

Big Four-Day Rodeo, Reunion, Swim Meet Opens Tuesday



JUNIOR CHOIR AT METHODIST CHURCH

—Photo by V. C. Saied

These children are part of the group which forms the junior choir of the Methodist Church in Wellington. For several months they have sung regularly at the services of the church. Directing the group is Mrs. Pat Swift, who is standing at left in the picture, while Mrs. Luther Gribble, seated, is the organist. Several of the choir members were out of town on vacation when this picture was taken, but those shown are, upper right; Billy Pat Swift, Billy Bratton, John Gordon Thomas, John Hayden Smith, Second row: Sally Beth Lee, LaJuan Wilson, Suella Bengie, Cynthia Akin, Sharon Swift, Billie Sue Ward and Frankie Sue Campbell. Third row: Nell Gholson, Ann Gholson, Sylvia Bryant. Bottom row: Steve Bryant, Sally Parsons, Elinor Drake, Mary Parsons, Frances Drake, Linda Singley and Ada Carol Thomas.

City-Wide Clean Up Campaign Friday Ordered by Mayor to Prevent Polio

City Authorizes Resurfacing Three Miles of Wellington Streets

Mrs. Gordon Peters Dies Tuesday of Long Illness

Mrs. Gordon Peters who has lived here for the last 35 years, died in St. Joseph's Hospital August 10, at 1:15 p.m. She had been in ill health for several years, and critically ill a number of times during that period, however, in recent weeks, Mrs. Peters had been able to be out and visit with friends around town.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon, August 12, at 2:30 p.m., with the Rev. Noel Bryant, pastor, in charge. Burial will be in the Wellington cemetery under the direction of the Ellis Funeral Home. Pall bearers will be Emil Kersten, Jess Wilson, George Scott, Paul Brewer, Hick Morrow and Gene Morrow.

Mrs. Peters was born October 12, 1906, in Indiana. She was before her marriage Miss Lillian Pearl Langford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Langford of Wellington. (Continued on Page Twelve)

Nipper Harvest Crew to Dakota

A card from the Floyd Nipper harvest crew to The Leader last week reported that the group had moved from Pine Bluff, Wyoming, to McLaughlin, South Dakota.

They said they were anxious for their friends to know where they are.

Members of this crew are Earl Wayne Nipper, Gaston Williams, Billy Joe Langford, Billy Joe Keller, Clifton Earl Hunter, Lewis Meisner and F. H. Nipper and family.

Jubilee Minstrel Set For Sept. 20 by P. T. A.

"The Jubilee Minstrel," an amateur performance that will include some of the best acting and singing talent in Wellington and some that is less well known, put on by a group that will range from youngsters to grandfathers, will play at Wellington Monday night, September 20, at 8:00 p.m., under the sponsorship of the East Ward Parent-Teachers Association. The announcement of this entertainment, already planned as one of the largest and funniest of the school year, was made this week by Mrs. Bill Hughes and Mrs. E. K. Jones, who are in charge of the publicity.

This is the only money-raising

project the East Ward PTA will sponsor during the year, and every cent derived from it will go to finance a youth program for the East Ward children, Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Jones explained.

The cast of the Jubilee Minstrel is being lined up this week, and 15 members of the chorus have been selected.

S. R. Pinkston is middleman. Mrs. Pat Swift is directing the chorus and Mrs. Noel Bryant is script director. Alva Wood will play the banjo, Peck White the trombone and Odie Killingsworth, the guitar. Other members are Dr. E. W. Jones, George Graham, John (Continued on Page Twelve)

Ernest Nunnelley Sells First Load Of 1948 Maize

Ernest Nunnelley of the Fresno community sold the first load of new maize in Wellington Tuesday, August 3, Bob Stephenson of the Stephenson Feed Store, who handled the feed, reported.

This maize graded No. 2, with 12-8 moisture content and weighed 58 pounds per bushel. Mr. Nunnelley put it in the government loan at \$2.31 per hundred.

This maize was cut from a 65 acre field that yielded around 1100 (Continued on Page Six)

4-H Boys Attend Club Encampment

Eight Collingsworth County 4-H Club boys attended the three-day 4-H Encampment at Perkins Boy Scout Camp northeast of Wichita Falls, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 5-7. They were accompanied by County Agent J. W. Thomas.

The group included Douglas Younger and Ronnie Ford of Dodson; Johnny Langford and John Gordon Thomas of Wellington; Jim Stephens and Sammy Jett of Quail; and Franklin Knoll and Wayne Johnson of the Samnorwood club.

Activities at the camp included rifle practice, swimming, softball and educational pictures shown each night.

Polio, or infantile paralysis, has broken out in several neighboring towns, and for the protection of the health of people of Wellington, Mayor E. F. Lewis and the city council has ordered a clean-up of the entire city and has set Friday, August 13, as Clean Up Day.

Mayor Lewis Wednesday morning issued a proclamation directing all business houses to close at 1:00 p.m. and that every able bodied man and woman help in the clean-up.

A call has been made for volunteer trucks and workers to help haul off trash where the individual residents cannot do so. All volunteer workers are asked to meet at the city hall Friday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. with their equipment.

"Definite cases of Poliomyelitis have been diagnosed at Paducah, Hollis and Childress and one fatality has been reported at Mobetie," Dr. E. K. Jones, city health officer, said. "Thus far there have been no cases reported in the Wellington area, but the dread disease is so near that it makes the need for an immediate clean-up of our city and all places over the county is both urgent and imperative." (Continued on Page Twelve)

Tomlinson Leaves C of C Post

The resignation of T. A. Tomlinson, manager of the Wellington Chamber of Commerce since its organization, was accepted by the board of directors recently. Mr. Tomlinson is returning to Tyler, home of his wife, where he will be employed by an oil company.

As yet no one has been hired by the board to succeed Mr. Tomlinson.

Miss Virginia Evans, secretary to the C of C Manager, is in charge of the office in the city hall and with members of the board is handling the affairs of the Chamber of Commerce.

Proclamation

WHEREAS: the danger of polio is near to Wellington, and it is a real threat to the health and happiness of this community and its people,

WHEREAS: it is definitely known that the disease has been cut down in a marked manner in every community that has had a thorough clean-up to eliminate all flies,

And WHEREAS: A clean-up day is long overdue in Wellington, and Friday, August 13, has been designated by the City Council as Clean-Up Day for the City,

NOW THEREFORE, I, Ernest Lewis, Mayor of the City of Wellington, do hereby direct all business houses to close their doors at 1:00 p.m. Friday, August 13, so that every able bodied adult may take part in cleaning up the city, first cleaning his own premises and then, if possible, volunteering his services to the city of Wellington.

Given under my hand and the seal of said city this 11th day of August, 1948.

Ernest Lewis, Mayor
City of Wellington

Correct Attest:
Mrs. Jennie Williams
City Secretary

Caravans Visit Area Towns Thursday, Friday

Bearded Dukes of Wellington will take to the road Thursday and Friday, August 12 and 13, to tell the neighboring towns in the lower Panhandle and southwestern Oklahoma about Wellington's big 4-day Old Settlers Reunion, Rodeo and AAU Swim Meet here Tuesday, August 17 through 20.

The caravan Thursday will visit Childress, Kirkland, Goodlett, Quanah, Altus, Hollis and Mangum. On Friday the group will go to Memphis, Hedley, Clarendon, Jerico, Alanreed, McLean, Shamrock and possibly Wheeler.

Everyone going on the caravan is to be at the court house square before 8:00 a.m. each morning. There will be extra space in a number of the cars and persons without transportation will have an opportunity to go on the caravan.

The Skyrocket Band, directed by Harold Barnett, the new Wellington high school principal, will make the trip.

Goat Hopper and Raymond Horton will put on a clown specialty number.

The Dukes of Wellington, as well as the women going on the caravan, are urged to come dressed in cowboy and cowgirl regalia—big hats, bright shirts, bandanas, boots and levis.

In addition to the fun which such a trip will give those going along, this will be one of the best chances of advertising Wellington and its hospitality that has presented itself in a number of years.

It is estimated that the caravans will get back home between 3:00 and 4:00 p.m.

Funeral for Mrs. Mattie E. Moore Here Thursday

Mrs. Mattie E. Moore, mother of L. A. Moore and Mrs. G. T. Austin of Wellington, died at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 16, at her home in Fort Worth, after a few weeks serious illness.

Funeral services will be held at the First Baptist Church here Thursday afternoon at 4:00 p.m., with the Rev. Howard Jones, pastor, in charge. Burial will be in the Wellington cemetery under the direction of the Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Moore was a resident of Wellington for many years before going to Fort Worth about 10 years ago. She will be buried by the side of her husband, who preceded her in death 26 years ago.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. D. F. Rainwater and Mrs. Raymond Creswell of Fort Worth; Mrs. A. D. Miller of Hot Springs, New Mexico; Mrs. Austin and Mr. Moore of Wellington. Other survivors are 23 grandchildren, 25 great grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. J. T. Dodson of Nashville, Tenn.

Quail School Opens Monday August 16th

The Quail school will open Monday morning, August 16, Noah Cunningham, superintendent, reminded parents and students this week as he outlined plans for the opening and announced the faculty members.

Buses will run at their regular time Monday, getting the students to school at 9:00 a.m. The children will gather immediately in the general assembly for registration and instructions.

Changes have been made in the bus routes in Salt Fork, Lillie, Cottonwood and Cross Roads communities. Children of the Cross Roads area will meet the bus at 8:30 a.m. along the highway. Monday afternoon they will be given instructions as to where they will meet the bus thereafter. Drivers will inform the families in Lillie, Cottonwood and Salt Fork individually if they are to meet the bus at a different point from last year.

"If you are a student at Quail and miss the bus Monday morning, come on to the school and the routings will be explained to you during the day," Mr. Cunningham said.

All other routes will be practicing (Continued on Page Twelve)

Mile Long Parade Marks Beginning Of Celebration

Bright-colored bunting has gone up in the business section of Wellington; beards are beginning to make a better showing; ten-gallon hats defy the breeze and the heat and cowboy boots sound down the sidewalks.

The city is getting ready to enter Dukes of Wellington Week Thursday morning, August 12 and to send large caravans out Thursday and Friday, August 12 and 13, advertising to towns of the south-east-Panhandle and Western Oklahoma Wellington's 4-day Rodeo and Old Settlers Reunion, Square Dance and AAU Swim meet August 17, 18, 19 and 20, that will be the biggest celebration this area has seen in recent years.

Guy Clay is in charge of the big parade that will open the four-day celebration next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He is assisted by Jake Leach.

From all indications, the parade will be at least a mile long. Every person having a riding horse is urged to take part. All business firms have been invited to be represented in the parade either by a float or novelty number. Among these latter there will be at least one old-time chuck wagon. There'll (Continued on Page Twelve)

Dukes Match Games Here with Reed And Kirkland

Two games as lively as any league games played here this season are on the Dukes' calendar for the next week—one Friday night, August 13, against Reed, Oklahoma, and another Sunday afternoon, August 15, with those seemingly unbeatable Kirkland hitters, J. M. Strong, manager, has announced.

The Reed team has just won the district tournament at Altus and is now playing in the Oklahoma state play-off at Oklahoma City.

"Reed has a much improved team and we expect a good game. And above that, if you are superstitious, you can come out to Marian Airport diamond expecting anything to happen on Friday the 13th," Mr. Strong said.

The Kirkland game is the one the Dukes have their eye on.

The boys from the little town over in Childress County came up and beat Wellington early in the season. The Dukes and their fans put it down as one of those things that happen to every team some time. Then Wellington went down there and the same thing happened (Continued on Page Six)

Revival to Open At Lone Mound

A revival meeting will open at the Lone Mound Baptist Church Sunday, August 15, and continue through Tuesday, August 24. The evangelist will be Rev. Lamar F. Lewis of Fort Worth and the singer will be Edwin Dobbs, also of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Goldie Barnett of Dozier will be the pianist.

Services will be held twice daily, at 10:45 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

The Rev. R. L. Melton, pastor, has extended a cordial invitation to the public to attend.

Old Settlers Ready for Day of Friendly Visiting

Old settlers of Collingsworth County are shaping up their part of the big 4-day celebration, Dave Thomas, who is in charge, declared this week. The largest crowd in many years is expected.

In making plans for the Old Settlers Reunion Friday, August 20, there is the precedent of other years, and this year's event will be much like those previous ones that have brought so much pleasure to the early settlers of Collingsworth County.

Mr. Thomas again urged that any one knowing of an old-timer he would like to have invited to the reunion to contact Miss Katherine Boverie, who is in charge of this, at the county library. There is no complete or even fairly complete list of early settlers of Collingsworth County who have since moved away, and consequently it

is necessary to rely on the present method of sending out invitations, Mr. Thomas pointed out.

No invitations are being sent to old settlers in this county.

As in the past, the reunion will be held at LaHue Grove.

The day will be spent in visiting and meeting again old friends.

All those from this county who attend are urged to bring well-filled baskets and dinner will be spread picnic style. As in the past, it is not expected that those who come to the reunion from other counties will bring their food, that being furnished by those who attend from Collingsworth.

Mr. Thomas said that all those who have lived in the county 25 years or longer, or who lived here more than 25 years ago, even though they have moved away, are eligible to attend.

LETTERS From The PEOPLE

Marks Air Force Base
Nome, Alaska

Hello Friends,

Just a few lines to let you know I still think of old Collingsworth County and my friends there. Although I have been gone since '45 I still refer to it, more or less, as home. If someone asks me where I'm from, I tell them California, but originally, Texas. As you know, you can take a Texan out of Texas, but you can't take Texas out of him.

I enlisted in the Air Force last February, and was sent to Lackland A. F. Base for Basic, and believe me, if all of Texas was like there, I sure wouldn't claim it as home. After I finished Basic I spent 15 days with my folks and reported at Hamilton Field, Calif., then Ft. Lawton, Washington, from there to Alaska.

Alaska is a very beautiful country, in most areas. I landed at Whittier and went by train to Anchorage. In this area I saw some of the most beautiful country I have ever seen. There are no words I can think of to describe it. There are snow-capped mountains on all sides with glaciers on them and swift-flowing streams coming down their steep sides. It is very beautiful.

Nome is a little different. To me, it has no beauty now. I hear that it is beautiful in the winter as all you can see is snow and ice and in some curious forms, but it's summer now. Their city of Nome itself is about the size of Samnorwood and most of the population is Eskimos. It reminds me of pictures of old western frontier towns, and it is indeed a frontier town, including "bars." Ships can get to Nome only about 4 months out of the year. The rest of the time the only thing that can get in is a plane, and some times that is prevented by weather. So you can see this is quite a place. So much for that.

My folks take The Leader and I have missed it since I enlisted as it was my source of news from there. I will send for a subscription soon. Meanwhile I will close for this time, wishing everybody the best of luck.

Your friend,

Pfc. Ralph R. Graves, U.S.A.F.
A. S. N. 19321280
Marks Air Force Base Det.
A. P. O. 732, c-o Postmaster
Seattle, Washington

Legal Notices

H. J. R. No. 30
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto another Section to be designated as "Section 60" to authorize counties of this State to provide insurance for



HELICOPTER PRACTICES RESCUE WORK

A member of the Helicopter Development Squadron, U. S. Navy, is hauled aboard the "Rescuer" during a simulated rescue at the Navy Lakehurst, N. J. air base. The tandem-rostered helicopter is the largest in the world, and in actual operation can rescue ten or more men.

county employees; providing for the Governor's proclamation, and submission to the electorate.
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the State Constitution be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto another Section following Section 59, to be designated "Section 60" to read as follows:

"Section 60. The Legislature shall have the power to pass such laws as may be necessary to enable all counties of this State to provide Workman's Compensation Insurance, including the right to provide its own insurance risk, for all county employees as in its judgment is necessary or required; and the Legislature shall provide suitable laws for the administration of such insurance in the counties of this State and for the payment of the costs, charges and premiums on such policies of insurance and the benefits to be paid thereunder."
Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitu-

Workman's Compensation Insurance for county employees." Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter may vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

H. J. R. No. 36
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
proposing an Amendment to Section 61, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to provide that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, county law enforcement officers including sheriffs who also perform the duties of assessor and collector of taxes, and their deputies, constables, deputy constables, and precinct law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis in all of the counties in this State beginning January 1, 1949; providing for submission of this Amendment to the vote of the people of Texas; providing the time, means and manner thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 61, Ar-

ticle XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 61. All district officers in the State of Texas and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more, according to the then last preceding Federal Census, shall be compensated on a salary basis. In all counties in this State, the Commissioners Courts shall be authorized to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that it shall be mandatory upon the Commissioners Courts, to compensate all constables, deputy constables and precinct law enforcement officers on a salary basis beginning January 1, 1949; and in counties having a population of less than twenty thousand (20,000), according to the then last preceding Federal Census, the Commissioners Courts shall also have the authority to determine whether county officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that it shall be mandatory upon the Commissioners Courts to compensate all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, county law enforcement officers including sheriffs who also perform the duties of assessor and collector of taxes, and their deputies, on a salary basis beginning January 1, 1949.

"All fees earned by district, county and precinct officers shall be paid into the county treasury where earned for the account of the proper fund, provided that fees

incurred by the State, county and any municipality, or in case where a pauper's oath is filed, shall be paid into the county treasury when collected and provided that where any officer is compensated wholly on a fee basis such fees may be retained by such officer or paid into the treasury of the county as the Commissioners Court may direct. All Notaries Public, county surveyors and public weighers shall continue to be compensated on a fee basis."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables, and other law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis;" and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables and other law enforcement

officers shall be compensated on a salary basis."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine and each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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The O'Kays
By Jay Kay



Panhandle Marine Killed Japanese Admiral in 1943

By JAMES TODD
In The Panhandle Herald
Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto of the Japanese Navy who led the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor was killed by Pharmacist Mate First Class Jack Ramey of Panhandle on July 3, 1943, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon in a cave on Saipan.

The Encyclopedia Britannica Year Book of 1944 carries a very interesting comment in their sketch of the Japanese admiral. "A Tokyo naval report announced that he had been mortally injured in action while directing naval operations from a plane on a 'far southern front' in April, 1943, and that he had died shortly afterwards. The fact that no major engagements had taken place in that theatre of operations during the month cast doubt on the Japanese reports as to the circumstances surrounding his death."

LOANED TO MARINES
Ramey was loaned by the Navy to the Marine Corps because of his efficiency in handling blood plasma for the beach head invasions of the Pacific Islands.

During the invasion of Casablanca Ramey, then seaman first-class was in charge of a first aid station. For three years he had worked in the Panhandle Drug before and after school hours. Returning on the U. S. S. Ericsson, DD 440, three or four days out of New York he received orders to report to the Hospital Corps School, Norfolk, Va.

Following his training in the Norfolk school he was made Hospital Corpsman First-Class and sent to the U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va. Later he was made Pharmacist Mate 2nd class and received the highest rating as an operating room technician of any man in the entire navy, a grade of 98. Two certificates of special instruction are now on file with his personal record in Washington. Two months were spent in assisting the setting up of the blood plasma bank in the Naval Hospital at Bethesda, Md.

SENT TO PEARL HARBOR
Ramey was transferred to the Marine Corps on April 17, 1943, and sent to Camp La Gune, N. C. He was made pharmacist mate first-class and sent overseas to Pearl Harbor.

On June 15 in the invasion of Saipan he hit the beach head with the front line marines and gave blood plasma to the wounded, 200 the first day. Hanging the blood plasma container on a bayonet, tree, or anything available he left the men with instructions to pull the tubes out themselves as he went on to other men. He carried a rifle and side arm and when not caring for the wounded he was fighting.

The Marines started at the north end of Saipan, 26 miles long and 18 miles wide of coral formation, and took the island to within five or six miles of the south end. On front-line duty with a company of 60 marines and with a Hell Cat plane hovering over head 50 to 60 yards in front and shooting rockets, they approached a cave. Death-defying screams of Japanese came from the cave. The Marines fell to all sides of the cave and to the rear.

Ramey accompanied by three Marines came in from the rear with a Marine on either side and

one in the rear Ramey laid on his stomach on top of the cave, leaned over and threw five hand grenades into the cave. After each of the first four grenades were thrown shrieks and screaming were heard within the cave. Following the throwing of the fifth the cave was silent.

MARINES UNDER FIRE
The Marines were under heavy mortar fire during this accompanied by rifle fire from Japanese snipers hidden among the coral caves in the distance. Two of the marines with Ramey at the cave were shot and soon died, but during the 15 minutes wait for the cave to clear before entering Ramey gave first aid and blood plasma to the men in an attempt to save them. Two other Marines took their places and with Ramey entered the cave.

Upon entering the cave they found an officer of high rank in the rear of the cave. The bodies of four officers of lesser rank covered the body. The bodies were badly mangled. Near the body of the officer which they discovered to be an admiral was a highly engraved military sword and attached to the chain of his watch, which had been torn to shreds, was a citation medal the size of an American half dollar engraved with a ship and three planes over it, and wording in Japanese citing the admiral for his attack on Pearl Harbor.

Ramey took the sword and the medal and the other three Marines took four diamond-studded three-bladed suicide swords found near the bodies of the other officers. The suicide swords, issued by the Japanese in committing hari kari, were razor sharp.

FINDS BRIEF CASE
Near by was a fine leather brief case containing orders and other valuable papers which was taken to the Marine Intelligence Service. Several days later Ramey and the men with him learned the identity of the officer and that his ship had been sunk off Saipan by the American Navy.

Ramey carried the sword until August 11 when it disappeared while he was convalescing in the hospital from a Japanese sniper's wound. He has the medal which he guards very closely.

He received the wound during the invasion of Tinian on the night of August 10, 1943. While caring for the men injured in making the beach head a Japanese sniper shot him in the left leg. Although badly wounded Ramey spotted his fire and crawled 50 yards on his stomach across a cane field between rifle flashes and killed the sniper, the last of 23 he killed during the invasions in which he participated.

IS FLOWS HOME
Ramey crawled back to his men and cared for them until he passed out. When found he was thought to be dead. Finding him alive he was taken to the field hospital and later sent to the hospital on Guadalcanal. After one month he was flown home on sick furlough.

When able to return to service Ramey was detailed as escort to new recruits across country. At Dearborn Station in Chicago on Jan. 2, 1945, while standing in a long line at the ticket window he glimpsed the uniform of a WAVE standing behind him.

Glancing at her arm he found her to be Pharmacist Mate 3rd



NOW, HOLD IT!

Anita Simmonis of New York, member of the U. S. Olympic women's gymnastic team, strikes a graceful pose under the watchful eyes of Coach Roberta Bonniwell of Philadelphia. Other members of the team look on during training session at the Southlands College Women's Center, London.

class Susan Adle of East St. Louis, late of Hunter College, N. S. Naval Hospital at Samson, N. Y., U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va., and U. S. Naval Air Station at Patuxent River, Md. She was en route over seas.

She had a ticket for transportation but no Pullman reservation and was unable to secure one. Ramey had a Pullman priority for a man who had failed to make the return trip with him. He gallantly offered his Pullman priority. Further check disclosed that her ticket specified transportation the night following, but still no Pullman reservation.

HELPS FUTURE WIFE
True to the Marine motto, "The difficult we do immediately; the impossible takes a little longer," Ramey started talking. The Pullman reservation was arranged for the next night. After dinner together Pharmacist Mate 1st Class and Pharmacist Mate 3rd class agreed to meet in San Francisco and walk Golden Gate Bridge together four days later.

Due to changes suddenly made by military officials and lost time tables these pharmacist mates found themselves across the bay from each other. Later their ferry boats passed each other a quarter of a mile apart in their attempt to find each other again.

Over in San Francisco Pharmacist Mate Odle believed that Pharmacist Mate Ramey had forgotten or had stood her up. But this man of the Navy and the Marine Corps had fallen back on his Marine motto to again and found the beautiful WAVE at a soft drink center for service men and women.

KEEPS UP FRIENDSHIP
During two weeks of confinement at Shumaker, California, the processing center for overseas

duty, Pharmacist Mate Odle received many phone calls and several visits from the gallant hero of Saipan, who had gained information that she was to go overseas first, on the Matsonia, a converted luxury liner, on Jan. 30, 1945, and he on U. S. S. Pondera, February 7. She was stationed in Aiea Hospital at Pearl Harbor. He saw her during the month he spent there en route to Okinawa for another round with the Japs.

Ramey received his discharge at San Pedro, Calif., Dec. 27, 1945, and the beautiful WAVE received her discharge at Memphis, Tenn., on Feb. 7, 1946. They were married in Panhandle June 1, 1946.

Ramey is owner and manager of the Panhandle Drug where he worked before and after school before the days of Casablanca, Saipan, Tinian, and Okinawa. Mrs. Ramey is employed by A. J. Weiser & Co., an accounting firm.

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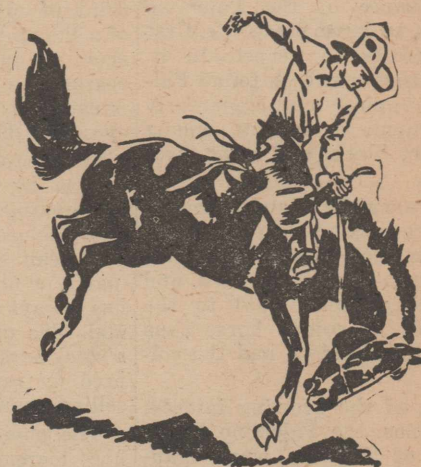
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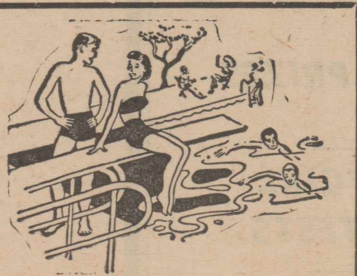
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Beautiful Palomino A Horse Without History

Contrary to public opinion, Palominos collectively are neither a breed nor a type. At present they are simply a color. And a horse without a history.

While little is known of the origin of the Palomino color, it seems to have been carried by American horses from an early date. The name "Palomino" has come into use only recently, but the stud books of all American registries carry many foundation dams and sires described as "golden chestnut," "cream," or "yellow."

Individually, some Palominos are purebred, some are cross bred, and some are line bred. Some breeders believe they were once a distinct breed; others believe they are simply a genetic enigma. Only time and breeding records can tell.

Because of this outcropping of the golden color in all breeds of strictly American horses, it is necessary to go back to the foundation stock of each to outline their immediate relationship to the Palomino of unknown ancestry. The Arabian is the oldest domesticated horse known to man, and was an established breed long before importation to America.

The English thoroughbred, presumably originating from the typically English horse and the various species on the Continent was also an established breed before importation to this country.

However, the story of the American saddle horse, the American quarter horse, the Morgan, and the Tennessee walking horse is different. To get at the heart of the story, it is necessary to go even farther back into the past. The Barb, a sub-breed of the Arab and ancestor of all American bred horses, including the Palomino, originated in North Africa and came to America through the Spaniards long before the pure-bred Arabian and thoroughbred were imported.

Therefore, it stands to reason, the Palomino Horse Breeders Association claims, that it is the blood inherited from the Barb and its descendants by all American horses which begets the double registered Palominos in the four strictly American registries today.

Due to the long closed registrations of the Arabian and the thoroughbred, no Palomino of these two, strains has a sire and dam registered in the same registry as do the other four breeds. There are, however, some Palominos of 31-32nds thoroughbred breeding and many Palominos of half Arabian or half thoroughbred breeding and many TAO ETALINSEN ing registered in the Palomino Horse Breeders of America.

The Southwest seems to have taken cognizance of the Palomino and seems to have made the first serious efforts to perpetuate it. Many old time ranchers found Palominos cropping up, apparently without rhyme or reason, among sorrel, dun, black, and gray sires and dams.

These Palominos of unknown ancestry were crossed with thoroughbreds, quarter horses, Morgans, and Tennessee walking horses, and little attention was paid to the pedigree of the golden horse thus produced, provided he had the color.

Because of the growing interest in Palominos, the Palomino Horse Breeders of America was organized June 20, 1941, for the purpose of providing registration, assisting in preserving the purity of the blood, and improving the Palomino breed.

Scientific color breeding in animals is not new, but breeding for the Palomino color is still in the experimental stage and will remain so for many years.

Palomino Horse Breeders of America has selected a foundation stock a color type of specific markings, with dark eyes and dark skins. Since 1941 it has registered nearly 6,000 such animals. About a third of these are divided between halfbred or purebred horses of the six recognized breed registries and of matings between Palominos. No scientific data have been collected to any great extent on the prepotency of the Palomino



BOTH ARE BLIND

Clarence A. Howe, blind operator of a Topeka, Kan., newsstand, has relied on Silver, his seeing-eye dog, for eight years. Now the dog is blind, too, but Silver still guides him through her sense of smell. "We're doing all right," says Howe.

color, and the association is now analyzing the get of its stallions and the produce of its mares in an effort to learn the possibilities of fixing the color by selective breeding.

Albinism is the nemesis of the advocate of Palomino to Palomino matings. From some genetical studies made recently, it appears that the Palomino color is unfixable. A Palomino has a golden yellow coat color, but with the mane and tail much lighter, almost white. It is not a true breeding color type. When Palominos are mated to each other, about half the colts on the average will be Palominos, and the remaining half will be about equally divided between chestnuts and so-called albinos.

Before these tests were made, it was found by breeders that any taint of albinism in the pedigree of a Palomino would sooner or later show up in his get, and for this reason, the association limited registration to those horses with dark eyes and dark skins.

Some breeders breed for conformation by going into one of the six recognized breeds registries for other colored sires and dams. The American saddle horse, being primarily a pleasure and show horse, has always been a good selling animal. The quarter horse, primarily a stock horse, and being extensively bred by ranchmen, is also a fast selling mount.

The popularity of the Palomino has increased considerably since the organization of the Palomino Horse Breeders of America. With each state affiliated association rests the responsibility of its Palomino shows, which have become a matter of state pride.

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County Clerk Issues Twenty-Five Marriage Licenses

Twenty-five marriage licenses were issued in the office of J. M. Moore, county clerk, during the month of July. This is the largest number for any single month recently.

Licenses were issued to: Carroll D. Smalling and Miss Bobbie Berry—July 1.

Doc F. Westbrook and Miss Laura Spruce—July 2.

Calvin Martin and Miss Hattie Mae Lile—July 3.

Donald W. Langley and Miss Evelyn Logsdon—July 5.

Clifford Prock and Miss Charlene Knight—July 5.

A. C. Stowe Jr. and Miss Barbara Goforth, July 7.

Ernest Bradley Fletcher and Louise Goodman—July 7.

Clifton Dollar and Miss Alene Amerson, July 9.

Claude Penn and Miss Patsy Davis—July 9.

William T. Sheffield and Miss Dorothy Albert—July 1.

Thomas Edward Sanders and Miss Betty Worthington—July 10.

Robert Calvin Robinson and Miss Betty Jean Fox—July 16.

James Carl Robinson and Miss Norma Sue Carter—July 16.

Buster E. Bell and Miss Dorothy Louise Batey—July 17.

G. A. Shirley and Mrs. Katie Mae Baber—July 17.

Ernest L. Taylor and Miss Ruthie Bauman, July 17.

Dorsey Edward Taylor and Miss Joy Fern Atnip, July 20.

Morris McKinney and Norma Frimmer—July 21.

Floyd Richard Morton and Miss Bonnie Rose McLaughlin, July 23.

George F. Sanderlin and Miss Dora Cox—July 24.

Robert Darrel Kesler and Miss Monie Marie Nation—July 27.

Jody McBrayer and Miss Ravena Cunningham—July 31.

Cecil DeJuan Harris and Miss Johnnie Faye Wilson—July 31.

James Elger Forkner and Miss Bonnie Mae Hill—July 31.

Kenneth Abrams and Miss Mary Ellen Welch—July 31.

Mrs. Melvin Mathis underwent a tonsillectomy at St. Joseph's Hospital Wednesday, July 21.

filiated associations, 20 of them lie in the blue grass or ranching regions of the United States, which probably accounts for the popularity of the quarter horse and saddle horse type of Palomino over the other four.

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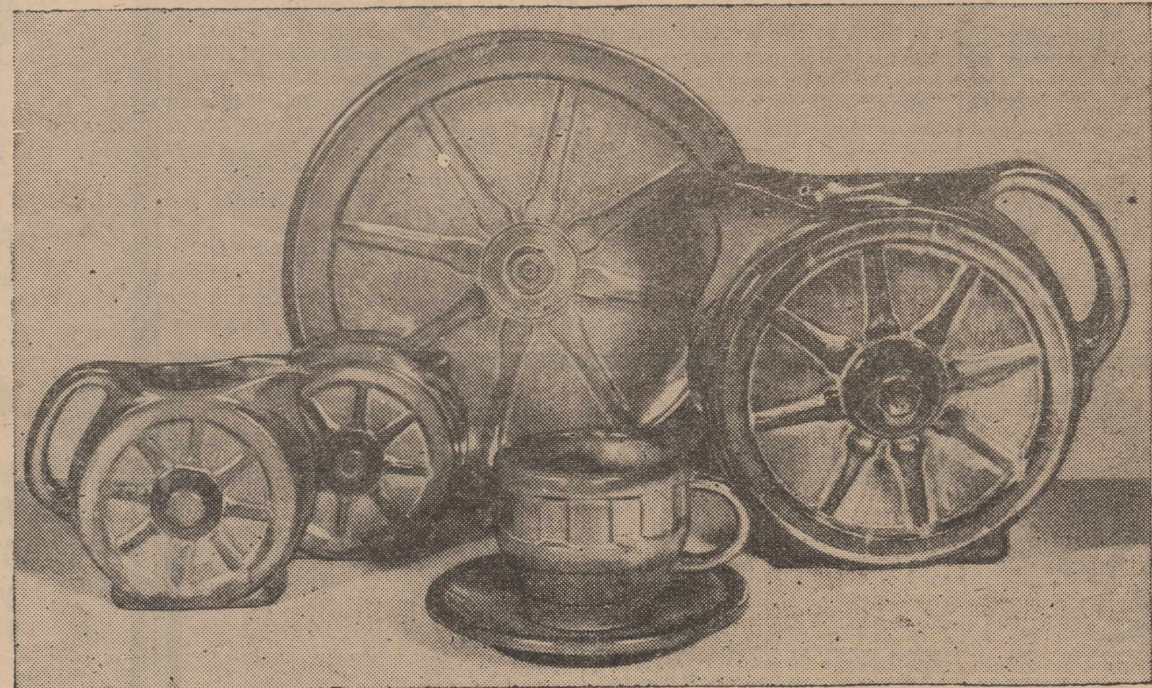
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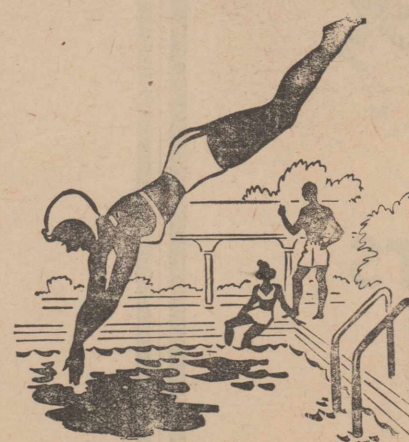
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Soil Conservation Notes

The Board of Supervisors of the Salt Fork Soil Conservation District held their regular monthly meeting at the Collingsworth County Courthouse, 8:00 p.m., Saturday evening, July 17, 1948.

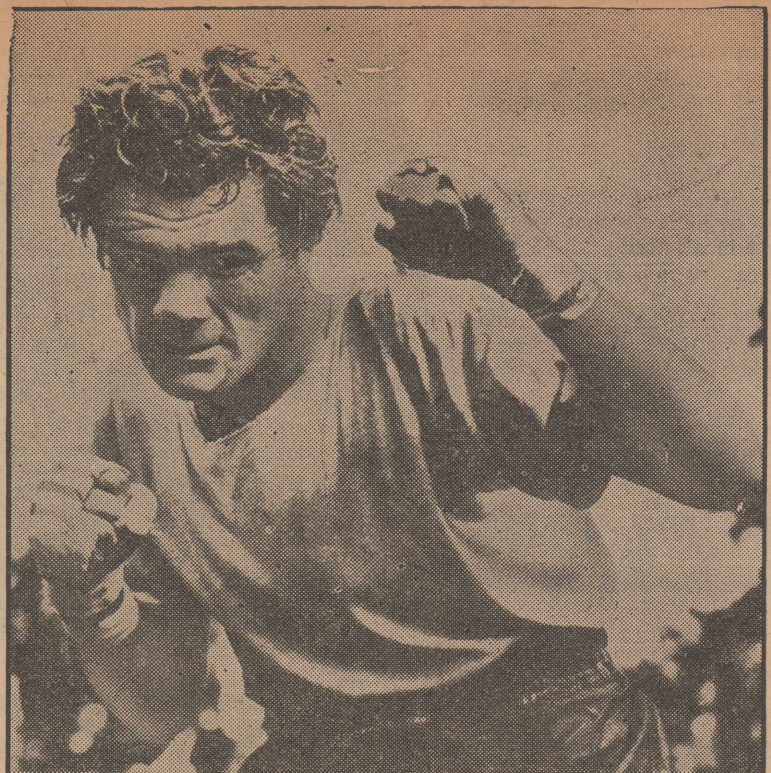
Present were members Mr. J. L. Tarter, Mr. A. F. Knoll, and Mr. J. W. White.

Seven applications, totaling 3797 acres, for soil conservation assistance on the farmland of H. Gray, A. J. Peters, D. A. Kincaannon, C. M. Powell, E. R. Powell, Mrs. K. S. Milan and Mrs. Leola P. Stokes were approved by the board.

Also present at the meeting were George Taylor, District Conservationist, from Childress, J. W. Thomas, county agent at Wellington, and W. J. Grigg, Work Unit Conservationist at Wellington.

Mr. Taylor advised the board that the Hall County Soil Conservation District had ordered a grass drill for the Wellington District and that it would be delivered in time for seeding grass and alfalfa this fall. The drill will be made available to cooperating landowners on a rental basis.

Mr. Grigg urged the board members to advise cooperating farmers in their communities who want terrace lines to contact the Wellington office several days in advance so that the survey crews can schedule them for assistance.



NEW LIGHT-HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMP

Freddie Mills, 29, of Britain, a former carnival plugger, is the new light-heavyweight champion of the world, having won a surprise, 15-round decision from Gus Lesnevich of New Jersey in London. Lesnevich went into the ring 3-to-1 favorite, but lost the referee's decision.

person receiving the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as declared by the Speaker, has died, then the person having

the highest number of votes for the office of Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until after the next general election. It is fur-

ther provided that in the event the person with the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as declared by the Speaker, shall become disabled, or fail to qualify, then the Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until a person has qualified for the office of Governor, or until after the next general election.

Any succession to the Governorship not otherwise provided for in this Constitution, may be provided for by law; provided, however, that any person succeeding to the office of Governor shall be qualified as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and shall, during the entire term to which he may suc-

ceed, be under all restrictions and inhibitions imposed in this Constitution on the Governor."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at a General Election to be held throughout this State on the date provided by law in the month of November, A. D. 1948, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing for gubernatorial succession in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, before qualifying and for such succession in other contingencies."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing for gubernatorial succession in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, before qualifying and for such succession in other contingencies."

Each voter at such election shall mark out one of such clauses on the ballot, leaving the clause expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be and the same is hereby amended, by adding another Section to follow Section 3, and be designated Section 3a, to read as follows:

"Section 3a. If, at the time the Legislature shall canvass the election returns for the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor, the

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Greenbelt Opens 176 Miles of Lines In Wheeler Area

Orval Couch, manager of the Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, which has headquarters in Wellington, announced this week they would probably energize the new REA lines around Mobeetie, which have been under construction for the past year, within the next week or ten days.

Couch stated there is approximately 176 miles of line in the new project and it represents an expenditure of approximately \$120,000. The greater portion of the 176 miles of new construction is located in the area around Mobeetie and will serve a total of 235 connections, Couch stated.

Of the 176 miles of REA line which is to be energized within the next few days around 20 miles is in the Kelton community and 2 miles is south of Wheeler. The Greenbelt Cooperative, is also taking over 19 miles of line which it has purchased from the Southwestern Public Service Company. The 19 miles is located north and east of Wheeler.

Couch stated that the new lines which is being readied for service will bring the total miles of REA line in Wheeler county up to 350.

The Greenbelt Electric Cooperative has spent approximately \$280,000 in Wheeler County in the last three years. The money which is spent to build REA lines is to be repaid in 35 years by members of the cooperative who are the consumers, Couch pointed out. The Greenbelt Cooperative is owned and operated by the consumers through local directors . . . A. P. Bumpers who lives southwest of Shamrock is the Wheeler County Director.

The new lines now being completed bring the total mileage of lines now in service by the Greenbelt Cooperative to 1,135 with the greater portion of this located in Wheeler, Collingsworth, Donley and Armstrong Counties. The Cooperative now has approximately 340 miles of poles in the air which they will not be able to put into service until next summer because it will be then before they will get delivery on the wire.

The Greenbelt built its first lines in 1939 and had approximately 312 miles energized when the war started.

Couch stated that the power to energize the new lines in Wheeler County would be bought from the Southwestern Public Service Company which has been very cooperative with them and the metering point will be at Mobeetie.

The Greenbelt is now installing two-way radio communication systems in their service trucks so that they will be able to give more efficient service on trouble calls, Couch stated.

Couch also stated that Royce Daves and his family will move to Wheeler as soon as living quarters can be secured, and Mr. Daves will be in charge of trouble shooting this area. Mr. and Mrs. Daves and family formerly resided at Quail.

For Results Read the Want Ads.

City Authorizes - (Continued from Page One)

these streets since they were built. City employees began work Tuesday repairing holes in the streets and getting them in condition for the topping. It is expected that pouring the new asphalt and application of the topping will begin within about two weeks, or as soon as the materials can be gotten here.

The contract for this work was let to Reese & Riley of Abilene and Mr. Riley will be in charge of the work.

By making this investment at present, it is unlikely that the city will be out any more expense on these streets for another 10 years, Mr. Handley said. On the other hand, cracks and holes are appearing in the streets, allowing water to soak down into the base. Should this occur in the winter, followed by a freeze, it is possible that entire streets could be ruined.

The present program does not include those streets laid of bricks. Neither does it take care of the "leave-outs" those sections which property owners did not have paved when the streets were laid. These will be taken care of in a later program, in the fall and winter, when a paving program is worked out to include not only this type of work but to surface several additional streets as well.

Dukes Match - (Continued from Page One)

again. The Dukes were flabbergasted. "So just wait till Sunday. We're out there to make the fur fly," the Dukes—everyone of them—declare.

It was these two games that took the Dukes out of the Red River Valley League play-off, and the Dukes are determined to show that those two defeats were all wrong. "Both games this week should be good ones and will give the fans their money's worth," Mr. Strong said.

The hitting averages of the Dukes for the last eight games was given this week by Mr. Strong:

Bob McAllister	.429
Lewis Morris	.375
Floyd Cole	.344
Newt Flowers	.344
Wood Wilson	.333
Son Strong	.320
Raymond Neeley	.285
O'Dean Lewis	.250
Virgil Owens	.250
Charlie Henrich	.240
Gus Barton	.233
Luke Thompson	.181

Ernest Nunnelley - (Continued from Page One)

pounds of threshed maize per acre. Mr. Nunnelley farms three miles south and two east of Wellington.

On Tuesday, August 10, Mr. Stephenson reported that two cars of threshed maize had been shipped to Fort Worth, cut by Mr. Nunnelley, J. H. Wood and Hayden Williams. All of this went into the loan and all that brought in except the very early is grading No. 1.

Mr. Woods reported that he has 200 acres of combine maize that is turning out around 1,500 pounds per acre, while Mr. Williams reports a similar yield on 100 acres. Both these men also farm in the Fresno area.

Eighteen Births Recorded Here During July

Eighteen births were recorded in the office of Judge W. G. Hite, Justice of the Peace, during July. These include:

Jimmy Lyndell Harmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Joe Harmon, Wellington, July 5; Worlan Leroy Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Leroy Robinson, Quail, July 6; Linda Joan Clifton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Orville Clifton of Shamrock, July 8;

James Michael Rudy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Andrew Rudy, Wellington, July 9; Calvin Murle Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Murle Jones of Wellington, July 10; Veda Joyce Preston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Austin Preston of Loco, July 10; Mary Ann Lindsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey Lindsey of Quail Route, Memphis, July 12; John Wesley Martin III, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Martin Jr., Wellington, July 13.

Charles Hardy Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert James Collins, Wellington, July 14; Ken Edward Knoll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ernest Knoll, Route 3, Shamrock, July 15. Toni Lynn Ware, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie J. Ware, Route 3, Wellington, July 16;

Tommie Wayne Yarbrough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Wayne Yarbrough, Vinson, Okla., July 16; Gary Lynn Judd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Densal Theodore Judd, Wellington, July 20; Johnnie Wilson Powell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pashal Hayden Powell, Wellington, July 20;

Barbara Myrett Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myrett Henry, Wellington, July 21; Bobby Jean Brewer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sterling Brewer, Wellington, July 21; Sandra Kay Laycock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carrel Key Laycock, Wheeler, July 24; and Patricia Dianne McCormick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson McCormick, Route 1, Wellington, July 26.

Savings Bonds Sales for County Total \$61,358

Total sales of U. S. Savings Bonds in Collingsworth County during the Security Loan Campaign were \$61,368.00 according to J. T. Forbis, County Savings Bonds Chairman. He received sales figures today from state savings bonds headquarters in Dallas.

The county's quota was \$95,000. The Security Loan Campaign was launched on April 15 and continued through June 30, with sales through July 15 being credited to county quotas. Of the county's total sales, Series E Bonds accounted for \$3,350.00.

Final sales for the state as a whole were: Series E, \$41,404,000; Series F and G, \$24,462,000; total, all series, \$65,866,000. Total sales for the nation were \$2,798,183,000.

LETTERS From The PEOPLE

Plainview, Texas August 7, 1948

Mr. Deskins Wells Wellington, Texas Dear Deck, Enclosed herewith you will find

our check for renewing our subscription to The Leader. I believe I am a little late getting this in, however, we got our copy this week.

We enjoy reading The Leader very much. It is almost like a letter from home except we get a lot of news in it that we would not get in a letter.

Would like very much to attend the Old Settlers Reunion this time. (which I have never done), but my vacation does not start until the 23rd so guess I will have to miss it.

With best wishes to you and The

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1. FOR SALE Miscellaneous

FOR SALE: Singer machines, electric, cabinet and portable, new and used. 2 blocks west from northwest corner of town. Phone 370-J. W. B. Snider. 5-4p

FOR SALE: Fourteen Duroc-Jersey Gilts can be registered also 1 young Duroc boar. Velman Warlick. 5-2c

FOR SALE: Heavy cardboard. Size 32 x 44. 10 cents a sheet. Wellington Leader. 4-tfc

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FOR SALE: Nice milk fed Austre white fryers. See Mrs. W. A. Morrow or leave word at Morrow Station. 6-1p

FOR SALE: Four piece living room suite—ranch style maple. Has slip covers. See Mrs. E. K. Jones or phone 475. 6-2c

FOR SALE: To be moved. Cow shed 24 x 54, grain bin 10 x 30. Sheet iron roof. Worth the money. See D. W. O'Brian. Quail. 6-1p

FOR SALE: Boys saddle, good condition. See Mrs. Frank Langford. 1301 Houston. 6-1c

FOR SALE: Good re-conditioned piano. Singer sewing machine. Williams Machinery and Furniture. 6-2c

3. FOR SALE Automobiles

FOR SALE: '37 Oldsmobile, fair condition. Willie Smith. 1305 East Avenue. 5-2p

FOR SALE: 1940 model Ford club coupe. Motor in A-1 condition. Transmission recently overhauled. New paint job. Earl Harwell. Phone 166-J. 6-1p

4. REAL ESTATE For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Help yourself laundry. 18 Maytags, full equipment. Building three lots, good business terms. Bargain. Reason for selling allergic to soap. H. V. Everson. Hollis, Okla. 6-1p

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FOR SALE: 101 acres. 4 room house, 28 x 32 ft. barn. Good garage. 69 acres in alfalfa, 41 acres covered in burrs last 3 years. 6 room house and bath. Newly remodeled throughout. Garage. East front. Close to school. Ready to move in today. Several other nice homes priced reasonable. Few nice acreage places for sale. J. M. Stowell. 4-tfc

FOR SALE: Improved 1120 acre ranch. Write or see Homer G. Wood, Philip, South Dakota. 5-2p

FOR SALE: 2 room modern house, 4 lots with improvements; am being transferred. Must sell. 1106 Ennis St., B. B. Prints. 46-tfc

FOR SALE: Section land northwest corner Collingsworth county, near McLean and 3 miles south of 66 highway, 286 acres in cultivation, 2 soft water wells, 4 room house. Has gas well, gas piped to house. Electricity available, leased for gas and oil. Reasonable cash payment, liberal terms on balance. H. E. Franks, McLean, Texas. 6-2p

FOR SALE: 5 room brick veneer house. Tile bath, hardwood floors, 3 lots, garage. Convenient to schools. Owner leaving town and must sacrifice possession immediately. Mrs. J. E. Stokes, 1401 Floydada. Phone 352-W. 6-1c

5. FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Building previously occupied by Bowling Alley. C. W. Roberts. Phone 310. 39-tfc

FOR RENT: Unfurnished apartments. C. W. Roberts, phone 310. 1-tfc

FOR RENT: Bedroom with kitchen privileges. Mrs. Walter Smith at 1205 El Paso. 6-1p

Leader I am

Yours truly, J. E. Bowen

James Brown of Loco was a tonsilectomy patient patient in St. Joseph's Hospital last week.

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Holton Auto Store

NOTICE: I have moved my store across the street. I have a new stock of men's and boys clothing and the prices are very low. Drop by and take a look. Warner's Store. 6-1p

WANT ADS Accepted until 10:00 a. m. Wednesday Morning. Phone 16.

Mattress work and Furniture Upholstering. See us in our new location south of Jess Young Laundry. Bledsoe Mattress & Upholstery Shop. 4-4c

NOTICE

We have reopened our laundry in a new building but same location. Some new machines added.

CUNNINGHAM LAUNDRY 5-4c

REGULAR MEETING V. F. W. First and Third Tues. Each Month 8 P. M.—Community Bldg.

BUSINESS MEETING—1st Thursday each Month SOCIAL MEETING—3rd Thursday each Month AMERICAN LEGION

Stated meeting of Wellington Lodge No. 763 A F & A M second Thursday each month at 7:30 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome. CLIFF CAMPBELL, W. M. FRANK ANDERSON, Sec'y Practice Night each Fri. Night

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13. LOST & FOUND LOST: Black gilt weighs 300 lbs. S. A. Welch. Rt. 1, Dodson. Phone 908-F5. 6-1p

LOST: Lady's Bulova watch. Black band, worn through. First missed at post office. Return to Mrs. J. L. Burt at Fashion Shop for reasonable reward. 6-1c

Spraying Machine Available

In cooperation with the City-wide Clean-Up Friday afternoon, August 13, we will have our spraying machine loaded with DDT.

Clean up your lots or yards and we will spray it for you for a small charge.

Singley Brothers

Deck's

DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

Polio cases in Paducah have mounted to ten and to six in Childress and additional ones have been reported in Hollis. In a desperate effort to strike polio before it strikes us a general city-wide clean-up has been ordered for Friday, August 13. Business houses will close at 1 p.m. and will remain closed throughout the afternoon. People are asked to start cleaning their own premises Thursday and to haul the trash away themselves if at all possible. Volunteer trucks and workers are needed at the city hall Friday at 1 o'clock.

It is particularly important that all chicken pens, cow lots, horse lots and hog pens be cleaned up and sprayed. Read the instructions in the notice of the City this week.

There is no way of estimating the importance of the two DDT fog treatments that have been given in recent weeks. It may be the reason Wellington is free of polio up to the present.

But we need to clean-up the town for the visitors who will be here for the rodeo and old settlers reunion—so lets get busy. It will take the active cooperation of everyone.

All right—all of you boosters who are going on the advertising caravan meet at the court house square Thursday morning before 8 o'clock. You can get stickers at the Chamber of Commerce or at the West Texas Utilities. You do not need to have a sign painted on your car necessarily. The caravan will be led by the Highway Patrol so make your plans to observe all safety rules and bring your drivers license along. Capt. Polk Ivy was very gracious in agreeing to send a patrol car to head the caravan.

Notice to the Chamber of Commerce and the Rodeo Association: This is the first year I have ever organized a booster trip and it is also the last one.

Clyde Drake and I see eye to eye on growing beards. If a big celebration is held next year, and let's have one by all means, Clyde and I do not intend to grow beards next year. We intend to wait until they put up the horse trough and then walk deliberately and take a bath in public.

The parade next Tuesday is going to be something. You are going to see more pretty horses than you have seen in a long time.

Personal

Mrs. Osa Black of Quail entered St. Joseph's Hospital last Saturday for medical treatment.

Rugene and Delvin Black, sons of Mrs. Osa Black were tonsillectomy patients in St. Joseph's Hospital last Saturday.

Freddie Boyce of Quail was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Mrs. R. A. Williams Jr. was a recent medical patient in St. Joseph's hospital.

Mrs. B. F. Ford underwent major surgery in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Mrs. E. C. Jones of Vinson is a medical patient in St. Joseph's hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Baird and daughter of Amarillo visited with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee, and family last week.

Mrs. Walter Hagler and daughter, Mary Ester of Portales, N. M. was here Monday. They had been to a reunion of her family at Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dickson's daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. J. T. Thomas and Ruth Ann, of Boon, Iowa, visited with them recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leach, Miss Inez Leach, and Mrs. Chet Gibbs of Irven visited with relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Miss Brownie Nan Lamb of Lubbock visited with friends in Wellington Monday. She has been in Memphis visiting relatives. Miss Lamb is a former resident of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Pic Bartlett and daughter will leave soon for Colorado where they will spend three weeks on their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gillentine, who have been in Dallas for several weeks, where she underwent an operation, have returned to their home here. Mrs. Gillentine has recovered nicely.

Mrs. H. E. Turner of Boonsville, Arkansas, is here visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Denley. Mrs. Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Denley attended the Denley family reunion in Mangum this week.

Mrs. E. F. Bartlett and Earl Wayne returned last week from a three week's vacation spent touring northeastern states. They visited relatives in New Jersey, and later went to New York City, N. Y. and Niagara Falls. They crossed the border and traveled some in Canada. They reported a very nice vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker and son of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Parker and children of Mangum, Okla., visited over the week end with Mrs. Pearl Parker.

Mrs. Fred Gribble of Altus, Oklahoma is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hatch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Llorente of Longview are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wells, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wells and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wells and family are in Tyler visiting Mrs. Morris Wells' father, W. E. Prater.

Miss June Lampkin visited with her aunt, Mrs. Iva Joyce Parsons in Clarendon over the week end.

Miss Virginia White visited with her sister, Mrs. R. S. Foot, in Frisco, Colorado recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Branson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burt Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bullock and daughter of Amarillo visited with Mrs. J. L. Burt Sr. Sunday.

Mrs. Bo Yates left for California Monday where she will spend her vacation visiting relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Ensey of Grand Salem visited with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, last week. Mrs. Bishop, Rev. and Mrs. Ensey went to Holbert, Oklahoma, to visit their sister, Mrs. Jim Pearson, and to Deal City, Okla., to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ensey, their brother and family.

Miss Betty Alexander was home for the week end. She is a student at Tech in Lubbock.

Mrs. O. R. Carter of Lubbock is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. D. Starr.

Mrs. E. W. Moss of Mission visited friends and relatives recently in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gholson and baby of Hereford visited with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gholson and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis McPherson of Lefors visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Luther McPherson recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman are vacationing in Eagle Nest and Red River.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ratslow and children of Phillips visited with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pink Sullivan over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Boverie and children, Robert and Glenda Bess, of Lubbock and Bill Boverie of Olton visited Miss Katherine Boverie over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wells are in Stratford attending a family reunion, and visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roark of Visalia, California, were here last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lowrie, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Hurst.

Miss Ramona Goodloe of Weatherford is here visiting her father, Bennett Goodloe.

Mrs. Owen King of Cortez, Colorado, underwent an operation in St. Joseph's Hospital recently. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Terry of Loco, and will be remembered by many people here as Miss Helen Terry. Upon leaving here, Mrs. King will go to Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Johnson and Mrs. Quinton Brewer left Wednesday night for a vacation which will include a trip to Carlsbad.

Bill Mac Sims and cousins, Jim and John McDowell, of Shamrock are in Colorado on their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sanford of Hollis, Okla., visited their daughter, Mrs. Jack Ball Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McCarver visited her brother, S. A. Marrs in Kirkland over the week end. The birthdays of Mrs. McCarver and Mrs. Marrs were celebrated Sunday with a picnic dinner in Childress Park. Mr. and Mrs. Estle McCarver of Dodson also attended.

Dee Ann Moore of Reed, Okla., was a tonsillectomy patient in St. Joseph's Hospital July 27.

Pat Riley spent the week visiting with Bill Hodges in Dimmitt.

ROUND-UP VALUES

CANDY Hersheys, 24-5c Bars	98c	MARSHMALLOWS 1 Lb. Cello Bag	33c
CHOCOLATE SYRUP Hersheys, 16 Oz. Can	15c	PICKLES Sweet, 16 Oz. Jar	39c

Sugar	Pure Cane	85c
	10 Lb. Bag —	

Cherries	Sure-Tene Brand	23c
	No. 2 Can —	

COCOANUT	Bakers Premium	19c
	4 Oz. Pkg. —	

Coffee	Folgers	49c
	1 Lb. Can —	

Oxydol	Large	31c
	Box —	

EGG MASH	Chick-O-Line	\$4.59
	100 Lb. —	

BRAN	Per 100 Lb. —	\$2.45
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Peaches	Halves or Sliced	69c
	Gallon —	

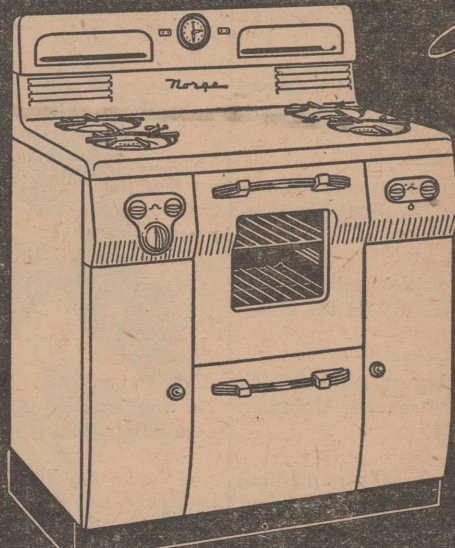
APPLE BUTTER Pure, 2 Lb. Jar	23c	HAMBURGER MEAT Pound	38c
CRACKERS Krispy Sunshine, 1 Lb.	27c	BACON Dry Salt, Lean and Tender	33c
CANDY Orance Slices, 1 Lb.	29c	BACON Cudahy's Sliced, Lb.	59c
STEAK 4-Quarter Nice and Tender, Lb.	49c	TRY OUR PURE ICE CREAM	

Bring Us Your Cream, Eggs, and Poultry

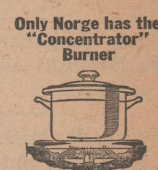
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Steve Owens

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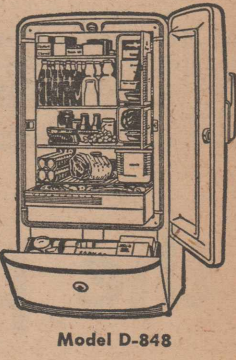
Yes, Ladies, we have it... and it's a beauty! Wait till you get a look at this new Norge, with its glistening divided top, its smartly tilted control panels, its "round-the-corner doors! Wait till you learn about Norge's new "Concentrator" burner that cooks faster, saves gas, helps keep your kitchen cooler! Of course, Norge has all the other range features, too... a "look-in" oven window... oven light... big, roomy compartments for storing utensils... extra-deep broiler pan, with a "smokeless" grill... and many other conveniences. The electric timer clock, top light, and an electric appliance outlet, is available at slight extra cost.

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Personal

Mrs. Barbara Oldham of Shamrock was a tonsillectomy patient in St. Joseph's Hospital July 23.

James D. Raburn entered St. Joseph Hospital as a tonsillectomy patient July 23.

Mrs. Flossie Needley received medical treatment in St. Joseph's Hospital July 24.

Tom King of Shamrock entered St. Joseph Hospital Aug. 2 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Earl Prints received medical treatment in St. Joseph's Hospital August 3.

Mrs. A. J. Fires entered St. Joseph's Hospital July 24 for medical treatment.

Mrs. J. R. Riley of Abilene was an accident case in St. Joseph's Hospital July 24.

Mrs. N. C. Zeck was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital July 25.

Jerry Nix received medical treatment August 2 in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Jimmy Leggitt entered St. Joseph's Hospital August 1 as a medical patient.

Mrs. J. B. Mitchell of Childress was a medical patient August 2 in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Buford Chandler was a surgery patient in St. Joseph's Hospital July 25.

Freddy Joe and Roy Dean Maxwell were tonsillectomy patients in St. Joseph's Hospital July 26. They live at Quail.

Ray Sisk received medical treatment July 26 in St. Joseph's Hospital.

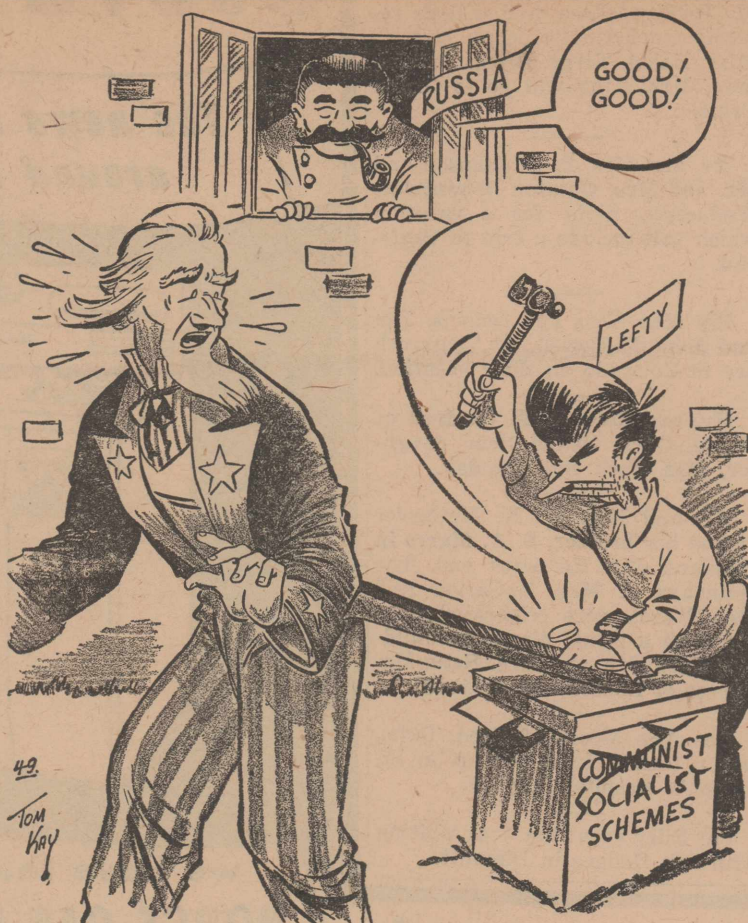
Jerrell Rainey was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital July 29.

Miss Helen Holder was a tonsillectomy patient in St. Joseph's Hospital July 16.

Miss Naomi Coleman was a tonsillectomy patient July 17 in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen and small daughter, Vicky, were business visitors in Oklahoma City early last week.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Uncle Joe's Little Helper

Miss Gloria Collins was a medical patient July 18 in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Miss Coletta Castleman of Hollis, Okla., was a tonsillectomy patient July 19 in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mrs. Howard Crow of Hollis, Okla., underwent major surgery July 19 in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Fred Cox Sr. was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital July 19.

J. A. Seamour of Dodson underwent major surgery in St. Joseph's Hospital July 20.

Mrs. Weston T. Manney Jr. of Vinson, Okla., underwent major surgery in St. Joseph's Hospital July 20.

Dudley Coleman entered St. Joseph's Hospital July 20 as a medical patient.

Mrs. John H. Walker of the Needwood community went to Shattuck, Okla., recently for medical attention.

Frank Orr received medical treatment in St. Joseph's Hospital July 20.

J. McBroom entered St. Joseph's Hospital for medical treatment July 21.

July 22 Billy Joe Scott received medical treatment in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mrs. Louis Tingle underwent major surgery in St. Joseph's Hospital July 22.

Billy Hatch received medical treatment in St. Joseph's Hospital July 29.

Reece Norman was a tonsillectomy patient in St. Joseph's Hospital July 30.

Mrs. Ed Smith entered St. Joseph's Hospital as a tonsillectomy patient July 31.

Miss Robin Brownlee was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital last week. Her home is in Corcorado, California, but she is the summer guest of Nanee Hughes.

FARM AND RANCH CHATTER

WITH LAYNE BEATY WBAP FORT WORTH 6:30 AM Week Days - 10:15 AM Sundays

Cotton counted its opportunities at the Ninth Annual Cotton Research Congress in "Big D" last week. Cotton men from all over the country looked at the domestic market, the foreign market, the competition from synthetic fibers, the opportunities to be gained through emphasizing the fashion angle in women's clothes, and the chances for reducing the cost of production through further mechanization.

One of the high points of the three-day affair was a clinic of farm implements, at which experts commented on individual machines and their best adaptability in cotton farming, regardless of make of the machine.

Secretary of Agriculture Brannan said we have a better opportunity now in our domestic markets than our foreign ones, though our overseas outlets for cotton are coming back through the foreign relief and aid programs.

The new secretary of agriculture had a tight schedule for the cotton congress when he came to Dallas, but interrupted it to spend a couple of hours with Carl Estes, Longview publisher, at the latter's retreat near Mineola. Mr. Estes called for and delivered the secretary by private flying, getting him back to Dallas in time for his 5 o'clock appointment.

American farms now have 3,114,596 tractors—compared to 2,777,000 a year ago. Another million will be sold in the next few years, it is expected.

One-half of the nation's farms—more than 3,887,000 are electrified. But only 16 percent of the nation's population lives on farms—against 25 percent in 1929. Total farm acreage has jumped from 987 million acres in 1930 to 1,100,000,000 now, and acreage per farm is up from

an average 174 to 190 in 16 years.

Porter A. Payne bought 160 acres of sandy land southeast of Fort Worth four years ago. Part of it produced only grass burs. But he used phosphate fertilizer profusely, last year on one field took off of bumper crop of hegari and this year has corn which looks like it will make 40 bushels. It's Hybrid No. 12, is firm, good-looking.

He says you can use phosphate to make good land out of any poor land. Also, he likes Austrian winter peas as a soil builder better than hairy vetch, because his peas survived some cold weather that laid his vetch low.

We have understood right along from the experts that kudzu would not grow in less than 40 inches annual average rainfall. But H. H. O'Hara, southeast of Fort Worth, has some four-year old kudzu covering about quarter of an acre of corn field, which he started with 100 crowns. It gets no more water than any flat place in that vicinity.

John Davidson of El Cajon, California, who visited a short time ago with his brother, Henry Davidson, returned to Wellington Thursday from Bowie, where he went to visit other relatives after leaving here.

Mrs. W. E. Ford of Oklahoma City, Okla., visited Mrs. Pearl Parker, over the week end.

Woman's old problem relieved by 2-way help

What to do for woman's oldest problem, functional monthly pain? Many a girl and woman has found the answer in CARDUI 2-way help. You see, CARDUI may make things lots easier for you in either of two ways: (1) started 3 days before "your time" and taken as directed on the label, it should help relieve functional periodic pain; (2) taken throughout the month like a tonic, it should improve your appetite, aid digestion, and thus help build up resistance for the trying days to come. CARDUI is scientifically prepared and scientifically tested. If you suffer "at those certain times", get CARDUI today.

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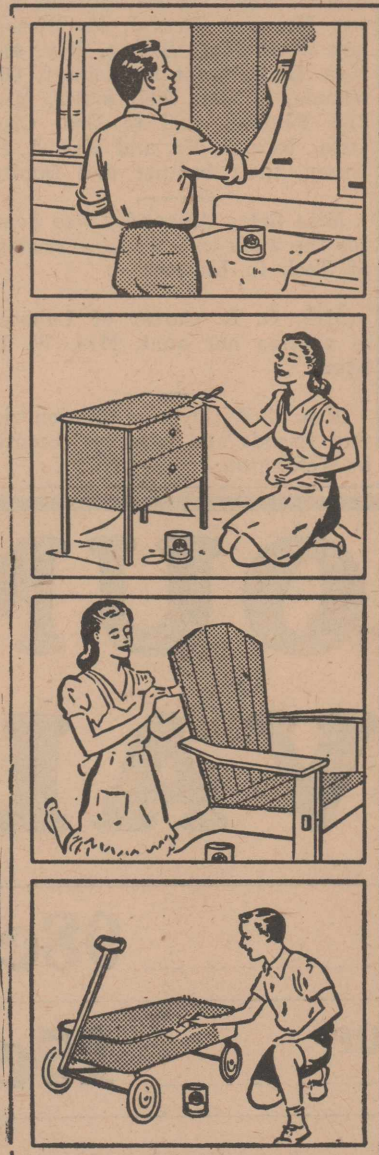


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Old Clarendon Had Variety In Dispensing Justice in 1883

From The Donley County Leader

The oldest, old-timers of this section and many in the Panhandle will recall the stirring court days in Old Clarendon, over on Salt Fork. The item brought out for inspection at this time occurred in the 35th District court session held in old Clarendon July 22, 1883.

John Petrie and four of his associates were charged with theft of cattle. Murder was a common practice, but stealing cattle, even in those days, was considered a real crime.

As the manager of the RO (Rowe) ranch then owned by Lord Alfred Rowe and Vincent Rowe, Englishmen of the manner born and bred, Petrie had built up a herd of cattle in numbers that surprised and amazed the natives and otherwise beyond their most sanguine expectations and observations.

In fact the matter was looked upon with utmost suspicion.

John Petrie was said to have been friendly with questionable characters up around Tascosa, just as if every citizen in the Panhandle was not honest. Some few could prove it even if a six gun play had to be made to convince the doubter.

As an outlaw, Petrie was not known to a wide circle as a "blood and thunder" character moulded from the material found in the old west. But the trial had to be held despite handicaps of opinion.

Judge Frank Willis presided over the honorable court. He ruled that other cattlemen over the section hereabouts were not eligible to sit on the Petrie jury. They might be doing some cahooting themselves. They also were members of the Cattleman's Association and range officers of that association and came in to put a quietus on the prosperity of John Petrie.

There were no other eligible citizens and Petrie demanded a jury trial. Judge Willis was a man not to be outdone in his court procedure. Cowpunchers lounging around the pioneer town would be eligible as jurors except that neither was a land holder. Town lots were deeded to them and they instantly became "free holders in the county" and in due course tried Petrie and his cahooters. While the men were "stuck," to use the phrase of the day, there is nothing on record to show that either of them did more than to leave the country for good. That was also a common practice in those days, if we believe what has been told the later generation by the pioneers who craved not re-

Plans Set for Ackley Park Rodeo

Fans at Elk City's 1948 Ackley Park rodeo, August 27-28-29, will be eye witnesses to the best the rodeo profession has to offer in both the performances of cowboys competing for large prize purses in the five regular rodeo contest events and professional entertainers featured in added attractions, according to directors of the 10th annual rodeo.

Rodeo contest events, which are expected to attract an arena full of world champions and top rodeo contestants from all over the nation, will include bareback bronc riding, saddle bronc riding, steer riding and roping and calf roping.

The added attractions, which will furnish entertainment at in-between contest spots in this year's show, include Arthur N. Allen of McLeansboro, Ill., and his sheep and dog act in which two trained Shepherd dogs "run herd" on a flock of untrained sheep, cutting the flock and driving the sheep into and out of pens and performing other feats with a display of almost human intelligence.

Other feature attractions will be a number of acts by Cecil Cornish, one of the rodeo professions top-most trick riding and roping artists and his string of perfection trained horses, including a "highschool" jumping horse; a square dance demonstration on horses by members of the Clinton Round-up club, and two of the nations most prominent rodeo clowns, Hoyt Hefner, who moved to Elk City to make it his home during the past year, and George Mills, Denver, Colorado. Funnymen Hefner and Mills will play the double role of keeping the crowd entertained with their antics while protecting the contestants from angry Brahma steers.

Ruby Nane and his professional rodeo band will furnish the music for the Elk City show which will include two night performances on

venge, but peace at some price.

The RO ranch was purchased by William J. Lewis in 1910 upon the death of Lord Alfred Rowe aboard the Lusitania when an iceberg caused the noted vessel to sink while bound from New York City to England. Mr. Lewis still owns the ranch and is one of the most popular and successful cowmen of the state.

Trick Riding Event Outside Cowboy's Life

Trick riding is one rodeo event, often presented, which is not based on the cowboy's life as most of the other events are.

Trick riding is said to have been imported from Russia, where it developed among the Cossacks—those fierce and wild riders of the steppes who terrorized Central Europe from the 12th to the 14th Centuries.

Stunt riding and attempting difficult feats of marksmanship on horseback later became fashionable among the hussars—of various European nations, and when the Spaniards introduced the horse to the Western plains, they brought their tricks with them.

One of the favorite stunts among the young Spanish caballeros, and, later, among the Plains Indians, was to suspend a ring from a pole, or between two poles. The horseman, riding at full gallop, would attempt to pierce the ring with a spear or a sword.

Variations on this game included hanging a greased goose from a pole, or burying a chicken in the ground with only its head sticking out.

In both cases, the rider who pulled the head off the inoffensive fowl won the prize. He didn't win the bird, because, after a dozen hands had grabbed and slipped, the chicken was in no shape to be baked, fried, or even stewed.

Mrs. Buck Lee of Amarillo visited with her son, John Lee, and family recently.

Friday and Saturday, Aug. 27 and 28 at 8 p.m., and one afternoon show, Sunday, Aug. 29 at 2:30 p.m. A colorful twilight rodeo parade will commence the rodeo festivities at 5 p.m. on the opening day, Aug. 27.

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Fresh, Each -----

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LEMONS 12¢
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18¢

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12 Oz. Can —
25¢

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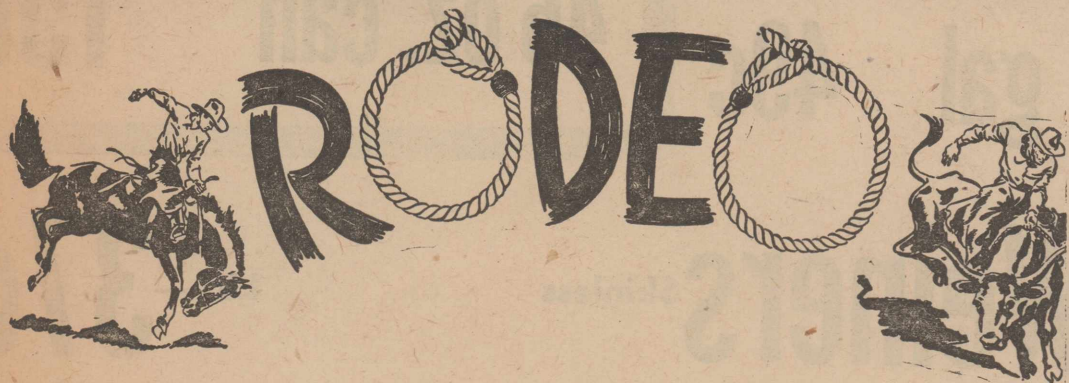
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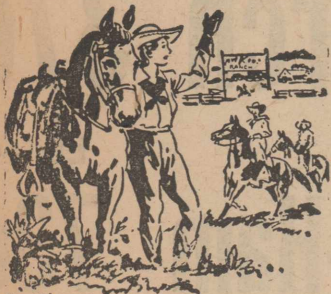
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TREET 49c
Armours, Can

CHOPPED HAM 53c
Armours, Can

CORN BEEF HASH 34c
Armours, 1 Lb. Can

CHILI 32c
Armours, Lb. Can

TAMALES 19c
Armours, 10 1/2 Oz. Jar

TAMALES 29c
Armours, 1 Lb. Jar

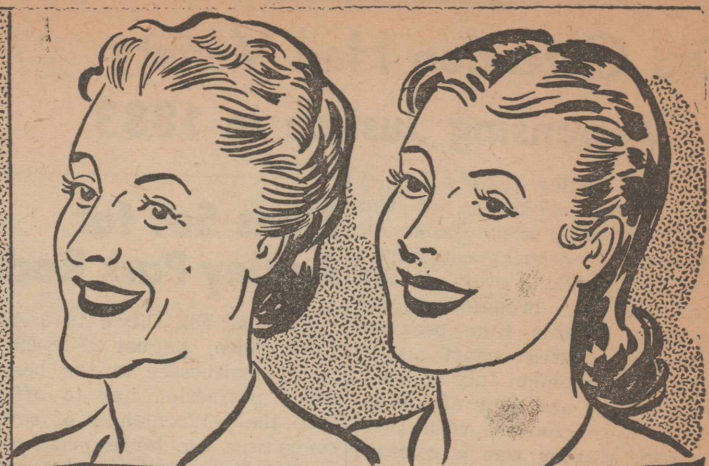
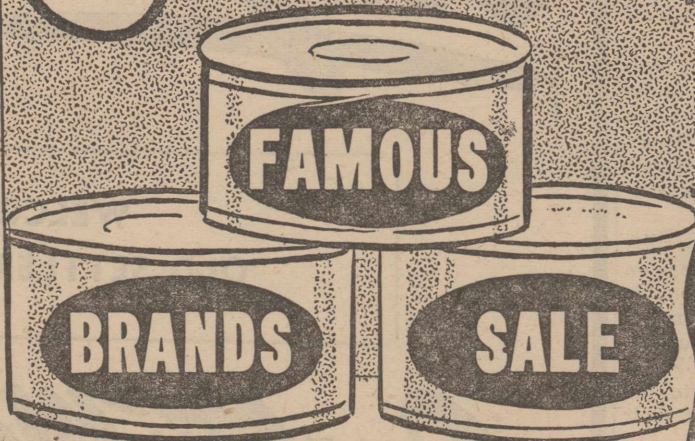
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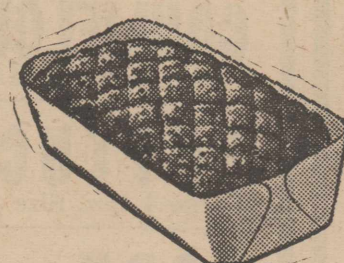
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Syrup 1/2 gal 49c

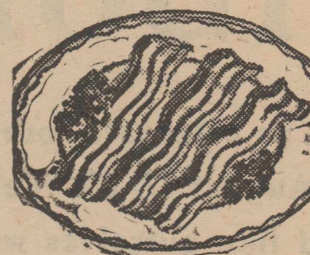
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TOOTH PASTE	43c
Colgate, 50c Size	
HAIR OIL	39c
50c Size	
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Social Security Required on First \$3,000 Per Year

Employers are required to deduct social security taxes on only the first \$3,000 of wages per year, J. R. Sanderson, manager of the social security office in Amarillo, said today. "Even at this late date," he said, "the Social Security Administration is still getting inquiries from employers and employees about these excess taxes."

The employer's quarterly tax returns should show the name, social security number, and amount of wages paid each employee. Sanderson pointed out, however, that after an employee has been paid \$3,000 in the course of a calendar year, the employer should no longer include his name on his reports.

Request for refund of excess taxes paid on wages of more than \$3,000 should be made with the Collector of Internal Revenue and not to the social security field office, and must be made within a period of 2 calendar years after the year in which the wages were paid.

Legal Notices

H. J. R. No. 35
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by day shall be exempt from all taxation for all State purposes; providing the effective date; providing for the submission of said amendment to a vote of the qualified voters at an election and providing for necessary proclamation and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Sections 1-b and 1-c be added to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to read as follows:

"Section 1-b. Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for all State purposes.

"Section 1-c. Provided, however,

the terms of this Resolution shall not be effective unless House Joint Resolution No. 24 is adopted by the people and in no event shall this Resolution go into effect until January 1, 1951."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment exempting Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads from all State taxes," and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment exempting Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads from all State taxes."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving

the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment. In counties and other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provisions for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

4-4c

Mrs. W. J. Hammon of Pasadena, Calif., visited here recently with her sister, Mrs. Henry Davidson, and Mr. Davidson.

Bill Hill of the Needwood community took a load of calves to Oklahoma City last week. He was accompanied by J. D. Priggmore.



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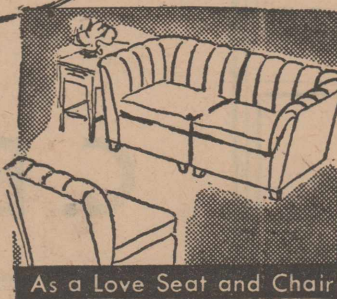
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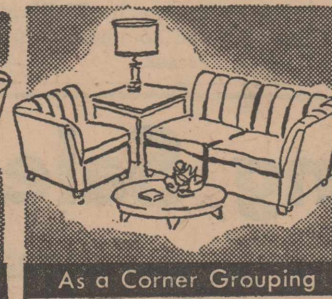


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Two Methodist Revivals Listed

The largest crowd to attend in the history of the Salt Fork Methodist Church was present Sunday, August 8, long-time members of the congregation told the pastor, the Rev. C. A. Wells. This is one of the churches which Rev. Wells serves on the Wellington Methodist circuit.

Rev. Wells at the same time announced two revival meetings, one at Salt Fork and the other at Aberdeen.

The Aberdeen revival will open Sunday, August 16, with the pastor in charge of the preaching and Miss Julia Plunkett in charge of the music. It will continue for one week and services will be held each evening at 7:30 p.m.

The Rev. Vernon Willard, who formerly served the Salt Fork Church as a pastor, will return to conduct the preaching in the revival which opens Sunday, August 25. Rev. Willard is now pastor at Mobeetie. Rob Isbell will be in charge of the music.

Mile Long -

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be pack horses. At least one pioneer has indicated that he's going to "ride old paint and lead old Baldy," just like he did when he came to this country.

There will be a bicycle brigade and plenty of farm machinery.

"We want every person who would like to take part in the parade to do so. We hope you will," Mr. Clay said.

"We are especially anxious for all old timers to take part. If you don't want to ride a horse, there will be plenty of vehicles for you to ride in," Mr. Clay assured.

The Range Riders of Amarillo have been invited to ride in the parade, as have the riding clubs from Hollis, Altus, Mangum, Clarendon, Memphis and Shamrock.

All those expecting to take part have been urged to contact Mr. Clay beforehand so that an estimate may be had as to the number of people taking part.

Mrs. Eddie Smith, who is in charge of the entries, said there have been a large number of entries, and many others are expected.

Miss Lynn Moore will be hostess

Jubilee Minstrel -

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King, Raymond Horton, Tom Bryant, the Rev. Noel Bryant, Bura Handley, Dr. Charley Jones and the Rev. Howard Jones.

Other cast members will be announced later.

Mrs. Heber Brantley is in charge of the ticket sales. Cost of tickets is \$1.00 for adults and 50c for children.

The East Ward PTA hopes from the money made at this Minstrel, to be able to give directed recreation to the children where it is most needed. Their hobbies will be developed, and an effort will be made to interest those without a special interest along some line to which he is adapted.

All this will take materials for the children to work with, and it is to purchase these that the money will be used.

to the cowgirl sponsors. She said Tuesday that invitations have been sent to a large number of young women from the area inviting them to participate in the Wellington event.

There will be a different contest for each night of the rodeo. One will be a reigning contest; the second a hat race and the third a flag race. The girl with the highest number of points will receive a \$50 pair of cowboy boots. Second prize is a fine bridle and third is a set of spurs.

A number of the young women will remain in Wellington throughout the rodeo and rooms in local homes have been secured for them.

The big square dance at the community building Thursday night, August 19, will be open to the public. Jack Pritchard and his string orchestra will furnish the music and various callers, both local and visiting, will call the sets.

This is being sponsored by the Square Dance Club, under the direction of Emory Hunter, president of the group.

A minimum charge will be made. Some of the best rodeo performers in the Panhandle will be on hand for the rodeo Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights at 8:00 p.m.

And one of the biggest crowds ever to gather in Wellington will be on hand to make this celebration a success.

Mrs. Gordon Peters

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ington. She came here when a small child and had made this her home throughout the remaining time.

She is survived by her husband, Gordon Peters, a daughter, Mrs. Marie Ward of Wellington; her parents; two brothers and two sisters, Frank Langford and Walter Langford of Wellington; Mrs. Mollie Watson of Asherton and Mrs. Ola Smith of Fort Worth.

City-Wide -

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Bura Handley, city manager, declared:

"The city has put out a DDT fog twice in recent weeks and this may have done incalculable good; but safety lies in getting the town absolutely clean. The job cannot be done without the active co-operation of all the citizens. Let's do the job in Wellington before polio strikes."

The dump grounds have been cleared so that people may get into and out of them with pickups and trailers to haul their own trash, and every person who possibly can is urged to take care of disposing of his own trash during the clean-up.

The city and health officer make these suggestions for Clean-Up Day.

Clean up your own premises first and haul it off if possible. At least get it in the alley. Start Thursday and do a thorough job.

Burn all combustible material.

Spray with DDT. Crystals can be purchased from any feed store or drug store and mixed at small cost.

Singley Brothers have volunteered the use of three sprayers to

be used on large plots such as hog pens and cow lots.

Concerning general family health, Dr. Jones makes this further suggestion:

See that your family, especially children, get plenty of sleep as well as balanced meals. Do not let children over exert themselves. A sound body is one of the best protections against any disease.

Rites for -

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Ellis Funeral Home.

Pvt. Moody was born December 18, 1922, at Old Plymouth, the son of W. H. Moody and the late Mrs. Moody. He grew up in that community living there and in the Aberdeen community until he entered service. He attended school at Samnorwood.

Enlisting in the Army September 4, 1944 he received his basic training at Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells. He was then sent to Fort Meade, Md., and from there he sailed for overseas service in January 1945. He went into action in the Battle of Luxembourg and five days later, February 17, 1945, he was wounded near the Luxembourg-German border. Pvt. Moody died two days later and was buried in the American Military cemetery in Luxembourg.

He was a member of the 5th Division of the Third Army, serving under General George Patton.

Pvt. Moody, one of the fine young men of the Samnorwood area, was widely known and highly respected throughout that section. He farmed with his father until he left to serve his country, in behalf of those who he held dear.

Surviving are his father, W. H. Moody, who now lives near Rolla; a sister and two brothers, Mrs. W. E. Colson, Waymon Moody and C. L. Moody, all of this county.

Quail School -

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cally the same as last year.

Children were told to bring their lunches and be prepared to stay all day, as the cafeteria will not be open until Wednesday.

Faculty members will arrive at school in time for a 7:30 a.m. faculty meeting on Monday, Mr. Cunningham said, but the students should not arrive until around 8:45.

Members of this year's faculty are Mr. Cunningham; R. E. Bradley, grade school principal; W. C. Risinger, high school principal and coach; Mrs. Jim Lowe, Mrs. Lewis Morris, Mrs. C. M. DeBord, Miss Daisy Cagle, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Miss Margaret McElreath, Miss Lorraine McWhorter, Miss Bonnie Griffin, Miss Bernice Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack David, Dalton Vaughn, Frank Kennedy, Mrs. Monte Mitchell, Mrs. Noble, and Mrs. Ben Ratliff.

The twentieth member of the faculty was scheduled to have been named Tuesday night.

Sonny McKinney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buck McKinney, left for Amarillo where he has enrolled in a Barber College. McKinney, who was released from the Navy a short time ago, recently received his private Pilot's License at Kane Flying School at Marian Airpark.

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Polio Is Near

Friday, Aug. 13 Is Clean-up Day In Wellington

Polio has broken out in several of our neighboring towns. For the protection of the health of our people an immediate clean-up of the entire city is necessary.

This must be done by the people as a whole and can be done only with active assistance of every able bodied man and woman. Here are some suggestions to follow:

1. Clean up your own premises and haul it off if possible. At least get it in the alley. Start Thursday.

2. Burn all combustible material.

3. Spray with DDT. Crystals can be purchased from any feed store or drug store and mixed at small cost. Singley Brothers have a machine that can be used on large plots such as hog pens and cow lots.

4. Volunteer trucks and workers to man them as well as forks are needed.

5. All volunteer workers are asked to meet at the City Hall Friday afternoon, August 13 at 1 P. M. with full equipment.

The City has put a DDT fog in recent weeks and this may have done incalculable good; but safety lies in getting the town absolutely clean. The job cannot be done without the active co-operation of all the citizens. Paducah cleaned up their town and hauled off 275 loads of trash in one day; but this was only after nine of their people had been stricken with the dread disease. Let's do the job in Wellington before Polio strikes here. It is in Paducah, Hollis, Childress and Mobeetie now.

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Library Provides New Books for Summer Readers

A number of books have been added to the county library during the last two weeks, largely through contributions made by three local women, Mrs. Darvin Nix, Miss Hattie D. Wells, and Mrs. R. H. Templeton.

Several additional popular books have been purchased, Miss Katherine Boverie, librarian, said.

One of the new books is "Shannon's Way," the latest publication of A. J. Cronin, which is following his earlier books up the best seller (Continued on Page Eight)

Quail Methodist Revival to Open

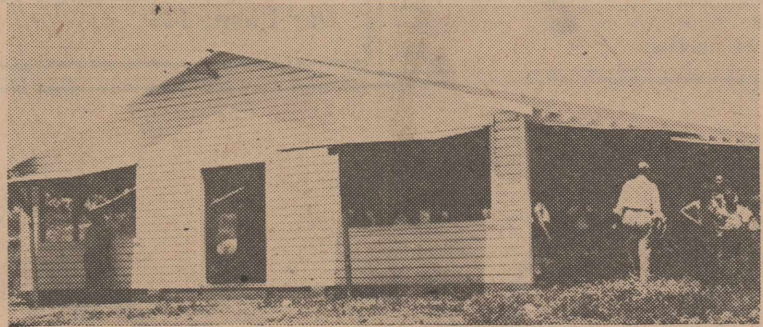
A revival will begin at the Methodist Church in Quail on August 15. The preaching will be done by Rev. C. T. Jackson of Darrouzett. The song leader for the revival will be Beth Dodson while Mrs. Sam Adams will be the pianist. An invitation is cordially extended to the public to attend our services, Rev. M. W. Reynolds, the pastor, said.

George Bourland Conducts Business On Guam Island

George Bourland, son of Mack Bourland of Quail, is now on Guam, where he owns rights to the sale of all magazines coming on the island, his brother, Fred Bourland, said recently.

Mr. Bourland, a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, served in the Pacific during World War II, and is now on the Navy's retired list with the rank of Commander.

He first went to Guam with a construction company, but later entered his present business. His family is now living in Bremerton, Washington, but hope to join him in Guam later.



POPULAR PLACES AROUND PAN-FORK

Boys covered the hillside at the Pan Fork Permanent Baptist Encampment during one recent week. Representing churches from all over the Panhandle, more than 400 of them played and studied under church leaders and missionaries. In the lower picture is one of the most popular spots around the encampment—the newly constructed dining hall, used for the first time this year.

—Photos by Cooper

Ritz to Feature Three "Firsts" In August

The Ritz theatre in Wellington will have the special privilege of bringing to this area a series of three "firsts" in motion picture entertainment during August, it was made known in an announcement today from the office of Manager Emmett Passmore who said the films would be "Two Guys from Texas," "The Dude Goes West," and "Red River" in that order. It is the first time in the history of this town that three advance or area premieres have been shown on screens here in the period of (Continued on Page Eight)

Pfc. James A. Ray Reburied at OM

Military services were held for Pfc. James Arvol Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ray at the OM Church of Christ Friday, August 6, at 3 o'clock.

Pfc. Ray was born February 11, 1920, at Wellington, and died on Luzon, Philippine Islands April 23, 1945, while in active combat duty. He was with the 161st Infantry of the Army and was overseas three years, seeing service at Guadalcanal, New Georgia and in the Philippines.

He received his schooling at Vinson.

Surviving are his parents, a sister, Mrs. Orville Jones, Route 2, Hollis; and a brother, Vaudry Lee Ray of Borger.

Friendship Revival Opens August 15

Revival services will begin at Friendship Baptist Church in the Buck Creek community, seven miles west of Wellington Sunday, August 15.

Elder H. S. Sheppard of Terrell will be in charge of the preaching. Buck Lancaster will conduct the song services.

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

Wellington, Kansas, Man Visits Brother At Quail Recently

E. P. O'Brian of Wellington, Kansas, youngest brother of D. W. O'Brian of Quail, was a visitor here last week, leaving for his home Sunday.

Mr. O'Brian has visited around Quail a number of times and is well known in that area. He is employed with the Santa Fe Railway, having been with that company for 23 years.

Other recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. O'Brian have been his nieces and nephews, Mrs. Hazel Petty of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gable of Rotan.

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Texas Almanac Found Recently Reveals State and County 44 Years Ago



ROBERTS FAMILY REUNION

The reunion which brought together C. W. Roberts, Collingsworth County pioneer, and his three sisters together occurred several weeks before the traditional Old Settlers reunion, although two of the sisters have at one time made this their home. In the picture from left to right, are Mrs. J. C. Hofstetter, of Riverside, Calif., Mr. Roberts, who came to this county in 1888, Mrs. Margaret Iverson of Fort Worth and Mrs. Mary Robbins of Fort Worth. Standing is the son of Mrs. Iverson, Albert Iverson of Fort Worth, who also formerly lived here for a time. The group met in the home of Mr. Roberts here and again in Fort Worth.

Vetch Makes Way for Excellent Cotton Crop In Sandy Land

"You know that vetch I planted a year ago last fall, well, I plowed it under this spring and planted cotton, and you should see the response it's made," Zook Thomas, a farmer in the Lillie community, declared to County Agent J. W. Thomas Monday, August 9.

The two men (no kin) look to this as proof positive of what a well-planned soil building crop can (Continued on Page Eight)

A 1904 Texas Almanac which some Collingsworth Countians stuck up under the eaves of his home and forgot came to light recently, a little worn and its pages brittle, but almost every bit of it in readable condition.

The Almanac, now 44 years old, was found by Gordon Peters recently when he was tearing down the house, located on his farm east of Wellington.

In many ways it is similar to the Texas Almanac of today. There is the same enthusiasm and forward looking qualities. There is the same pointing to Texas as a potential industrial state.

Almost one-half of the almanac is devoted to descriptions of the various counties, and here is what it has to say about Collingsworth: This county lies just within the Panhandle of Texas and is bounded on the east by Greer County, Oklahoma.

Population in 1900, 1933. Property assessment 1903, \$1,427,272. There is no considerable farming interest in the county, although the productivity of the lands have been tested. Statistics of the farm products of Greer County may be taken as a safe criterion, as there is no perceptible difference in the seasons or soils of the two counties.

Roughly approximately, there are about 15,000 acres of land now in cultivation in Collingsworth County, a fraction over 2 1-2 per cent. (Continued on Page Eight)

Joe Deger Enlists In Navy for One Year Period

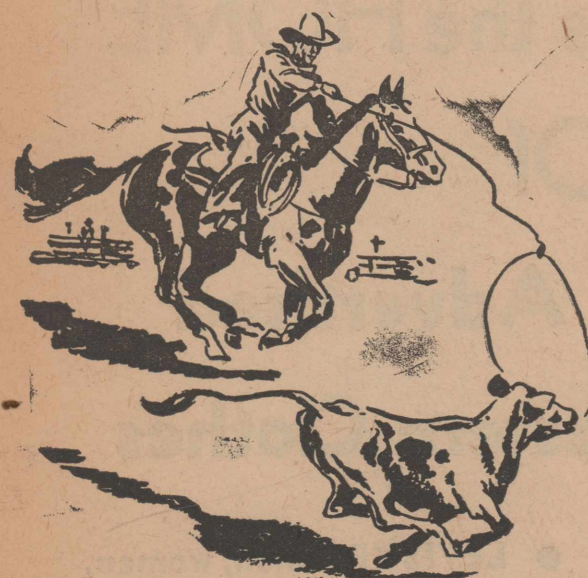
Joe Deger, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Deger of Lutie, recently enlisted in the Navy for a one-year period.

He has been sent to the Naval Training Station at San Diego for his boot training.

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Definite cases of Poliomyelitis have been diagnosed in Paducah, Hollis and Childress and one fatality was reported from Mobeetie. Thus far no cases have been reported in the Wellington area; but the dread disease is so near that it makes the need for an immediate clean-up of our city and of all places over the county both urgent and imperative.

In many respects Medical Science is still battling in the dark against this disease; but this much is known: THE DISEASE HAS BEEN CUT DOWN IN A MARKED MANNER IN EVERY COMMUNITY THAT HAS HAD A THOROUGH CLEAN-UP THAT ELIMINATED ALL FLIES.

The Mayor has ordered the town closed Friday, August 13 from 1 p. m. on in order that all the citizens may turn out and clean up the town. The danger is so near and the time is so short that it will take the united effort of the entire community to get the task done in time.

Here are some suggestions to follow that have proven beneficial in other cities.

1 Burn all combustible material around your

premises.

2 Haul off all manure piles and clean out all cow lots, horse lots, pig pens and chicken pens. (This applies whether you live in town or not.)

3 Spray area with DDT. (Crystals can be purchased from any feed store or drug store.) If you do not have a sprayer you can use it as paint on the inside of barns, chicken coops, etc.

4 See that your family—especially children—get plenty of sleep as well as balanced meals. Do not let children over-exert themselves. A sound body is one of the best protections against any disease.

Since the danger is real and near, may I ask all of you to observe the Mayor's Proclamation and turn out next Friday afternoon for a genuine clean-up of the whole town. It may be the means of saving the life of your child or the means of keeping your neighbor's child from being crippled for life. And remember though Polio takes its heaviest toll among the young—that it is no respecter of age.

Dr. E. K. Jones

CITY HEALTH OFFICER

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Mr. and Mrs. Myrett Henry are the parents of Barbara Myrett born July 21 in St. Joseph's Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds.

Johnny Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Powell, was born July 29 in St. Joseph's Hospital and weighed 9 pounds and 3 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Shaw are the parents of an 8 pound and 1 ounce boy who was born August 2. The parents had not decided upon a name as of this date.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peters of Quail are the parents of a daughter who was born August 3. She weighed 8 pounds. A name has not been decided upon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Weiser of Dodson are the parents of a 6 pound and 11 ounce daughter, Donna Jean, who was born July 29 in the Hollis Hospital. Mrs. Weiser is the former Miss Bobby Wilfong of Dodson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCormick are the parents of Patricia Diane who was born July 26 weighing 6 pounds and 4 ounces.

Sharon Kaye Blackshear was born July 29 in St. Jo-

seph's Hospital weighing 8 pounds and 4 ounces. She is the daughter of Mrs. Leroy Blackshear and the late Mr. Blackshear.

Sandra Kay Laycock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Laycock, was born July 24 in St. Joseph's Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds and 5 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brewer are the parents of a 6 pound and 14 ounce boy, who was born July 21. His name is Bobby Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Will "G" Heitt are the parents of a daughter, Marsha Ann, who was born July 13 and weighed 6 pounds and 13 ounces.

Legal Notices

S. J. R. No. 2
A JOINT RESOLUTION
proposing an amendment to Section 28 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for a Board for apportioning the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment; providing for the issuance of the necessary proclamation by the Governor; and making an appropriation.
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LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 28 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 28. The Legislature shall, at its first regular session after the publication of each United States decennial census, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, agreeable to the provisions of Sections 25, 26, and 26-a of this Article. In the event the Legislature shall at any such first regular session following the publication of a United States decennial census, fail to make such apportionment, same shall be done by the Legislative Redistricting Board of Texas, which is hereby created, and shall be composed of five (5) members, as follows: The Lieutenant Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Attorney General, the Comptroller of Public Accounts and the Commissioner of the General Land Office, a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum. Said Board shall assemble in the City of Austin within ninety (90) days after the final adjournment of such regular session. The Board shall, within sixty (60) days after assembling, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, or into senatorial or representative

districts, as the failure of action of such Legislature may make necessary. Such apportionment shall be in writing and signed by three

(3) or more of the members of the Board duly acknowledged as the act and deed of such Board, and, when so executed and filed with the Secretary of State, shall have force and effect of law. Such apportionment shall become effective at the next succeeding statewide general election. The Supreme Court of Texas shall have jurisdiction to compel such Commission to perform its duties in accordance with the provisions of this section by writ of mandamus or other extraordinary writs conformable to the usages of law. The Legislature shall provide necessary funds for clerical and technical aid and for other expenses incidental to the work of the Board, and the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to receive per diem and travel expense during the Board's session of the Legislature. This amendment shall become effective January 1, 1951."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November A. D. 1948, at

which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the amendment to Section 28, Article III of the Constitution of Texas providing for a Board for apportionment of the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment."

"Against the amendment to Section 28, Article III of the Constitution of Texas providing for a Board for apportionment of the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment."

Each voter at such election shall mark out one of such clauses on the ballot, leaving the clause expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of this state not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith and small daughter left Wednesday night for a trip through the eastern states, going by way of Niagara Falls, Lake Erie and through the Adirondack Mountains to Utica, N. Y., where they will visit his brother. This is also Mr. Smith's former home. They plan also to visit New York City and Washington, D. C., returning through Kentucky to visit the former home of Mrs. Smith's father, the late Rev. W. S. James.

Mrs. Walter Alexander of Clarendon received medical treatment in St. Joseph's Hospital August 1.

Mrs. B. Hammon of Dodson underwent major surgery August 1 in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mrs. W. D. Simpson was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital July 26.

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Boys' Ranch at Tascosa Growing Into A National Institution

This is the story of Boys Ranch at Old Tascosa today. It is of interest to many throughout this area, and two Collingsworth County women have taught in its school. Mrs. Annie Bird, who now lives at Shamrock, taught there several years ago, and Mrs. Beatrice King, who formerly taught at Quail, is a present member of the staff.

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
AMARILLO — Boys Ranch is getting too big for its britches. Cal Farley, the man who founded it a decade ago, is doing a tailoring job. He's making it in name what it has become in fact—a national institution.

Today there's a railroad station in the mesquite-studded foothills northwest of this Panhandle city with the sign "Boys Ranch." Soon there will be a postoffice with the same name.

Boys Ranch, where youngsters get another chance, is only a few miles east of this lonely stop on the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad. You reach it on a winding rocky road cut through the sagebrush.

Boothill Cemetery, one of two reminders of Old Tascosa, cowboy capital of the Texas Panhandle in

the 1880's, greets you as you approach the ranch. Men who died with their boots on lie buried there. The second monument to the ghost town that knew Billy the Kid and others of his breed, is a building that once was the courthouse of Tascosa. It is the main building of Boys Ranch.

In 1938 Julian Bivins, a rich cattleman, deeded 120 acres of land to a group including Farley, Chancellor Weymouth, a rancher, and Tom Wingate, owner of a bottling concern. Farley then was a rising businessman of Amarillo. He had come here in 1923 to play baseball but quit to operate a garage that became a big general store. He always had worked with boys, and in Amarillo soon was in it up to his neck.

In the spring of 1938 six boys were taken to the ranch with its one building. Today there are 22 buildings and 103 boys. These youngsters come from 13 states. And there's a long waiting list.

Cal Farley sold his business last year and does nothing now except work with Boys Ranch. The Maverick Club and other enterprises in Amarillo having to do with help-

ing underprivileged kids also help. The project has properties worth \$750,000—all as the result of contributions from the people of the Panhandle country and from over the nation. Farley himself puts about \$5,000 a year into it.

There are 1,500 acres at the ranch. South of Dimmitt, Texas, is a 1,480-acre irrigated farm given to Boys Ranch by Mr. and Mrs. Dwight G. Axtell. Some of the boys are the "hired hands" at the farm. At the ranch the others take care of 57 head of beef cattle, 27 horses, 35 hogs, 16 head of dairy cattle and 250 chickens. So far as food is concerned the ranch and farm are self-supporting.

The 52-year-old Farley, once a professional wrestler and still a hearty physical specimen, has no fears that Boys Ranch will ever run itself out, when he has passed on and his dynamic leadership is lost. "It is firmly grounded and will never fail because its results are too valuable," he says.

Boys Ranch really is a town. The youngsters go to church and school, ride horses in rodeos and everything other boys do or would like to do. They also must work. Boys

Ranch takes only boys no one else can do anything with except send to reform school. "We are not concerned with a record," said Farley, who is president of the enterprise. "We could make one by choosing the boys. If we took only those who needed food and financial help, we could click 100 percent. You know, most organizations won't take bad boys to begin with."

The record of Boys Ranch, however, is pretty good anyway. Out of 388 boys who have gone there only 11 of them have been counted as "lost." "We could have handled half of those too if we'd had the manpower," Farley declares with a firm jut of his square jaw.

Farley is pushing Boys Ranch forward nationally because he very frankly wants more contributions so that the scope of the project may be enlarged. He knows it is impossible but if he had his way about it. Boys Ranch would take every boy in the nation that needs rehabilitating.

If you don't think he's sincere about it all, just consider this fact; he sold a business that was paying him more than \$60,000 a year so he would have nothing to interfere with his work with boys. Today he has no income; he's just living on what he has accumulated in a quarter of a century of business in Amarillo. "I'm not a rich man but I have enough," he says.

Here's an example of the type boy the ranch is giving a chance in life:

Dorothy Kelley, Farley's secretary was helping one day at the ranch while a physician removed the tonsils of one of the newcomers. He was a skinny kid who showed evidence of having been beaten around frequently, before the ranch got him.

"When the boy came out from under the influence of the anesthetic I put my hand on his shoulder, just to let him know he had a friend," pretty, brunette Mrs. Kelley said. "He yelled 'Don't hit me. I haven't done anything.'"

The youngster has changed a lot in the short time he has been at Boys Ranch.

Farley had a broad grin when he visited the ranch the day after the arrival of Ronnie Peterson, the boy who, with a companion, "borrowed" an airplane at Oklahoma City. Ronnie had come to Boys Ranch instead of making a trip to the reform school. The 12-year-old was the latest addition to the ranch

family.

"I like it here," he told Cal. "I'm going to get to ride a calf in the rodeo this afternoon."

Ronnie rode the calf as well as he rode that airplane that got him into so much trouble.

When a boy first arrives at the ranch, he is placed in one of the smaller, more crowded barracks. At this time he is delegated more responsibility. The last step of advancement for a boy is to be given a room in the home of one of the members of the staff. He is taken in as one of the family and given even more responsible jobs to supervise and do himself, or he may be chosen as one of the few to go to the farm near Dimmitt. The boys usually pass through the stages of training in about five years. No boy yet has been kept at the ranch beyond the age of 18. They either are ready to face the world on their own or have been "lost." The latter, of course, are very few.

There is a staff of nine people operating the ranch. Hank Decker, former basketball star at West Texas State College, is superintendent. His wife serves as a teacher in the school. Lewis (Bullet) Gray, former football player at the University of Texas, is the athletic coach, and his wife also is a teacher. Other members of the staff are Mrs. Beatrice King, teacher; Bud Dearborn, leathercraft instructor; Mrs. Maude Thompson, in charge of clothing; Morgan Bagley, supervisor of farming, and Harold Faucher, cook.

Mrs. Annie Brown had with her over the week end three of her daughters, one son, five grandchildren, and one great granddaughter. These guests were Mrs. George Messenger of Bellview, N. M., Mrs. J. H. Izard of Clovis, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Estes, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown and daughters, Marjorie, Joan, and Sharon, of Abilene, Mrs. Peter La Gregor and daughter, Mary Carolyn of Newark, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Estes Jr. of Levelland.

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Legal Notices

H. J. R. No. 39

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 1-a, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of Appellate Courts and Judges of District and Criminal District Courts on account of length of service, age or disability, and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed; providing for the submission of the Amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as "Section 1-a," which shall read as follows:

"Section 1-a. The Legislature shall provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal District Courts on account of length of service, age or disability, and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted

to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the second day of November, 1948, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal District Courts of this State on account of length of service, age or disability and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal District Courts of this State on account of length of service, age or disability and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hill of the Needwood community spent last week vacationing in Colorado Springs, Colo.

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Wed Recently

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Dollar were married July 10 at Childress in a single ring ceremony. Mrs. Dollar is the former Miss Alene Amerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Amerson.

Members of Handley and Owen Families Gather Here For Week-End Reunion

Marie Gibson Weds Bill Black Aug. 2

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gibson announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Marie Gibson to Bill Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Black, which took place Monday night, August 2, at 9 p.m. in the parsonage of the Church of Christ in Dodson. Min. J. L. Prichard read the ceremony in the presence of a few friends.

The bride was attired in an aqua blue dress with gold accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Miss Margarite Fincher attended the bride as maid of honor. She wore a black dress with red accessories and her flowers were a corsage of white carnations.

John Dewey Gibson, brother of the bride, served as best man.

The groom attended school at Quail and Dodson. At the present he is employed with Holton's Service Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Black are at home in Wellington.

R. L. Thomsons Celebrate Forty-fifth Anniversary Monday, August 2

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thompson celebrated their forty-fifth wedding anniversary August 2 in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson have been residents of Samnorwood for over thirty years where Mr. Thompson has been engaged in farming. They are former residents of Ellis County. They have three children, Luther Thompson of Samnorwood, Leroy Thompson of Mangum, and Mrs. Clement.

Those present for the bountiful dinner were Mrs. L. C. Terry, sister of Mr. Thompson of Ennis; Mrs. L. L. Jordan and daughter, Dolores Mae of Ennis; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thompson; La Ferne Thompson of Shamrock; and the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thompson, and the hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clement and Peggy.

Samnorwood Group Honors Mrs. Barney Walker With Shower in Payne Home

Mrs. Barney Walker was complimented with a bridal shower recently in the home of Mrs. Oscar Payne with Mmes. Wood Coleman, Theo Parker, and Oscar Payne as hostesses.

The house was decorated with seasonal flowers. Mrs. Coleman served the punch and Mrs. Parker registered the guests.

Attending were Mmes. Tom Cunningham, Burt Starkey, L. J. Bradley, W. H. Montgomery, S. J. Glazner, Ada Thompson, S. W. Norwood, C. H. Caperton, A. A. Coleman, Orville Cunningham, A. J. Wischkaemper Jr., Lou Rankin, Guss Gooch, S. J. Carrell, Lee Roark, Jess Deger, J. W. Neely, The-one Cullender, Jim Clark, Miss Billie Rankin.

Those sending gifts were Mmes. Clarence Garrison, C. P. Brown, Lucy Montgomery, Henry Bockman, Pat Bradley, C. Loring, Luther Thompson, Lee Thompson, W. H. Riley, Frank Massey, Hugh Grogan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hext and two children, Dora Mae and Robert, of Canadian, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Love Sunday.

Farewell Party Honors Mrs. T. E. Bengé

The Homemaker's Class honored Mrs. T. E. Bengé with a farewell party Tuesday night, August 3, in the home of Mrs. A. N. Hutcherson.

Mrs. L. A. Moore gave a devotional on friendship, and Miss Jo Ann Bumpas gave a reading.

The class and friends presented Mrs. Bengé with lovely gifts.

Refreshments of angel food cake and punch were served to Mmes. T. E. Bengé, Tom Berry, Henry Davidson, Joe Stowell, L. A. Moore, L. A. Hunt, Jack Ball, T. A. Hudson, Creed Hill, M. M. Koen, Miss Jo Ann Bumpas, and the hostesses, Mmes. Roy Cunningham, H. S. Riggs, Willie Smith, H. A. Davis, J. L. Burt, and A. S. Hutcherson.

Ladies Guild Meets With Mrs. Enis Schaded Monday, August 9

Mrs. Enis Schaded was hostess to the Ladies Guild of the Our Lady of Mercy Church Monday night, August 9.

The program consisted of a study of Church Doctrine which was conducted by Father Knapp. Afterwards a social hour was observed.

Attending were Miss Reda Duncan, Mrs. Gene Lewis, Miss Mary Lewis, Miss Katherine Boverie, Father Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. Enis Schaded, Diane and Yvette, and Mrs. Slaem Serur of San Marcos, sister of the hostess.

Party Honors Miss Susie Shelburn in Bill Hughes' Home, Friday, Aug. 6

Miss Susie Shelburn was honored with a swim party and supper in the Bill Hughes' home at the Mill Iron Ranch Friday night, August 6.

The young people were entertained with games, and later a swim. Afterwards a delicious supper was served to Sidney Gulley, Betty Wright, Georgia Nell Gallen, Rodgers Melton, Joe Lynn Moore, Donald Joe Terry, Cameron Beam, Sandy Parsons III, Thomas Kutch, Josephine Kutch, Robin Brownley, the hostess, Naneen Hughes, and the honoree, Susie Shelburn.

Miss Shelburn is the niece of Mrs. E. W. Jones. Her home is in Dallas.

Dinner Honors Oran Allen On Birthday July 25 In Allen Home

Mrs. W. H. Allen and Ruth entertained a group of young people with a Sunday dinner in their home near Hedley honoring their son and brother, Oran Allen, on his birthday.

Those present were Misses Alice Wilderson, Ruby Thomas, Cora Mae Frances, Ann Mote, Billy Thomas, and Billy Wilderson, Johnny Mac and A. V. Mote, Bill Casey, Rod Oatman, Carrol Allen, and the hostesses, Mrs. Allen and Ruth.

Others visiting in the afternoon were Lee O'Hair, Harry Wilkerson, Robert Beattie, Jerry Prichards and Eugene Prichards.

Wednesday Club Honors Mrs. T. E. Bengé With Party Aug. 7

The Wednesday Club honored Mrs. T. E. Bengé Saturday afternoon, Aug. 7, with a party and luncheon in the home of Mrs. James Doneghy.

After the guests were entertained with bridge, they each presented Mrs. T. E. Bengé with a gift.

A two course luncheon was served to Mmes. Creed Hill, Sandy Parsons Sr., J. B. Castleberry, N. Louis, Martha Hudson, S. R. Pinkston, Pink Sullivan, T. E. Bengé, E. W. Moss, and the hostess, Mrs. James Doneghy.

Mrs. Pinkston, Mrs. Sullivan, and Mrs. E. W. Moss were visitors of the club.

Kay Gray Honored on Fourth Birthday Saturday, July 31, In J. F. Holley Home

A birthday party honored Miss Kay Gray Saturday, July 31, on her fourth birthday in the J. F. Holley home.

The little guests played games, then refreshments of ice cream, cake, punch, and candy hearts were served. Balloon favors were given to the guests.

After the refreshments were served, the gifts were opened.

Present at the party were Judy Smith, Sherry Smith, Stacy Taylor, Lynell Elbert, Gayland Jones, Vivian Thomason, Vicky Glenn, Celia Ray Anderson, Anne McCarver, Quinda Patterson, Marc Coleman, Dan Hiett, Neal Russell, Mike and Pat Gray, and the honoree, Kay Gray.



4-H Club Leader

One of the outstanding 4-H Club girls ever to represent Collingsworth County is Miss Ida Louise Knoll, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Knoll of the Nicholson community. Miss Knoll will enter college this fall, but before she does, she will again represent the county in the 4-H Club clothing contest in Dallas.

Circle 2 of WSCW Meets In Home of Mrs. Sam Gholson, Aug. 3

Circle 2 of the WSCS met in the home of Mrs. Sam Gholson Tuesday, August 3. Mrs. E. K. Jones gave the devotional and Mrs. A. L. Elliott was in charge of the program.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. E. K. Jones, A. L. Elliott, Lester Smith, Noel Bryant, Joe McWilliams, Marjorie Roy, and the hostess, Mrs. Sam Gholson.

SALT FORK

Several farmers have finished hoeing. The rest are really working hoping to get through in the next few days.

Rev. C. A. Wells filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Morris, Mrs. W. W. Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Wilson attended church here Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Willard and children attended both services here Sunday.

The revival of the Salt Fork Methodist Church will start August 29th. Rev. Vernon Willard will assist Brother C. A. Wells.

R. H. Isbell has been working with the Chickasha Gin Repair crew the last few days. We hope they get these gins in good shape. It looks as if we may have a bumper cotton crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Lancaster were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clifton Sunday and attended singing here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Isbell and Patsy spent Sunday in the Wright and Isbell home.

The Sweden family and relatives who are vacationing in California write that they are having a grand time.

Wyne and Mary Ann Wells and Don and Jack Isbell spent Sunday with Charles and Edna Ellen Wright.

La Juan Wilson, Darrel Morris, Benie and Sheri Graham were Sunday visitors of Doris and Ronald Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Harris are spending a few days with the J. W. Gollighugh family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gollighugh visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gladney and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gollighugh in Amarillo a few days last week.

Several farmers from out here met with the commissioners this week helping boost for new bridge over near the Shamrock highway. We surely need that road opened.

Quarterly conference will be held at Fresno the 5th Sunday in August. Brother Hamilton will preach at the 11 o'clock hour. There will be dinner at the noon hour.

We're sorry we didn't have any news only who visited who on Sunday, but we are too busy out here to have any news except what we do on Sunday. We are plowing, hoeing, canning, house cleaning, etc. all through the week. I heard some ladies talking Sunday night and it seems like there is lots of washing and ironing going on too. School starts soon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Darnell returned August 5 from Missouri and Kansas where they had been visiting their children and other relatives and friends since July 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brecht and children Marijon and Patricia Starr of Edinburg are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Scruggs.

4-H Girls Plan Encampment

Collingsworth County 4-H Club Girls will enjoy an over night camping at the Pan-Fork Baptist Encampment Grounds Thursday and Friday, August 12 and 13, announced Miss Joy Riley, 4-H Demonstrator for this county.

Girls and sponsors from the six 4-H clubs are expected to attend. The program planned for the encampment includes singing, crafts, stunts, swimming and other forms of recreation. A picnic supper will be served Thursday evening, a breakfast Friday morning, and a picnic lunch Friday at noon.

T. E. L. Class Elects Officers at Social Thursday, Aug. 5

The T. E. L. Sunday School Class had their regular monthly meeting and luncheon Thursday, August 5, in the basement of the First Baptist Church.

Officers were elected for the coming year. Mrs. Nobel Murray is teacher, Mrs. Stella Maddox assistant teacher, Mrs. A. O. Sweat, president, Mrs. Louis Keller, secretary, Mrs. Mary Lampkin, assistant secretary, Mrs. Fred Kersten, treasurer, Mrs. Maddox, Mrs. R. S. Montague, Mrs. Joe West, and Mrs. Fred Kersten are vices.

Plans were discussed for the annual T. E. L. home coming which will be August 27.

LOCO

By BETHINE ADKINS

Mrs. B. Hamman was a medical patient in the St. Joseph's Hospital this week. She is reported to be improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McClendon and daughters of Hollis visited in the E. V. McClendon home Sunday.

Mr. T. H. Rainer is reported to be improving. He is a medical patient in the St. Joseph Hospital.

Mrs. Alma Coursey and son, Aubra Coursey, of Amarillo, visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Adkins, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown and Ronnie visited relatives in the Hollis hospital Sunday.

Frank and Wilson Talley of Scott City, Kansas, visited in the M. L. Adkins home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hagerman and children have gone to East Texas for a two weeks vacation. They will visit Mrs. Hagerman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brow Love-lace at Paris.

Mrs. Owen King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Terry, underwent a major operation in the St. Joseph's hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Belew and children of Wellington visited Mrs. Fannie Belew and Mrs. Herman Belew Sunday.

Bill Thomas of Dallas visited in the J. R. Thomas and J. W. Fields homes over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. McClendon visited relatives in Quana and Gould Friday.

Mrs. W. C. Minter returned home Saturday from Pampa where she has been a medical patient. She is recovering rapidly.

W. M. Durfee attended the Men's Camp at Ceta Canyon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. King of Wellington visited in the Arlie community Sunday.

LILLE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

Sunday School was well attended Sunday at Lille.

The Baptist revival meeting will begin Friday night. Rev. Bill Bruce will do the preaching. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. George Lockhart of San Antonio visited in the William Blasingame home last week.

Mrs. S. E. Brown returned home Saturday from a visit in the Claude Brown home at Tulsa. She also visited the Ethridge Ward's at Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Horton visited in the Homer Davis home Sunday evening.

Miss Juanita Calcote visited Mrs. Thelma Bowen at Shamrock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones of Stillwater, Okla., are visiting in the Homer Davis home this week.

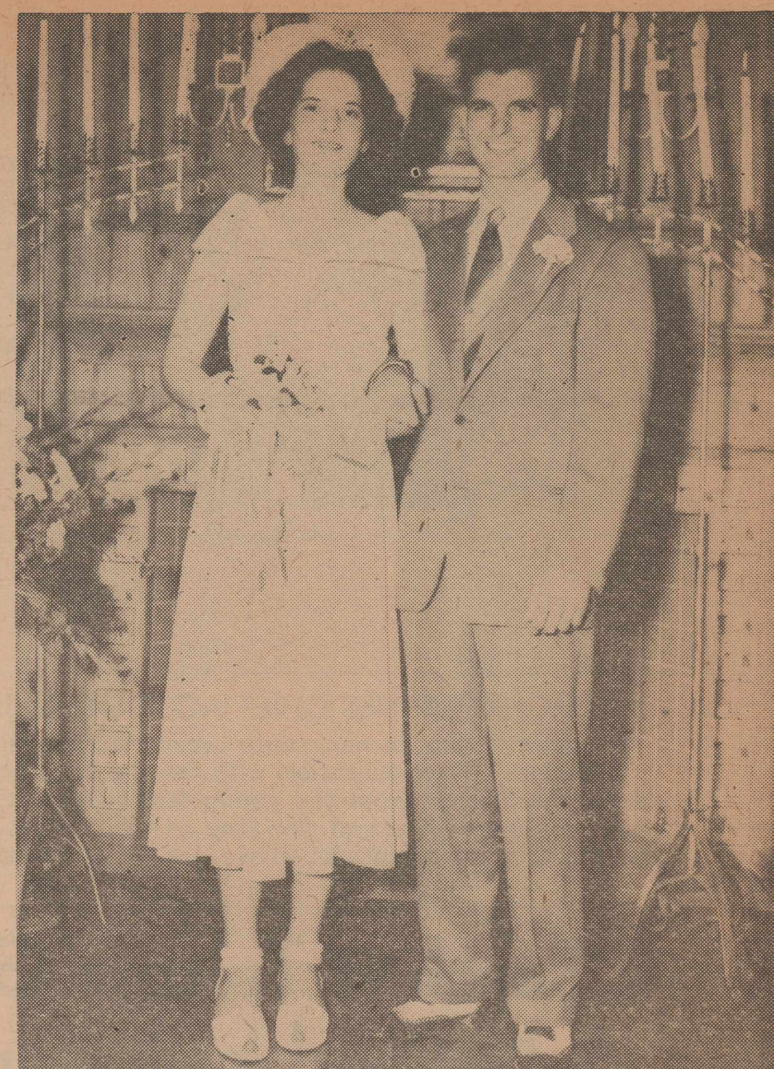
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Needham visited in the Tallett home at Buck Creek Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Grigby, Rev. Grigby of the Ring community, and Mrs. Bill Carraker of Oklahoma City visited in the L. D. McMinn home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shay Morris visited in the Buck Morris home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Needham of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. Marden Dobbin of Amarillo visited in the C. S. Needham home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conn Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Robertson visited in the G. D. Thomas home Sunday evening.



At Home in Fort Worth

The above picture is Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hoy Jr. of Fort Worth. They were married recently in a double ring ceremony in the Broadway Baptist Church Parlor. Mrs. Hoy is remembered here as Miss Geraldine Graham, a former resident of Wellington. Mr. Hoy is formerly of Texarkana, but now is employed with the Consolidated Air Craft.

Dodson Community Honors The Dewey Malone Family With Farewell Party

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Malone and daughter Betty Sue were honored recently with a farewell party given by the Dodson Community in the Dodson City Park.

A large crowd attended this affair bringing basket lunches which they spread for a picnic supper and gifts for the honorees. Various organizations also presented the Malones with gifts.

The Malones who are moving to Lubbock have made their home in Dodson for over twenty-five years. Mr. Malone came to Dodson shortly after the first World War and started business by opening a drug store. Mrs. Malone came to Dodson a few years later as a teacher. They were married and have lived there operating a drug store since that time.

Miss Betty Sue Malone graduated from the Dodson High School with the class of '46. For the past two years she has attended John Tarleton College at Stephenville. She plans to attend Texas Tech at Lubbock in the fall.

Personal

Mary Ann, Barbara, Sally and Tom Minter, children of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Minter of Dallas, have been guests in the home of their grandmother, Mrs. R. H. Templeton, and their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Templeton, for the last five weeks. Their mother, who will be remembered here as Miss Idabell Templeton, was here last week. Mr. Templeton returned the group to their home Friday. Mrs. Minter is employed in the classified advertising department of the Dallas Times-Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Love and son, Lynn, of Pampa, visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Love, Friday.

Miss Cecil Clark of Lubbock is here visiting with friends.

Miss Marion Long of Memphis visited friends in Wellington Saturday.

Mrs. Salem Serur of San Marcos is visiting her sister, Mrs. Enis Schaded and family.

Tom King of Shamrock was a medical patient in St. Joseph's hospital last week.

Mrs. Earl Prince was a recent medical patient in St. Joseph's hospital.

Clayton Vick of Shamrock was a medical patient in St. Joseph's hospital last week.

Mrs. Owen King was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital last week.

Mrs. Homer Davis returned home this week from a visit in the A. E. Mathis home in Madill, Oklahoma.

The crops in the Lillie community are looking fine yet they are late for this time of the year. Nearly everyone is through with their hoeing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomason Honored With Farewell Party In Joel Orr Home, Aug. 2

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomason were honored Monday night, August 2, with a farewell social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Orr.

After the guests had sang and visited, gifts for the honorees were opened.

The Thomasons are pioneers of the O. M. community where they are loved and respected by all. After having lived here for 46 years, they will now make their home in Wellington.

They are familiarly known as Uncle Lon and Aunt Annie, and have been active in church work and the upbuilding of a better community in which they live.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Thomason and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knowles and family, Mrs. Grover Wilhite and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Royal, Mr. and Mrs. John Kizer, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gibson and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hardin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomason, Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Wilhite, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilhite and Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Randall and Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Estes and Rita Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Holly, Norma Ruth and Doris Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boggs and Edith, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kellison and Peggy, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Conaway, Rayburn Battles, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Orr and family, and the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomason.

Sisters Together Aug. 1 For First Time in 25 Years at Glasgow Home

Four sisters—Mrs. J. N. Glasgow, Mrs. W. J. Smith of Campbell, Calif., Mrs. J. C. Stephens of Amarillo, and Mrs. Edith Hastee of Amarillo—visited with each other Sunday, August 1, in the home of Mrs. J. S. Glasgow for the first time in the past 25 years. A reunion for the Alexander family was held in Amarillo last week, but Mrs. Glasgow was unable to attend because of illness. Approximately 70 members of the family were present.

Mrs. Glasgow and Mrs. Stephens are twin sisters.

Other guests visiting Mrs. J. N. Glasgow and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Glasgow Jr. over the week end were Mrs. Marie Wilson of Campbell, California, daughter of Mrs. W. J. Smith; Mrs. Millie Baldwin of Fort Worth; Mrs. Opal Johnson of Amarillo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stephens; Miss Wilma Fay Hastee and Miss Bernice Hastee of Amarillo; and J. C. Stephens.

Sandra Kay Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooper was a tonsillectomy patient in St. Joseph's Hospital last Thursday.

James Floyd, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Floyd was a medical patient in St. Joseph's hospital last week.

DOZIER

Mrs. E. E. Rankin, Tom Rankin and daughter, Mrs. Margaret Serber and children of Florence, Arizona, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Rankin and Effie Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wischkaemper Jr. were in Pampa attending the Top of Texas Rodeo one day this week.

Mrs. Clint Crooks and children of Eugene, Oregon, are guests of Mrs. Crooks' mother, Mrs. Jennie Shields and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Rankin and Miss Effie Rankin were in Hollis, Okla., Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Luce and daughter Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Shanks and children returned Sunday from a vacation spent at Eagle Nest, Colorado.

Mrs. B. A. Neece accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Throckmorton to Temple where Mrs. Throckmorton was a medical patient.

A revival meeting is in progress at the Glen Davis Memorial Methodist Church this week. Rev. Dunham of Shamrock is doing the preaching, Mrs. Beasley and Mr. Clement have charge of the music.

Mrs. Reasoner and daughters of Gorman are here visiting Mrs. J. W. Sechrist. The Reasoners are former residents of the Dozier community.

Quinby Payne of Gainesville, Georgia is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Payne. Quinby is attending a G. I. School in Gainesville.

Miss Julie Wischkaemper, a student of WTSC in Canyon is a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wischkaemper Sr.

N. A. Tanner Sr. was a visitor in the J. F. Payne home this week. Mr. Tanner formerly lived here but moved away in the interest of his health.

Dub Merchant and Rose Taylor fished near Lawton, Okla., this week.

Rev. Homer Long and family and Rev. Dunham were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Murry Sunday.

Readers of
The Leader

Last week a subscription started to Thomas T. Durham of Clovis, N. M., the man who founded The Wellington Leader. A renewal was received for Mrs. C. E. King, Jr., 421 Ohio St., Clairton, Penna. Mrs. King is the daughter of Misha Dukeminier. D. M. Shanks, who keeps the paper going to all his children subscribed for G. P. Shanks, Hollis.

Other new and renewal subscriptions were for Mrs. Gibbs Glenn, city; Pink Sullivan, city; Milbern Gibbs, Rt. 5; M. T. White, Rt. 1, Quail; Pete Brock, city; Goat's Cafe, city; William J. Grigg, city; R. D. Jones, Rt. 1, Quail;

H. D. Jones, Rt. 1, Quail; Amos Phipps, Rt. 5; W. E. Johnson, Rt. 3; T. J. Way, Memphis; Mrs. Bud Davidson, 607 West Ave. C, Childress; J. H. White, Rt. 6; Guy Beasley, McLean; Fred Congdon, Tucumcari, N. M.; Dick Judd, 2410 Rule, Amarillo; U. S. Army Recruiting Station, Amarillo; Earl Shields, Sunray.

E. M. Cook, Rt. 1; T. W. Devenport, city; Ray Clubb, Rt. 2; J. H. Nooe, city; G. A. Ream, 27 N. 33rd St., Muskogee, Okla.

Changes of addresses were received for: Mrs. Nicholas Louis, from 1525 West Warren, Detroit, Mich., to 4616 Vancouver St., Detroit; G. E. Estes from Wellington to Plippin, Ark.; Floyd Brown from 510 B NE 3rd Amarillo, to 501 Kentucky, Amarillo;

Mrs. T. A. Cooper from Arrey, N. M., to Kingston, Ark.; A. G. Abbott from Wellington to 1323 B. Fillmore, Amarillo; George Admire from Rt. 6 to Bowie; Dewey Malone from Dodson to 2615 20th St., Lubbock;

Wayne Parker from Wellington to 315 N. Penn, Mangum, Okla.; J. C. Claunich from Reseda, Calif., to 6416 Bonner Ave., Hollywood Calif., and Mrs. Bernard Seay from McMurtry Station, Abilene, to Weinert.

Third Sunday Singers
Meet at Salt Fork
Church August 15

The regular 3rd Sunday singing will be held in the Salt Fork Methodist Church Sunday, August 15th at 2:30 p.m. in the Salt Fork Community.

President Buck Lancaster urges everyone who likes to listen to good gospel singing to attend. The public is cordially invited.

Raymond Horton, reporter

ROUNDUP

By THELMA WAYNE JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Rountree and family of California are visiting with their mothers, Mrs. Margaret Rountree of Wellington, and Mrs. W. C. Ketner Sr., and other relatives and friends in the county.

E. E. Brashears and Elmer Smith went to San Antonio just to look around down there.

Our surrounding communities surely hated to lose Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hale Sr. as neighbors. They moved last week to Wellington.

Rita Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Webb and daughter, Verna Nell of

Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Blackwell and children of Amarillo are vacationing around this county with relatives and friends.

Lon Welborn spent a while Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Todd and family.

Mrs. Elmer Smith left the past Sunday to have a check-up made in a Dallas hospital.

Alfred Knoll spent a while the past Monday morning in the Wayne Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Moody and daughter, Geraldine, spent a while last Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Sherfield and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Moody and daughters, Peggy and Geraldine, spent a while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beall and family of near Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deger have returned from their vacation through Colorado. They visited Mrs. Deger's brother, Mr. and Mrs. True Benton, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Glenn Waters are returning from a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Waters, of near Dallas.

Mrs. Carol Blevins of Quail was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital last week.

George Barnes entered St. Joseph's Hospital August 4 for medical treatment.

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Mrs. Dave Bowers
Dies at Shamrock

Mrs. Dave Bowers, 61, a pioneer of this area and a former Wellington resident, died at her home in Shamrock Thursday, August 5, after having been in ill health 18 months and critically ill for four weeks.

Funeral services were held Thursday evening at 5:00 p.m.

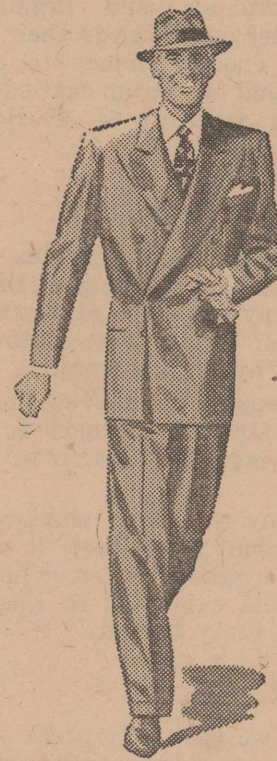
at the Methodist church in Shamrock.

Mrs. Bowers was before her marriage Miss Rada Copeland, who was born at Weatherford August 15, 1886. She came to Wheeler County from Ardmore, Oklahoma, in 1904, and in 1906 she was married to Tandy Trimble, at a ranch home two miles south of Shamrock.

She resided here from about 1922 to 1924, then moved to Shamrock to make her home. In 1932 she was married to Dave Bowers,

a pioneer of this area. He preceded her in death in 1941. One daughter, Virgie Trimble, also preceded her in death on September 23, 1923, at the age of nine.

Surviving are two sons and two daughters, Lee Trimble and Marion Trimble of Shamrock, Mrs. Frances Harris of Amarillo and Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor of Junction. Eleven grandchildren, two sisters, four brothers, her step-mother, four half sisters and three half brothers also survive.

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Editorial

Uncle Bob Underwood, veteran Amarillo lawyer and politician, in a statement trying to throw his old political machine for Lyndon Johnson for U. S. senator, insinuates that Coke Stevenson as governor lacked leadership in handling the Rainey row at the University of Texas.

Underwood said: "As governor he (Stevenson) permitted a condition to develop at the University in the days of Dr. Rainey that it will take years to overcome. Leadership and understanding would have seen and corrected without the dissension and damage that our great University, one of the richest in the nation, has suffered."

One wonders of the Amarillo veteran politician believes that Johnson, if he were governor at that time, would have usurped the authority, if possible, of the Board of Regents of the University. Time has shown that Coke Stevenson was right as could be in keeping hands off the University, leaving administration to the duly constituted authorities.

If Underwood is advocating a candidate who is going to butt into all affairs, whether he has any business or not, Texas does not want Johnson for senator. The voters August 28 will show that they want a reliable senator, who has real administrative ability, as evidenced by 5½ years as governor of Texas.

Uncle Bob has been semi-retired in politics the past 10 years and his emergency in the Johnson campaign shows that he needs to be brought up to date in Texas public affairs—from The Panhandle Herald.

Other Editors Say

• Wheeler Gives to Boys Ranch

At the suggestion of Fred Drum, local resident, two members of the Wheeler American Legion, Don Curl and Virgil Jamison, decided it would be nice if the people of Wheeler could do something to help Boys Ranch and since this is the canning time of the year and most people use a lot of sugar, they figured the ranch would be needing a lot of sugar so decided to raise enough money around Wheeler to carry the boys a ton of sugar.

Firms, individuals and organizations around Wheeler dug down in their pockets and donated enough money to buy the ton of Sugar and Mr. Drum carried it up to the boys last Saturday—J. C. Howell in The Wheeler Times.

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• Oil Interest in Donley

Another search for oil in this vicinity was under way this morning as the Honolulu Oil Company made preparations to drill on the old golf course west of town. The land is owned by Wesley Knorpp.

A recent geophysical survey showed indications of stratum common to oil deposits, in the northwest corner of the golf course tract.

The company will run a shallow test to a depth of about 1,500 feet, it was disclosed, to determine whether or not potential oil deposits exist—A. D. Eastlack in The Donley County Leader.

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• Irrigated Cotton

This week we saw fifty acres of cotton that Jack Hunter is irrigating from a deep well in the Groesbeck community and we saw another patch that Bryan White irrigates from the creek northeast of Quanah. It looks that the cotton will be so tall that if it fruits well, the pickers will not have to stoop or crawl to gather the crop. Some of us might have made good cotton pickers if irrigation had come to the county years earlier. Some of the cotton that had to be replanted will have to be gathered in the regular lowdown style though, so we feel no regrets at missing that calling.

Cotton over the county as a whole looks so well that if the conditions continue, the cotton growers will be riding in newer model black market cars than the wheat men—Anton Koch in The Quanah Chief.

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• Human Nature

Human Nature is seldom sufficiently flexible to admit that most of its tears are harvested from deliberate planting and frequently after extensive cultivation—Douglas Meador in The Matador Tribune.



FLORIDA PEACHES INSPECT PINEAPPLE

Florida may soon boast it's the only state growing pineapple on a large scale. Peggy Wilson and Joyce Chandler look over this year's crop on a plantation near Miami. Started in 1945, the plantation now has 100 acres in cultivation. By 1950, growers hope to increase it to 400 acres.

Legal Notices

H. J. R. No. 13

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION amending Section 15 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a provision that the husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severalty or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property, whereupon without prejudice to the right of existing creditors the portion or separate set aside to each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of such spouse; further providing that such Constitutional Amendment if adopted shall be self-operative and self-executing; providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the promulgation and publication thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 15 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 15. All property, both real and personal, of the wife, owned or claimed by her before marriage, and that acquired afterward by gift, devise or descent, shall be the separate property of the wife; and laws shall be passed more clearly defining the rights of the wife, in relation as well to her separate property as that held in common with her husband; provided that husband and wife, without prejudice to pre-existing creditors, may from time to time by written instrument as if the wife were a feme sole partition between themselves in severalty or into equal undivided interests all or any part of their existing community property, or exchange between themselves the community interest of one spouse in any property for the community interest of the other spouse in other community property, whereupon the portion or interest set aside to each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of such spouse. This Amendment is self-operative, but laws may be passed pre-

scribing requirements as to the form and manner of execution of such instruments, and providing for their recordation, and for such other reasonable requirements not inconsistent herewith as the Legislature may from time to time consider proper with relation to the subject of this Amendment. Should the Legislature pass an Act dealing with the subject of this Amendment and prescribing requirements as to the form and manner of the execution of such instruments and providing for their recordation and other reasonable requirements not inconsistent herewith and anticipatory hereto, such Act shall not be invalid by reason of its anticipatory character and shall take effect just as though this Constitutional Amendment was in effect when the Act was passed."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at an election to be held throughout the State on the second day of November, 1948, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "FOR the Amendment to the

Constitution of the State of Texas providing that husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severalty or into undivided interests community property existing at the time of partition so as to convert same into separate property of the respective spouses without prejudice to the rights of pre-existing creditors."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severalty or into undivided interests community property existing at the time of partition so as to convert same into separate property of the respective spouses without prejudice to the rights of pre-existing creditors."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
proposing an Amendment of Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes for certain purposes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations; providing for submission to the qualified electors and for the necessary proclamation by the Governor.
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution be amended so as to be read as follows:

"Section 1-a. From and after January 1, 1951, no State ad valorem tax shall be levied upon any property within this State for general revenue purposes. From and after January 1, 1951, the several counties of the State are authorized to levy ad valorem taxes upon all property within their respective boundaries for county purposes, except the first Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) value of residential homesteads, not to exceed thirty cents (30c) on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation, in addition to all other ad valorem taxes authorized by the Constitution of this State, provided the revenue derived therefrom shall be used for construction and maintenance of Farm to Market Roads or for Flood Control, except as herein otherwise provided.

"Provided that in those counties or political subdivisions or areas of the State from which tax donations have heretofore been granted, the State Automatic Tax Board shall continue to levy the full amount of the State ad valorem tax for the duration of such donation, or until all legal obligations heretofore au-



WHOA, GAL!

The very latest in cowgirl fashions is modeled here by Dorothy Malone movie feature player. The white short is of heavy rough crepe, with gold nailheads across the yoke line. Frontier pants are of beige gaudine. Ten-gallon hat and white string gloves with chamois palms complete the ensemble. Gaddap, gal.

thorized by the law granting such donation or donations shall have been fully discharged, whichever shall first occur; provided that if

such donation to any such county or political subdivision is for less than the full amount of State ad valorem taxes so levied, the portion of such taxes remaining over and above such donation shall be retained by said county or subdivision."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "FOR the Constitutional Amendment of Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations," and "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment of Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations." Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation to our many friends and neighbors who were so thoughtful and did so many kind deeds for us during the illness of our wife and mother, Mrs. Sam Berryman. May God bless each of you.
Sam Berryman and family

Use Want Ads for Results.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shanks and Elmer Shanks visited in Amarillo over the week end.

John Alf Thomas entered St. Joseph's Hospital July 28 as a tonsillectomy patient.

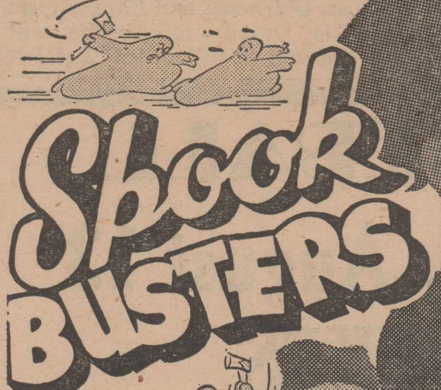
Edith Gosnell was a surgical patient July 28 in St. Joseph's Hospital.

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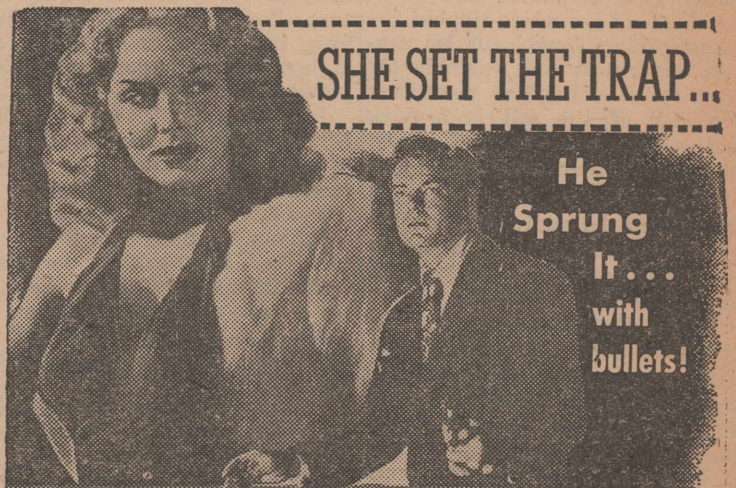


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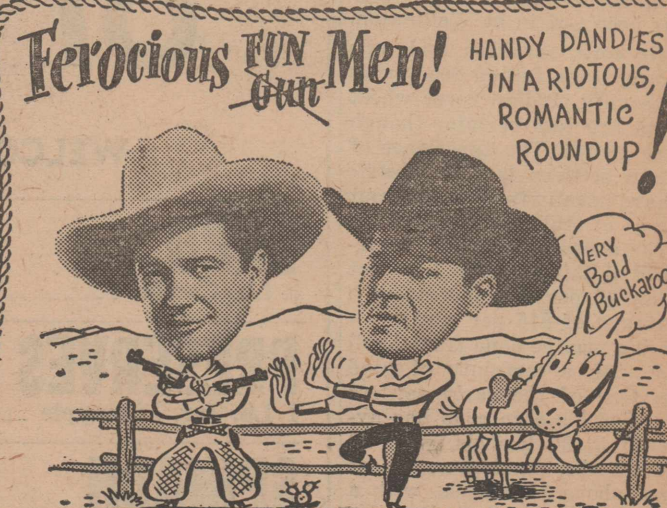
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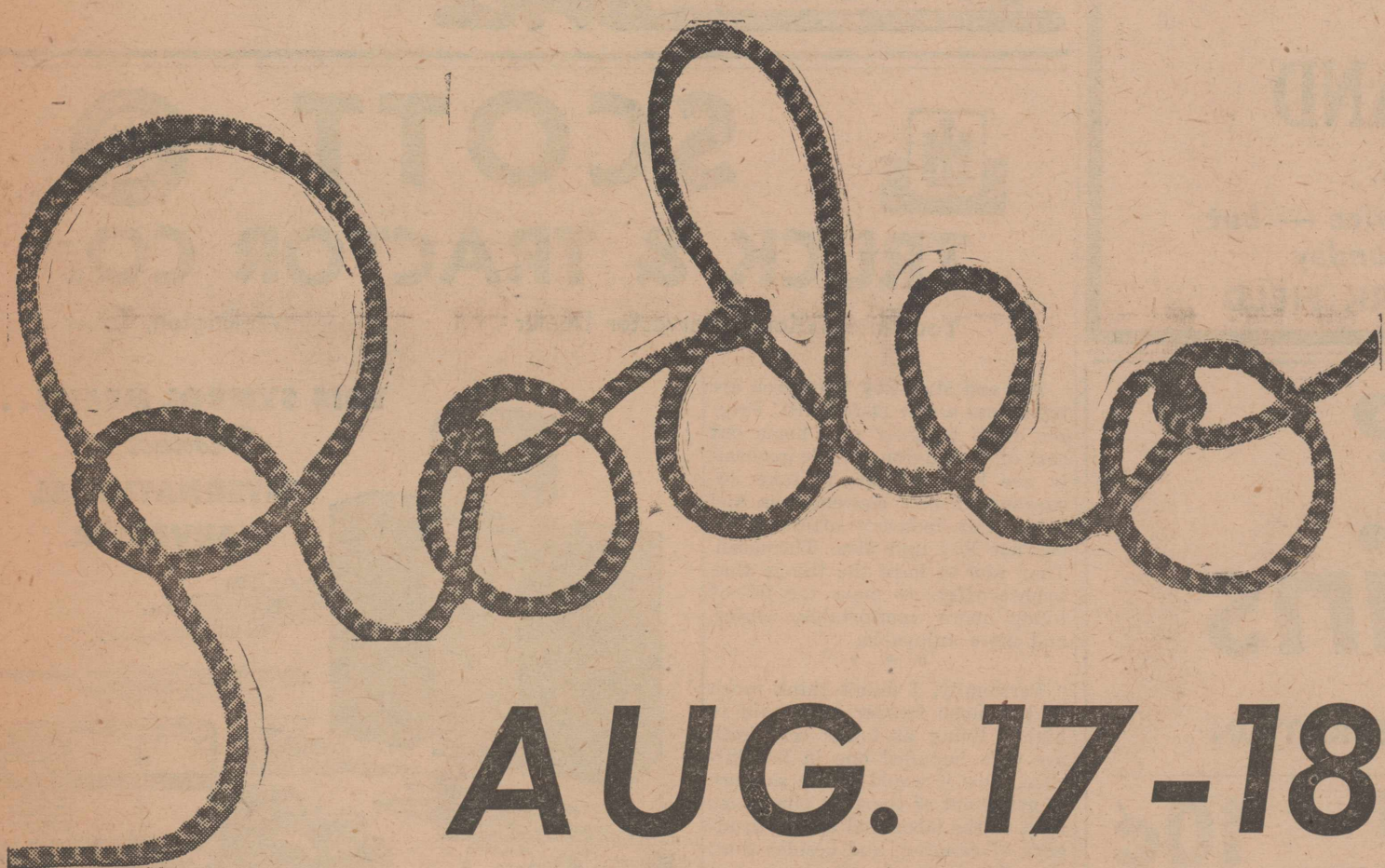


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Everybody with horses
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EACH DAY

Come one, Come All. It will be four days of more varied entertainment than Wellington has had in many a day—Old Settlers Reunion, Big Parade, Rodeo every night — the fastest in the Panhandle. Many Special Contests — Beautiful Horses, Beautiful Girls — Special Contests — Something for everybody.

We invite you to attend for we know you will like it.

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Unlucky Star

Tiny Miss Here After Accidents

After breaking her leg in two places from a fall, then falling from a speeding car, little Miss Ruth Ann Thomas thought maybe her lucky star wasn't so lucky.

Playing dress-up in her mother's shoes proved to be dangerous to the two year old girl, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dickson, when she fell and twisted her leg. It was broken in two places above the knee. After having her leg in a cast for eight weeks, Ruth Ann was much better and well enough to visit her grandparents in Seminole, Okla.

As Ruth Ann and her grandparents were returning from an out of town trip, she accidentally opened the door of the car and fell out. The automobile was traveling at a speed of 45 miles per hour. The child was fortunate, for she received only bad bruises and minor cuts and scratches.

Ruth Ann Thomas and her mother, Mrs. J. T. Thomas have been in Wellington visiting with the J. A. Dicksons and Steve Owens. Mrs. Thomas is Mr. and Mrs. Dickson's daughter and Mrs. Owens' sister. They have now returned to the west coast to meet Mr. Thomas, who is in the services. From there they will return to their home in Boon, Iowa.

Texas Almanac -

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Conservative estimates rate about two-thirds of the whole tillable, the balance being rough, cut by canyons and creeks and valuable for stock range only. The prevailing character of the soil is a dark loam, sometimes loose and sandy, sometimes rather close and tight.

For corn, cotton, milo maize and Kaffir corn the sandy land is equal or better than the tight lands, its superiority appearing in uncommonly dry years; but for wheat, oats and the smaller grains the advantage is with the tight lands.

Because of its wider utility the latter commands the higher price. Cotton has steadily grown in favor since the first experiments 12 and 13 years ago. Some of the early settlers have grown more or less cotton every year since 1890. The first two crops were short, attributed mainly to the mistake of early planting. Afterwards the yield has been from one-third to one bale per acre. These advantages are claimed for cotton growing here: That the staple is longer than further east; that considerably more ground can be tilled than in black land by equal labor; that planting time may be conveniently varied from the first of May to the middle of June, and that settled weather usually prevails throughout the fall and early winter, giving ample time for picking. In 1903 the county produced about 800 bales of cotton, from a gross acreage in the neighborhood of 2,000. A large gin has been put in at Wellington.

Kaffir corn, sorghum and milo maize are never failing feed crops of the county. Indian corn, wheat and oats are less certain, though they are grown. The experience of the early settlers is that Kaffir crops have usually turned out about three tons of stalk and head to the acre. The average price of all surplus feed of this kind has been not less than \$5 per ton, indicating a gross return of \$15 per acre.

Planting may be done from April to July with a certainty of good results. One of the early settlers reports that his corn crop has averaged 20 to 30 bushels, with 60 bushels as the maximum; wheat averaged above 15 bushels, with a few crops making 25 to 30 bushels; oats 50.

During the past few years many farmers have located in the county and have been successful in raising grain and feed crops. Settlement has been retarded by large holdings of individuals and companies, one cattle company alone owning 215 sections. Some of the large land holders, however, are now offering their property for sale in small tracts.

James B. Arnold of Wellington wrote the piece.

S. W. T. Lanham was governor of Texas in 1904.

Just four years before, Texans had cast 267,432 votes for William Jennings Bryan for president, only to see him lose to William McKinley, who got only 130,641 votes in the state.

San Antonio was still the state's largest city, with a population of 53,321. Houston had only 44,633 people and Dallas 42,638, according to the Almanac.

The population of the entire state was 3,048,710, less than half that of the Philippine Islands that the United States had acquired only a few years before.

Wellington is not included in the list of towns and villages with more than 100 population, but it is on the list of post offices, marked with a star to indicate it is also a money order office. Aberdeen is on this Post Office list, as are Loco and Quail.

Texas was mainly a cotton state, that crop valued at \$132,231,752 in 1903 in comparison to corn, valued at \$67,500,712. The oil industry was only three years old.

Writing of the geology and soil

Library Provides -

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list. "How to Stop Worrying and Start Living," just published by Dale Carnegie, is in the library and already is evoking popular response there.

"New Orleans Woman" by Harnett Kane is the popular and entertaining, yet true story of one of America's most famous law suits, one which dragged on for years and involved a considerable portion of the city of New Orleans. "Crazy Weather" deals with the American Indians in a well-written and interesting manner.

"The Nobel Prize Treasury" gives selections from the writings of those men and women who have been selected to receive the Nobel Prize for Literature through the years. There are selections from writers ranging from the ever popular Rudyard Kipling to those who are lesser known in America—Gerhardt Hauptman, Knudt Hamsen, Andre Gide and Pirandello.

"The Study of Costume" tells the story of dress through the centuries, from the early Roman era to the present.

"Our Vines Have Tender Grapes" by Martin will prove of interest to many readers, especially those who saw the motion picture version featuring Margaret O'Brien.

of Texas, Alexander Duessens of the School of Geology of the University described this section as:

"Though possessed of a fair degree of fertility, the insufficient rainfall and absence of artesian conditions, render these lands ill adapted for purposes of agriculture. For grazing purposes, however, they are unsurpassed, and it is here that an important livestock industry flourishes."

In the Panhandle section, in 1904, beef cattle were bringing \$15 and calves \$10; three and four year old steers were \$24; two year old steers \$18 and yearlings \$14.

Eggs were 2 cents a dozen and hens from \$4.00 to \$4.50 per dozen.

The schools of Texas were making rapid progress, but even so, the University of Texas had an enrollment for the year 1902-03 of only 1,348.

Collingsworth county teen-age girls getting ready to go down to T. S. C. W. at Denton, this fall might not recognize it by the name of the Girls Industrial College, nor would their parents recognize such prizes as: fees, \$20; clothes, \$25 to \$30 per year (the girls wore uniforms—board, \$12.50 to \$15 per month.

Miss Eva Lou Brewster is a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital this week.

Ritz Feature -

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one month. Heading the lineup is Warner Bros. technicolor musical comedy "Two Guys from Texas" starring Dennis Morgan and Jack Carson, which will play the Ritz August 15-16 as a pre-national release showing.

Following close will be Allied Artists' western comedy, "The Dude Goes West," starring Eddie Albert, which will be having one of its all-Oklahoma engagement openings at the Ritz theatre August 20.

Climaxing the series of advanced showing attractions will be the Chisholm Train States premiere of Howard Hawk's much-awaited epic western, perhaps the greatest ever made, "Red River" starring John Wayne, Montgomery Clift and Walter Brennan, which will be given extended playtime at the Ritz Friday through Tuesday, August 27 to 31.

Warners are giving "Two Guys from Texas" an ambitious pre-na-

tional release send-off exclusively in theatres throughout Oklahoma and Texas prior to its nation-wide release a month later. It will open first in key theatres in Oklahoma City, Dallas, San Antonio and Houston, and will be showing there at the same time it will be on the screen here, Manager Passmore said.

Stars Morgan and Carson and Dorothy Malone will make personal appearances at Oklahoma City and while in the state capital will be breakfasted with Governor Roy J. Turner, will be made honorary colonels in his staff, and featured in broadcasts over KOCY and KOMA. Miss Malone will also be made an Indian Princess by five Oklahoma Tribes.

"The Dude Goes West," opening date and day in Oklahoma theatres, is something out of the ordinary in comedy westerns—in fact, it puts the "new look" in the "old west," the showmanagers reports.

Every important theatre in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas from the Rio Grande to Abilene will be showing simultaneous "Red River,"

"Cimarron" and "The Covered Wagon" of years past.

These pictures are only a part of the array of outstanding film entertainment scheduled for Ritz theatre this month, the manager said.

Use Want Ads for Results.

Vetch Makes -

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do in the sandy-land sections of the county.

Mr. Thomas—the farmer—planted his vetch after talking the matter over with Mr. Thomas—the county agent, and getting what data he could on vetch as a soil

builder. At that time the crop was practically new here.

The vetch grew all last year and a seed cop was harvested from it. This spring the vetch had again reseeded itself an dwas plowed under.

Vance Hunt of Dallas visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hunt, over the week end.

BASEBALL

Friday, August 13

DUKES

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Reed, Oklahoma

8:00 P. M.

Sunday, August 15

DUKES

VS

KIRKLAND

3:00 P. M.

Kirkland beat us twice — but

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WELCOME TO OUR BIG 4-DAY CELEBRATION

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PRESERVES 1 Lb. Jar, Pineapple	15¢	SUGAR 5 Lb.	39¢
SPINACH Wapco, 2 For	29¢	OXYDOL Large	33¢
TOAST Large Box	25¢	COFFEE White Swan	49¢
MEAL 5 Lb. Aunt Jemima	47¢	EGG MASH Big V	4.19
HONEY ½ Gallon	89¢	PORK & BEANS Van Camp, Lb. Can of 2 for	25¢

OLEO

Colored

55¢

BUTTER

Country

79¢

ROAST

Brisket

39¢

TREET

Can —

45¢

Picnic

HAMS

55¢

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2 Lb. Box —

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomason are trying out a new 11-foot IHC Freezer chest in their new home out east of Wellington. People generally are kind of slow to take advantage of new conveniences and helps that industry offers them, but not Roy and Mrs. Thomason. They aim to have the things that science offers to make the job of living more comfortable, easier, and more enjoyable.

Personally, I didn't think much of the home freezer as an aid to higher living at lower cost until my wife installed one in her kitchen. Now it would take a shotgun to get it out of there. It eliminates most of the labor and all the drudgery of canning, and besides that, everything you freeze tastes just like it was fresh when you do get around to eating it.

And, of course, I think the IH freezer is the best on the market. Not only that, but we are one of the few concerns selling freezers around here who are prepared and equipped to service them if they ever should need it.

Polly O'Neil recently brought a couple of 1 1/2 horsepower McCormick-Deering stationary engines to the shop for overhaul and tuning up. The Mill Irons has several of these engines, used for all kinds of power around the machines. The Three Cookes also brought in one of these engines to be tuned up for a pumping job.

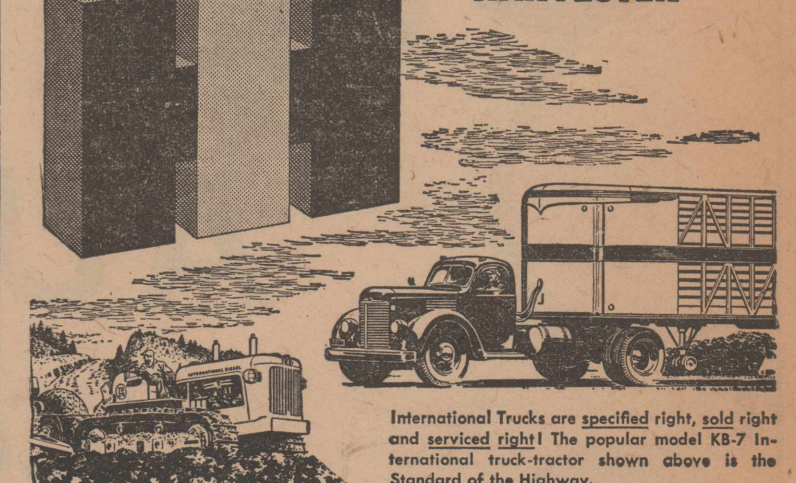
Seems like the world has got two distinct kinds of people in it — the ones whose word is good, and the other kind.

Horace Small had his McCormick Deering 15-30 tractor in the shop last week for some work. These old engines are getting popular again with folks who want plenty of power without much investment. The Three Cookes have bought another 15-30 which they have in the shop now for overhaul. This is their second one.

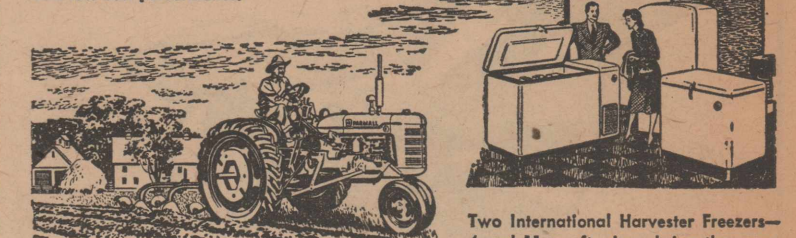
Roy Thomason had his McCormick Deering 15-30 tractor in the shop last week. W. R. Benton brought his F-14 Farmall motor in for overhaul, and Clyde Emmert his H Farmall. W. P. Holliman sent his M Farmall to the shop for some work on the transmission, and several others have brought in trucks and tractors for small jobs.

H. L. Duncan, operating an International automatic hay baler, brought twelve bales of twine for

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this machine last week—which other chisel plows means he has baled a lot of hay.

Wallace Smith bought a six-foot disk harrow from us last week.

If we can possibly get it here and get it set up, I hope to have one of the new International Heavy Duty Side Delivery Rakes on display by the last of this week. This rake has got so many good features, and is so far ahead of ordinary side delivery rakes, that I hope every man who uses such a rake will see this one.

W. S. White bought an extension to make a 10-foot out of his 8-foot Dempster chisel plow. He also got a new set of sweeps for this plow, which he has used a lot this summer. We still have one of these plows in stock—and plenty of sweeps for them. These are extra heavy 16-inch sweeps that fit International, Dempster, Hoeme, and

Truck, tractor, cultivator, mower, combine and rake parts moved out in a steady stream last week—as more and more owners of International Harvester equipment become convinced that it pays to use GENUINE IH parts on their machines. Some of them: C. A. Wright, V. K. Orr, Emory Hunter, W. A. Morrow, Buster Fillpot, J. M. Morgan, G. E. Rippeoe, Elvis Crawley, Clark Williams, Edgar Jowett, Sam Berryman, Porter Brothers, Willie Knoll, Tom Whitson, T. D. Sored, T. P. Roberts, Raymond Neely, C. O. Hamman, Fred Yarbrough, Ed Blaine, E. L. Treadway, J. A. Covey, Fred Boyd, Lee Roark, Ira Page, Loren Thompson, Jim Woods, John Wolf, Lee Minyard, Muriel Lacy, Bill McClaskey, John Jones, W. H. Kutch, H. L. Peters, John Eron Forbis, C. A. Bradford, Earl Alexander, O. K. Loving.