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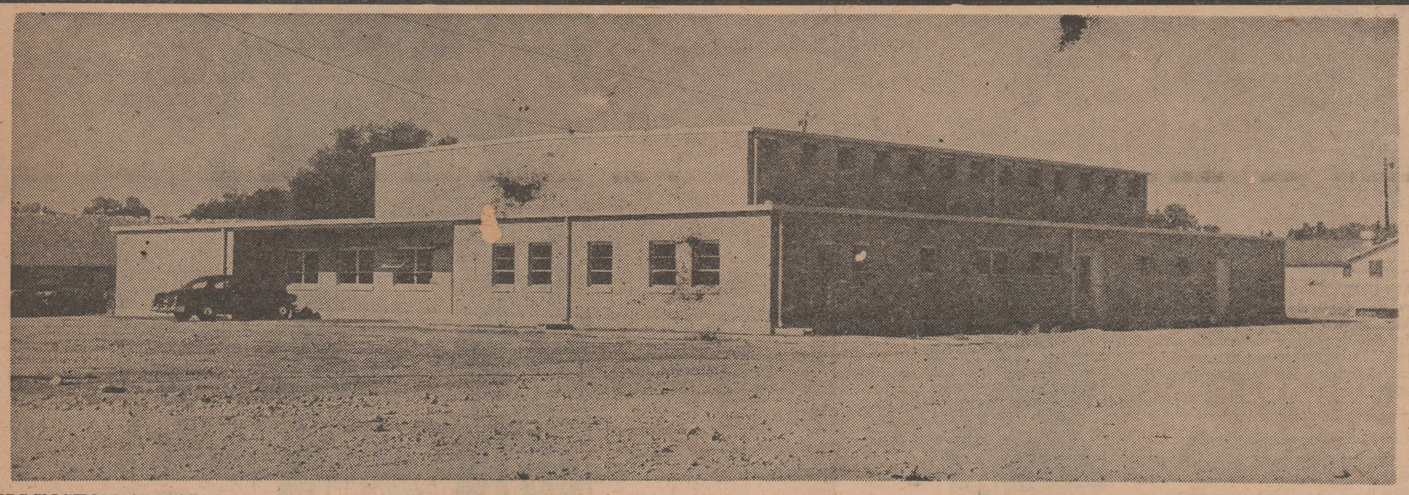
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WELLINGTON ARMORY
The Medical Company of the 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guard, will move into its new Armory Sunday, April 17. The building is now completed, although much more equipment and furniture will be received. Formal opening, when the public will have an opportunity to see the building, will be held in May. Major Phillips, Regular Army medical advisor from Austin, who lectured before the Guard Tuesday night, April 12, praised the new building highly. This was his regular instructional visit here.

Heart Attack Fatal to Mrs. S. C. Ledbetter

Mrs. S. C. Ledbetter, county resident for a number of years, died unexpectedly at her home at 105 Graham Street Monday, April 11, at 3:30 p. m. Her death was attributed to a heart attack.

Funeral servies will be held Thursday at 2:30 at the Church of Christ, with Minister G. B. Stanley officiating. Burial will be in the West Wellington cemetery under the direction of the Kelso Funeral Home.

Pall bearers will be John Powell, C. L. Moody, Lewis Tingle, Bud Hollingsworth, George Howard and Cecil Trimble. Flower bearers will be Maxine Stockholm, Louise Carnes, Juanita Igou, Katherine Cobby, Gail Howard, Margaret Williams and Louella Trimble.

Mrs. Ledbetter, who before her marriage was Rebecca Ellen Webb, was born April 25, 1884, in Clay County, Tenn., and at the time of her death was 70 years, 11 months and 16 days of age.

She had been a member of the Church of Christ since she was 16 years of age.

Surviving Mrs. Letbetter are her husband; six daughters and three sons: Mrs. R. Agee of Fredrick, Oklahoma, Mrs. Bessie Cornell of Lubbock, Mrs. Lloyd McCune of Odessa, Mrs. James Skipper of Pueblo, Colorado, Mrs. Otis Bard of Dangerfeld, Mrs. R. J. Trimble of Borger, R. L. Ledbetter of Shafter, Calif., Cecil Ledbetter of Bakersfield, Calif., and Woody Ledbetter of McLean.

There are also two sisters and four brothers: Mrs. Martin Anderson, Mrs. Dewey Thompson, Dan Webb, Winfield Webb, Andrew Webb and Wolford Webb, all of Willow Grove, Tenn.; 31 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren.

City Group To FBI Bank Clinic

Representatives of Wellington's three banks and law enforcement officers were in Amarillo Thursday, April 6, to attend the clinic conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Going from here were Sheriff John Rainey, Deputy Kenneth Hodge, Police Chief Bill McCarver, Constable Bruce Hite, Earl Hunter of the First National Bank, Joe Terry of the City State Bank, and Charles Allen of the Wellington State Bank.

This was one of a series of clinics being held throughout the country to acquaint bankers and law enforcement officers of precautions that may be taken against bank robberies, which in the nation as a whole are on the increase.

Two of Texas Top Conservation Honors

Coleman Wins State GI Farmer, Soil Conservation Awards

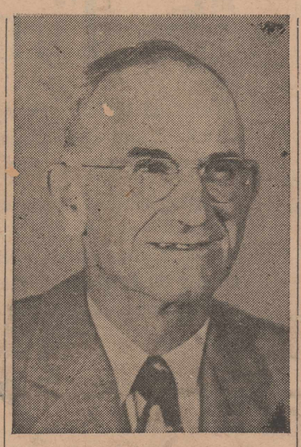
Two of Texas top honors for conserving the soil came this week to Wood Coleman of Dozier.

First, he was notified that he has won first place as the Outstanding Farmer in Region One of the Save the Soil and Save Texas conservation awards program. Information of this award came from Tarleton A. Jenkins, Soil Conservation Director of the Fort Worth Press.

Tuesday, April 1, he learned that he has been selected for first place to receive the $500 Veterans of Foreign Wars GI Soil Conservation Award for Texas. This came on his 55th birthday.

Mr. Coleman was nominated for the Outstanding Farmer award by the Salt Fork Soil Conservation District. His nomination for the GI Conservation Award was made by the Glynn Moore Post No. 6439 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. This is the first year the post has sponsored this program locally.

Second place went to Kay K. Moore of Tahoka and third to Voyce H. Stacy of Taylor, according to A. M. Armstrong, Department Adjutant of the VFW, Austin.



The $500 check will be presented Mr. Coleman at the Fort Worth Press "Save the Soil and Save Texas" banquet at the Texas Hotel, Fort Worth, Saturday, April 30. This is the state banquet.

This year is the 10th anniversary year of the Fort Worth Press Save the Soil and Save Texas conservation awards.

Mr. Coleman will receive his cash award of $100 at the district awards dinner in Pampa Thursday, May 5, Fred Squyres, work unit conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service, has announced. He was one of 5 regional winners in the state.

Twenty-two companies and organizations have joined the Fort Worth Press in its award program this year. Four of these have direct connections in Wellington, the Fort Worth and Denver Railway, the Lone Star Gas Co., the Missouri - Kansas - Texas Railway, and the Association of Texas Soil Conservation District supervisors. The others are the Texas Electric Service Co., Fort Worth Clearing House Association, Humble Oil and Refining Co., Traders Oil Mill, Inc., Western Cotton Oil Co., Wildlife Management Institute, the Santa Fe Railway, The State National Bank of El Paso, Well Machinery and Supply Co., Interstate Theatres, Anderson, Clayton & Co., Forth Worth Lions Club, Soil Conservation Society of America, Boswell Dairies, Waples-Platter Co., Knights of the Round Table, The El Paso Herald-Post, East Texas Agricultural Council

C-C Directors Meet Tuesday

Directors of the Wellington Chamber of Commerce, in a meeting Tuesday afternoon, April 12, voted to co-operate with the City in sponsoring a Clean-up, Paint-up and Fix-up Week, Mrs. J. W. Thomas, secretary, announced.

Ed miller is chairman of the committee, and members are George Shadid and Sandy Parsons Jr.

This group will meet with city officials to work out plans and set a date.

A group of business leaders met with the directors to discuss the Saturday Trades Day evens, and it was voted to continue this in its present form.

The C-C directors also named a committee of Buster Hughs, chairman, Mack Saied and David Robinson to work toward putting up Highway signs indicating where the business route of Highway 83 leaves and re-enters the highway.

The C-C has six tickets for the dedication ceremony of the Highway 9 bridge across the Canadian River at Norman Tuesday, April 19, and the dinner that follows, and an effort will be made to have that many representing the Wellington C-C. The dedication is at 4 and the dinner at 6:30.

Bee Men to Meet Monday Night

The Collingsworth County Beekeepers will meet Monday, April 18, at the county courtroom at 7:30 p. m., John G. Thomas has announced.

There will be a discussion of spring management, and bee and honey prospects will be reported, followed by open discussion.

There will be a display of literature, and Shorty Bradford will have a display of bee supplies, for which he is now dealer in this area.

Install Officers April 2

Hughs Heads VFW Post, McInnis Man of Year

Buster Hughs, owner of the Hughs Glass and Trim Shop, was elected commander of the Glynn Moore Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars No. 6439, in the election meeting Tuesday night, April 5. He succeeds Jim Leach in that office. At the same time, Durant McInnis was announced as the VFW Man of the Year, top honor given by the post.

Other officers elected were Donald Curry, senior vice-commander; Quinton Brewer, junior vice commander; Durant McInnis, quartermaster; and James Richardson, adjutant.

Appointive officers were Jake Leach, Officer of the Day; Curtis Winton, patriotic instructor; Jimmie Bowen, post historian and public relations; Denzil Bevers, legislative officer; Russell Yates, service officers; Dr. Dale Watkins post surgeon; Louis Berg, trustee; and Jack Scott, chaplain.

These officers were installed in a called meeting Saturday night, April 9.

Distribute 1955 Annuals Thursday

The 1955 Skyrocket annual will be distributed to Wellington high school students Thursday morning, April 14, beginning at 8:00 a. m., Principal Bill Whiteside has announced.

A letter praising the work of the staff accompanied the annuals. In it, the publishers wrote Mrs. Ralph Coburn, sponsor:

"You and your staff did a fine job in planning your publication and preparing your pages. We think you have an attractive book and believe everyone will be well pleased with the 1955 Skyrocket.

Editor of the yearbook was John Thomas, while Billy Frank Agee was business manager; Nell Hurst and Mary Ruth Stall, picture editors; and Ricky Boyd and Patsy Patton were typists.

Doubles, Drakes and Smith; Singles, Jones

Tennis Teams Bring First Tourney Trophy to WHS

Members of the boys tennis teams of Wellington high school won the Clarendon Invitation Tennis Tournament Wednesday, April 6. Although the margin of win was slim, the boys brought home the first tennis trophy to be placed in the Wellington High School trophy case.

The teams will compete in the district Interscholastic League Tournament at White Deer April 13.

The games were played round-robin order. The doubles team beat all apponents: Clarendon, first game, 6-4, second game, 6-2; McLean first game, 6-1, second game, 6-0; and Memphis, first game, 9-7. Members of the team are Gus Drake and Reggie Smith.

Frank Jones, playing in the singles division, dropped the first three games: Clarendon, 6-2; Canadian, 6-1; and Memphis, 6-4; then came back to win the last game, 7-5.

Dodson Returns Tabor, Fillpot, Winn to Council

The three members of the Dodson City Council, up for election, were returned to office in the recent voting.

Nine candidates were seeking the office.

Voted back were Buster Fillpot with 20 votes, Robert Tabor, 19, and Marvin Wynn, 16.

Other candidates were C. B. Balch, 5; Fred Boyd, 4; Clinton Norman, 3; J. Henry Ford, 2; and W. E. King, 1.

Due to the election falling on Tuesday, which would have been the regular night for the council meeting, it was postponed and is due to be held within the next few days, according to Mayor Ewing Ready.

The two holdover council members are Junior Owens and Rufe Jameson.

Leader Classified Ad Gets Big Results For Pampa Woman

A small classified ad, run in the April 7 issue of The Wellington Leader, got big results for the owner of a house, who was wanting to sell it.

The letter below tells its own story:

Pampa, Texas
April 11, 1955

Classified Adv. Department:
Wellington Leader.
Wellington, Texas.

Please continue my ad this week, am having good results. I mailed you a dollar last week to print an ad having a house for sale on good terms, small payment down, balance like rent, Signed Mrs. Young, and I have received up to now 42 cards and letters, making inquiries about this fine home in Wellington, so please continue the ad. I will be in Wellington the 18th and call on you for the balance due on that ad. It pays to advertise.

Your very truly,
Mrs. A. Young
Box 351
Pampa, Texas

Two Events This Year

Dodson Gin Meeting & Sale April 14 and 16

The big annual stockholders meeting of the Farmers Co-op Gin at Dodson, and the sale of merchandise held in connection with it, have been announced by Ed Crowder, gin manager.

Since both events have grown to be so big, they will be held on separate days this year, Crowder said.

The stockholders meeting will be Thursday night, April 14, at 7:30 at the school auditorium. The sale will be held at the Dodson Farmers Co-op Gin Saturday, April 16, beginning at 10:00 a. m.

The stockholders meeting will be a combined business meeting and entertainment.

Approimately $22,000 in savings will be distributed to patrons of the gin. Business of the past year will be reviewed and directors for the coming year will be elected.

President of the co-op society this year is Daro Camp, Olan Farris is vice-president, Lewis Patterson secretary and Ernest Nipper assistant secretary. The board of directors includes these four and E. C. Alexander, J. F. Kiser, and Cecil Weldon.

The entertainment portion of the meeting will include musical numbers by King Bowen's band; Bill Matheson's string band from Sandy; and the Dodson Barbershop Quartette composed of Truitt Holland, Pete Nipper, Homa Yarbrough and T. E. Lennon.

Refreshments will be served.

This is the third annual sale held by the gin, Crowder said. At first, it was not intended that this should be an annual event, but

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County Receives Money For Emergency Plowing

Collingsworth County has been allotted $29,000.00 to assist in carrying out tillage operations under the "Emergency Wind Erosion Control Practice", which includes contour listing, pit cultivation, or listing or chiseling not on the contour. Furrows must not be more than 4 feet apart, and if listed must be at least 4 inches deep.

The regular county ACP for 1955 included the above practice before it was amended to cover listing not on the contour and the change from 6 inches to 5 inches on the depth for chiseling. However, the practice has now designated as an emergency wind erosion control practice and the above changes made.

Farmers who have listing or chiseling to be done either on straight row or contour wind erosion should request approval at the county office as soon as possible if they desire assistance in carrying out the practice. This practice will also apply to relisting land if it is blowing. A payment limit of $1500.00 to any person in any one county is applicable to this special practice. This is considered separate and apart from the regular county ACP.

All Riders Wanted

Organize Sheriff's Posse Here Monday

Organization of a Collingsworth County Sheriff's Posse will be completed in a meeting Monday night, April 18, in the office of Sheriff John Rainey. The meeting begins at 7:30 p. m. and will be over in time for those wishing to attend revival services to do so.

The meeting has been called by Sheriff Rainey and Cameron Beam.

"Actually, this is an old group with a new look", Beam declared. "A Sheriff's Posse in the generally accepted sense is a group of men and women interested in riding and in representing their town or county in various riding events. We are fortunate in having Sheriff John Rainey as one of our leaders, and we believe it is appropriate that we call the group the Collingsworth County Sheriff's Posse."

Plans for taking part in the Santa Rosa Roundup at Vernon will be made at the Monday meeting.

All persons interested in riding and in western-type entertainment is urged to attend the meeting. Officers will be elected at this time.

Between 25 and 50 persons, those who ride in the various parades each year, are interested in the Sheriff's Posse idea, and a number of others will be contacted this week. Mr. Beam and Sheriff Rainey emphasize that riders from all parts of the county are wanted.

Rotarians To District Meet

The Wellington Rotary Club was represented at the District 183 Rotary Convention in Midland Sunday and Monday by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Squyres, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Burks, Henry Sullivan and Kelly Pigg.

Mr. Pigg is president of the club, Mr. Squyres is president-elect.

This was the Golden Anniversary conference, and was presided over by Jerry Debenport of Odessa, who is well known here.

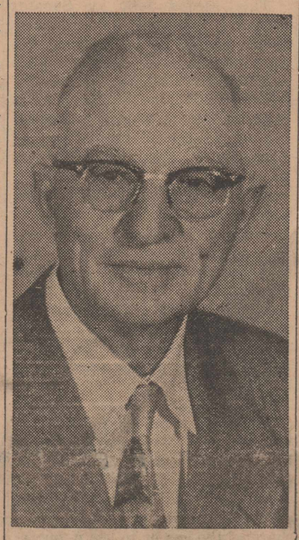
Chief speaker was Dr. Kenneth E. McFarland of Topeka, Kansas, former superintendent of the Topeka schools, now educational con-

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Rev. Holton Preaches at Quail

The Rev. Raburn Holton of Plainview was guest speaker at the Quail Baptist Church for the Easter service Sunday, April 10.

Rev. Holton, a former Wellington resident, is a student in Wayland College and also field representative for the Texas United Drys.



WELLINGTON'S MAYOR
J. B. Castleberry will take office as mayor of Wellington in the meeting of the City Council Monday evening, April 18. At the same time Jack Brisbin and William Barjenbruch will be installed for new terms as members of the council. Mr. Castleberry, who succeeds Lester Hunter, served as a member of Wellington's City Council about 1916, at the time the water tower was put up.

Funeral Here For W. J. Ray, Who Died in Arkansas

Funeral services for Wyatt J. Ray, who would have been 77 years old on April 13, were conducted at the Primitive Baptist Church, 1012 Arlington St., Monday, April 11, with Elder Floyd Pittman of Vinson in charge.

Mr. Ray died in Lincoln, Ark., Saturday, April 9. He had left here some months ago and was making his home with his son, M. A. Ray, in Lincoln. His death followed a short illness.

Pall bearers for the service were Floyd Hood, Floyd Marvin Hood, Alvin Horton, Alonzo Cartwright, John Cartwright, and Dick Judd.

Burial was in the family plot in the West Wellington Cemetry under the direction of the Kelso Funeral Home.

Mr. Ray was born in Cook County April 13, 1878, and later moved with his family to Montague County. It was from there that he come to Collingsworth County as a young man, 49 years ago.

For many years, Mr. Ray farmed in this area, and after his retirement, had been employed in Wellington. He was well known and had many friends throughout this section.

Surviving Mr. Ray are his son, M. A. Ray of Lincoln, Ark., and two daughters, Mrs. Lula White of Phillips and Mrs. Minerva Lamb of Stinnett.

Other survivors are a sister, Mrs. Ellen Moorehead of Elkhart, 11 grandchildren; 23 great grandchildren; and 2 great great grandchildren.

His wife, Mrs. Nora Ray, preceded him in death in 1926.

Tyler Electric In New Location

Hershel Tyler announced this week that he is moving Tyler Electric to the location the business occupied several years ago, at the corner of Dallas and 15th Streets. the building on the premises, which is next door to his home, and has added a new display room of modern design.

"We feel that this move will put us closer to the community TV antenna tower we are erecting, and we believe it will help us to give you better service", Mr. Tyler said.

He added that he is trying to get further into the television business.

His present staff will continue with Mr. Tyler, Keith Cunningham and Miss Vivian Minatrea.

The community television antenna tower is now 206 feet in height, and it will be raised to 400 feet within a few days.

Mr. Tyler estimated that it will be in use by May 15.

May-June ACP Signup Starts

The initial sign-up period for the "May-June" ACP budget period will begin on April 15, and continue through April 29. All requests for ACP assistance for practices to be carried out during the months of May and June will be considered by the committee shortly after May 1, and approvals granted in accordance with the payment limitations and program provisions. Farmers requests for approvals for this period made after May 1, will be considered only if funds are available in the current budget.

Practices eligible to be carried out during the May-June period are as follows: Seeding certain kind of grasses, strip cropping, controlling competitive shrubs on grass land (mesquite, sage brush and prickly pear), drilling well on pasture land, constructing dams, constructing terraces and diversion terraces, planting summer legumes (field peas and guar) and probably some of the other approved practices.

Smith Managing Lucky Corner

Announcement has been made that G. R. Smith is now manager of the Lucky Corner Service Station at the corners of Highway 83 and FM Road 336, service station location for nearly 30 years.

Mr. Smith states that he will continue to handle all Phillips Products, as well as Lee Tires, and that washing and greasing will continue to be a speciality.

Assisting him at the station will be Joe McCutchen, while Hoyle Jackson will do the washing.

Mr. Smith came to the county three years ago from Childress and for two years was bus mechanic of the Quail schools. For the past 10 months he has been with Clark Chevrolet.

He was reared at Tell. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have four children, Martha Jean, Terry Joe, Nelvin Ray and Sara Jane.

Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex. — Senator Jimmy Phillips batted .666 and then struck out.

He broke the national filibuster record; got himself a lot of publicity; but failed by a 14-11 vote to achieve his announced goal. That was to get the John Sealy Hospital at Galveston one million dollars more per year than set out in a House-pased, general appropriations measure.

The Anglton Senator not only broke the state talkathon record but went on to take national honors by holding the floor for a total of 23 hours and 35 minutes of continuous debate.

As finally passed by the Senate, the administration backed $1.5 million measure became the largest general appropriations bill in Txas history to clear both houses. After a few conference committee agreements the bill will be ready for the Governor.

TAX SWITCH — It is aparent that administration forces have climbed aboard the "omibus" tax bill—and abandoned Gov. Allan Shivers' two single-shot tax vehicles.

This opens the door wide for increasing present taxes and perhaps adding new ones.

Governor Shivers originally asked only a 2-cent hike in the gasoline sales tax and a 1-cent increase in the cigarette tax.

There is no question as to where the money will come from—the taxpayers' pockets. The problem is how to extract it.

GILES PROBE — Investigation of veteran land deals continued.

A witness before the Senate investigating committee testified that former land commissioner Bascom Giles and Lawrence Jackson, secretary of the veterans land board, raised no objection to a block land operator buying up veterans' rights for the puchase of land by others.

Herbert Box of Georgetown, the witness, told the committee he was assured by Giles and Jackson that it "didn't make any difference to the state who made the payments."

Three Georgetown veterans testified that Box had paid them from $35 to $70 for signing applications with the understanding that they were not buying land, but authorizing others to buy.

OTHER LAND ACTIVITY — Other developments in the broadening land investigation included:

1. Cecil Burney, special assistant attorney general, said several branches of the federal government are interested.

2. Giles, in district court here, refused to answer questions about two deals in which the state is suing him and others to recover $171,427. Giles' attorneys said he would not talk because co-defendants had not been officially notified that oral depositions were to be taken.

3. Back to work on veteran land deals went a Travis County grand jury. A previous grand jury had been dissolved because of a legal question as to whether it was properly called.

4. Senator Phillips asked the investigating committee to subpoena all bank records of Alvis Vandygriff, Austin lawyer who was the first executive secretary of the veterans land board. Vandygriff has testified before the House investigating committee that he was to receive $5,000 legal fees in a Webb County deal.

5. Cuero Congressman John J. Bell told investigators that he received more than $20,000 in legal fees during 1953-54 from persons mentioned in land deals. Bell made the statement voluntarily, after some of his fees had been mentioned in land testimony.

INSURANCE RULES—Insurance reform bills made progress.

Finally passed by the Senate and sent to the House was one measure requiring written examinations for the licensing of legal reserve life insurance agents.

Another bill passed first reading, but did not get enough votes for immediate final passage.

This second bill, by Senator Searcy Bracewell of Houston, would require legal reserve life companies to have $250,000 capital and $125,000 surplus.

At present, the requirement is only $25,000 to $100,000, depending on whether a limited or full capital stock company is concerned.

GAS EVERYWHERE — Rep. senentatives from 500 Panhandle area farm families swarmed the legislature to support two bills that will make natural gas available to them.

At present, the area produces two million feet of gas a day, but the farmers can't buy the gas to run irrigation pumps for drouthit wheatland.

One measure pushed by the group would require gas companies having wells on irrigated farm land, to sell enough gas to run pumps.

Another would give royalty owners the right to either sell their share of the gas or to use it for irrigation pumps.

WATER PROGRAM — Final Senate approval has been given a proposed constitutional amendment calling for a $100 million state aid program for local water conservation. If the House approves it, it will go to the people September 20. A state property tax of three cents per $100 value would finance the bill.

TIDELAND LEASES — First major leasing of tidelands since late 1953 will take place May 3 when the School Land Board puts 186,000 acres on the block. The Board will also offer for leasing 160,000 acres of other land.

SHIVERS INVITED — Gov. Allen Shivers will attend a May 4-5 Washington conference of Democratic governors. Sponsoring the session is the Democratic National Committee. Shivers said the invitation came from National Committee Chairman Paul M. Butler.

GAS CONSERVATION — A conservation bill to regulate natural gas prices at the wellhead is moving forward. House members voted 89 to 52 to have the bill printed after its committee was unable to agree.

CITY ANNEXATIONS — Two measures governing city annexations have been initiated in the legislature.

One, giving a city first rights to incorporate areas within five miles during a 2-year period, has been sent to the Senate.

Rep. Joe Pool's bill to elt the State Board of Water Engineers supervise city annexations and incorporation is in a House committee.



IT'S THE "UNCUTTING" THAT COSTS—Ohio State Representative Ed Wallace (D.) of Circleville, right, is a brave man to submit to a shearing by his barber, Sonny Denney, in Columbus, after introducing a resolution in the legislature to reduce the price of haircuts for nearly bald men. Barber Denney disagrees, looks for the evidence to prove that searching for hairs to trim is worth the usual $1.25 fee.

Real Estate Transactions

The following real estate transactions have been filed in the office of David Robinson, County Clerk, during the past week.

Howard Fred Rankin, Arthur Glenn Rankin, Bernice B. Lane, Weldon Lane, Edna Pauline Shinn, George Shinn, Lena Maude Maxwell, Roy R. Rankin, Etta Lee Childress, Ester Watts, Elbert Watts, to J. L. Dollar, all of certain 64.26 acres of land in section No. 50 in block 21.

Charles C. Norwood, Independent Executor of the Estate of Tepie V. Norwood, deceased and Charles C. Norwood, individually, and wife, Franklin Mosley Norwood to Frank F. DuBose, northeast quarter of southwest quarter of section No. 30 in block No. 16.

Annie Hugh Lyle, T. J. Lyle, Irene N. Clay, Magie Jackson, Earl Jackson, Jean Norwood Tapley, and Wallace Neil Tapley to Frank F. DuBose, Northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 30 in block 16.

Lonnie N. Neeley and O. C. Neeley to J. L. Parker, track south 1/2 of the southeast 1/4 of section 50 block 21.

H. A. Wynn and wife, Alda B. Wynn to M. C. Cleveland, all of lot numbers 7, 8, and 9 in block 132.

D. E. Herring and wife, Emma Lee to David Peters, all of lots numbers 1 and 2 in block 182.

Ross A. Taylor and wife, Jewell, to W. R. Breeding, track section No. 52 in block 16.

Mrs. John French visited a few days last week with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. French and children in Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson spent Sunday in Elmer, Oklahoma with his mother, Mrs. D. C. Thompson.

Ellis "A Meal in a Minute" BEEF STEW



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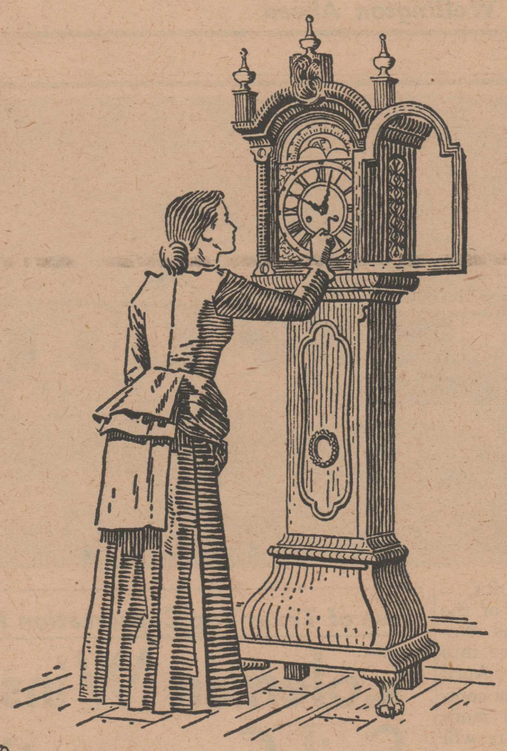
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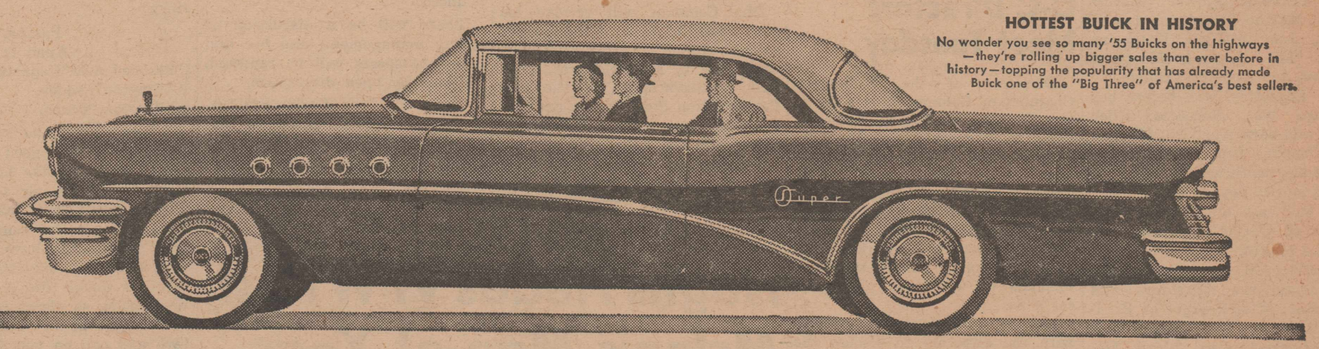


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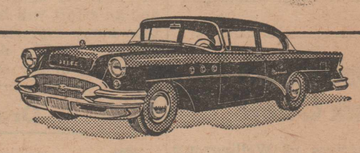
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Del Monte **Spinach** 7 303 Cans $1

Del Monte **Peas** 5 303 Cans $1.

Del Monte **Tomatoe Juice** 10 300 Size Cans $1

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Del Monte **Pineapple Juice** 7 No. 2 Cans $1

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Red Cross 1954-55 Disaster Expense At New Peak

Washington, — American Red Cross already has overexpended its 1954-55 disaster budget and been forced to draw on emergency funds for more than a million dollars to meet the needs of people affected by floods and storms in central states and mid-south this month, President Ellsworth Bunker said today.

Bunker said the peak of the year for disasters is just beginning. "It is the rule to have serious tornadoes and floods in the March-to-June period. Our disaster workers now are helping back to normal living families affected by the upper Ohio River flood earlier this month and giving emergency aid to victums of this week's floods in Mississippi and Tennessee.

"It has been necessary to appropriate in excess of $5,000,000 for disaster relief rehabilitation and preparedness since the beginning of the fiscal year last July. The budget for the entire current year was set at $4,000,000," Bunker said.

Major items in American Red Cross disaster expenditures so far in this fiscal year, Bunker recalled, were relief operations for victims of Hurricanes Carol, Enda, and Hazel last fall and major floods in Texas and Iowa last summer.

Including an estimated 200 families at Columbus, approximately 1,000 families in Mississippi will be affected by Tombigbee flood, Bunker said. "Many of these will need assistance from the Red Cross in returning to normal living after the water recedes," he declared.

Today Red Cross was sheltering and feeding evacuated persons at Amory and Aberdeen upstream from Columbus.

American Red Cross also fed 700 persons displaced by floods in 11 Tennessee counties on the Cumberland River and tributaries.

Bunker said American Red Cross is now conducting relief operations resulting from floods, tornadoes, or other windstorms in eight other states — Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Kentucky, Alabama, Missouri, Arkansas, and Michigan. Approximately 5,500 families are affected including estimated 200 at Columbus, Miss.

Large Group Here For Brock Rites

A large group of friends and relatives were here to attend the funeral services of Pete Brock recently These included:

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lamkin of Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wilkerson of Lorenzo; Mrs. Pearl Hand, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. John Hand, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Call, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shirley, Mrs. Lorene Greeson, Mrs. Pat Busby and Mr. and Mrs. Reyford Shirley of Friona.

Mrs. Melvin Amos and girls of Marana, Arizona; Sallie Harris of Mobeetie; Virgil Brock and Mrs. Belle Carson of Canadian; Woodrow Ham of Lefors; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parsons and Mrs. Nora Hill of Nocona; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parsons of Odessa; Mrs. E. E. Leaton of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Brock and son, J. O. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brock of Bakersfield, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Scott of Bunger; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lawrence, Mrs. Lenora Simonton and Seba Ann, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Scott, Mrs. Ocie Kinnemear, Mrs. Otis Graves and girls and Mrs. Bobbie Keesee of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gafford of Crowell; Mrs. Coy Worley and son of San Diego, Calif; Mrs. Rusty Cole of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Keesee of Granite, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Keesee and son of Blair; C. E. Keesee of Trinidad; Paul Winters, Gene Winters and Oscar Chapman of Fort Worth; and Edel Bonneau of Dallas.

Tennis Teams In White Deer

The tennis teams from Wellington are participating in the district Interscholastic League Tournament in White Deer Wednesday, April 13, Principal Bill Whiteside has announced.

Members of the senior boys teams are Regie Smith and Gus Drake, doubles, and Frank Jones, singles. On the junior teams are Randall Raburn, Ronnie Thomason and Gregory Smith.

Members of the girls teams are Linda Singley, Mary McCaskill, Jonaquin Cecil, Sally Murphy, Francis Drake and Bette Elliott.

N. R. Roberts Dies at Dallas

N. R. Roberts, 64, 4042 Druid Lane, of Dallas, died unexpectedly in his office there Tuesday, April 5, of a heart attack. He was the owner of the Bonanza Oil and Gas Co., Dallas, the son-in-law of Mrs. J. S. Aaron and the brother-in-law of Mrs. George Jones, Mrs. Calvin Aaron and John Aaron.

Funeral services were held at Hillcrest Mausoleum, Dallas, Friday, with the Rev. Calvin W. Froehner, associate pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating.

Mrs. J. S. Aaron and Mrs. Jones attended the funeral from here, and were met in Dallas by other members of the family.

Mr. Roberts had visited here a number of times .

He was born in Hayes Center, Nebraska and lived most of his life in Denver, Colo. He was a member of the Methodist Church and the Manzanola Masonic Lodge, Manzanola, Colo.

Survivors include his wife, who is remembered here as Miss Ruth Aaron, and by a brother and two sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Finely spent the Easter holidays with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Finley in Canyon.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bryant of Brownfield visited his mother, Mrs. D. W. Bryant and her brother, Royce Davis, Sunday and Monday.

Easter visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Aldridge were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Aldridge and niece of Hobbs, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Knob Nocklinger, Carol and Kenney of Pampa, Mrs. Martha Aldridge of McLean and Miss Aundrea Jo Aldridge of Dallas.

Helen Kimbrough, George Munns, and Yvonne Isaacs were diner guests of Jack Tarter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tarter Saturday evening. George Munns is a student of A & M College at College Station, Texas, and the girls are students of Hendrick Memorial Hospital of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Burks and family spent the Easter holidays visiting with Mrs. Burks parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Joiner in Lubbock and Mr. Burks mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lindsey in Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Ingram and family of Borger spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bartlett spent the weekend in El Paso with their son and daughter-in-law, Pvt. and Mrs. Earl Lynn Bartlett.

Mrs. J. B. Jackson spent the Easter Holidays with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clothier in Sayre, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Derryberry spent Sunday in Sayre, Oklahoma with her sister and family, Mr and Mrs. J. B. Clothier.

Cpt. and Mrs. Deral Hollis of Ft. Riley, Kansas and T. O. Hollis of Elk City are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bura Handley. Cpt. Hollis is Mrs. Handley's brother and Mrs. T. O. Hollis is her father. Phill Handley also visited in the Handley home over the holidays. He is a student in Texas University at Austin.

Miss Betty Karnes, a student in Hardin - Simmons University, Abilene, was here for Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Karnes.

Renee Thomason of Abilene Christian College in Abilene spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomason.

Doolen Starkey was here for the Easter holidays to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Starkey. A student in Texas Tech, he is also coaching at the Boys Club in Lubbock during the evenings.

T. B. Starkey, county pioneer who has been seriously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. M. Boston in Goodnight, is improving, a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Oran Starkey reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Myers and grandson, Randy Jackson, of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Johnson and children of Idalou, Mrs. Tom Holton of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Taylor of Amarillo spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Holton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Melton and Donna and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Skeyhen, all of Ft. Worth, visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Killingsworth and other relatives.

Rocket Track Team Competes At Clarendon

The Skyrocket Track team won second place in the 5-way track meet in Childress Friday, April 8, Principal Bill Whiteside has announced.

The Rockets competed with teams from Shamrock, Paducah, Memphis and Childress.

Childress won first with 65 points, while Wellington stacked up 26 points.

All 12 members of the team went. They are Hanes Isaacs, Don Raburn, Billy Frank Agee, Wayne Ketchum, Fred Ketchum, Athan Lowrie, Jerry Elbert, John Thomas, Doyle Owens, Warner Ford and Eugene Brown.

Placings were:

Mile Relay: Owens, Lowrie, Elbert and F. Ketchum, second.

440 Yard Dash: Agee, first.

220 yard dash: Owens, second.

100 yard dash: W. Ketchum, first.

80 yard dash: Lowrie third, Raburn fourth.

Mile run: W. Ketchum first; Brown second.

Board jump: Brown second.

440 yard relay: W. Ketchum, Owens, Brown and Agee, fourth.

Miss Nell Trew of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Trew and son, Tom, of Hereford, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Trew.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cudd and son of Perryton spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fires were Easter guests of her mother, Mrs. J. A. Leslie in Childress.

James Glasscock of Abilene spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Glasscock.

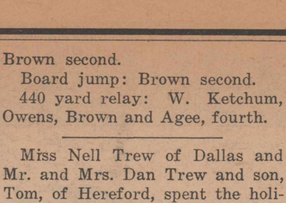
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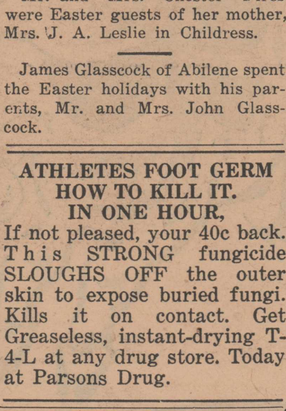
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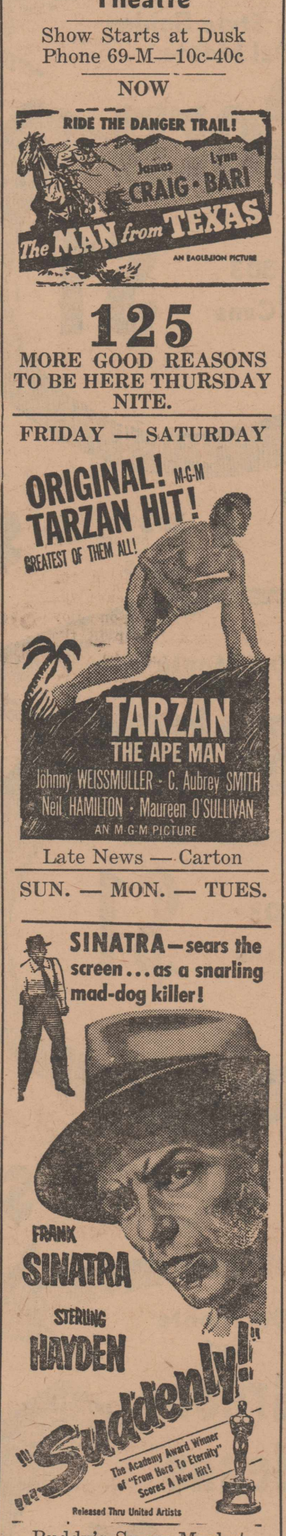
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FRIDAY — SATURDAY



Late News — Carton

SUN. — MON. — TUES.



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Cartoon Comedy

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Randall Raburn
Don Scott
Mr. H. M. Small
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Durant McInnis
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Mary Hagler

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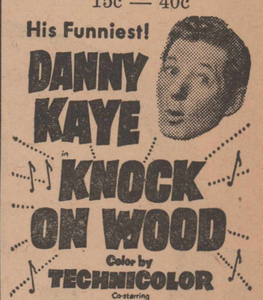
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We will soon move to our modern building on 15th Street and Dallas Street. We would rather sell our stock at big reductions rather than move it, and that is the reason for this store wide sale which will last from Thursday through Saturday.

SUNBEAM IRONS
Regular 14.75
SALE PRICE ---------- $9.95

SUNBEAM TOASTERS
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NOW ---------- $19.50

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Regular $26.95
NOW ---------- $18.50

GE IRONS
Regular $9.95
NOW ---------- $6.95

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Regular $12.95
NOW ---------- $9.50

Hamilton Beach
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UNIVERSAL PERCULATORS
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10½ Cubic Feet, Regular $279.00
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All Light Fixtures 50% Off

Many Other Items Reduced in Price

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Sandy Parsons Jr. Owner Since 1936

Formal Opening of Parsons Drug Thursday, April 14

The formal opening of the Parsons Drug in its new location will be held Thursday, April 14, Sandy Parsons, Jr., owner, announced this week.

The store, one of the finest for a town this size, and in this type of business in the lower Panhandle, was completely remodeled to meet the needs of the Parson Drug. It is located at the southwest corner of the square, and was acquired some months ago by Mr. Parsons from Lee O'Neil of Lubbock.

A new modern plate glass front was installed, the ceiling of the first floor lowered, and the entire interior remodeled and redecorated in shades of soft rose. All fixtures have been remodeled in these shades to harmonize with the walls.

A complete fleurescent lighting system was put in. The heating system was moved from the former location of the store and remodeled, and a complete air conditioning system is in the process of being installed.

The upstairs portion of the building is used for storage.

'We are eager that all our friends come in and visit us at the time of our open house, although you may have been in from time to time while the work was in progress and since we have moved", Mr. Parsons said.

All departments of the store will continue very much as they have in the past.

Foremost is the prescription department which Mr. Parsons believes is the "heart" of every drug store.

"Through the years, it has been our policy to give you the most complete prescription service, answering your needs at any hour of the day or night using only the finest ingredients", he declared.

Other departments include the fountain, now located in the back of the store, near the south entrance, the cosmetic department featuring some of the best known lines, school supplies, jewelry in all price ranges, and sickroom supplies. The gift department features the finest in domestic and foreign chinas and both sterling and silverplate, along with many other departments.

There is also a complete department of photographic supplies.

Mr. Parsons came here at the age of five with his parents, and this has been his home the entire time since. He graduated from Wellington High School in 1926, attended Southern Methodist University at Dallas and Davenport Pharmacy School at Fort Worth. He passed his State Board examination in 1931. He has owned the store since 1936, buying it from the late Joe Hardy.

In addition to his part in Wellington's business life, he has long been active in civic life.

He is a past president of the Rotary Club, and for 18 years was Scoutmaster of Wellington Boy Scouts. He is a leader in the Chamber of Commerce,, the work of the First Christian and other organizations.

Mrs. Parsons, who assists her husband in the store, was reared at Wheeler and is the former Lois McMillin.

They were married in 1928 and have three children, Pfc. Sandy Parsons III, Beale Air Force Base, Calif., Sally Parsons and Mary Parsons.

Employees of the store include: Mrs. Katherine Philly, is the oldest in point of service, having been with the store about five years. She was reared here. Her son, Jimmy Cummings, is in charge of cleaning the store, and is "growing up" in the business, so to speak.

Mrs. Oris West has been with the store almost two years. With her husband, she formerly owned and operated the West Drug Store at Dodson, and is widely experienced in all lines. Mr. West, who formerly was with the store, is now with a wholesale drug company in Amarillo, but returns here to assist at Parsons Drug during the weekends.

Mrs. Glenn Ketchum began work several months ago after having had several years experience in drug work away from here.

Newest member of the staff is Mrs. Francis Dillon, who came from Farmersville. She formerly has taught school.

Employed on weekends are Effie Spear and LaJuan Wilson, both high school students.

"Through the years, our store has tried to render service to the people of the area, and we hope we have succeeded. We are indeed proud of our customers, and without them and their support, we could not have made the success of this business that we have," the owner declared.

Singing To Be Held At Loco April 17

The regular 3rd Sunday Singing of Collingsworth County and Childress will be held together Sunday, April 17th at the Loco Methodist Church. The time for the singing will be at 2:00.

New officers were elected at the 3rd Sunday meeting in March. R. L Johnson, president; Rob Isbell, vice - president; Sec - treasurer, Mrs. R. L. Johnson, and Reporter, Mrs. Alvis Derryberry.

Skyrocket Track Team Second In Childress Meet

The Wellington Skyrocket track team attended the Clarendon Invitation Track and Field Meet Wednesday, April 6.

Taking part were Wayne Ketchum, Doyle Owens, Warner Ford, Billy Frank Agee, Eugene Brown, Fred Ketchum, Don Raburn, Hanes Isaacs, John Thomas, Billy Bratten, Jerry Elbert and Athan Lowrie. Coach Maxey McKnight accompanied the boys.

Wayne Ketchum placed second in the 440 yard dash.

Brown won second in the 880 yard run.

The 440-relay team, consisting of Owens, Wayne Ketchum, Brown and Agee, placed fourth.

Wellington won first in the mile relay, with the team made up of Owens, Brown, Agee and Wayne Ketchum.

John Thomas placed fourth in the 10 yard high hurdles.

Stinnett won the track meet, and Wellington, with 13 points, was fifth.

Teams participating were Stinnett, Wellington, Clarendon, Lefors, Vega, Canadian, McLean and Memphis.

Lutie Baptist Revival Planned

Revival services will open at the Lutie Baptist Church Sunday, April 17, and continue through Sunday, April 24.

The Rev. Harold Estes, pastor, will be in charge of the preaching, and Frank Claborn of Samnorwood will lead the singing.

Services will be held twice daily at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m., with prayer services each night at 7:30.

The pastor has extended a cordial invitation to the public to attend the services.

In this revival, the Lutie church is oc-operating in the simultaneous revival movement now under way in the Southern Baptist Convention.

Thomas Attends Agents Meeting

County Agent J. W. Thomas was in Amarillo from Wednesday through Friday attending a meeting of county agents in District 1.

This meeting was devoted to the farm and home planning program which has been initiated by the Extension Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lewis and son of Dallas, Mrs. Earl Hill and daughter of Amarillo, Mrs. R. B. Johnson and children of Cactus, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ball Jr. of Pampa visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Alexander and family of Plainview spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. VanPelt.

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to all who were so kind during the time I was in the hospital. Words cannot express how thankful I am for all the kind things that were done for me.

M. H. Holman and family

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the friends that helped us through our hour of sorrow, in the passing of our dear husband and father, N. A. (Pete) Brock. Especially we want to thank the many friends for the beautiful floral offering and to those who sent cards of sympathy or helped in any way, and to the ladies that brought and sent food.

We want to thank St. Joseph's Hospital and its staff of nurses and Dr. E. K. Jones. Especially do we want to thank Minister G. B. Stanley and Minister Van Bonneau. The nice deeds and kind words expressed during such a time will always be remembered.

May God bless you all.

Mrs. N. A. Brock
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brock and sons
Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bonneau and family
Pfc. and Mrs. Jimmy Brock
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brock

COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY CHECKERBOARD NEWS



BY CHARLES LITTLE JR.

Singley Mill & Elevator

Bob Jones has 300 DeKalb 101 Hybred pullets going in Cages this morning. These Pulletts are 15 weeks old and have been grown on the Purina Program. Bob has been doing a mighty fine job with his cage operation. He has been maintaining better than 60 per cent production average. Bob tells me that there is still some money to be made in chickens even tho eggs are around 26 cents per dozen. We are going to pay particular attention to these hybred pullets and will keep you posted as to the results that Bob will be getting.

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It doesn't take many rabbits to build a good size business because not many animals are as prolific as rabbits. Six does can produce up to 600-700 lbs. of meat a year . . . putting them in a production class with animals 100 times their size. Ask for the Purina Rabbit book and for our help in getting into the rabbit business. It can be profitable and a lot of fun, too.

OUTLOOK BRIGHT FOR HOG MEN IN 1955

All signs indicate that the outlook is still rosy for the hog men who follow a sound feeding and management plan. Purina's Profit Plan for 1955 has been proved by more than 32,000 hogs at the Purina Research Farm. Make it your Profit Plan, too!

Most important . . . get your pigs off to a fast start NOW! It pays to get your hogs to market ahead of the heavy run. To help you do a better job in 1955 Purina has introduced a teammate to famous Pig Startena. It's Purina's new taste discovery for little pigs . . . Baby Pig Chow. A short time after farrowing pigs take to Baby Pig Chow like kids take to candy. One 50 lb. bag feeds the average litter. Then switch to Purina Pig Startena to keep them gaining fast. This program will help you wean pigs weighing up to 17 lbs. heavier than average. Ask about the Purina Hog Plan for 1955 now.

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Purina Research has started over 2,000,000 chicks to develop its Growing Chows. All this research has developed formulas that grow big, hardy pullets at very low cost. We'll be glad to show you just about what it will cost to grow a pullet.

Get this information before your chicks have eaten an average of 2 lbs. of Chick Startena, so you can switch them to the proper growing Chow without delay.

HEALTH HINTS



Now's the time to begin your fight against flies on your farm. Every fly killed now represents millions of flies later in the year. To help keep production high this year start now on a sound fly control Program to keep stock comfortable, happy and free from flies.

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In view of your confidence, I will accept the office with humbleness — and it is with the same spirit that I pledge to you that I will fulfill the duties of the office to the best of my ability at all times.

I also wish to invite all of the citizens, regardless of how they voted, to talk over City Problems with me and with the aldermen at any time. In this manner only can your City Officials conduct the affairs of the community in the manner which you and other citizens want them.

J. B. Castleberry

Wellington in 1916

Wellington Landmark, Old East Ward School, Is Demolished

Demolishing of one of Wellington's landmarks, the old East Ward School, is nearing completion, and the brick and wood in the building are being sold to individuals of the Eastern Panhandle for building purposes.

The building was brought by Cudd Brothers from Mrs. Pink Sullivan, but the transaction did not include the lots on which it is located.

"It was a good skeleton, but there was never any steel in it, and it was badly broken in places," Hiram Cudd said. "It was not rebuildable, although a lot of people thought it was."

The building was put up in 1916, at a cost of $26,000. Then a handsome three-story structure, it was one of the finest schools in the lower Panhandle.

Dr. L. F. Sheffy was superintendent, and R. F. Curry, for many years Wellington postmaster, was principal. Miss Katherine Boverie was the Latin instructor.

Two years later in 1918, Dr. Sheffy went to Canyon to teach in the history department of West Texas State College. He now heads the department, and recently was co-author of a text-book on Texas History.

At that time, Mr. Curry was promoted to superintendent, and Miss Boverie became high school principal.

It was the high school during that period.

In 1924, fire partially destroyed the building, and it was rebuilt as the two-story structure which all later students and town residents were familiar with. A new school was built on the site of the present high school, but it, too, was destroyed by fire in 1928. It was when the school was rebuilt in 1924 that the name East Ward was given it.

The school was used continuously until the new elementary school was opened during the 1949-50 term.

Glasscock College Student Officer

Abilene, James Glasscock, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Glasscock of Wellington, was elected Vice-President of the McMurry College student association for 1955-56, in a campus-wide election held last week.

Other officers elected for the McMurry student body were Eugene Bonny of Pampa, president; Sylvia South of Abilene, secretary-treasurer; Betty Campbell of Lamesa, editor of the War Whoop, weekly student newspaper; and Robert Washam of Sweetwater, head cheerleader.

A record of 76 per cent of the McMurry students voted in the election, according to Dr. W. B. McDaniel, vice-president of the college.

The new and present student officers, accompanied by Dr. McDaniel, attended the annual convention of the Texas Intercollegiate Student Association March 31-April 2 at Trinity University, San Antonio.

Glasscock, a 1953 graduate of Wellington High School, has taken an active part in religious activities, press and radio work, and student government at McMurry during the past two years.

For the past year he has been producer and director of the "Pow-Wow," a weekly, 30-minute radio program sponsored by the college over an Abilene station.

At the college, Glasscock is also a member of Ko Sari men's social club, Christian Foundation, and Forum.

Mrs. George W. Smith of Crosbyton, was a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital from Wednesday, March 23 to Tuesday, March 29. She has been visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Taylor Lowrie.

Winners Named In FFA Rodeo

Wellington Future Farmers held their annual Rodeo Saturday night, April 2, with some of the fastest action these events have witnessed.

Winning the girls barrel race was Shirley Sherwood of Samnorwood.

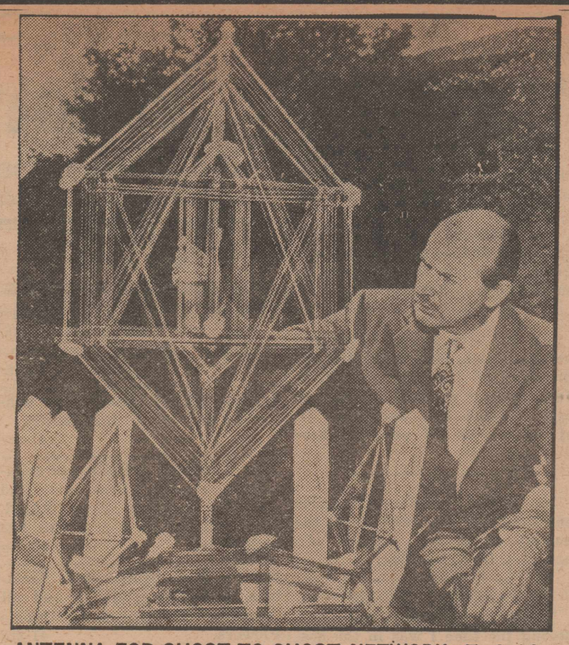
Rodeo events included:

Calf roping: Mike Glenn and Don Crawford.

Trailer race: team, John Cartwright and Wayne Maxwell.

Team roping: no catch.

Bare back bronc riding: Johnny Brock, Don Crawford, Paul Bell, Leroy Belew and Don Scott.



ANTENNA FOR GHOST-TO-GHOST NETWORK—Frederick Spiegelberg, professor of Asian civilization, examines a Tibetan ghost trap on display at the University of Stanford, at Stanford, Calif. Fashioned of sticks and colored thread, it is mounted in mud mixed with human ashes. Tibetans believe that drawings of people and animals on slats lure ghosts into circle of small traps. Ghosts then become entangled in TV antenna-like device. When wool tufts at points of antenna become damp, it's a sign ghost is trapped. Antennae come in 14 different designs, one for each major type of spirit Tibetans hope to ensnare.

Wellington Lunch Room Menu

Mrs. Les White's second grade pupils have chosen this weeks menu. Each person in that class will be given a free lunch one day this week.

Monday: Coney island with chili, fruit jello, spring salad, whipped potatoes, 1/2 pint mink or chocolate milk.

Tuesday: Ranch style beans, buttered corn bread, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk, cole slaw, carrot and celery sticks, and peach cobbler.

Wednesday: fried spring chicken with cream gravy, creamed potatoes, whole wheat bread and butter sandwich, chopped vegetable salad, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk, yellow cake with pink icing, and ice cream.

Thursday: cheese curls:, green beans and asparagus in cream sauce, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk, grapefruit sections, browned potatoes, and rice pudding.

Friday: hamburger pattie on a bun, potato chips, peach half, onion, pickle, mustard, tomato slice, lettuce leaf, peanut butter cookie, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk.

T. M. Tucker To SCS Office Here

T. M. Tucker, who has been with the Soil Conservation Service at Throckmorton, has been transferred to the SCS office here to work as soil conservationists, it was announced this week by Fred Squyres, work unit conservationist.

He has been with the Soil Conservation Service 18 months and before that he taught vocational agriculture four years at Roby. He was reared in Baylor County. He has a bachelor of science degree in agriculture from Texas Tech at Lubbock and has also done advanced work there. Mr. Tucker is a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Mrs. Tucker, who attended McMurry College at Abilene, has taught and formerly was with banks in Lubbock and Roby. She also has worked with the Production Credit Association.

They are living at 609 Ninth Street.

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Loyd Linwood Shuffield, Lubbock and Miss Kathryn Lenora Galyean, March 12.

Rucher Francis Willard and Mrs. Alice Mae Moupin, March 14.

Steve LaNeal Glasscock and Mrs. Ruby Evelyn Duggins, Wichita Falls, Texas, March 1.

Olan Franklin Hester and Mrs. Alma Rae Cody, Norman, Oklahoma, March 26.

Samuel Cox Jr. and Miss Georgia Marie Turner, Harrison County, March 26.

Lewis Dale Barnes and Miss Barbara Ann McCarthy, Elk City, Oklahoma, March 29.

James Wesley Bailey and Miss Dollie Delores Weightman, Gould, Oklahoma, April 1.

James Edward McCormick and Miss Shirley Ann Freeman, April 2.

Robert Elmer Leggitt and Mrs. Winnie Whitehurst, April 4.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Bruce and girls, Betty and Lynda of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bullington of Dumas spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bullington.

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Variety	Av. Lint length 32nds in.	Yield of Lint, pounds per acre 1951	1952	1953	Average
Stormproof No. 1	29	222	109	415	249
Lockett 140	29	221	137	377	245
Northern Star	31	214	118	344	225
Western Stormproof	30	221	106	347	225
Deltapine (TPSA)	32	221	127	316	221
C. A. 89A, SP	31	181	127	339	216
C. A. 122, SP	30	205	114	314	211
Texacala 5455	32	168	122	330	207
Stormmaster	29	168	100	323	197
Paymaster 54	29	168	105	297	190
Hi - Bred	25	152	96	313	187
Macha No. 1	29	155	77	324	185
C. A. 119, SP	31	170	77	306	184
Empire W. R.	32	176	81	282	180
Lankart 611	31	147	98	276	174
Rowden 41B (TPSA)	30	157	89	271	172

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The sale will last all day and there will be a snack bar at the office run by the Arnett seniors and juniors, and there is a cafe downtown, so there is no need waiting until after noon to come, as you can get plenty to eat and you will surely miss out on the bargains if you wait.

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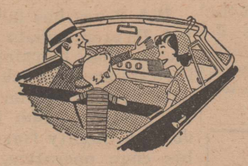
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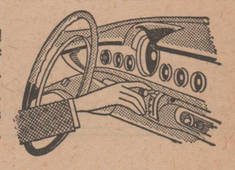


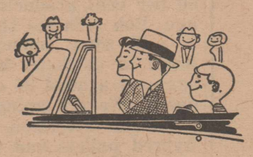
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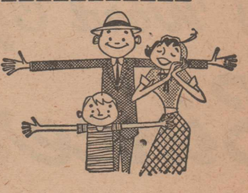
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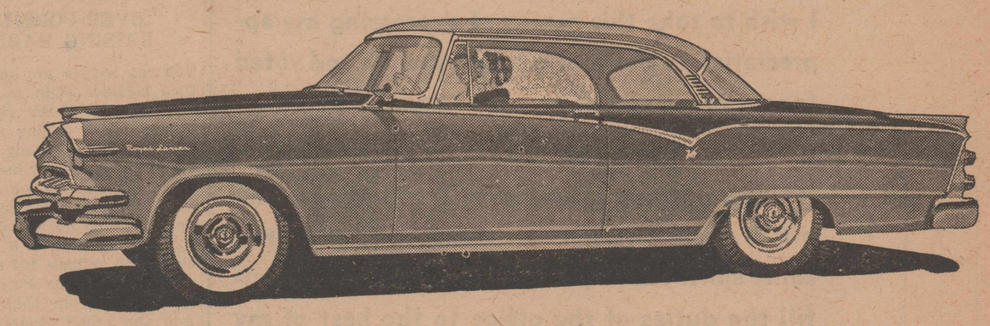




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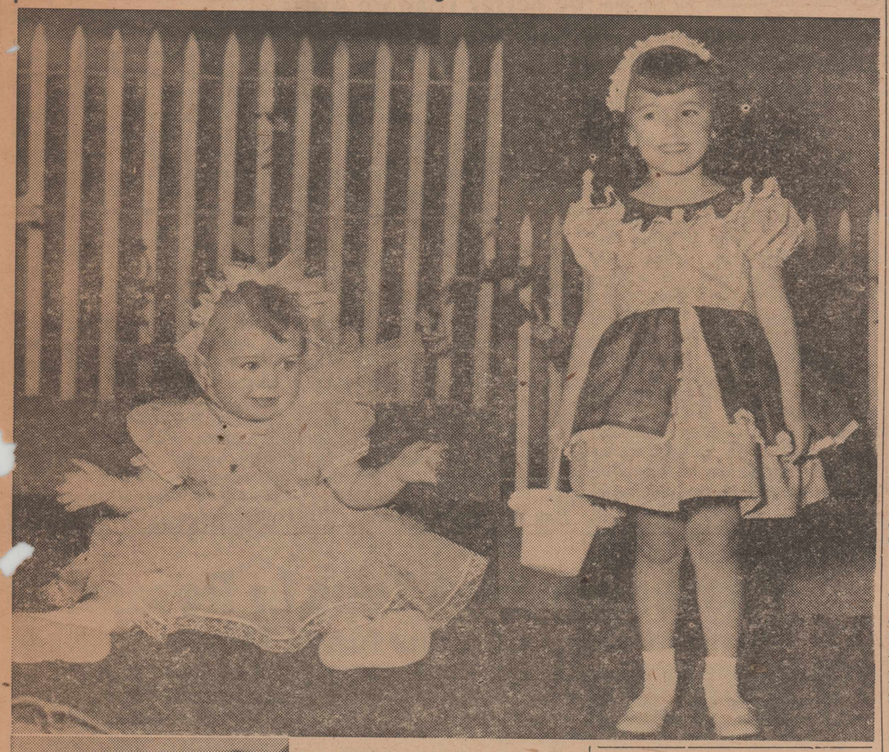
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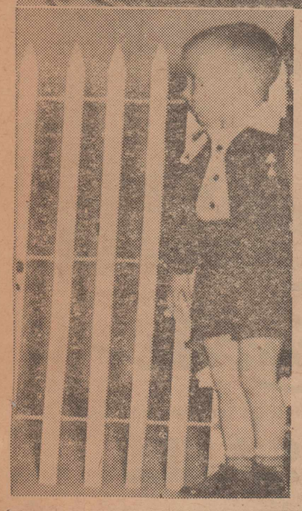
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Society News





EASTER PARADE WINNERS .. *Wellington's youngest set paraded its Easter finery recently at the annual Tiny Tot Easter Parade, and these 3 were judged the winners. Carrying of honors in the baby division was tiny Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Smith. Patricia Thomas, right, won the oldest division, the children from four to seven years. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Trusten Thomas. Billy McAlister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob McAlister, came through the parade with flying colors to win the four to seven year event, but apparently he developed some shynes at the camera, for he turned away as the picture was snapped.* *Photo by Allen Graves*

Bridal Shower at Quail Honors Mr. and Mrs. George Stephens

by Mrs. G. T. Stephens

A bridal shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stephens of Edinburg, Texas, was given Friday night, April 8, in the Quail Homemaking Cottage. Mrs. Stephens is the former Monda Montgomery of Fort Worth, Tex.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Carroll Blevins, J. F. Bishop, Ople White, J. W. Canada, Ocie White, Leroy Pate, Obie White, Ira Morgan, Bill Phillips, Chester White, and C. D. Messer.

The guests were registered by Nancy Ann Stephens, sister of the groom.

The gifts were displayed in the bedroom of the cottage. They were presented by Mrs. Pate.

The serving table was laid with a white lace tablecloth, centered with a vase of ivy. Refreshments of cake, mints, and punch were served to the guests with Mrs. Jack Sherill of Hobbs, New Mexico, presiding at the punch bowl.

Those attending or sending gifts were: Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Hair, Mr. and Mrs. George Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peggram and Gene, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baker, Mrs. Recie DuBose, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Crabtree, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shields, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Melton, Mrs. J. W. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. James O. Miller, Stevie and Mylina, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tidwell, Almeda and Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Harold White, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Ocie White, Garroll and Brenda, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blevins and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross, Jamie and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Holton, Patti and Natt, Mr. and Mrs. Chester White, Neal and Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Pate, Roy, Judy and Jodena, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter, Mrs. T. M. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Robinson and Connie, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Olie Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Dry Tow, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Campbell, Mrs. Judy Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Ople White and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clay, Peggy and Alvie, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blevins, Mr. and Mrs. Z. J. Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. Obie White, Geneva and Jo, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pebley, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Clay and children, Mrs. Raymond Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry DePauw, Pat, Margie and Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kennedy, Hoyce, Carroll and Cleta, Mrs. Zella Noble, Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moseley and children, Mrs. Jim Lowe, Mrs. Lewis Morris, Mrs. Earl Gibbs, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, W. F. Howard, Mrs. Olla DeBord, Mrs. J I. Morgan, G. T. Stephens, Nancy, James and Jerri, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Scott, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Messer, Mrs. Polly DePauw, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Canada, Leon Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Blevins.

Style Show For 1924 Study Club

A style show was presented for members of the 1924 Study Club, in keeping with the Easter season, at the meeting Thursday, April 7, in the home of Mrs. Chester Fires.

Mrs. J. L. Burt and Mrs. Horace Small were in charge of the show, while Mrs. Fires was program chairman. Models were Mmes. J. W. Wells, Harold Watkins, Chub White, Charles Allen, Elvis Crawley, Jim Cochran, Sandy Parsons Jr., Ray Peeples, Jones Singley, Frank Anderson, and Misses Lennie Lou Coleman and Judy Glenn.

During the business session, Mrs. Clark Anderson, president, named the yearbook committee for next year, including Mrs. Kelly Pigg, chairman, and Mrs. Henry Vaughan, Mrs. Frank Anderson and Miss Katherine Boverie.

The Easter theme was carried out in the room decorations, and in the desert plate served to the guests, Mmes. J. F. Michael, Allen, White, Cochran, Crawley, Wells, Watkins, Parsons, Peeples, and Misses Coleman and Glenn and the members, Mmes. Pigg, James Sullivan, Cecil Street, James Doneghy, E. K. Jones, Bobo Castleberry, Frank Anderson, Singley, Jack Kopp, Walt Winters, Henry Vaughan, Fred LeDerer, R. R. Crawley, Clark Anderson, Miss Boverie and the hostess, Mrs. Fires.

Lonnie Wood of Ranger Jr. College spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wood.

Buck Creek WMU Has Joint Meeting

by Mrs. J. L. Souder Sr.

The District Associational WMU meet with the Friendship Church Thursday, April 7. The following churches were represented, Antioch Church and East Side of Amarillo, Shamrock Church, Ring Church and Friendship Church. Each Church had a program. Brother Reaves of the Antioch Church brought the message. A basket lunch was served at the noon hour.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Newkirk of near Lutie have their two daughters home from college for Easter. Miss Kay Newkirk is attending Howard Payne College, Brownwood, and Miss Mildred Newkirk is attending Wayland College, Plainview.



Mary Beth Kelso Chosen President of FHA Chapter, Mary Jane Hiett Delgate

Mary Beth Kelso, sophomore in Wellington high school, has been elected president of the Future Homemakers of Texas chapter for the year 1955-56, Mrs. Jo Covey homemaking instructor, has announced.

In this capacity, she will attend the State FHA Convention to be held in Galveston April 21, 22 and 23.

Representing the Wellington chapter as delegate will be Mary Jane Hiett. The two girls will be accompanied to Galveston by Mrs. Covey.

Mary Beth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso and is 14 years of age. She has finished the work for her Junior FHA degree and is now working on her Chapter degree. She has completed term projects and her summer projects, Mrs. Covey said.

The president is the only officer to be elected at this time, and others will be chosen at the beginning of school in September.

Mary Jane is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hiett. She also is a sophomore and has taken an active part in the FHA chapter activities.

Mrs. A. J. Lowe H. D. Club Hostess

The North Wellington Home Demonstration Club met April 5th with Mrs. J. A. Lowe. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Bob Stephenson, The program was "How to make a good appearance". Recreation was led by Mrs. W. D. Aldridge and Mrs. Jewel Childers.

Refreshments of ice cream, angel food cake and coffee was served to the following members: Mmes. V. J. Simpson, W. E. Brewster, Bob Stephenson, W. R. Franks, J. B. Gardner, Homer Holton, W. D. Aldridge, Jewel Childers, Moore and the hostess, Mrs. Lowe.

Mrs. Charles Cason Hostess to W. M. U.

The Nina Hankins Circle of the Baptist WMU met Monday, March 11, with Mrs. Charles Cason Jr. Mrs. L. L. Easter led the opening prayer. Mrs. V. J. Simpson brought the Bible Study on "The Lord's Supper". Mrs. Rufus Sweat presided over the business meeting.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Noble Murray, V. J. Simpson, L. L. Easter, Rufus Sweat, Ben Wilhelm, and the hostess.

Easter Party For Warren Children

A joint birthday party in the form of an Easter Egg hunt entertained Lyndel and Jana Warren Sunday, April 10. Their mother, Mrs. Elbert Warren was hostess at their home near Dodson.

Lyndel celebrated his eighth birthday on April 9, and Jana was five years old April 11.

The egg hunt and games entertained the small guests. A large rabbit formed the center piece for the refreshment table, and favors were small rabbits holding suckers. Ice cream and birthday cake were served. Lyndel's cake was green, and on top was a brown corral fence enclosing a cowboy roping two horses. It held 8 candles. Jana's cake was yellow with a nest of easter eggs and held five candles.

Small guests were Elmer Wayne Reynolds, Danny Lewis, Mildred Lewis, Bill Spillman, Rita Marchbanks, Paula Marchbanks, Mary Lou Holton, Linda Fay Johnson, and George Holton Johnson of Idalou, Sherry Crownover, Alan Dale Powers, Gary Lowrie, Ronnie Lowrie, Jerry Don Carter, and Alta Karen Lowrie. Nancy Sue Thomas sent gifts.

Mothers and others helping were Mmes. W. C. Lewis, Thurman Crownover, Wayne Reyonlds, Pearl Hamman, Fred Powers, Joe Carter, J. M. Lowrie, Mary Marchbanks and Misses June Reynolds and Clara Frances Carter.

Excelsor Club Meets With Mrs. Bartlett

The Excelsior Club met Thursday, April 7, for a regular meeting and a very good program was given.

The program consisted of music of Southern Neighbors, by Katherine Barjenbruch as leader, two accordian numbers, "Celita Linbo", and "La Spanola" by Judith Ann Wilson, Piano solos by Nancy Elliott were "La Galondriana", "El Jarabe", "The Blue Dove", "Adios Amor", and "Tu Tu Marimbo". Spanish skit and Spanish songs were given by the 6 Keys and the Keyboard. The skit was directed by Mrs. Bob McAlister.

The girls singing in the 6 Keys and the Keyboard are Linda Singley, Frankie Campbell, Bette Elliott, Mary McCaskill, Molly Denley, Ada Carole Thomas, and Ann Gholson.

A pantomine, "Hi Senorita" was given by Darrell Morris.

Members attending were Mrs. Byron Duncan, Mrs. W. M. Barjenbruch, Miss Katherine Boverie, Miss Inez Leach, Mrs. Lawrence Warrick, Mrs. J. L. Elliott, Miss Rose Shadid, Miss Marie Shadid, Mrs. Bernice Welch and the hostess, Mrs. E. F. Bartlett.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. O'Neil of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Enlow and son, Brad, of Amarillo, were guests in the home of Mrs. O'Neils and Mrs. Enlow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood over the Easter holidays. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil also visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin O'Neil.

Mrs. George O'Brien of Miles City, Montana is spending an extended visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Marsh of Ft. Worth spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Saunders.

Lynn Couch, a student at A&M college spent the holidays in Wellington with friends.

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Editorial Comment — The Wellington Leader

Harder to get Into Farming These Days

How does a young couple interested in farming get started in that expensive business these days?

That's a question that is discussed around the cook stove, and in the sale barn. It even attracts the attention of the professional agriculture economist. Too often the answer given is that "Well," it's really no harder now than it was forty years ago. Prices are higher, that's true, but wages are higher. It's all relative. It was tough to get started forty years ago. It's tough now. But the young fellow who really wants to can get the job done just as farmers have always done,"

Actually that appraisal isn't at all accurate. The main reason it isn't accurate is that in modern-day farming a man's labor is so much less important in the total economic picture than it was forty years ago. Before the days of modern machinery, labor was an important item in the farm production picture. It still is. But it is far less important in this age of tractors and combines and corn pickers and electric motors and all the rest.

Consequently it really is very much more difficult for young farm family to get started in business now than it was before the days of the "agriculture revolution."

The total investment in livestock, machinery and equipment on a typical hog-beef farm in the corn belt in 1952 was $11,918. During the 1937-41 period it averaged only $2,739.

How can young farm families obtain approximately $12,000 with which to start farming?

Frankly, it is next to impossible unless those young families have some assistance from their families or a source of credit that is better than average. There is a great need for more credit to help these young families get in business. Providing that credit isn't simple. It poses many problems, and is something that all institutions interested in agriculture should be thinking about.

The Hardin County Times
(Iowa Falls, Ia.)

Community Buckles Down

Civic awaking is a rather tribe phase, but it well describes what has been hapening in this area the past few months. People seem to be again aware that it is possible to da any number of things if only they take the responsibility in their own hands.

The spread of fire protection to all parts of the vally is an example. The rural district around Concrete, the Rockport volunteers and the Marblemount volunteers have shown the way.

The success of other ideas through concerted effort have added incentive. Now we have most service clubs actively talking up needed improvements—and doing something about them. The Marblemount area is considering building a community hall. Not asking for one, but building one. And we have every confidence they can do it.

Beset by taxes from all angles, the small community has little hope of much return from government sources. Their biggest and best source is still available and untaxed—civic interest and ingenuity.

The Concrete (Wash.) Herald)

Career Day Aids High School Seniors

A program that should about gratifying results was the "Career Day" which was co-sponsored by the Lions Club and the Business and Professional Women's Club. The day's program gave the graduating class an opportunity to learn what careers the future has to offer for those who will enter the labor market upon graduating this spring.

Advantages which may be secured through advanced education were pointed out, but at the same time it was pointed out that a college education was not to advocated for every student who is graduating from high school. Many opportunities for careers are to be found in the skilled trades which do not come under the realm of college courses, the students were told.

Students expressed themselves as having received beneficial advice in planning for future activities after leaving high school. In all the many sessions students were able to ask question which were uppermost in their minds about future possibilities, and in each instance were given frank answers, whether about entering college or seeking employment of farming. It was a day devote dto assisting graduates in looking beyond the doors through which they will pass on graduation day.

The Berthoud (Colo.) Bulletin

Strictly Fresh

Artist in Providence, R. I., may turn author. He was jailed for not returning a library book, "How to Draw People for Fun." He's now in a position to write "How to Draw Sentences for Free."

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ATTORNEYS MUST OFTEN TAKE UNPOPULAR CASES

"The first thing we do, let's kill all the lawyers"

Shakespeare puts these words in the mouth of Dick, the butcher, one of Jack Cade's followers in the play, "King Henry the Sixth".

It has been quoted often as an example of the occasional antipathy of the public toward lawyers. However, an examination of the play reveals a rather interesting turn to this quotation.

Jack Cade was a pretender to the throne of England. In the process of inciting his rebellion, he promised the rabble that they would get several halfpenny loaves for a penny, and all three-hooped pots should have ten-hoops, all things should be in common, the laws of England would come from his mouth, and his mouth would be parliament.

Here was the promise of dictatorship, socialism and Communism, all rolled into one, in the time of Shakespeare, and in order to accomplish these results the first thing to be done was to kill all the lawyers, who would naturally oppose any such system.

Upon the pages of history are the names of lawyers whose contribution to our free society was so great that they are beacons by which all men continue to see their inalienable rights shine forth in the darkness of dictatorship and injustice.

One, whose name stands out on the early pages of history as a champion of all men in their striving for equality, was Cicero. Chrysogonus, the political power of Rome, condemed Roscious, so that his property might be confiscated for the benefit of Chrysogonus.

When no one else would defend Roscious for fear of Chrysogonus, Cicero came forward and, with knowledge that he stood alone against the most powerful figure in Rome, made himself immortal when he refused to temper his argument, courageously attacked Chrysogonus and shamed the court into turning from cowardice to follow the law and set Roscious free.

Thus was broken the abuse of the powerful in using the courts to deprive men of their liberty, their rights and posessions. Ciceros act is a tradition of the legal profession today.

Look also to Lord Coke, who defied King James when he said the king is under the law, and thus again set the pattern for the supremecy of law for all, high and low alike.

America has had many great lawyers to whom each of us owe, and will continue to owe, a tremendous debt of gratitude, for the priviledge of justice as we have it today.

John Adams, one of the leading patriots of Boston, endangered his life and his career by defending the British soldiers involved in the Boston Massacre. He later applied his deep-seated convictions of human rights and freedoms by assisting in the framing of the Declaration of Independence.

Our History books contain many other stirring examples. In the preservation of the individual's rights of freedom, the lawyer's training and tradition compels him to agree with Voltaire when he said, "I disapprove of what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it".

Bible Comment
For April 17

God Intends That We Be Better Than we Are

What God intends us to be is undoubtedly something better than we are. Regardless of whatever we have attained, the law of the Christian life is to grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

But if we could think of man as starting from scratch, or with an unformed life, what does God require?

First of all, honesty and uprightness; righteousness is the very foundation of the godly life.

"Abhor that which is evil; cleave to that which is good". For Jew or for Christian; in fact for those of any religion, in any time or place, the essential of the good life is the same.

But the Christian life, what God intends us to be, is not all found in personal goodness. The Christian life is a life of relationships .

Man does not live alone. He has priviledges and duties in relation to his fellow man as well as to God, and the nature of his life toward God, in its reality and integrity, is, in fact, determined largely by what man is toward his fellowman.

"If a man say, I love God; and hateth his brother, he is a liar; for he that loveth not his brother whom he hath seen, how can he love God whom he hath not seen?"

This is plain and very specific, and also very applicable to our present-day world of racial, religious, and sectional prejudices, jealousies and hatreds.

What a long way we have to travel before we attain to that state in which God intends us to exist!

Fred Alexander, student at ACC in Abilene, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Alexander of near Dodson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wilson spent the holidays with their daughter in San Angelo. Dr. Gene Donald Wilson; who is doing intern work at Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas also visited with them.

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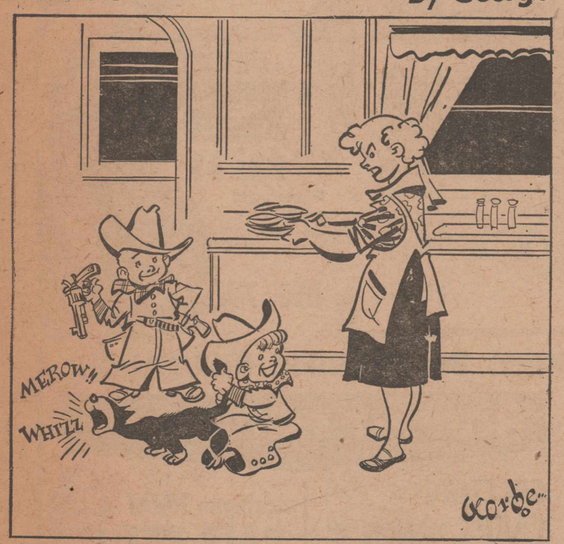


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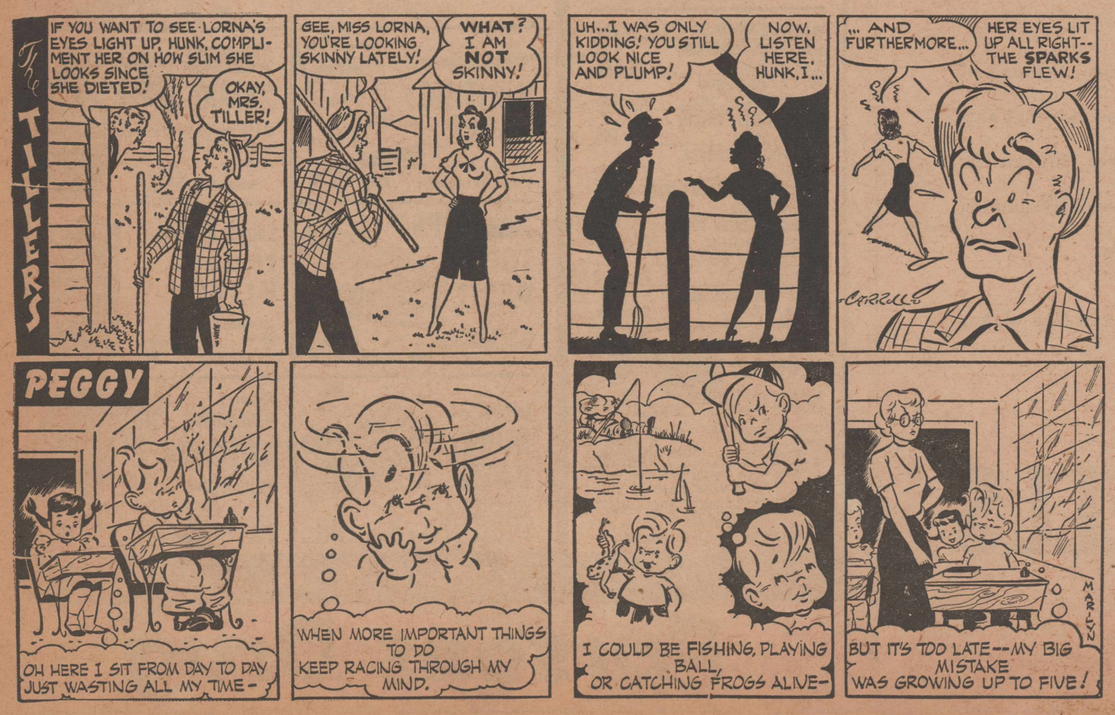
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Students Win District League Meet Events

Wellington winners in the district interscholastic league literary events were announced this week by Bill Whiteside, high school principal. The meet was held at Lefors Saturday.

Shorthand: Vera Ward first and Martha Crane second.

Typing: Cynthia Akins, third, and Doris Sweat fifth.

Spelling: Nell Gholson, fourth and Cynthia Watkins, seventh.

Others participating were Mary Beth Kelso, senior declamation; Carolyn Coburn, junior declamation; Elizabeth Hurst and Carolyn Coburn, ready reading; Sharon Bettis and Wesley Savage, number sense.

Wilson to Speak At Jr. High PTA

J. D. Wilson will be the guest speaker at the meeting of the Junior High Parent-Teacher Association Tuesday, April 12, Mrs. Melvin Seale has announced.

The meeting will be held in the junior high library, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. Wilson's topic will be "The Blessings of Liberty and Public Education".

This meeting is being held at night in order that working people, and especially the fathers, can attend, Mrs. Seale said.

News of Men in Service

Lackland Air Force Base, — Monroe C. Patterson, 17, son of Mrs. Viola Patterson, Box 334, Wellington, Tex., Eugene Hudson, 20, son of J. L. Hudson, Rt. 6, Wellington, are completing their Air Force basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force".

The Lackland training is preparing them for entrance into Air Force technical training or for Air Force duty assignment. The course includes a scientific evaluation of his aptitude and inclination for following a particular career field.

Lackland, situated near San Antonio, is the site of Air Force basic military training for men and women and home of the USAF Officer Military School, of which the USAF Officer Candidate School, the USAF Pre-Flight School and Officers Pre-Flight Group are operating units.



REASON FOR REJOICING—Not for the cattle, huddled under this shed near Tonganoxie, Kan. Their snow-covered misery reflects unhappiness of the nation's farmers at the $50 million-plus damage to crops caused by the recent spring storms, worst in many years. Good which the ill winds blew for one section of the farm economy was the snow, welcomed by Kansas wheat farmers as an addition to the water reserve for their wheat crops.

Legal Notices

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH
ESTATE OF R. R. MARTIN

DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the Estate of R. R. Martin, Deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 14th day of March, 1955, in the County Court of Collingsworth County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. Claims should be filed with me in care of my attorneys, Adkins, Folley, McConnell & Hankins, P. O. Box 509, Amarillo, Potter County, Texas.

W. WILLIAMS
Administrator de bonis non with will annexed of the Estate of R. R. Martin, Deceased.

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T. C. Crabtree, Quail, Buick 4-door.

Jess Young, Wellington, Pontiac 4-door.

Harold Watkins, Wellington, Ford Tudor.

Shelton Nunnelley, Route 3, Fordor Ford.

Dr. Curtis L. Thaxton, Box 551, half ton pickup.

Ray Peeples, Wellington, two-ton Chevrolet truck.

H. D. Coleman, Dozier Rt. Shamrock, Plymouth club sedan.

Everett Allen Smith, Ft. Carson, Colorado, DeSoto 4 door sedan.

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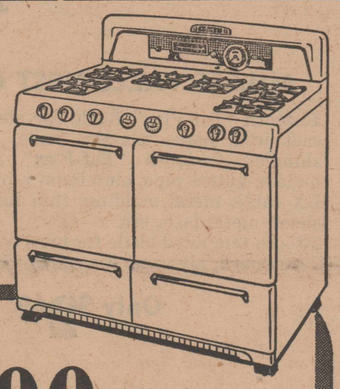
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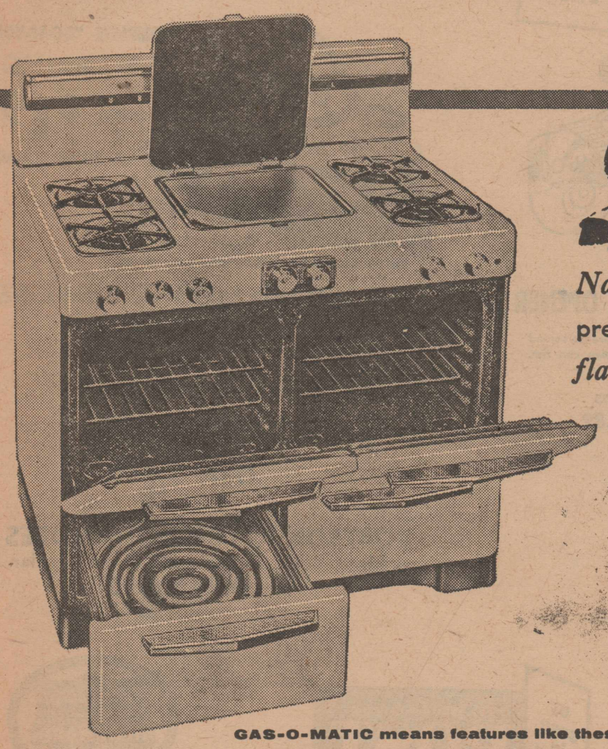
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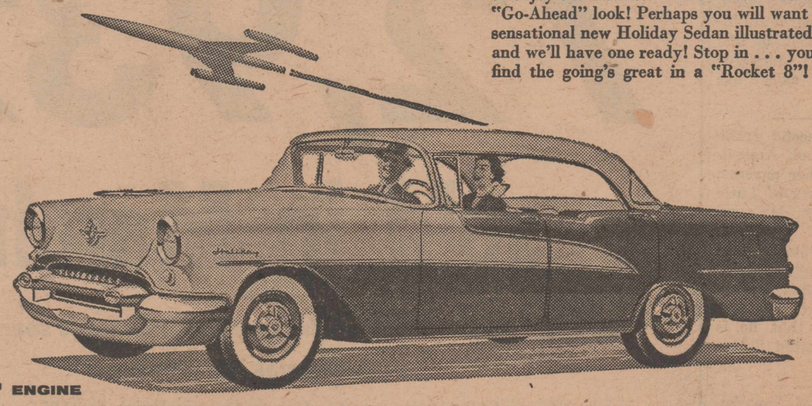
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—By Deskins Wells

The best news to originate in America in a long time was that Salk vaccine had been found safe, effective and powerful and would begin rolling to doctors offices soon. Dr. Dale Watkins said that local doctors had received no word as to when the vaccine would arrive in Wellington, but that vaccination would start as soon as it arrives. He said this would be necessary in order to get all the children vaccinated by the end of school.

Congratulations to Wood Coleman. He hit the jackpot in agricultural awards this past week by winning the regional award for the outstanding farmer in the Save the Soil and Save Texas program and by winning the VFW GI award for the outstanding farmer in the state. The first place carried a prize of $100 and the second a prize of $500. This was the first year the local VFW has ever sponsored the contest. Modest Wood was voluble in giving credit to the organizations and agricultural services and to others who had assisted him. Virginia Robey of the Leader staff prepared the material recording his farm-activities that Mr. Wood submitted in each contest. Well, it couldn't have happened to a nicer fellow.

Friday, the 15th, is the last day for filing your income tax, for filing your estimate and the last day to get your safety sticker on your windshield.

T. B. Starkey sends us word that he never dreamed that The Leader had circulation in so many different places until we carried the story about him being at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Boston, in Goodnight, saying that he would like to hear from some of his old friends. He still likes to get letters.

Art Bickerstaff is another who was impressed by the manner in which the Leader gets around. It seems that a family that lives 7 miles north of Hedley came in with a tear sheet of his Dollar Day ad and bought their weeks supply of groceries. And they were people who had never been in his store before.

Sign on the Ritz Theatre following a hard blow: "Lar Gable —Gon With he Wind". Well, it was an old grand dad of a wind at that.

It seems that the Texas Legislalature may last beyond May 10. The members draw $25 a day up to that date but they get no pay after 120 days. It seems that they slipped up a little in drawing the constitutional amendment.

Rotarians—

(Continued from Page 1)

sulant for General Motors and the American Truckers Association. He also travels widely and lectures extensively.

Other speakers were Dr. Hugh Tiner, college president from Los Angeles, and D. D. Monroe of Clayton, N. M., who was the Chamber of Commerce speaker here earlier in the year.

Buick Sales Hit All Time Peak

Buick sales hit an all time peak for the month of March with a total of 72,932 Buicks sold, according to Elzie White, local dealer.

This is the biggest single month in the long history of Buick Sales, Mr. White added. We cordially invite our customers to visit us and see Buick for 1955 and judge for yourself why Buick sales are zooming.

Mrs. Bill Karnes, second grade teacher in Bivins School, Amarillo, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roark of Lutie and her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Karnes. Bill Karnes, who is in the Armed Forces stationed at Aschaffenburg, near Frankfurt, Germany, has written that he will visit Holland on leave late this month, and that he is due to sail for the United States in May.

Richard E. Boyles of San Angelo spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyles.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Burks, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Squyres attended the Rotary Convention at Midland last weekend.

E. Rountree Buys Lutie Merchantile

Ernest Rountree this week announced that he has bought the Lutie Mercantile from H. C. Morrow and is now in charge of the business.

He will handle Conoco products along with tires and other items for the car and truck.

The complete grocery store will be maintained, including fresh meats, vegetables and frozen foods, along with staples. Drugs, notions and feeds will be handled.

Mr. Rountree has lived in the county for a number of years and is already well known in the Lutie area.

He formerly was with the Greenbelt Electric Cooeprative, Inc., and more recently has been managing the Gulf Station at the corner of 8th and Highway 83.

Cleveland Open Paint, Paper Store

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cleveland this week are anouncing the opening of the Cleveland Paint and Paper Co., located just south of the Ritz Theatre.

They will handle both paint and wall paper, as well as related sundry items.

Mr. Cleveland has had 15 years exeperience in these lines of work. Since they moved here ten years ago, he has followed this profession most of the time.

"We extend a cordial invitation tc everyone throughout the Wellington trade area to visit us in our new business. Many of you are already our friends, and those whom we don't yet know, we are anxious to get acquainted with", Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland said.

Dodson Gin Group To State Meeting

A group representing the Farmers Co-op Gin at Dodson attended the Texas Cotton Ginners Association annual convention in Dallas from Monday, April 4, through Wednesday, April 6.

Going were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crowder, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Weldon. Crowder is gin manager and Alexander and Weldon are co-op directors.

Dodson Coop—

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on demand of the farmers of the Dodson area, it has been repeated.

The items auctioned will include those regularly carried in stock, such as seeds, small farming equipment and other items used around a farm.

The sale will begin at 10:00 a. m. and continue as long as people want to buy.

The Arnett high school will have the consession stand and will serve lunch.

"We invite the people of the entire county to attend both these events. Besides getting lots of business done, you'll have a world of fun," Crowder declared.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John Boverie, twin sons, John and Jack, of Lubbock were weekend visitors here with his mother, Mrs. A. C. Boverie and his aunt, Miss Katherine Boverie.

Elinor Drake, student of Texas University in Austin spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Drake.

James LeDerer and Duwood Barnett of Texas University in Austin spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred LeDerer.

Jean Stingel of Baylor University spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Stingel.

Keith McMillin of Big Springs spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McMillin.

Don Lacy of A & M College spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Lacy.

Edward Bawcom, student at Ranger Jr. College spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bawcom and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wells and Miss Barbara Wells had as their house guests during Easter Miss Wells fiance, Jack Cartwright of Midland; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland Cartwright of Gainesville; and their daughter, Miss Jocelyn Wells, a student in the University of Texas, Austin.

Shields Reunion Held Easter

by Mrs. G. T. Stephens

Relatives and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newel Shields near Lelia Lake Easter Sunday for the annual reunion and egg hunt.

Each family brought a picnic lunch which was served at noon.

The afternoon was spent visiting, while the children enjoyed an egg hunt.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shields, Mr. and Mrs. Bill DePauw and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry DePauw, Patricia, Margie and Jackie DePauw, Mrs. Polly DePauw, Mrs. Judy Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter of Quail.

Mrs. Leslie Kutin, Alex Leslie, Chris and Richard Leslie of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Page, Don and Charles Page of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bell and family of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Musgrove and Warren Allan of Dothan, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. Benton Shields, Lonnie and Bonnie Shields of Willow, Oklahoma, Miss Glenna Shields of Whiteface and Ted Shields of Carey.

Winfred Bickerstaff of Oklahoma University, Norman, Oklahoma, spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Bickerstaff.



Quail Baptists Hold Revival April 17-24

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The Quail Baptist Church is joining with more than 3,500 other Southern Baptist Churches in Texas in a Simultaneous Revival Campaign which starts Sunday, April 17, and will continue through the following Sunday, April 24.

The guest preacher will be the Rev. O. L. Jones, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Chatanooga, Oklahoma.

The Rev. Alvin Hamm, pastor, will lead the singing.

There will be services twice daily, at 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

"Everyone is urged and cordially invited to attend these gospel services", the pastor said.

News of Men in Service

Pfc. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons III and young son, Sandy IV, left last week to return to Beale Air Force Base at Marysville, Calif., after spending their leave here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons Jr., and other relatives.

Parsons is in an engineering unit attached to the Air Force and is assigned as a draftsman. This work is in line with Parsons studies at Texas Tech and also work that he did with McMillin Lumber Company and Building Supply before he entered service. He recently was graduated from the Army's drafting school with a superior rating.

The family will remain at Marysville until June, when Parsons is due to go to Anchorage, Alaska, for six month's duty. Mrs. Parsons and the baby will return here at the time.

Singing at Loco On April 17th

The annual Third Sunday singing will be held at the Bethel Methodist Church at Loco Sunday, April 17, beginning at 2:00 p. m.

W. S. Brewer of Wellington will be in charge .

BUICK SALES hit all-time peak 72,932 sold in March

Biggest single month in history as Buick sales soar to new record-breaking levels.

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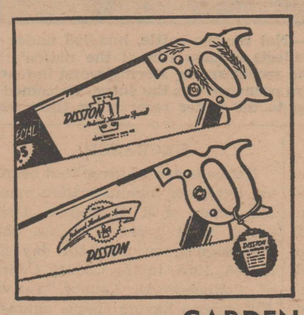
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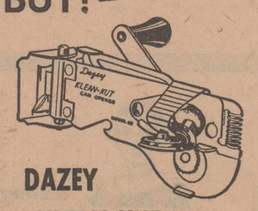
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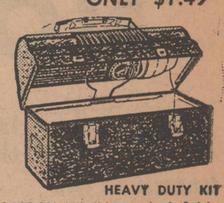


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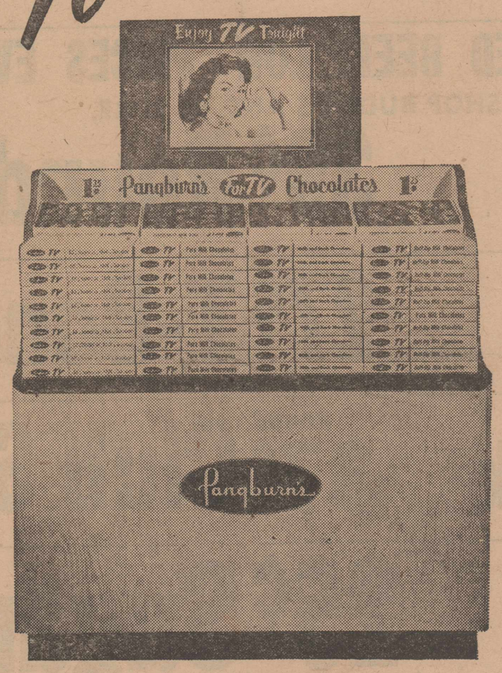


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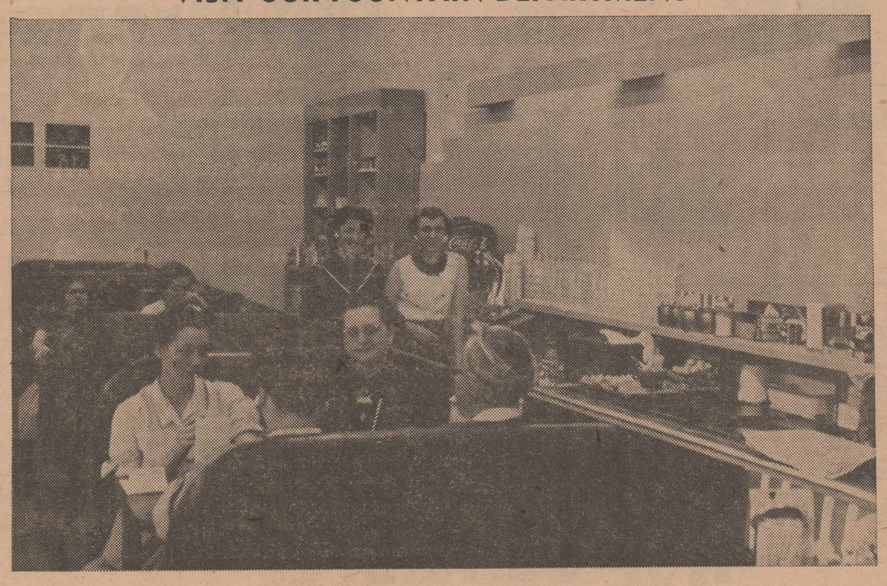
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$1,450 Contributed

Red Cross Drive Continues Till Entire County Covered

The Collingsworth County Red Cross Roll Call drive will continue until all communities and all parts of the town have been covered, Miss Katherine Boverie said this week.

So far, about $1450 of the $2095 quota has been raised.

Recent contributions have been: Dodson, T. E. Lennon, Mrs. T. E. Lennon, H. C. Yarbrough, Ruth Hightower, Ted Parker, Wilma Hightower, and Equilla Roberts.

Pleasant Mound: Mrs. J. O. Coleman, R. E. Blackwell, J. D. Coleman and Hugh Grogan.

Wilnulcher: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Scroggin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hartman Jr., John Glasscock and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hartman.

Needwood: Russell Marsh, Miss Willie Willard, Dave Walker, P. E. Starr, Mrs. Frank Gulley Sr., Mrs. Bill Davis, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Marchbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Johnson, J. N. Fincher, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Green, Mrs. Gracie Graves, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Willard, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Walker, Tommy Walker, Miss Narcie Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill, Lon Welborn, Albert Boyd of Mangum, Oklahoma, and Nancy Hill.

Prairie View and Hackberry: Buck Martindale, Denzil Deger, Charley Stevenson, R. M. Bradley, Duke Morgan, Jack Clark, G. R. Buckner, L. D. Langley, Mrs. Emma Barker, Ottice Kidwell, Mrs. John Morgan, and Robert Baxter.

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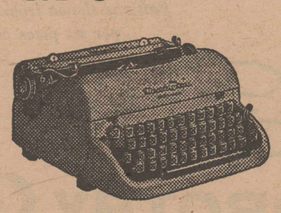
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Wellington: Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Floyd, Mrs. Nannie Masten, Miss Effie Lee Richards, A. L. Elliott, Mrs. Dave Thomas, W. C. Minter, W. L. Cooper, Mrs. S. L. Coleman, Mrs. W. A. Poteet and J. D. Barker.

Wellington: Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lowry, Mrs. Dean Perkins, Mrs. Martha West, Mrs. Bert Miller, Mrs. S. B. Jackson, Mrs. Bill McDonald, Mrs. J. B. Stevenson, Mrs. R. W. Brantley, Mrs. Calvin A. Hurst, A. J. Fike, Pauline Browning and E. W. Poff.

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T-Bone Steak Grain-Fed Pound 69¢

SIRLOIN **Steak** Pound 59¢

CHUCK **Steak** Pound 37¢

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Starlac Bordens 3 Qt. Size 25¢

Sugar 5 Lbs. 43¢

Tuna Flat Can 17¢

Cherries Red Pitted 303 Can 21¢

BETTY CROCKER **Cake Mix** White Yellow Devils Food Marble 3 FOR 99¢

FRESH FROZEN **Orange Juice** 2 CANS 27¢

Cream Style, 303 Size **Corn** 2 Cans 25¢

Crystal Wedding **Oats** 1 Lb. Box 15¢

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Vienna **Sausage** 2 Cans 15¢

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FRESH **Radishes** 3 BUNCHES FOR 10¢

FRESH TEXAS **Strawberries** FULL PINT 27¢

Charmin **Napkins** Package 10¢

Texo Maid, Peach or Apricot **Preserves** 20 Oz. 29¢

Supreme Chocolate **Chips** 1 Lb. 43¢

Hunts, 300 Size **Spinach** 2 Cans 25¢



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Shortening SNOWDRIFT, 3 LB. TIN **69¢**

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Hunts, 300 Size **PEAS** 6 For	$1.00
Hunts, 300 Size **POTATOES** 10 For	$1.00
Hunts, 300 Size **SPINACH** 8 For	$1.00
Hunts, 300 Size, Solid Pack **TOMATOES** 6 For	$1.00
Hunts, 14 Oz. Bottle **CATSUP** 5 For	$1.00

Hunts **TOMATO PASTE** 11 For $1.00

Hunts, 300 Size **TOMATO JUICE** 10 For $1.00

Hunts, 46 Ounce **TOMATO JUICE** 4 For $1.00

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CELLO **Tomatoes** PACKAGE 19¢

LARGE GREEN **Cabbage** POUND 4¢

GREEN **Onions** BUNCH 5¢

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PINKNEY TENDER CURED, PRE-COOKED **Picnic Hams** Pound 30c

Dry Salt Good For Frying or Boiling **Bacon** POUND 17¢

Panhandle Top-O-Texas **Weiners** 1 Lb. Cello Pkg. 27¢

CHOICE GRAIN-FED BEEF **Round Steak** Lb. 59¢

Pinkney All-Meat **Bologna** Pound 25¢ Sliced or Piece

Pinkney Fresh Tender Pork **Liver** 2 Lbs. 25¢

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KNUCKLE UNDER TO SPRING—Winter's over, for sure, when the marbles are brought out of storage. Small boys in Beverly, Mass., give the lie to the thermometer and their heavy clothes as they start the ceremonial process which is completed only when one of the lads winds up with all the aggies and taws in the crowd.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Eldeen Jeffers and daughter, Barbara, of San Antonio spent the holidays with their parents, Mrs. Ina Jeffers and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hunsaker.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGill Sr. returned home last Tuesday from Farmington, N. M. where they had been visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Youngblood and children. A grandson, Timothy returned home with them for an extended visit.

J. R. Spear of Lubbock spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Spear and Walter.

Phil Cobb of Guymon, Oklahoma spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bledsoe and Danny of Olton and T. C. Measels of Tulia spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Wilson and LaJuan.

James Slay of Canyon and Clara Darling of Amarillo spent the weekend as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Slay.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Wade and children of Memphis spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Oswalt and daughter Vicki, spent Sunday in Shamrock visiting his mother, Mrs. Bobby Oswalt.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ratzlow and daughters of Phillips spent the holidays with her mother Mrs. Pink Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. John French and children of Borger spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clay and Mr. and Mrs. John French.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibbons and Mr. and Mrs. Dub Gibbons and children went to Chickasha, Oklahoma Sunday, April 10, to attend the 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Bryant.

Mr. Bryant is the uncle of Mrs. W. H. Gibbons.

Roy Savage of Amarillo spent the holidays with friends and relatives in Wellington.

Camel Dakil and Fred Saied of Austin spent the Easter holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied Sr.

Douglas Duncan of Texas Tech in Lubbock spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byran Duncan.

Grazelle Scott of Bethany College in Bethany, Oklahoma, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott.

Betty Karnes of Hardin-Simmons University spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Karnes.

Mrs. W. N. McCarver of Kirkland is visiting this week with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCarver. Mr. and Mrs. Estel McCarver and daughter also of Kirkland spent Sunday in the McCarver home.

Misses Rose and Marie Shadid and George Shadid spent Sunday in Altus visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shadid.

Ellis A super supper treat! CORN BEEF HASH

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd L. Wilkins of Texas Tech in Lubbock spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilkins and family.

Robert Shields and Cecil Welching of Dallas spent the weekend with friends and relatives here and at Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Fielding of Dallas spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Langford and Mr. and Mrs. Fielding of Memphis.

Jimmy Agee of Denton spent the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Agee.

Jerry Drumond of Abilene spent the holidays with friends in Wellington.

Nell Thomas of Dallas spent the weekend with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. William Holliman and Peggy Sue of Lubbock visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Thad Roberts.

Bill Harvey of Amarillo visited over the Easter Holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herring of Abilene were guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith.

LuDean Perkins of Texas Tech in Lubbock spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Dean Perkins.

Jo Ann Aaron of Oklahoma City visited with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Aaron and Mary Beth over the holidays.

Mrs. Sallie Killingsworth is visiting in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Charles Rosenbaum, at Sayre, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nunnelley of Amarillo spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Pendergrass and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nunnelley.

Here for the Easter holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Posey were their daughter, Roberta Posey, a student in Bethany Nazarene College, their son, James Posey, a freshman student in the University of Oklahoma School of Law, and their guest, Miss Shirley Bell of Austin. Miss Bell is a junior student at Bethany Nazarene College, Bethany, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Motsenbocker had as their guest last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Coursey and Fern of Vege, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Canada and Linda of Quail, Mrs. George Fort of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Myers, and Bobby Motsenbocker of Kirkland, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Motsenbocker and family of Arlie, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Tate and family of Mangum, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Motsenbocker Sr. and Sammie Rebecca Motsenbocker of Wellington.

Here during the Easter holidays were Mrs. Austin Carmack of Canon City, Colo., and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Perkins and son, Jimmy, of Pueblo, Colo. Mrs. Perkins is the former Christine Carmack. They attended the Quail alumni banquet, as Mrs. Perkins was a graduate of Quail High School in 1938. The group visited in the homes of Mrs. Carmack's brothers, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Killingsworth and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Killingsworth.

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Other Bonds	7,525,541.00
Preferred stocks and Saving and Loan Shares	1,176,500.00
FHA and VA Mortgages	557,288.75
Other Admitted Assets	103,284.01
Total Admitted Assets	$12,128,401.54

LIABILITIES

Reserve for losses and loss expense	$2,629,933.25
Reserve for unearned and advance premiums	3,107,417.96
Reserve for dividends to policyholders	3,816,109.95
Reserve for Taxes (excluding Federal)	179,553.17
Reserve for Federal Income Taxes	25,292.80
Other liabilities	418,586.03
Total Liabilities and Reserves	$10,176,893.16
Capital Stock $700,000.00	
Surplus 1,251,508.38	
Total Surplus to Policyholders	$1,951,508.38
Total Liabilities, Reserves, Capital and Surplus	$12,128,401.54

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