogs marketed in Fort Worth during the past 90 days is 10 pounds less than the average weight of hogs marketed in the same 90 days a year ago. Somebody is really falling down on the job. Uncle Sam says "Feed out your hogs to heavier weights." Lard is needed for Lend-Lease activities. So feed out these hogs to reach 240 pounds and up. Give a hog a chance and he will do his part. Will

## April 5 To 11 Designated 4-H Club Week

The week of April 5 to 11 has been designated as 4-H Club Week throughout the United States. This observance replaces the National 4-H Club Encampment held in normal years in June at Washington, D. C.

According to L. L. Johnson and Onah Jacks, state 4-H Club agents of the A. and M. College Extension Service, more than 80,000 Texas farm boys and girls enrolled in the 4-H Club work are expected to participate. The activities will be conducted by the Extension Service through the county extension agents and voluntary local club leaders and sponsors.

During 4-H Club Week an effort will be made to remind adults and youth that the work to be done concerns every individual, and that boys and girls must do their part in a full-sized job, the state agents said. "Effort will be made to stimulate family and community work to the end that every individual may make his best contribution toward victory."

Farm boys and girls through the 4-H Club work have carried on a seven-point national defense program for the last 1-2 years. The state agents said that the club members have concentrated especially on club demonstrations which produce needed foods, care of farm machinery, clothing and other vital items, farm fire prevention, selling and buying Defense Bonds and

you do your part by giving him a chance?

## Dr. Cox Says:-

"If you haven't been vaccinated against typhoid fever within the last two or three years, go to your doctor and be protected against it," Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, advises prospective campers, Boy and Girl Scouts, summer vacationists, and all other users of the open road—whether for business or pleasure—as the out-of-doors season approaches.

"Typhoid fever," he continued, is unnecessary and preventable. Every case is due either to community negligence or to the ignorance or carelessness of some individual.

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

"Typhoid germs are hitch-hikers.

Stamps, helping in civilian defense activities, collecting scrap metal, paper, and other materials which are scarce, and in discussions in, and practice of, democratic principles in their club work.

## LIBERTY LIMERICKS



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They are picked up and spread from person to person by water, milk,

flies, fingers, food. Every case of typhoid is contracted by way of the mouth and the digestive system. The State Department of Health and the local health departments can be depended upon to continue their fight against the disease, but there will still be sources of infection that can be warded off only through the protection afforded by vaccination against the disease."

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### For Sale!

**FOR SALE OR TRADE:** Two-row Case tractor, good rubber, mechanically good — W. F. Bertram, Ackery, Rt. 1. 23-26 p

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**FOR SALE:** 50 lb. Coolerator and other pieces of furniture — R. Y. Lindsey, phone 157-M at 202 South Houston Street. 22 tfc

**FOR SALE OR TRADE:** For farm or stock farm, my rock veneer home including four blocks in Hill Crest restricted addition with six small rent houses in Lamesa, clear of all debt — See or write Luther E. Page, Star Rt. 4, Lamesa. 22-25 p

**FOR SALE:** Eighty 4 1-2 months old White Leghorn pullets, also New Perfection 4 burner oil stove — C. W. McClure, Punkin Center Store. 22-25 p

**FOR SALE:** Jersey cow, 3 gallons, white faced calf, 2 miles west on Seminole Highway — J. C. Porter. 22-23 p

**FOR SALE:** Beautiful male Collie dog, sable and white, age 6 months, 806 S. First — Mrs. Walter Barrett, phone 488. 22-23 c

**FOR SALE:** Body to candy salesman's car. Well built and divided into several departments — See Tom Burnside. 15 tfc

**FOR SALE OR LEASE:** We have a first class dairy for sale or will sell cows and equipment and lease to right party. This dairy doing a first class business. DuBose Brothers and J. T. Oates. 20 tfc

**STILL NOT Too late for Chinese Elms.** Real nice ones at 10c and 15c — Dyer Hardware and Auto Supply. 22-23 c

**FOR SALE:** 160 acres sorry land, saturated with mesquite grubs and shinners. Southwest 1-4 tract 6 league 280 — V. O. Key. 18 tfc

**FOR SALE:** 4 row Massey Harris tractor, good condition — E. E. Barron. 4 tfc

**FOR SALE:** Burlap sacks for cotton seed, grain, etc. East of railroad track — J. C. Billingsley and Son. 74 tfc

**FOR SALE:** Springer Jersey heifers — T. C. Stanfield, 1 mile south Midway Store. 21-24 p

**FOR SALE:** 1941 Oldsmobile-76 4-door sedan, low mileage, good tires. J. T. Davis, 808 S. Austin, Phone 349-R. 3 tfc

**PLANTING SEED:** I have a limited amount of the Western Prolific cotton seed for sale. Lint production 1941 over 400 lbs. per acre — O. H. Morris. 104 tfc

**FOR SALE:** Late 1940 V-8 Deluxe Ford, with radio and heater, with good tires, low mileage—Thad Patterson at Forrest Lumber Co. 23-24 p

**FOR SALE:** 15 white Leghorn laying hens one year old — Call at Courier office. 23 tfc

**FOR SALE:** 200 large English white Leghorn hens. Pedigreed cockerel, mated flock, 1 year old, 70 per cent egg production — Mrs. F. W. Howard, at Jones ranch 21 miles west on Seminole on Lovington Highway 23 tfc

**FOR LEASE:** Well located Grocery and Market, rent reasonable. Will sell stock at invoice price, living quarters can be arranged in store building — Phone 337. 23-26 p

**FOR SALE - QUICK:** Complete farming outfit and lease land, 322 acres, for \$2 acre. Also chickens—J. L. Cohen, O'Donnell, Rt. 2, One mile north Pride Church. 23-24 c

**FOR SALE:** Windcharger, 20 foot tower and wiring equipment for a 3 room house, all for \$15 — Dalton Myers, Rt. A, Lamesa. 23-24 p

**FOR SALE:** C. C. Case Tractor, good condition, good rubber, full equipment. Rent 1-2 section improved land, 90 acres cultivation. 160 acres sod can be broke out-rent free — M. M. Ellyson, Loop, Tex. 23-26 p

**FOR TRADE:** 5 room house, modern conveniences, 6 lots for farm land — C. T. Cotten, Box 366, Lamesa. 23-24 p

**FOR SALE:** Will sell 40 head good Jersey milk cows, will include 2 unit Serge Milking Machine, all for \$4,000, cash — Fred A. Wilson Dairy, 15 miles south Sparenberg, just out of Sulphur Draw. 23-26 p

**FOR SALE:** Butane bottle and heater at a bargain — Ralph Mann 1 block west, 1 block north Bert Alsbrook's Store. 23-24 p

**FOR SALE:** 1940 Chevrolet special Deluxe, A-1 condition — Western Auto Store. 22-23 p

**FOR SALE:** 20 or 30 good hereford cows — J. W. Small. 21 tf

**Planting Cotton Seed For Sale**  
Mr. Jacobs has kindly consented to book orders for my Native Mebans cotton seed and deliver the seed to farmers at his gin in Lamesa. Native Mebane is a pure strain of cotton developed from seed grown by the originator, A. D. Mebane, and grown by me in Howard County and kept pure and made to mature early and yield a high per cent of lint. In other words, adapted to this climate. It is State Registered and inspected and complies with all the rules of the State Pure Seed Board. The price is \$6. per 3 bu. sack. Same price for 60 pound sack delinted. I have a limited amount of seed and will store them at the Jacobs Gin as soon as they are re-cleaned and sacked. High germination test.  
Sam Little, State Registered Cotton Breeder, Knott, Texas. 9 tfc

**FOR SALE:** 1938 model Chevrolet truck in good condition — S. R. Simpson, Phone 348. 8 tfc

**FOR SALE, TRADE, RENT:** New and used sewing machines, supplies and repairs for all makes. We cover buttons and buckles, do hem-stitching, and work buttonholes and eyelets. See Bizzell at Speck Furniture Store, South side square, Office phone 94-M, Res. Phone 324. 35 tfc.

**PLANTING SEED** For sale: I have a limited amount of Western Prolific planting seed for sale. Seed from cotton producing more than 400 pounds lint per acre in 1941. — O. H. Morris, 212 N. Houston. 4 tfc

**SEE OUR USED TRACTORS,** priced from \$300 up. A good time to buy your Go-Devil knives — Kenneth Cox Implement Co. 16 tfc

**MANN'S RADIO REPAIR SHOP,** located in Caldwell and McCarty Dry Cleaners. 6 tfc

### For Rent

**WANTED TO RENT:** Five room unfurnished house, must be good and located right, will pay three months rent in advance — Cal at Courier. 23 tfc

**FOR RENT:** 5 room, furnished apt. and one 2-room furnished apartment, 208 South Houston — J. T. Oates at 212 South Travis. 23 tfc  
**FOR SALE:** 10 white Rock laying hens — E. O. Todd, 908 S. 5th St. 23-24 p

**FOR RENT:** 4 room house and bath — Call 515-J. 23-24 p

**FOR RENT:** Furnished apartment, 3 rooms and bath, close in — Mrs. R. E. Simpson, phone 74 or 193-J. 23-24 c

**FOR RENT OR LEASE:** Gulf station on highway, two blocks south of City Hall — Grady Scott. 22 tfc

**FOR RENT:** Two room furnished apartment, 205 South First — Mrs. C. E. Ault. 22-25 c

**FOR RENT:** Front bed room, private bath, close in — Mrs. Ervin Bailey, 501 S. Houston. 22-23 p

**FOR RENT:** Furnished garage apt. Close in — Mrs. Ervin Bailey, 501 South Houston. 22-23 p

**FOR RENT:** Two 2-room furnished apartments with baths — W. C. Speck, 204 S. 2nd. 21-24 p

**FOR RENT:** 3 room furnished apt. — Mrs. F. T. McCollum. 21 tfc

**FOR RENT:** 3 room furnished apartment with bath, 110 N. Cleveland. 16 tfc

**FOR RENT:** Furnished and unfurnished houses and apartments. Jack Green, South 4th and Dallas St. 12 tfc.

**FOR RENT:** 2 and 3 room furnished apartment, price reasonable — 310 South Bryan St., phone 40. 18 tfc

### Wanted

**WILL PAY** Good price for good used tires — Pancho, Army Store. 22-29 c

**WANTED:** Registered or subject to register, one O. I. C. boar pig, of blocky type — Roy E. Bearden Rd. 2, O'Donnell, Texas, 14 miles north of Lamesa. 22-25 p

**WANTED:** Will buy 5 old buggy wheels if in good shape — Billy Joe Peterson. 22-23 p

**WANTED:** Good used sewing machine. Will pay cash — Courier Office. 22-23 p

**WANTED:** Will pay cash for extra good milk goat — Jack Green, S. 4th and Dallas St. 22-23 c

**WANTED:** To buy a baby bed and walker, must be cheap — Mrs. Harper, at Harper's Feed Mill. 22-23 c

**WANTED:** To buy a dwelling house 3 or 4 rooms. One that can be moved. Make best offer — Phone 506 or write Box 365. 22-23 c

**WANTED:** To buy small building to move — See Pancho at Army Store. 22-29 c

**WANTED:** Hands to grub mesquite — Alton Youngblood, 2 miles southwest Punkin Center. 22-23 p

## Foundation Head



Robert L. Sutherland is director of the Hogg Foundation, University of Texas administered program financed by the late Will C. Hogg for a statewide mental hygiene and lecture program. It is carried on in cooperation with existing local agencies and is financed from proceeds of property valued at \$2,500,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Key, of Corsicana, are visiting with friends in Lamesa this week.

Mrs. R. B. Middleton, of O'Donnell, spent Saturday in Lamesa attending to business.

**MEN WANTED:** Big demand for aircraft workers, men from 17 to 45 — Inquire at Campbell Motor Company. 2 tfc

**WANTED:** Tires to retread, recap or repair — Firestone Branch Retreading House in Dallas will do our work — J. Lee Kelly, Alamo Service Station. 104 tfc

**WANTED** to buy one second hand bicycle. John Allen at Allen Hardware. 19 tfc.

**WANTED:** Young woman for general office work. Typing experience required. State in own handwriting age, experience, married or single, two personal references, also salary desired. Write Box 10V, in care of Courier Office. 20-24 chg

**WANTED:** All kinds of furniture repairing, refinishing, upholstering. Spray gun painting of all kinds. See Stone at Davis Furniture Co. 48 tfc

### Lost and Found

**LOST:** Certificate of Title in envelope. R. H. Stricklin name on it Rt. 2, Lamesa. 23-24 p

**LOST:** White porcelain top to 6-foot Frigidaire on Lubbock road near Lamesa — Shelby Dalmont Box 232, Lamesa. 23-24 p

**LOST:** Small white pig — F. E. Powell at Hestand Kimbell Gro. Co. 23-24 p

**HIGHEST CASH PRICE** Paid for used furniture and stoves— Pancho at Army Store. 22-29 c

**LOST:** Weaning male black Poland China pig — Lee Billingsley. 22-23 c

**LOST:** White fire-proof tarp, Sunday night, approximately in 900 block. Finder return to Lamesa Fire Department at City Hall. 19 tfc

**LOST:** One 8 year old light bay mare, small spot on forehead, wt. about 1100 lbs. Please notify A. C. Woodward. 19 tfc

### Miscellaneous

**HIGHEST CASH PRICE** Paid for second hand lumber and building material — Pancho, at Army Store 22-29 c

**WE BUY SCRAP IRON, METALS,** Paper and rags of all kinds. Located on South Dallas 400 block, east side — Lamesa Trading Post and Wrecking Yard. 15-23 p

## Mrs. Nancy Crane Buried Friday

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon for Mrs. Nancy C. Crane, 78, at 5:30, at the Church of Christ with O. H. Tabor, pastor of the church officiating.

Mrs. Crane had made her home in Lamesa for the past 18 years. She was born October 3, 1863 in Erath County, and passed away at her home here March 27 at 2 a. m.

Survivors include her husband, three children, J. J. Crane of Lamesa; A. H. Crane, of Ajo, Arizona. Mrs. Fred Eakin of Las Cruces, New Mexico; a brother, A. C. Crockett of Arizona; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Humphrey of Comstock, Texas, Mrs. Tillie Parker of Junction; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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## Nelson Cope Makes Statement

In announcing my candidacy for City Commissioner, I do so with the full realization of the responsibilities of this office. Having lived here among you for most of my life, I feel that you know me and know whether or not I am capable of fulfilling the duties of the office.

I am taking this method to assure you that your vote and influence will be appreciated, and if I should be elected, that I will serve as your City Commissioner to the best of my ability.

Sincerely,  
Nelson Cope.

## One-Act Play Contest Postponed

The Dawson County Interscholastic League One-Act Play Con-

test which was scheduled for tonight, has been postponed because of the illness of a member of the Union group of contestants. No date has been assigned for the contest at the time of publication.

Three high school, Dawson Rural High, Lamesa, and Union are the competing schools in this event.

Junior boys and girls tennis contests will be played this Friday and on Saturday if additional time is required. This contest and the One-Act Play complete the county list of events for the spring.

## Sale Of Box-

(Continued from Front Page) appropriate for the Easter season, and Lamesa is extremely fortunate in being the recipient of such musical talent.

The text of the cantata is based on the seven last words of Christ uttered on the Cross. This work is especially appropriate as a musical Easter offering as the time of the setting is Good Friday, or the day of the Crucifixion.

Supplementing the Lamesa Music Club and the High School Chorus will be several of Lamesa's well known singers. Soloists will be Francis Pittman, Mrs. N. H. Price, Mrs. A. G. Barnard, Mrs. W. J. Beckham, Mrs. E. D. Landreth, O. C. Taylor and Otis Roberts Jr.

Mrs. R. F. Nix is to be the narrator, and the two piano accompaniment will be played by Mrs. Matt McCall and Miss Jean Moore.

The Cantata will begin at 8:30 Friday evening and the public is invited to attend.

## "Last Seven" -

(Continued From Front Page) that on a farm on which all or a part of the requirement is met by double cropping it is necessary that 30 percent of the cropland be devoted to conserving uses.

Owls are not blind in the daytime, and a few of them prefer day to night work.

The smallest and largest varieties of gulls nest together in colonies.

## AAA Changes-

(Continued From Front Page) training. In the meantime Tink Reviere, business manager, will conduct a school here for all interested boys in this section of the country.

## BORDEN COUNTY 4-H SHOW DUE APRIL 13 AT GAIL

GAIL, March, 23 - County Agent Frank W. Medley, of Borden County announced Saturday that Monday, April 13, has been nailed down as the date for staging the Borden County 4-H Club Livestock Show, at Gail.

The annual event has attracted 35 club calves as entries to date, and in addition there will be numerous exhibits by adults. A sumptuous basket lunch will be spread at noon time, and the main attraction for the afternoon will be a rodeo - the type Borden County has become famous for through the years.

## TO CONDUCT REVIVAL

Rev. E. P. Cole left Monday morning for Lubbock, where he will preach in the revival services

at the Calvary Baptist Church. The revival began Sunday and will continue through April 12.

## Check The Date On Your Paper

All Courier subscribers are this week asked to check the date following their name on the address stamped at the top of page one, to determine whether or not their subscriptions have expired.

Following publication of Monday's issue, all subscriptions that are marked 4-42 will be removed from the list and the subscriptions stopped.

It has been the policy of the Courier for several years to stop all subscriptions when their time has expired, and in line with this policy we will continue to do so.

Price of the Courier is now \$2.00 per year in Dawson, Martin, Lynn, Borden, and Gaines Counties, and \$3.00 per year in all areas outside this territory.



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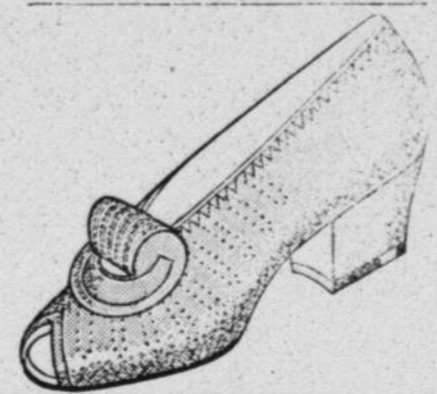
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