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Elect Trustees In 4 Districts On Saturday

School trustees will be elected in each of the four districts Saturday, April 6, and at the same time a trustee-at-large to serve on the county school board will be elected in two precincts.

Little interest in the trustee elections has developed.

WELLINGTON

Only two candidates filed in the Wellington Independent School District, Velman Warrick and Frank Campbell. Both are asking re-election.

The election will be held in the court house.

SAMNORWOOD

Three candidates have filed at Samnorwood: W. R. Breeding and A. M. Oldham for re-election, and M. G. Reynolds.

Orville Cunningham, superintendent, said that Oldham and Breeding are running for second terms, Reynolds for a first. Oldham has served out the unexpired term of T. R. Cunningham, and is from the Plymouth community. Breeding is from Enterprise community and Reynolds from Samnorwood.

Voting will be at the school.

QUAIL

Quail district has six candidates: Clyde Emert, J. M. Tidwell and Chester White, who are running for re-election, and D. M. Patterson, Dudley Phipps and Z. J. Neeley.

The election will be held at the school.

DODSON

Five candidates have filed at Dodson, Floyd Teutsch, Ed Crowder and Carl Crosnoe asking re-election, and Buster Fillpot and Noel Burge.

The election will be at the school.

TRUSTEES-AT-LARGE

Members of the county school board will be elected from Precincts 2 and 4.

Neither Jack Lowry from Precinct 2 nor Tom Cunningham from Precinct 4 has an opponent. Both are present members of the county board. Balloting on both will be at the Samnorwood school only.

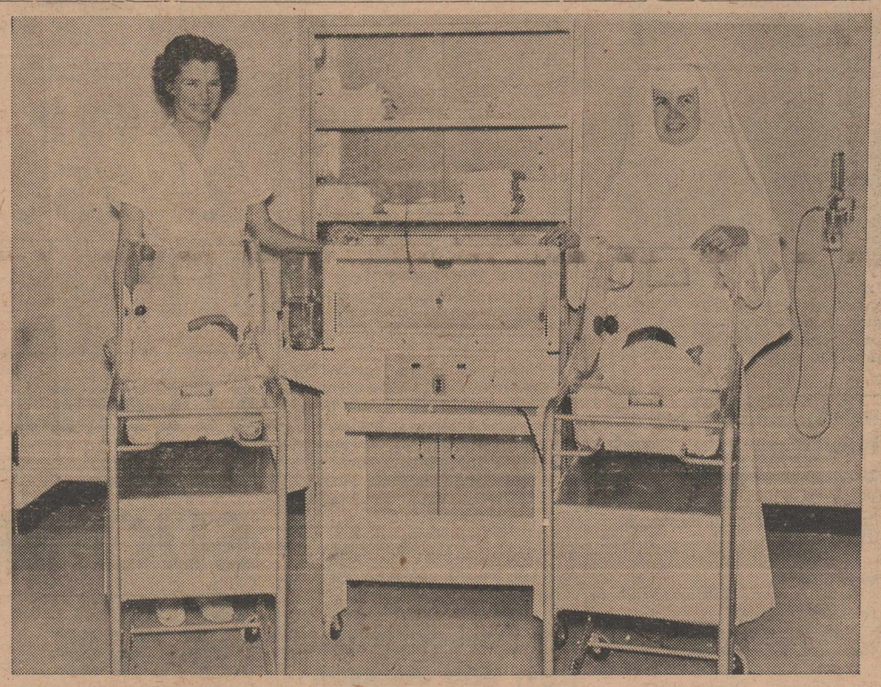
Trinity Methodist Revival Opens Sunday, April 7

Revival services will begin at Trinity Methodist Church Sunday, April 7, and continue through Palm Sunday, April 14, the Rev. Hardy Cole, pastor, has announced.

Rev. Cole will do the preaching, while R. H. Isbell and R. L. Johnson will direct singing.

Services will be held at 7:30 p. m. each day and at 11 a. m. Sunday mornings.

Work redecorating the sanctuary is being completed, with the finish in pastel green. Redecorating the annex is under way, Rev. Cole said.



EQUIPMENT FROM FORD FOUNDATION FUNDS

Here is part of the nursery equipment bought for St. Joseph's Hospital with the first portion of the funds received from the Ford Foundation. The second check, amounting to $5,000 was received last week, bringing the total to $10,000. With two newcomers are Twilla Dockins, and Sister Rosanne. The latter was a member of the original staff when the Dominican Sisters took over the operation of the hospital 19 years ago. She has had other assignments since then. Between the two is the latest-type incubator.

—Allen Graves Photo

Civil Cases Tried In One-Day Session Of District Court

In a one-day session of District court Monday, April 1, four criminal cases were set by Judge Luther Gribble, eight civil cases were disposed of and five civil cases were continued.

District Attorney John T. Forbis reported that the four cases of the State vs. Allen Barber (2 cases), Henard Gray and Douglas Bevers were set for the next jury week, which will be the third Monday in August.

Civil cases disposed of included: Two adoptions were completed.

A settlement of $400 was arrived at in the suit of Rufus Sweat vs. North American Van Lines, Inc. This case was filed Monday, April 1 and settled the same day and was the outgrowth of a collision between a van owned by North American and the bicycle ridden by Don Paul Sweat, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sweat.

In the suit of T. D. Graves et al vs. Mrs. B. Z. Bryant et al, trespass to try title, the defendants filed a disclaimer and Judge Gribble entered a judgement for the plaintiff.

The damage suit of Frank B. Lindsey vs. Robert Doss, growing out of a truck-pickup collision on the farm-to-market road under construction near Marella, was settled out of court.

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For Improvement

St. Joseph's Receives Ford Foundation Check

The final Ford Foundation payment of $5,000 was made to St. Joseph's Hospital last week. It brought to $10,000 the amount received by the hospital from the Foundation. The first $5,000 payment was made last spring.

Praising the foundation, Sister Mary Rupert, RN, administrator, said:

"This fund has made possible needed facilities that otherwise could not have been provided at this time."

St. Joseph's Hospital is one of the 3,500 voluntary, non-profit hospitals sharing in the Foundation's $200,000,000 program of grants to private hospitals. Individual grants were computed on the basis of patient days of service and number of births in each hospital. The grants ranged from a minimum of $10,000 to a maximum of $250,000.

The first $5,000 grant received by St. Joseph's was used to buy air conditioners for patients rooms, nursery equipment, a stand-by electrical plant, improving medical records and central supply departments and furnishings for rooms in the old section of the hospital. A tentative list for the second $5,000 grant will include flooring for East Hall, office files and safe, surgical instruments and a second payment on the emergency plant.

"The Ford grants give almost total leeway to the governing board of the hospital to use the gift as it would best serve the local community," it was pointed out by the hospital staff. "They now leave the responsibility to all of us to translate this gift into benefits for our community."

County Again Gives Yarborough Approval Vote

Ralph W. Yarbrough received continued support of Collingsworth county voters to lead the senatorial ticket 515 to 356 for Martin Dies, his nearest opponent in the county as well as in state wide voting.

Thad Hutchinson was third in the county with 102 votes, again following the state-wide trend, while John C. White got 44.

Yarbrough lost the South Wellington Box 209 to 205, in the unofficial returns, the Buck Creek box 9 to 8 and the Absentee box 8 to 1.

He carried all other boxes by a vote of from almost 2-to-1 to more than 6-to-1.

Only 32 votes were cast for all other candidates: including Searcy Bracewell, 16; Rev. M. T. Banks 1; Jacob Bergolofsky 2; John C. Burns Sr., 1; Dr. H. Frank Connally, who had withdrawn from the race, 1; Ralph W. Hammonds 4; James P. Hart 6; and Charles W. (Jack) Hill 1. The other candidates received none.

F. B. Hindman Dies in California

F. B. Hindman, 61, brother of Mrs. J. E. Roberts, died in the Veterans Hospital at Long Beach, Calif., Tuesday, April 2, after a year's illness.

Mrs. Roberts returned from Long Beach only recently after two weeks with him.

Funeral services are not yet set.

Mr. Hindman was in the chinchilla business and was one of the first in California to start.

He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Doug Wright of Long Beach; three grandchildren; two sisters and two brothers: Mrs. Roberts; A. J. Hindman and F. C. Hindman of Pampa and Mrs. A. H. Frank of San Gabriel, Calif.

4-H Contests On April 11

4-H Club contests and "Share the Fun Contest" will be held Thursday night, April 11, at 7 p. m. in the community building, Miss Kathryn Potter has announced.

Winners will represent Collingsworth County in the district contests to be held later.

Largest Project Show in Years Features Work of Boys and Girls

Future Farmers, 4-H boys and Future Homemakers make Saturday, April 6, their big day, with the annual Youth Project Show slated to be Wellington's top event, Gene Martin, show superintendent declared this week.

Plans for the event are completed he added.

One addition has been made to the show. An auction sale of some 20 barrows exhibited in the show will be held following the event, with merchants, business men, and others interested, buying these top hogs, County Agent Lefty Thomas announced.

Eddie Sam Henard of the Wellington Livestock Auction will bid all hogs in at the Fort Worth price and bidding will go from there.

Gilmore Locker Plant will process the grand champion barrow free, and will process any others into ham, bacon and sausage at regular comemrcial prices.

"We urge anyone who has a locker to buy a hog, and if you can't use a whole one, get someone to go in with you on buying," the county agent said.

Dr. Nig Callihan of the agriculture department, West Texas State College, will be the stock show judge.

The livestock division will be held on the storage lots of the Greenbelt Rural Electric Co-operative, while the homemaking division will be in the American Legion hall, immediately across the street.

Martin predicted this will be the largest Youth Project Show held here in recent years, with well over 100 animals being exhibited.

Livestock classes, announced earlier, will include fat barrows in two weights, registered sows and gilts, in two weights, and pen of barrows; dairy cows, dairy heifers of two ages, and dairy bulls; breeding ewes; and beef calves in two weights and beef heifers.

Grand-champions and reserve champions will be named in the gilt, barrow, dairy heifer, dairy bull and beef calf divisions.

HOMEMAKING DIVISION

There will be two sections in the homemaking division, clothing and foods, with girls participating from three FHA chapters, Wellington, Samnorwood and Quail.

Classes were listed this week by Mrs. Monty Mitchell, Quail instructor. Clothing classes are divided by years, in order that all girls in each class will be of equal skill. These include:

Classwork: Homemaking I: dresses, skirts and blouses; Homemaking II: dresses; Homemaking III: dresses.

Open Class, for all three years: Handicrafts, childrens clothing, aprons, handwork, pajamas, pedal pushers, shorts, [illegible]ers and suits. These may be made as class projects or at home.

Home Projects: Homemaking I: dresses, blouses and skirts; Homemaking II: dresses, blouses, skirts.

One new class has been added, for girls who have had all three years of homemaking work and are not now enrolled.

Food products: There will be classes for cookies, plain sponge cake, decorated cake, plain iced layer cake, candy, cake muffins, fruit pies, cream meringue pies, biscuits, yeast rolls, quick bread, cornbread muffins or sticks, and fancy or desert rolls.

First, second and third place money will go to the girls getting the most ribbons.

Money and ribbon awards will go to all winners.

First, second and third place awards will be given for overall exhibits.

Cudd, Barjenbruch And Owens Named By City Voters

Wellington voters named Hiram Cudd mayor over Eli Wolf by a vote of 247 to 137, to succeed J. B. Castleberry, who did not seek re-election after completing one term.

Doc Barjenbruch was re-elected to the city council, and Steve Owens was elected for a first term. They were the two high men from a field of five.

The new officials will be installed at the next meeting of the city council.

Council members and the number of votes each received included:

Barjenbruch 175
Owens 159
Richard Bailey 152
Harold Morrow 129
Toots Breedlove 97

A total of 384 votes were cast, regarded as unusually heavy for the election.

Russell Hopson Found Dead

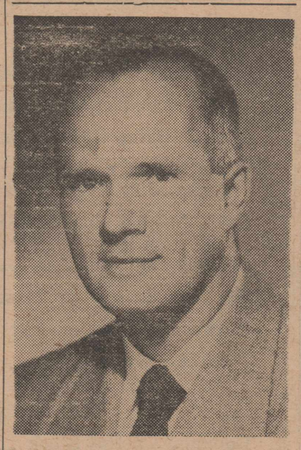
Russell Hopson, co-owner of the Hopson-Johnson Wholesale Company, was found dead from shotgun wounds in a storage room at his business about 9:30 Wednesday morning, April 3.

Sheriff John Rainey said his body was found by Mrs. Francis Roberts, who is in charge of the company office. A 12-guage shotgun was a few feet away.

She notified officers immediately.

The charge had struck Hopson in the area of the heart, according to the sheriff, who estimated he died between 7 and 8 a. m. No other information was available when The Leader went to press.

The body is at Kelso Funeral Home.



AFB Chaplain to Preach Sunday

Capt. Rex M. Thompson, chaplain at Amarillo Air Force Base, will be the guest preacher at First Baptist Church for both morning and evening services Sunday, April 7.

The Rev. Russell Pogue, pastor, left Monday for Booker to preach in a two-weeks revival.

Recognized as one of the most popular chaplains on the base, Capt. Thompson was educated at the University of Texas, Baylor and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He was pastor of four churches in Texas and one in Florida.

He first entered the chaplaincy in 1943 and served in the Far East during World War II. On returning from Japan in 1946, he was separated from active duty and served in pastorates until 1951, when he was recalled to active duty. He returned from Europe last summer and has been stationed at Amarillo AFB since that time.

Rev. Pogue will be away through Sunday, April 14.

Two to One Approval

30c Tax Passes; Two Measures Defeated

Collingsworth county voters approved the 30c ad valorem tax by an almost two to one majority in the special election Tuesday, April 2, but they turned down the proposal to separate the offices of sheriff and tax assessor-collector by only 15 votes, then defeated the proposed jail bond issue a resounding 781 to 178.

The tax, approved for the years 1957, 1958, 1959 and 1960, carried 649 to 340. Largest majorities were in the Wellington boxes, 341 to 132 in the South box and 119 to 38 in the North box. Buck Creek approved the measure 19 to 1; Marella 18 to 8; Lutie 25 to 21; Rolla 13 to 5 and the Absentee box 6 to 4.

The tax failed to carry three boxes, Dodson 30 against, 25 for; Dozier 42 to 22 and Quail 48 to 36.

Separation of the sheriff-tax office failed 484 to 469. It carried in the South Wellington box 283 to 179; Rolla 9 to 7; and absentee 7 to 3. The vote against the measure in the other boxes was: North Wellington, 76 to 73 against; Buck Creek 11 to 9; Samnorwood 22 to 11; Quail 6 to 15; Dodson 43 to 10; Dozier 43 to 21; Marella 12 to 11; Lutie 27 to 20.

The jail bond issue did not carry a single box. The vote against was South Wellington, 367 to 98; North Wellington 110 to 35; Buck Creek 17 to 3; Samnorwood 28 to 8; Quail 74 to 6; Dodson 47 to 4; Dozier 60 to 4; Marella 22 to 2; Lutie 31 to 15; Rolla 15 to 3; and Absentee box 10 to 0.

Joe Terry Will Return to City State Bank

Joe Terry will return to the City State Bank, it was announced following a directors meeting Tuesday, April 2. He was elected cashier to replace Trusten Thomas, who resigned to devote his time to other interests. However, Thomas will remain as a director.

Terry was with the City State Bank three years before leaving January 1, 1956, to become cashier of the First State Bank at Grove. Prior to joining the City State staff, he had been with the Wellington State Bank 28 years.

"Officers and directors of the City State Bank are very happy to have Mr. Terry return to Wellington," a bank spokesman said. "He is already familiar with the bank and with its customers, and he will take up his work where it was left off."

Lillie-Salt Fork Road Due to Be Finished May 1

The farm - to - market highway through the Salt Fork and Lillie communities should be finished by May 1, Clyre Drake, resident highway engineer, said this week.

The base should be completed within a few days after the ground dries, and application of the single-course asphalt surface will begin immediately, he explained.

All construction work is by Bryan and Hoffman of Plainview, while Drake is in charge for the Highway Department.

That part of the road extending from Highway 83 westward to the Marella Store is designated as FM Highway 1981, while the part running from Highway 203 to join 1981 is designated as FM 234.

Wilkinson Child Dies Monday

Funeral services for Doris Elaine Wilkinson, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dean Wilkinson of Borger, were held at Hedley Methodist Church Wednesday, April 3, with the Rev. Melvin Mathis, pastor, and Rev. J. E. Murdock officiating.

The little girl died in a Borger Hospital Monday. The definite cause of her death was not determined.

Pall bearers for the service were Pete Mathews, Johnny Petty, Ross Oatman and Tom Henley. Burial was in Rowe cemetery, Hedley, by Kelso Funeral Home.

Surviving are her parents; a sister, Margie Marie; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hartman of Quail and Mrs. Lola Wilkinson of Amarillo; and the great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Carter of Fort Worth; Wes Hartman of Quail and Mrs. Bertie Hartman of Wellington.

VFW Installs New Officers Tuesday Night

The Glynn Moore Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars installed Quinton Brewer commander to succeed Donald Curry in the meeting Tuesday night, April 2.

Elective officers installed with him were Jimmy Bowen, senior vice commander; Durant McInnis, junior vice commander; Sam Thompson quartermaster; Curtis Winton post advocate; O. C. McMinn chaplain; Bob Jones surgeon; James Richardson trustee for three year term and Odis Killingsworth trustee for two year term.

Brewer announced his appointive officers and they were installed: Herbert Bearden, adjutant; Jake Leach, officer of the day; R. T. Savage patriotic instructor; James Richardson post historian; Eli Wolf post service officer; J. C. Hartman, legislative officer; and Donald Curry, public relations officer.

Curry was awarded the Texas Honor Squadron cap for the year for having collected 57 or more dues for the year.

Resources Above Six Million

Bank Deposits Slightly Above Last Year with $5,618,385 Total

Deposits of the county's four banks are up slightly from those of a year ago, the March 14 call by the Comptroller of Currency and Federal Reserve Bank shows. Although the deposits are under the figure of 1955, they are still above the figure at the spring call in 1954.

Deposits March 14 totaled $5,618,385.28.

Combined assets still are above the six million dollar mark, totaling $6,174,656.61. This is about $50,000 under last year's figure of $6,228,387.84. This year's figure is also above that of 1954.

Deposits a year ago were $5,613,371.04, but in 1954 they were $5,576,427.

Of the current deposits, $4,708,384.91 is in demand deposits, while the remainder includes time deposits by governmental subdivisions and other banks.

Loans and discounts this year are around a million dollars below that figure for the call last spring. This year, they are $2,380,704.97, compared to $3,366,605.43 a year ago and $3,179,822 two years ago.

Undivided profits are $113,882,.61, about $2,000 above the figure of 1956.

Washington PTA Sponsors Scouts

The Booker T. Washington Parent-Teacher Association is taking over the sponsorship of a Boy Scout Troop and Cub Pack, Bill Eller, Comanche District Scout Executive, has announced.

Willie Simpson, principal of the colored school, is in charge of organizing the troop and pack and Howard Powell is comissioner.

Information Needed for Drilling

Gravity Meter Survey To Cover County

A gravity meter survey party from Pohly Exploration Company, Tulsa, Oklahoma, is working in the county and will be here for approximately five months.

Ronald Thompson, party chief, said the entire county will be covered.

He explained that a gravity meter survey gives similar information to that obtained by a seismograph, but it is strictly surface work and done without drilling or shooting.

Thompson said the party is working in no definite spot in the county at this time.

A survey of this type seeks to pick out faults in the earth's structure, and men operating the instruments can be reasonably sure if there is any indication of a fault. Oil companies depend on information of this type in drilling operations.

Here with the crew part of the time is Frank Thompson, supervisor for Pohly Exploration Company, and father of Ronald Thompson. These men and their families include Mr. and Mrs. Richard McNutt and family, Mr. and Mrs. John McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson and Ronald Thompson.

Afternoon Parade

Wellington FFA Rodeo Set for Saturday Night

Wellington Future Farmers will hold their annual Rodeo Saturday night at 8 p. m. in the rodeo arena. This will be preceded at 4 p. m. by a parade, led by the Skyrocket Band, which will appear for the first time in the new band uniforms. The Sheriff's Posse will follow them, then will come boys and girls on horses, or if lacking a horse, on bicycles.

The wild stock this year will be furnished by three local men, John Brock, the horses; Henard Gray, riding steers; and Eddie Smith, the roping calves, according to Melvin Burks, vocational ag instructor.

Events this year will include bareback bronc riding, steer riding, calf roping, and team roping in which one boy ropes the calf and the other takes off a ribbon. A trailer race, one of the big events in recent years, will be featured. In this two boys put a horse in a trailer and saddle in the pickup, then saddle the horse, ride to the oposite end of the arena and back and unsaddle.

A boot race will be held, in which each boy pulls off a boot and all are mixed at the opposite end of the arena. The boys run to the boot pile, each finds his boot, puts it on and races back to the starting point.

There will be a barrel race for girls and any girl wishing to participate should be there ready to ride, Burks said.

In order that boys participating may keep their interscholastic league standing, there will be no entrance fee and no prizes will be given, although first, second and third place time will be tabulated.

There will be boys from Samnorwood participating along with the Wellington group, but the number of entries will be determined by the amount of stock available.

A registered duroc gilt will be given away during the show.

Plans for the rodeo are being made by the Ag 3 class and the FFA officers, A. C. Gray, president; Troy Thomason, vice-president; and Mike Glenn, secretary.

Present "Messiah" Here Good Friday

The first presentation of Handel's "Messiah" ever given here in complete form will be by the Ontorio Society of Shamrock Good Friday evening, April 19, at First Methodist Church. It will begin at 8:00 p. m. and the public is invited.

Several from this county are members of the 50-voice choir and will take part in the Wellington presentation.

Tests and Supervisors Outlined

On-the-Farm Demonstrations Get Under Way in Two Counties

An outline of the on-the-farm demonstration program to be carried out in Collingsworth and Hall counties this year was explained by Dr. G. W. Thomas, research coordinator of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Lubbock, on a trip here last week to set up the program.

This is a joint program of the Experiment Station and the Extension Service for tests in various fields, Dr. Thomas pointed out. The primary responsibility for their proper conduct, however, lies with the county agents of the two counties, J. W. Thomas of Collingsworth and C. A. Hooser of Hall. Duane Scott is demonstrator to supervise operations.

The fertilizer demonstration will be under the guidance of Dr. Alex Pope, specialist in soil fertility at the Amarillo Experiment station.

"In these tests we hope to set up various rates and combinations of the three major fertilizing elements, nitrogen, phosprous and potash, on the three major crops in the area, grain sorghum, cotton and wheat," Dr. Thomas said.

Some of these demonstrations will receive applications of one element only, some a combination of fertilizers.

Dr. Pope has been with the Amarillo station several years and has done fertility work in the high plains area primarily concerned with winter wheat.

Irrigation studies will be directed by Marvin E. Jensen, irrigation engineer, Agricultural Research Service, USDA, also from the Amarillo Station.

In these studies here will be 3 different moisture tension levels, with constant measurement of the moisture extraction by the crops. Fertilizer treatments will be combined with the irrigation experiments, and there will be separate tests for dryland fertilizing experiments.

Dr. N. W. Kramer, agronomist at the Lubbock Station, and Jack King, extension agronomy specialist at Texas Tech, will direct the tests of hybrid grain sorghums and comon variety sorghums.

"There will be a number of the most promising hybrids, including some that haven't been released, and on which we need information for further release," Dr. Thomas said. There will be at least one test on dryland and another on irrigated land.

Grass evaluation trials will be under the supervision of Judd Morrow, range specialist at the Big Spring experiment station. Morrow has made collections of over 6,000 grasses from New Mexico, Arizona, Texas and Old Mexico. The most promising of these will be planted here and observed for performance, Dr. Thomas said.

For the local experiments, they are particularly interested in some selections of blue panic, little bluestem, cane beard grass, sand blue stem, side oats grama, plains bristle grass and others.

Establishment studies will be made in the future in co-operation with Elmer Hudspeth, engineer at Amarillo specializing in grass seeding equipment.

G. O. Hoffman, extension range specialist, will be here April 8 to lay out some of the brush control plots. Co-operating in this will be C. E. Fisher, superintendent of the Spur Experiment Station and Dr. R. A. Darrow of the department of range and forrestry, College Station. A substitute urea compound looks promising for use, especially on shinnery oak, Dr. Thomas comented.

There may be cotton variety tests later, and W. L. Owen, entomologist of the Lubbock Station will give some help in cotton insect control.

The local on-the-farm experiment program is one of the few in Texas, and Dr. Thomas said that so far as he knows, only one has reached a point of development beyond the Collingsworth - Hall experiment, and it is located in South Texas.

WHERE PAST AND PRESENT MEET—Centuries ago this same bucolic scene might have met the eyes. This farmer, tilling a field near Rome, uses a primitive wooden plow pulled by a pair of massive oxen. The giant animals are at work in a field crossed by one of the great engineering works of ancient Rome—an aqeduct, the arches of which stretch away in the background.

Housing Project Water Rate OKed

The Public Housing Administration has approved the rates for water, sewer and garbage service offered by the City of Wellington on the low-rent housing unit, N. M. Higdon, chairman of the Wellington Housing Authority was notified Thursday.

Next stop in the project will be approval of final plans, to be submitted in the near future by Jack C. Whitworth of Fort Worth, the architect. The Authority will then advertise for bids.

Higdon and City Manager Bura Handley were told in Fort Worth recently that construction probably could start by early June.

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New Cars and Trucks

New cars and trucks registered in the office of John Rainey, sheriff-tax assessor, collector, include:

Van Bonneau, Dodson, Ford Fordor sedan.

A. R. Pepper, Wellington, Chevrolet 2-door sedan.

Fred H. Squyres, Wellington, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

Frank Light, Route 2, Wellington, Oldsmobile 4-door sedan.

Odelle Fenley, Wellington, Plymouth Sport Coupe.

Bennett Goodloe, Wellington, Ford Fordor sedan.

E. H. Rountree, Wellington, Pontiac 4-door sedan.

Luther Thompson, Samnorwood, Mercury 4-door sedan.

Steve Owens, Wellington, Ford Fordor sedan.

Troy S. Watson, 3102 27th St., Lubbock, Nash 4-door.

Steve Owens, Wellington, Ford half-ton pickup.

Elmer Carter Jr., Wellington, Chevrolet half-ton pickup.

T. R. Cunningham, Samnorwood, Ford half-ton pickup.

Mrs. J. W. Thomas and her daughter, Ada Carole, were in Austin during the week end to make arrangements for the latter's entering the University of Texas next fall, and for work she will do this summer.

Quail Faculty Re-Elected for 1957-58 Term

Re-election of the teachers in the Quail school was announced this week by Supt. Herman Moseley.

Re-elected in the grade school were Mrs. Lewis Morris, principal, and Mrs. Jim Lowe, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Mrs. J. I. Morgan, Mrs. Slats DeBord, Mrs. Zella Noble and Mrs. Lowell Wells.

High school teachers named were Mrs. Mary Lee Gilbreth; George W. Stephens, who will ccach boys basketball; Mrs. Ben Ratliff; Howard Perkins, principal and girls basketball coach; Mrs. Monty Mitchell, homemaking; and Frank Kennedy, vocational agriculture.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers did not seek re-election, as he has been selected for a Science Foundation Scholarship at the University of Texas.

Mr. Moseley is now completing his 7th year as superintendent at Quail, with two more years to go on his third three-year contract.

At present, it does not appear likely that any other teachers will be added to the system, Moseley said. since the drop in average daily attendance probably will result in the loss of one teacher, and the school this year was operating with one teacher above the regular earned ADA.

Brotherhood Hears Rev. Bob Jackson

The Rev. Bob Jackson, pastor of First Baptist Church, Hollis, was guest speaker at the meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of South Baptist Church, Dodson, at a recent meeting.

Special guests were boys of the Royal Ambassadors.

During a business meeting, the men voted on a plan for stuccoing the new wing of the church building.

Mrs. John Patterson of Childress visited with friends and relatives here Friday.

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BANK'S OFFICIAL
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

City State Bank

IN WELLINGTON

at Wellington, Texas, at the close of business on the 14th day of March, 1956. pursuant to call made by the Banking Commission of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	$ 295,395.82
(After deduction of no valuation allowance or bad debt reserve)	
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	388,390.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures, Commodity Credit Corporation Loans	95,086.48
Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchange for clearing house)	348,586.21
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	1.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	1.00
Total Resources	$ 1,127,460.51

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus: Certified $50,000.00, Not Certified None	50,000.00
Undivided profits	18,629.61
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	772,628.36
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	107,800.00
Public Funds (incl. U.S. Govt., states and political subdivisions	110,538.38
Total all deposits 1,067,743.68	
Other liabilities	17,864.16
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	$ 1,127,460.51

CORRECT—ATTEST

James Doneghy
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John H. Nash

DIRECTORS

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH

I, Trusten A. Thomas, being Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Trusten A. Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1957.

Jack Aaron
Notary Public, Collingsworth County, Texas

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Farmers Must Comply With Soil Bank Requirements

Farmers who have included cropland under the Soil Bank's Acreage Reserve program for wheat and cotton should remember that they must comply with all requirements of the program in order to qualify for the acreage reserve payments, Travis McGuire, chairman of the Collingsworth County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee said April 1.

"A program which farmers are likely to overlook is the one which requires that a farmer comply with all acreage allotments established for his farm if he wants to earn any kind of a Soil Bank payment," the chirman explained.

"This means, for instance, that a farmer who expects to earn payments under the wheat Acreage Reserve program must also comply with the cotton allotment for his farm if there is one. Farmers should not overlook the fact that they must also comply with acreage allotments for other 1957 crops to be planted this spring in order to receive a wheat Acreage Reserve payment."

Where a farmer willfully and knowingly harvests or grazes designated Acreage Reserve land, the payment is forfeited and in addition he is subject to a civil penalty of 50 per cent of the payment which would have been made for compliance. If the payment has been made when the violation occurs, the amount of the payment must be refunded.

Farmers who take part in the Conservation Reserve of the Soil Bank must also comply with all acreage allotments for their farms in order to qualify for the Conservation Reserve payments.

Swearingen News

By Mrs. Frank Boyles

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Shields and family of Hedley visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Creed last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hughes of Leslie visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Messer last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harris have returned home after spending the winter in Palacios with a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Harris, who brought theme home and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Harris last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Messer observed their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday, March 24th. Their children had planned open house for relatives and close friends, but due to the blizzard conditions, very few were able to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jarrell and Janice of Wichita Falls, came by and took Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Jarrell to visit relatives in Borger and Pampa last week end and were stranded there for a couple of days by the blizzard conditions.

Mr. V. L. Yarbrough of Plainview visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Messer Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boyles of San Angelo visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyles over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie J. Roach and family of Lubbock visited in the ohme of Mr. and Mrs. George Creed Saturday. Mrs. Creed and Mrs. Roach are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gentry of Amarillo, and Mrs. Bula Gentry of Wellington visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gentry Saturday night.

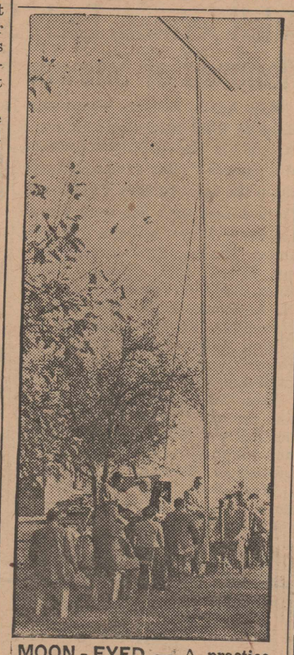
Kendrick Named Inspection Station

Kendrick Oldsmobile has been designated an inspection station under the State Motor Vehicle Inspection Law and is now inspecting vehicles that require a sticker, Mickey Kendrick, owner, announced this week.

He pointed out that the deadline for inspection is April 15, and there are still many cars that do not have a new sticker.

Visiting in the T. J. Buske home Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Carmack of Floydada.

BUTTON-SIZE NUCLEAR BATTERY—Five years of research has resulted in an atomic-powered battery which utilizes what was once considered a nuclear waste product as its power source. The tiny battery will deliver power over at least a five-year period. It is the forerunner, supposedly, of batteries for use in radios, guided missiles, hearing aids and even wrist watches. Joint developers Walter Kidde Laboratories and the Elgin National Watch Company stress that more research will be necessary before something like an atomic watch will be possible. Promethium 147, the power source, emits fast-moving rays which are trapped in a specially designed phosphor, converting them to "atomic light." The light is captured by a photo-cell and automatically transformed into energy.



MOON-EYED — A practice session of artificial satellite observers is being conducted, above, in Silver Springs, Md. Getting ready for "Project Moonwatch," the observers are going through a dry run in preparation for the launching of the man-made moon next year. Sponsored by the Smithsonian Institution, the observation station is a prototype of 50 Moonwatch stations to be set up across the country.

Dodson Church Sponsors Lectures

A special series of lectures featuring the beliefs and practices of other groups will be given by Bill Hendricks, pastor of the South Baptist Church in Dodson. The series will begin April 8 and the discussion for that evening will be the beliefs and practices of Christian Science. April 15 the beliefs and practices of the Mormon groups will be discussed. April 22 the beliefs and practices of Jehovah's Witnesses will be presented.

Mr. Hendricks teaches a course in the theology of these groups at Southwestern Seminary in Ft. Worth, and these discussions will be a simplification of and outgrowth of that course. All people of the area are invited to come and bring interested friends. The meetings will begin at 7:00 each Monday evening at the South Baptist Church in Dodson.

Mrs. Ted Amburn, Michael, Linda, and Teddy of Amarillo visited over the weekend with Mrs. Amburn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook.

Dr. Joe G. McGuire

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Wellington School Lunch Menu

Monday, April 8: Barbequed pork hash, red beans, carrot sticks, buttered corn bread, grapefruit sections, one half pint milk or chocolate milk, candy bar.

Tuesday, April 9: Hamburger patties on a bun, onion, mustard, and pickle, french fried potatoes, lettuce and tomato salad, peanut butter cookies, one half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday, April 10: Pork luncheon meat, tossed green salad, pink beans, hot rolls, butter, brownies, one half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday, April 11: Pinto beans, stuffed celery, fruit salad, steamed cabbage, buttered corn bread, one half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Friday, April 12: Fish sticks with tarter sauce, mashed potatoes green beans, orange juice, hot rolls—butter, spiced cake with pink icing, one half pint milk or chocolate milk.

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ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection		457,329.33
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		485,242.18
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		155,319.68
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		671,589.83
Corporate stocks (including $6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)		6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including $875.55 overdrafts)		677,034.16
Bank premises owned $33,000.00 , furniture and fixtures	$16,000.00	49,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS		2,501,515.18

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		1,901,750.45
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		14,407.57
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		10,290.32
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		286,432.96
Deposits of banks		30,396.17
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)		182.34
TOTAL DEPOSITS	2,243,459.81	
Other liabilities		800.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES		2,244,259.81

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par $100,000.00	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	57,255.37
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	257,255.37
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	2,501,515.18

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	580,242.18
Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof	53,989.35
Total amount of loans, Certificates of interest and obligations, or portions thereof (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	53,989.35
Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations, or portions thereof, which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guarenteed")	53,989.35

I, Durant McInnis, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Durant McInnis, Cashier

CORRECT—ATTEST:

Directors.

R. D. WILEY
E. M. HUNTER
CHESTER FIRES

State of Texas, County of Collingsworth, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April, 1957, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

Lucille Wooldridge, Notary Public
My commission expires June 1, 1957

Groom First In 12-B Literary League Events

Approximately 100 boys and girls from 5 schools participated in the District 12-B Interscholastic League Meet for literary events at Samnorwood Saturday, March 30, Supt. Orville Cunningham said.

In total points gained, Groom ranked first; Quail second; Claude third; Samnorwood fourth and Hedley fifth.

Cunningham praised the good turnout of people of the Samnorwood community at the meet.

Group Attends Lubbock Funeral

A county group was called to Lubbock to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lydia Hartman Isaacs, 77, which was held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, March 28, at the Primitive Baptist Church. Elder Lee and Elder Martin officiated. Mrs. Isaacs died Thursday, after having lived at Lubbock 40 years.

She was a sister of J. W. Hartman and J. C. Hartman.

Attending the funeral were the two brothers and O. L. Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hartman, Mrs. P. J. White and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hartman Jr.

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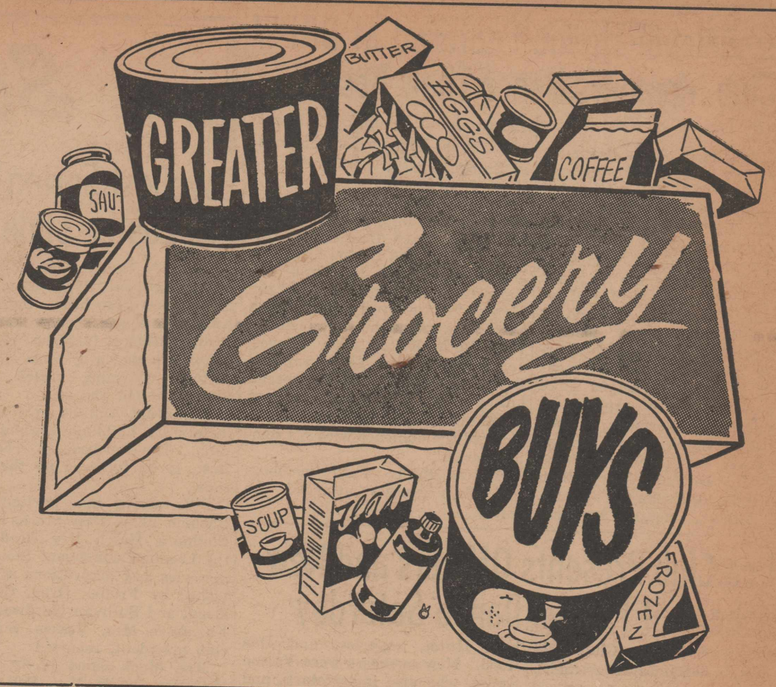

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International Theme Featured at B&PW As Club Members Honor Their Bosses

By Lennie Lou Sims

The Club Room of the Community Building assumed the appearance of "La Cafe Internationale" for the anual B&PW Club's Bosses Banquet. Each guest participated in a gourment's hour of various countries and provinces. The bouffet dinner depicting the "visited" countries was begun with a Hawaiian cocktail and was climaxed by an "at home in America" desert.

Twelve young ladies, each attired in a costume of a different country or province, helped serve the guests. Those represented the following: Bermuda, Elizabeth Hurst; China, Wanda Shinn; Cuba, Gwen Davis; France, Jonaquin Cecil; Hawaii, Mary Beth Kelso; Holland, Lynda Orr; Japan, Betty Elliott; South America; Sherrie Smith; Spain, Linda Brantley; Texas, Francis Drake; United States, Sondra White; Mexico, Mary Jane Hiett.

Four acts were booked for the dinner-show. Pupils of Mary Beth Atkins presented dances from Ireland, Mexico, and Egypt. Mrs. Bob McAlister was the director of the slapstick skit, "Four Ladies of the Mop". "Little Brown Gal" was a hawaiian pantomime that included Mary Beth Kelso, Glen Reeves, Jerry Elbert, Troy Thomason, and Bobby Langford. The special billing of the floor show was Hoyt Shadid of Altus, Oklahoma; he enchanted the audience with his comical series.

Approximately sixty members and their guests attended the soiree.

Ti-i-ca Club Presents Officers and New Members at Formal Dance Saturday

Members of Ti-i-ca Club held presentation dance Saturday night, March 30, honoring club officers and new members.

An Oriental garden provided the stage setting. Set in grass was a tiny house of Oriental design, from which the girls and their escorts entered, advanced along a walk of golden bricks. Statues of Budda decorated the stage. Guests watched from the balcony. Ralph Word was master of ceremonies.

Officers and their escorts phesented were Gwen Davis, president, escorted by Wesley Savage; Sallie Murphy, vice-president, and Warner Ford; Jo Ann Crane, treasurer, and Maxey Tarver; and Elizabeth Hurst, reporter, and Don Hood. New members were VaRue Sweat, who also is secretary, and Ben Ratliff; Judy Forbis and Cloyce Scarberry; Jolene Groves and Randall Raburn; and Barbara Shanks and Donnie Moore.

Refreshments were served from a table covered with a red net cloth over red taffeta, centered with an arrangement of red carnations and black Chinese figurines.

Approximately 60 high school students attended the formal dance which followed. Sponsors of Ti-i-ca are Mrs. Bob McAlister and Mrs. Billy Mac Sims. They were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Word and Bob McAlister.

Hospital Auxiliary Honors Sisters of St. Joseph's With Anniversary Dinner

Members of St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary were hostesses to the Sisters of the Hospital Monday, April 1, observing the 19th anniversary of Dominican Sister's operation of St. Joseph's Hospital.

There are three present staff members who also were members of the original staff. Each has served at other assignments during the time. These were Sister Mary Damien, the first administrator, who returned after being at Chicago and the Mother House at Springfield, Ill.; Sister Mary Rita, who also has been at Springfield and Denver; and Sister Rosanne, who has had assignments at Jackson, Miss.; Springfield and Amarillo. Others of the original staff were Sister Helen Marie, Sister Adelle, Sister Bernarda and Sister Mary James.

Centering the serving table at Monday's dinner was an arrangement of yellow and white gladioli and chrysanthemums.

Honor guests were Sister Mary Rupert, administrator, and Sister Mary Damien, Sister Mary Rita, Sister Rosanne, Sister Mary Augustine, Sister Rose Therese, Sister Marguerite and Sister Perpetua.

Baptist WMS Meets March 1

The WMS of the First Baptist Church met Monday, April 1, at the church for the regular Royal Service Program.

Mrs. Edd Miller, president, was in charge of the meeting. The theme of the program was "Carver School, A Source of Blessing". The school, which is located in Louisville, Kentucky, specializes in training women for Missionary work, and other social work.

Members taking part on the program were Mmes. C. T. Hubbard, John Trew, Bill Langford, Lester Hunter, R. W. Brantley, Charles Cason Sr., Rufus Sweat, Jno. Nash, R. T.Reeves, Henry Davidson, J. C. Whisenant, W. A. Morrow, J. A. Lowe, Fred Squyres

For the next program of the WMS, the women will meet in circles, Monday, April 8. Oleta Snell circle will meet with Mrs. A. O. Sweat, Blanche Groves Circle with Mrs. Ben Wilhelm, Betty Tennison circle with Mrs. W.C. Harwell, and Nina Hankins circle with Mrs. L. A. Moore.

Dodson WMU Studies Armstrong

Women of the WMU of South Baptist Church, Dodson, had a special program on home missions Monday, March 25, using as the theme the life of Annie Armstrong, who was largely responsible for the home mission program of the Baptist Church in the southland.

Vignettes of the life of Miss Armstrong were presented by Mrs. Bill Hendricks, then an interest center of a seed bed was introduced in which various seeds were planted indicating the various types of work Miss Armstrong began.

Flowers were then placed in the box to show the growth of these movements.

The program was presented by Mrs. Perry Mac Scott, assisted by Mrs. Truitt Holland, Mrs. T. E. Lennon and Mrs. H. P. Scott

Refreshments were served to approximately 12 women

City Federation Meets April 13

The regular meeting of the City Federation of Women's Clubs has been postponed to Saturday, April 13, at 10 a. m. in the county library, Mrs. Chester Fires, president, said.

This change was made in order that there would be no conflict with preparation for the 1924 Study Club Style Show on Saturday, April 6.

Spring Cues Closet Cleanup

BY EDNA MILES

Cleaning materials handy, this housekeeper readies her closets for spring.

As most cleaning is done these days, there's no longer a set housecleaning spree known as spring cleaning. But somehow, spring does seem the ideal time of year to turn out the closets.

Perhaps it's because so much has accumulated in them during the winter months. First step is to get rid of the useless things that always collect in closets. The next is to remove everything so that shelves, walls and floors can be scrubbed.

An efficient cleaner for walls and woodwork can be made by adding a cup of ammonia, one-half cup vinegar and one-fourth cup baking soda to one gallon of water. If you like, use a little household bleach to dispel musty odors.

When you put away winter clothes, always label the boxes and clothes bags so they can be identified at a glance. And in moth-proofing winter woolens, check the directions carefully before you start.

When everything is shipshape again, keep a bottled wick deodorant on the closet shelf to maintain the fresh. clean smell.

Society News

Loveliest Spring Fashions Will Appear at Pre-Easter Style Show, Luncheon Sat.

The 1924 Study Club will present its annual Pre-Easter Style Show and luncheon Saturday, April 6, when lovely feminine spring fashions, furnished by local stores, are shown by some of Wellington's charming models, from four years old and up.

The event will be held at the community building, beginning at noon. The luncheon is scheduled first, to be followed by the style show.

Five stores are participating, Fashion Shop, Fair Store, French Clothiers, Hatch Dry Goods and the Leader Department Store. Accessories and decorations are furnished by Pruden Drug, Cochran Drug, and Sullivan Hardware and Furniture, Mrs. James Sullivan, club president, reported.

Mrs. Mack Saied Jr. is overall chairman, while Mrs. Bob McAlister is in charge of narration and music.

This is a benefit event, Mrs. Sullivan pointed out, and proceeds will be used for 1924 Study Club community projects, including park improveaent, girls work, the community building curtain fund, and others that may come up.

These models have been selected tentatively:

Fashion Shop: Janice Rountree, Mickey Ann Kendrick, Steve Hunter, Don Bartlett, Mrs. Deskins Wells, Mrs. Sandy Parsons, Mrs. Heber Brantley, Judy Glenn, Ada Carole Thomas, Rebecca Carter, VaRue Sweat, Molly Ann Denley, Jonaquin Cecil, Kay Peeples, Ann Orr and Jane Orr.

Fair Store: Bette Elliott, Vada Bell, Janice Morrow, Ann McCarver, Judy McCarver, Mrs. W. S. Harbin and Mrs. J. I. Morgan.

Leader Department Store: Linda Singley, Mary Parsons, Miss Mary Beth Atkins, Mrs. Guy Owens, Mrs. J. B. Stevenson, Cindy Saied, and Debbie Lewis.

Hatch Dry Goods: Sherri Graham of Quail, Mary Beth Kelso, Mrs. E. M. Hix, Connie Watkins, Carrie Ann Lewis and Carlos Hatch.

All members of the 1924 Study Club are working toward the production, Mrs. Sullivan said, and comimttees putting on the style show and luncheon include, models: Mrs. Jimy Cochran and Mrs. Carter Holcomb; decorations, Mrs. Raymond Ross, Mrs. Chester Fires, and Mrs. Bobo Castleberry; food, Mrs. Maxey McKnight, Mrs. Velman Warrick and Mrs. J. D. Wilson; and kitchen: Mrs. Frank Weir, Mrs. Henry Vaughan, Mrs. Clark Anderson, Mrs. Jack Kopp, Mrs. R. R. Crawley and Mrs. Mack Saied Jr.

Seven high school girls have selected to assist club members in serving the luncheon: Sharon Campbell, Wanda Langford, Diane Owens, Myrna Henry, Linda Orr, Celia Ray Anderson and Patricia Ann Sullivan.

Party Honors Marcia King

Marcia Mae King was honored on her third birthday Monday, April 1, when her mother, Mrs. J. B. King was hostess at a party.

Out-door games were played, then favors of candy eggs, suckers, baloons, and colored Easter chickens were given the small guests.

Attending and sending gifts were Carol Cochran, Karen McClendon, Cathy McClendon, and David McClendon, Mary Saied, Billy Henard, Dan Fires, Jacqueline King, Ramona Ford, Rob McKnight, and Gary and Larry Don Gill of Pottsboro.

Porters Observe 49th Anniversary

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Porter of Vernon, and their daughter, Mrs. Drury Lacy of the Shinnery community, were in Albuquerque from Friday until Tuesday, March 22 to 26.

They were guests in the home of a son, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Porter and Janis.

The occasion was their observancc of their 49th wedding anniversary.

Countywide 4-H Party April 15

A county-wide 4-H Club party will be held Monday night, April 15, in the VFW hall, from 7 to 9:30 p. m., Miss Kathryn Potter, county home demonstration agent, announced.

Both boys and girls will attend.

Each Girls 4-H Club is to have 5 games they can direct.

Refreshments will be served by the Home Demonstration Clubs of the county. Parents are urged to attend.

Wesleyan Guild Meets Thursday

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church met Thursday evening, March 28, in the home of Mrs. Loren Thompson.

Mrs. Cameron Beam, president, opened the meeting and gave the devotional, speaking on "Worry Danger". Mrs. G. B. Hopper conducted the continued study of "Paul's Letters to Local Churches", presenting the topic, "Message of The Church".

Lovely refreshments were served to Mmes. Calvin Aaron, Guy Owens, Barney Glenn, Ollie Wilson, David Baumgardner, Richard Bailey, John Forbis, Joe Thompson, Jennie Holcomb, Frank Weir, Ralph Ball, Roy Horn, Bryan Denley, Loyd Wooldridge, Hopper, Jack Downs, J. D. Aaron, Beam, Miss Inez Leach and hostess, Mrs. Loren Thompson.

The next meeting will be Thursday, April 11, in the church basement with Mrs. J. D. Aaron as hostess and Mrs. Richard Bailey giving the program.

Bible Comment:

Amos, the Prophet, Saw in His Time An Image of Ours

AMOS was not the first of the Hebrew prophets, but he is the first whose prophecies have come down to us in a book attached to his own name. What makes him interesting is that what he said about his own time can be applied with equal intensity to our own.

Amos was a herdsman in a small village about 12 miles south of Jerusalem. His farmer's sense of value and clearness of vision was shocked when he came to Jerusalem. He protested as might a plain, honest, hard-working man of today at things to be seen in the city life of our time.

It was a time of so-called prosperity in Palestine but Amos saw poor wretches who had no share in this. Some were living in luxury while others starved. Amos not only saw this contrast but saw that beneath it, and in some measure causing it, were real injustices.

Not only were those who had wealth unwilling to share it, but the society itself was full of materialism and corruption. The rich and powerful were using the poor for their own gain.

Amos describes what he saw in vivid words. He saw corruption in political life, bribery and dishonesty. A prudent man might have kept quiet but Amos was fearless. He appealed to the people to seek good and not evil. He warned them that the course they were pursuing was bound to bring destruction on them.

Religion itself was perverted from its true ways. It had become largely a matter of form. The people observed feasts and brought burnt offerings, but they were not offering their own lives as sacrifices in holiness to God. Amos poured out his wrath on these things.

Surely one can read the application of all this to our own day. Amos, a prophet of Israel, speaks directly to our own time as much as if he stood among us.

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Who's New In Collingsworth

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Watson of Perryton, formerly of Wellington, are the parents of a daughter, Tanya Diane, born March 16 and weighing six pounds and four ounces. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ople White of Quail and Mrs. Vesta Watson. The baby's great grandmothers are Mrs. Annie Tow and Mrs. P. J. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Woodard of Ingleside are the parents of a son, Rex William, born March 18 and weighing 10 pounds. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. Blasingame of the Lillie community.

A daughter, Kathy, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walt Winters recently. She weighed seven pounds. They are now with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ellis in Rhome, but their permanent home is to be Fort Worth.

Good Lawns Are Product of Effort

Colelge Station — Good lawns don't just hapen. They are the product of considerable time and effort, says E. M. Trew, extension agronomist. A fertile soil, adapted grasses, and drainage along with proper watering, fertilization and mowing are essentials for establishing an attractive lawn.

A sandy loam soil high in organic matter is considered best for lawns. The lawn area should be graded for proper drainage and smoothness. Sand may be added to clay soils or clay to loose sandy soils in order to make them suitable for lawns, says Trew. A soil test is recommended in order to know just what kinds and amounts of plant food should be added to the soil. The fertilizer should be worked into the soil by plowing or spading. The addition of organic matter will improve the tilth and water holding capacity of the soil but in new lawns, Trew recommends the use of a nitrogen fertilizer along with the organic matter to take care of the decomposition process.

Only adapted grasses should be used in the lawn. Bermuda is the most widely adapted lawn grass for Texas. San Augustine grass is recommended for the eastern half of the state. Buffalograss is recommended for areas where watering faculties are not available except in East Texas and Gulf Cost areas. Centipede is not generally recommended for lawns. Zoysia is adapted in Texas but unless the home owner is willing to do all the necessary things for establishing and maintaining a beautiful lawn this grass is not recommended. Perennial ryegrass, tall fescue and Kentucky bluegrass can be used in the Panhandle area for permanent lawn grasses if irrigated.

Trew recomends that only high quality seed of a single grass, not a mixture, be used for lawn seeding. Lawns may also be established with sprigs or by sodding depending upon the grass used. The new lawn should be watered lightly and frequently until it is established. Then less frequently and in increased amounts as needed. Mow frequently, clipping only about a half inch of growth at each mowing. Fertilize throughout the growing season for an attractive vigorous growing lawn.

The United States' foreign-assistance program in all categories currently costs eight billion dollars annually.

Liven Leftover Turkey With Sweet Pickles

BY DOROTHY MADDOX

Attractive, tasty croquettes, bedded in rice, are made of leftover turkey given a flavor boost with crushed sweet pickles.

LEFTOVER turkey has a delicious future when turned into crisp croquettes given flavor and a texture boost with pickles. This is the perfect use for pieces of turkey that are too small for slicing or dicing.

Pickle Turkey Croquettes and Rice
(4-6 servings)

One egg, beaten, 1½ cups chopped, cooked turkey, ½ cup chopped sweet mixed pickles, 2 tablespoons finely chopped parsley, 1 tablespoon grated onion, ½ teaspoon salt, freshly ground pepper, ½ cup fine, dry bread crumbs, fat, 2 tablespoons butter or margarine, 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour, 1⅔ cups chicken stock or bouillon, 1 egg, slightly beaten, ¼ teaspoon nutmeg, 4 cups hot, cooked rice.

Combine 1 egg, turkey, ¼ cup pickles, parsley, onion, salt, pepper and crumbs; mix well. Chill. Shape into 1½-inch balls. Saute balls in small amount of hot fat until browned.

Meanwhile, melt butter or margarine over low heat; add flour and blend. Gradually add stock or bouillon and cook until thickened, stirring constantly.

Add a little of hot mixture to slightly beaten egg; mix well and return to hot mixture, stirring constantly. Add nutmeg and remaining ¼ cup pickles; mix well. Arrange turkey balls on rice and serve with pickle sauce.

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Here's a very good milk shake recipe for your "teen-age recipe" files:

Pineapple Milk Shake
(2 or 3 glasses)

Two cups cold milk, 2 ice cubes (optional), 3 rounded teaspoons sugar, 1 package vanilla or strawberry milk shake mix, ½ cup canned, crushed pineapple and juice.

Pour milk into a shaker or quart jar. Add ice cubes, if desired. Add sugar, then milk shake mix. Shake vigorously until milk shake mix is dissolved. Add pineapple and juice. Shake again. Serve at once.

Mrs. McKnight Has Study Club

Mrs. Maxey McKnight was hostess to members of the 1924 Study Club Thursday, March 28.

Mrs. R. R. Crawley was in charge of the program, subject of which was "Hidden Wonders of the Grand Canyon."

Those present were Mmes. Clark Anderson, Crawley, Bobo Castleberry, Chester Fires, James Ross, Mack Saied Jr., J. D. Wilson, Frank Weir, George Kopp, James Sullivan, Bob McAlister, Miss Katherine Boverie, one guest, Mrs. J. A. Leslie of Childress.

Adell Jerman, Early Spring Bride, Honored at Shower Friday Evening

Miss Adelle Jerman, whose marriage to Billy Hayes was an event of Sunday, March 31, was honored at a shower Friday evening, March 29, in the home of Mrs. Paul Starr. Co-hostesses with her were Mmes. Lawrence Warrick, John Coleman, Dewey Barker, Earl Hunter, Jimmy Kelso, Jack Nelson, Elmer Hiett, Boyd Derryberry, Ted Brock, N. A. Brock, J. S. Dorn, Shelton Nunnelley, Raymond Barton, Les White, Gilroy Rummell, Paul Brewer, Carroll Reynolds, Tommie Stall and Jess Wilson.

Mrs. Starr greeted the guests and presented them to the honoree, her mother Mrs. Gordon Peters, and the mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Rufus Hayes.

Mrs. Derryberry was at the guest register, and a program of piano music was given during the evening by Miss Elizabeth Hurst.

The serving table was laid with a sheer linen cloth accented in drawnwork design, centered with an arrangement of pink carnations and fern, tied with white ribbon.

Mrs. Joe Lindsey of Hereford was at the crystal punch service.

Guests called between the hours of seven and nine p. m.

Vinson Legion, Auxiliary Meets

Members of the Vinson American Legion and Auxiliary met at the Legion Hut Friday night, March 28, for the regular monthly business and social hour.

Hostesses were Mrs. Kenneth Kromer and Mrs. Emory Davidson.

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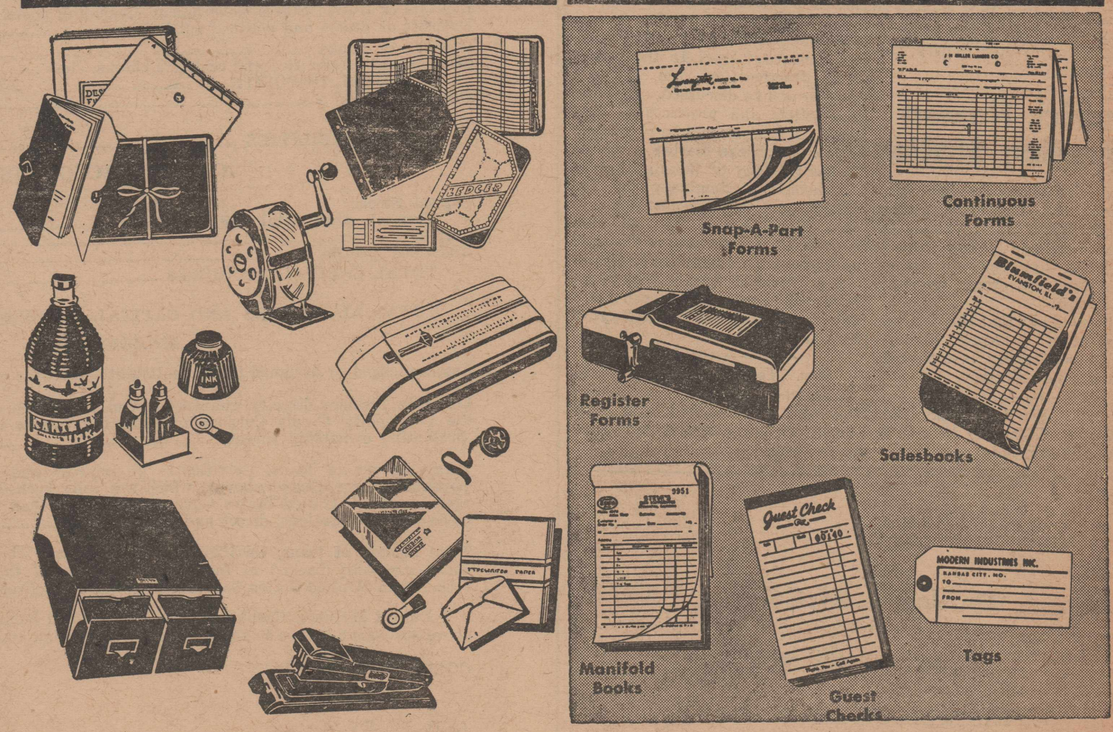

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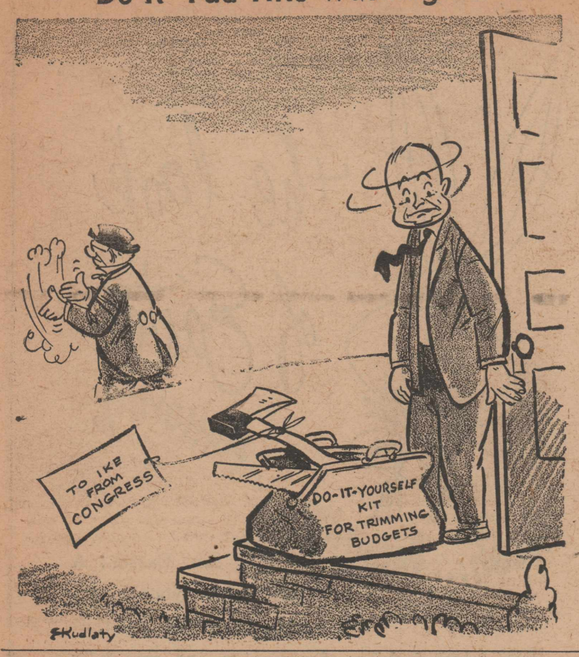


LOOKING AHEAD

by Dr. George S. Benson
DIRECTOR — NATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM
Searcy, Arkansas

LESSONS OF HISTORY

Five generations of American citizens have enjoyed individual freedom as a matter of course. The present population of America with the exception of a comparatively few immigrants, was born into freedom and would find it difficult even to conceive of living under any other circumstances. And yet no nation in all human history has ever achieved lasting freedom. This is an extremely significant fact which Americans should understand.

Man's desire for freedom was first recognized when the development of civilization brought on the need for government. Man quickly found that government by its very nature encroaches upon individual freedom. It must have power to operate, and that power can only come from one source, the people; they must give up some power, some freedom, to the government. When the founding fathers built the structure of the American way of life they surrounded government with various kinds of restrictions limiting its powers. The Bill of Rights, which was attached to the Constitution, was written altogether to protect the individual citizen against his own government.

THE FOUNDERS KNEW

The men who worked on the creation of the Constitution all knew that freedom had never existed for long anywhere, and that no nation had ever become a world leader and survived. Twenty world-leading nations had floundered in their own mistakes and eventually had fallen. Washington, Hamilton, Webster and the other framers of the Constitution were determined that the American system should survive and become a world pattern for lasting freedom and human progress. The structure they developed has lasting qualities—if each succeeding generation will but understand its workings and safeguard its principles.

Can we who have benefited from this wonderful legacy of freedom take lessons from the history of the nations which have risen to world leadership and subsequently fallen into oblivion? Indeed we can.

THE ONETIME LEADERS

Among the most notable world leaders whose histories we have available in great detail are Old Babylon, Ancient Egypt, Assyria, Egypt under the Pharoahs, New Babylon, Phoenicia, Persia, Greece, in which Sparta and Athens represented two kinds of government, and Rome. Many of the achievements of these nations contributed to the march of human progress.

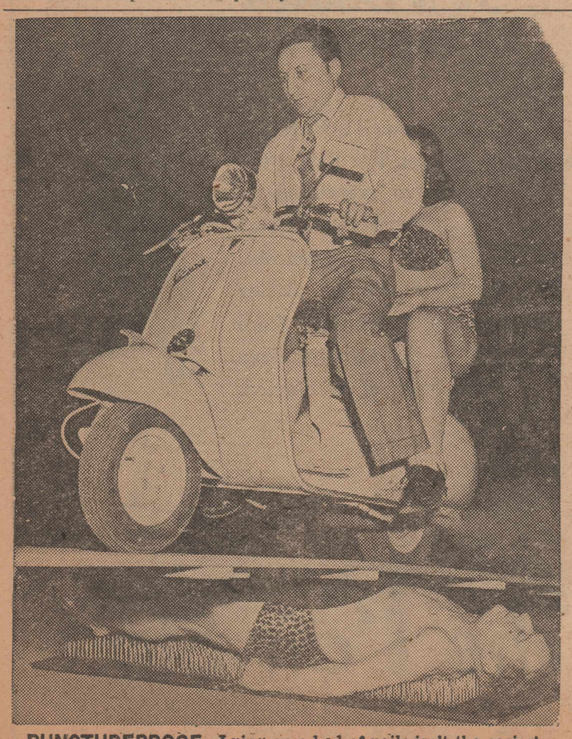
Babylon developed the basic science of astronomy, the duodecimal system of numbers, and an early form of the calendar; Egypt challenged man's imagination up through the centuries by building the pyramids; Assyria built the first roads known to mankind, constructed canals for irrigation, and grew the first cotton known to the world; Greece became the fountainhead of great architecture and art, and the cradle of man's first experiment with democracy; Rome contributed a great republic, established remarkable courts of justice, and made notable achievements in art and music.

CAUSES OF DOWNFALL

The three major causes of the downfall of these nations of the past were: political decay, economic decay, moral decay. The decline and fall of each nation was characterized by these three common causes—and we should note well that each cause was something over which people had control. Many of these nations established some degree of individual freedom which lasted for a while. In each case, government ultimately became too powerful, and the citizens too indifferent to what was going on around them.

Rome's downfall was preceded by the government's attempt to bribe the people into inaction against the political and moral decay within government. The government provided the populace with "bread and circuses" — meaning that it undertook to feed the people and to provide entertainment at the coliseum games. The decay went from bad to worse — and the people didn't seem to care. Rome's downfall ushered in the 1000-year-long Dark Ages for mankind.

Yes, human history presents powerful lessons. Will enough Americans recognize these lessons and understand their significance? The future of freedom will be determined by our answer to this question.



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I wish to thank all my friends who were so good to me during my recent illness. Thanks for the flowers, cards and many kind words and deeds. Also thanks to the Doctors and the entire staff of St. Joseph's Hospital for their loyal and loving care.

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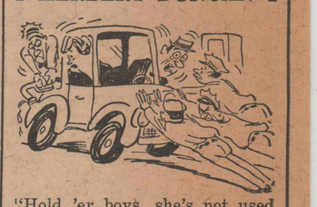

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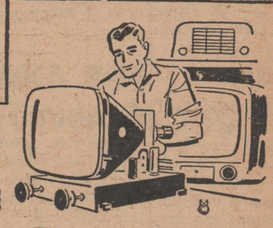

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Protect Hogs From Lice, Mange

College Station—Lice and mange on hogs are more troublesome during the late fall and winter months and early control is recommended. Dr. C. M. Patterson, extension veterinarian, says chief reasons for the increase can all be traced to the weather.

Animals are concentrated in barns or shelters during the cold months and parasites can easily spread from animal to animal by direct contact. Too, the longer and heavier hair coat on the animals at this season gives protection to lice and mange mites.

Patterson cites another reason which is also influenced by the weather. Lice and mange increase when hogs have a low intake of vitamin A. The prolonged drouth has reduced green grazing in most hog pastures to the vanishing point, and therefore, Patterson suggests that hogs be watched carefully for vitamin A deficiency symptoms.

Hogs which are restless and rub themselves frequently should be checked for lice and mites. Mites usually are noted first around the eyes, nose and in or around the ears. Lice are more frequently found on the tender skin of the flank or the innermost side of the leg.

If the parasites are found, Patterson recommends immediate treatment. He says a one-tenth (.1) percent lindane or gamma BHC solution used as a spray or dip or a five (5) percent toxaphene spray or dip or a five-tenths (.5) percent chlordane spray will give good results. Recent tests, he adds, shows that lindane does the best job of getting rid of mange. When this insecticide is thoroughly applied to the animal with a light to moderate infestation, mites are often eliminated with a single treatment.

When hogs have heavily-crusted areas over a large part of their body, a second treatment may be needed in seven to ten days to completely clear up the infestation.

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Five Locations Staked

Drilling Activity Moves South to Aberdeen Area

Drilling in the Collingsworth county shallow gas field came closer to Wellington with the application to locate two wildcat tests in the area north of Aberdeen, and two to three miles south of Elm Creek.

This is the farthest south that drilling activity has come in Collingsworth in the current period of development.

Both wildcat locations were by the Parker Petroleum Company, Inc., of Ponca City, Okla., which recently has entered the gas picture in the county, and which has taken considerable acreage of leases in the north and north central parts of the county.

One test will be the Virgil Louise Caperton No. 1—1320 feet from the north and east lines of section 50, block 12, 15 miles north and 2 east of Wellington. It will be drilled to production of 2,400 feet.

The other test is the Preuit-Yates No. 1, 1320 feet from the east and south lines of Section 48, block 12, 14 miles north and 4 east of Wellington. It also will be drilled to production of 2,400 feet. This is on the farm owned by C. R. Preuit and his daughters.

The other locations were filed by El Paso Natural Gas Co. in the north part of thec ounty, and include:

Nicholson No. 2 — 933' from north, 1643 fro meast lines, section 16, block 17. PD 2468.

O'Neil No. 2-A—1205 from west, 713 from south lines sec. 15, blk. 17, PD 2601.

Williams No. 1-E — 963 from east, 982 from south lines, section 91, blk. 16. Depth not given.

ASSIGNMENTS

According to instruments filed in the office of Cliffa Jean Tow, county clerk, O. J. Walker assigned to John H. Adger leases on 2480 acres, and a few days later Adger assigned the same acreage to the Parker Petroleum Company of Ponca City, Oklahoma. This includes the land on which the Preuit-Yates well is located. Walker took the leases during 1953 and 1954.

Land envloved in these two transfers include: N half, section 30, blk 12; NE quarter, section 38, blk. 16; N half of SW quarter, section 39, block 14 (this is copy of original instruments); S half of SW quarter, sec. 39, blk. 16; SE quarter, sec. 38, blk. 16; NW quarter, sec. 28, blk 12; SE quarter and NE quarter and E 60 acres of SW quarter, sec. 29, blk 12; W 100 acres of SW quarter, sec. 29, blk 12; NW quarter, sec. 22, blk. 16; N half, sec. 31, blk. 12; S half, sec. 48, blk 12; S half, sec. 28, blk 12. This is a total of 2240 acres conveyed at this time. Adger also assigned an additional quarter section, the NW quarter, sec. 34, blk 12, to Parker Petroleum Co.

W. H. Walker assigned to O. J. Walker 1/32 of 7/8 interest in the NW quarter, sec. 73, block 12.

O. J. Walker assigned to Dr. Douglas F. Barkley of Austin the South half of section 30 and the NE quarter of section 11, block 12; the north half and SE quarter, section 34, block 12; and the SE quarter, section 47, block 12.

LEASES

Frank J. Knoll to E. C. and R. C. Sidwell — NW quarter, section 4, blk. 16;

Willie C. Knoll and wife, Jane to E. C. and R. C. Sidwell—SW quarter, section 44, block 16.

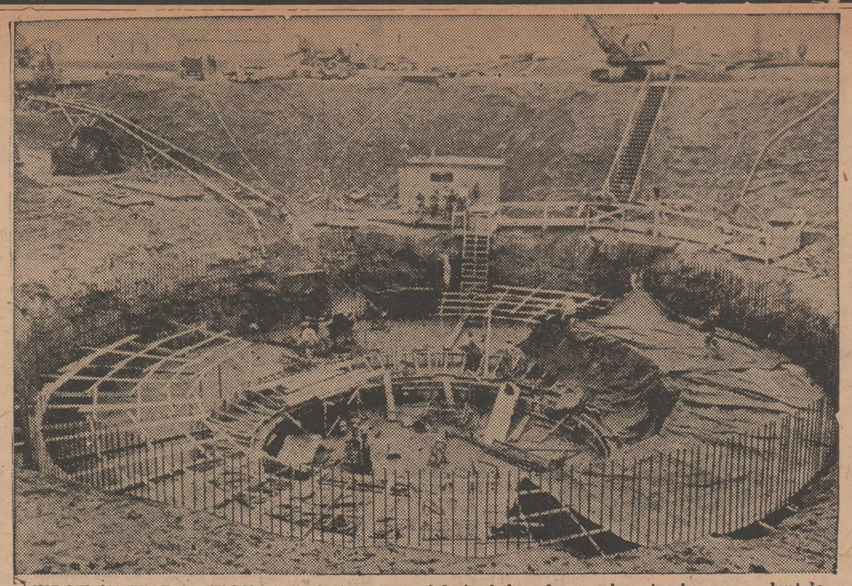
J. W. Deger and wife, Nancy, to O. J. Walker—the W half and SE quarter, sec. 9, blk. 12.

Joe Rountree and wife, Rachel, to O. J. Walker—SE quarter, sec. 93, blk. 11.

12-B Athletes to Groom This Week

Atheletes from Quail, Samnorwood and Dodson schools will take part in the district 12-B Interscholastic League track meet at Groom this week end.

The event was due to have been held Saturday, March 23, but was postponed due to the blizzard.



FIRST IN THE NATION—The first commercial-sized, breeder-reactor atomic power plant is gradually shaping up in Monroe, Mich. Shown is the foundation for the atomic reactor building, the dome-shaped unit which will provide the energy for the Enrico Fermi plant. Located at the bottom of a 56-foot excavation, the foundation itself is 20 feet deep and 87 feet across. The breeding process, scientists say, will extend the supply of atomic fuel to outlast the reserves of fossil fuels more than 50 times.

April 14 Deadline to Sign Contracts

More Than 35,000 Acres In Soil Bank in County

Through March 29, 1957, 35,413.1 acres had been put in the Soil Bank's Conservation Reserve in Collingsworth County, according to Travis McGuire, Chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. This acreage was covered by 377 contracts, and includes all contracts signed from October 1956 through March 29, 1957.

Mr. McGuire said that farmers who comply with the terms of their contracts can earn total payments of $202,320.00 for carrying out the soil and water conservation practices, and a total of $353,780.00 for the annual payment. About 3 per cent of the total number of contracts signed included the entire eligible acreage on the farms covered.

Nationally, more than 3.5 million acres of land had been put in the Soil Bank's Conservation Reserve through February 15, according to preliminary figures announced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. This acreage was covered in 38,636 contracts, signed from October 16, 1956 through February 15, 1957.

Signatory farmers throughout the country will be able to earn $21.4 million in practice payments, that is, assistance in helping to establish the practices. If the farmers remain in compliance with the program, they will receive an estimated $29.7 million in annual payments during each year their Conservation Reserve contract is in force.

So far the pattern of participation varies widely throughout the country. Department officials explained that all States did not begin the Conservation Reserve sign up at the same time and, in a number of States, Committees had to give most of their attention to 1957 Acreage Reserve signups, which had earlier deadlines.

April 14 is the deadline for signing Conservation Reserve contracts to go into effect in 1957.

C-C Group Attends Industry Meeting at

A group from the Wellington Chamber of Comerce was in Childress Monday night, April 1, to attend a meeting on how to get industry into a town.

Speaker was Fred Husband, executive vice-president and general manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Abilene. He confined his address to two points: "Leadership and City Pride". Husband pointed out that every citizen must have pride in his city and boost it if that city is to attract industry.

Going from here were N. M. Higdon, manager; Charles Allen, O. C. McMinn, Dr. Chas. B. Jones, Sandra Smith, Nina Harrison and Paul Bell Jr.

Real Estate Transactions

The following transfers of real estate were recorded in the office of Cliffa Jean Tow, county clerk:

Osa Black, guardian of the estate of Charles C. Terry, to Joe Terry—undivided 2/30ths interest in the east 320 acres of section 40, blk. 15.

Jimmy Terry and wife, Patsy; Nelda Fern Orr and husband, Vesta Lee Orr; Clara Black and husband, Osa Black, to Joe Terry—undivided interest in the east 320 acres of section 40, block 15.

Cecil Frank Luce and wife, Margaret Lee, of Harmon County, Okla., to the Veterans Land Board of Texas—the NE quarter, section 91, block 14.

Veterans Land Board of Texas to Palo F. Cummings—NE quarter, section 91, block 14.

Rose and Marie Shadid visited in Memphis Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Shadid.

Mrs. Erolene McLane of Albuquerque, N. M., is here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clubb, and to be with her small son, James Swope, who had tonsilectomy in the St. Joseph's Hospital Tuesday morning.

Wellington Has 2 In League Meet

Wellington high school will have only two students entered in the district Interscholastic League literary events at Quanah Saturday, April 6, due to conflicts with local school activities, High School Principal Maxey McKnight said.

Cynthia Watkins and Elizabeth Hurst, both seniors, will make up the shorthand team competing.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ball left Thursday, March 28, for Tucson, Arizona, where they will spend a two weeks vacation. They will visit with their son and daughter-in-law, S/Sgt. and Mrs. Howard Ball. He has been stationed at Davis Air Base there for the last year, and she is also employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brewer and Mrs. J. T. Cummings spent the weekend in San Angelo with their brother, John Crow, who is recovering from a heart attack suffered a few weeks ago. Mrs. Lewis Stambaugh of Lubbock, known here formerly as Alma Crow, was also visiting there and will remain with Mr. Crow until his condition is improved. Mrs. Brewer reports that Mr. Crow would like to receive cards from his friends here. His address is 2402 West K, San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boyd of Dodson spent the week end of the blizzard in Amarillo with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Alexander, Adell and Betty. They returned Tuesday. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Alexander, also of near Dodson, were their guests for the week end of March 30-31.

Mrs. Vesta Watson returned recently from Perryton where she had been with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Watson and Tanya Diane.

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The United States Dept. of Agriculture reports:

- **Chicks started in Jan.-Feb. were 26% *less* than last year**
- **Eggs in incubators for March hatch were 26% *less* than last year**

This foretells a tremendous shortage of fall pullets and . . . *high egg prices next fall and winter!*

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1. **Raise your usual number of chicks, but start them *now* to get early eggs when prices should be highest.**
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3. **See us for chicks *now*. We can supply good ones right away.**
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The Fair Store

75 Boys Advance In Boy Scout Court of Honor

The district Court of Honor for the Comanche District was held Monday night, March 27, with troops participating from Memphis, Hedley, Lakeview, Wellington and Clarendon.

Others were prevented from attending by snow-blocked roads.

One youth received the Eagle Scout award, Larry Craig of Troop 35, Memphis. He is the son of Mr. anr Mrs. Gene Craig of Memphis, formerly of Wellington.

Approrimately 75 boys participated, with eight receiving second class awards, 19 first class award, 9 star awards, and 66 merit badges.

Second class awards were presented by Gene Long, Clarendon Scoutmaster; first class awards by Boaz Stolts, Hedley Scoutmaster; merit badges by Ted Myers, Memphis Scoutraster; and Star Awards by Mack Bush of Wellington. J. C. Yeary of Wellington directed the Eagle Ceremony.

Troop 36 of Hedley won the advancement ladder for having the most advancements since the last court of honor, held in January.

Funeral Service For A. F. LaCasse

Funeral services for Andrew F. LaCasse, 78, were held Wednesday afternoon, March 25, at Greer Funeral Chapel in Mangum, Oklahoma, with Rev. Eugene North officiating. Burial was in Independence Cemetery.

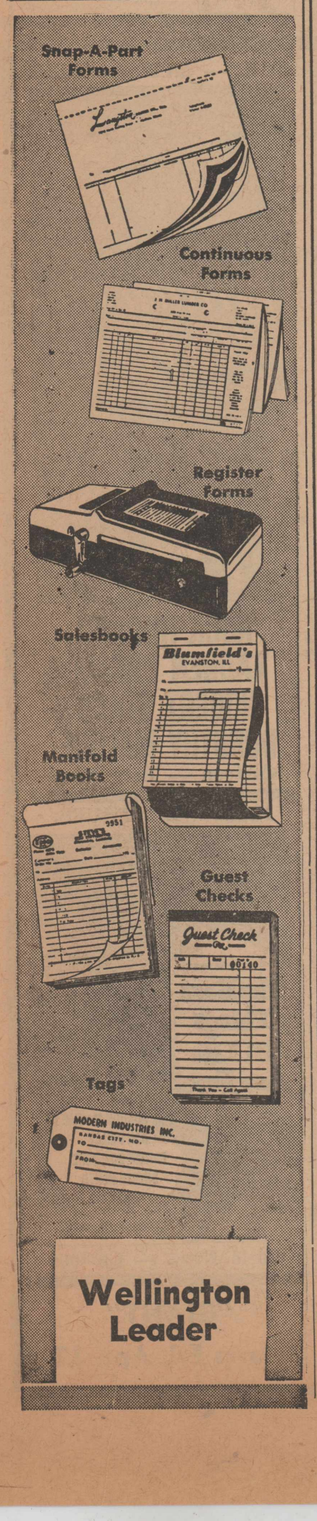
Mr. LaCasse had lived in the Mangum area for about thirty years.

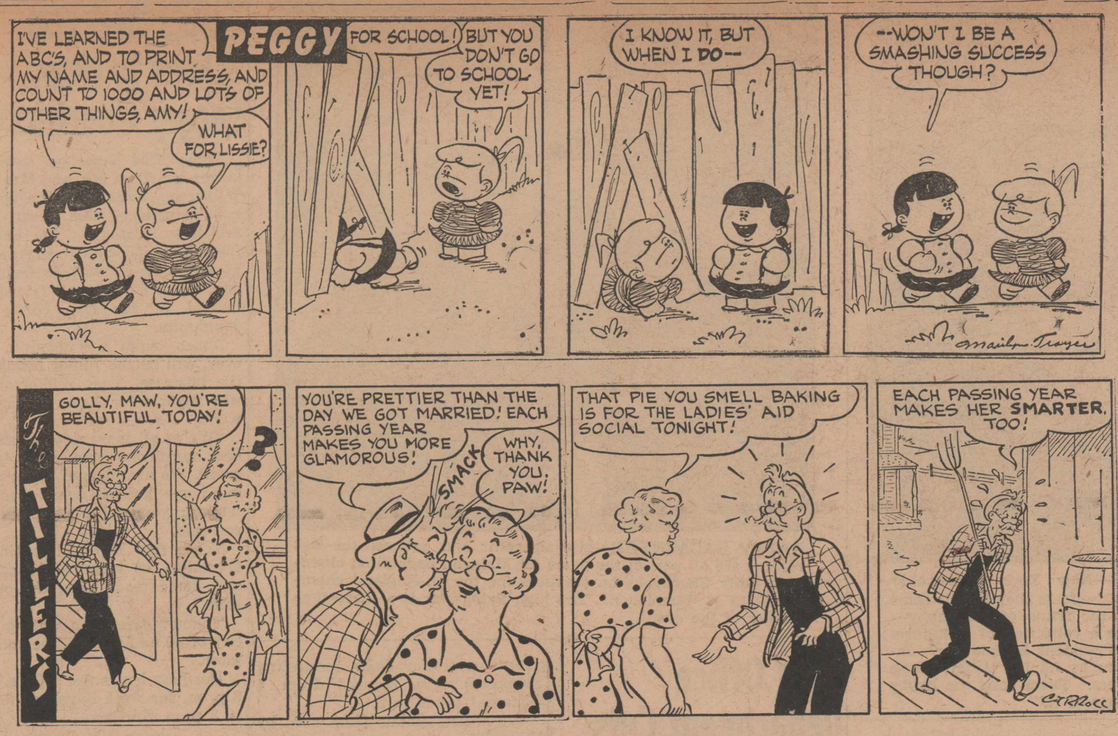
Surviving are his wife, eight children, and a number of other relatives, among whom are a niece and nephew living here, who are Mrs. M. L. James and Frank Fourmentin.

Drake Initiated In UT Fraternity

Gus Drake recently was initiated into Phi Kappa Psi social fraternity at the University of Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Drake and is a freshman engineering student.

Drake went to the semi-finals recently in the intramural tennis competition. He also is a member of the Freshman Council and was a member of the Campus Community Chest committee.





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April 5

For a considerable length of time the building in which we were located was not large enough to accommodate all of the people who wanted to eat with us, so we have moved to a new location just north of the City Grocery. Come to see us on opening day and inspect the nicest and cleanest cafe in Wellington.

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You know the quality of the home style cooking that has brought us such an excellent business. There will be no increase in prices on any items. Come to Tom's Red Top for the best in lunches, homemade pies, etc.

And while you are here we invite you to inspect our kitchen with its gleaming new equipment.

We appreciate the wonderful acceptance the people have given our food, and we are now able to take care of more of you at one time—60 people at the present and 75 next fall. Thanks again folks, and come to see us this coming Friday.

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Tom's Red Top Cafe

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilkins

Reserve District No. 11

BANK'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

Of the

Wellington State Bank

of Wellington, Texas, at the close of business March 14, 1957, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	507,910.39
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	216,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	31,262.34
Corporate stocks (including $3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including $6,691.54 overdrafts)	1,097,656.15
Bank premises owned $6,300.00, furniture and fixtures $1,000.00	7,300.00
Other assets	1,338.00
TOTAL ASSETS	1,864,466.88

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,439,009.74
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	213,817.63
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	36,307.47
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	5,585.48
TOTAL ALL DEPOSITS	1,694,720.32
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,694,720.32

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital *	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	19,746.56
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	50,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	169,746.56
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,864,466.88

Common stock with total par value of 100.00 ..... $50,000.00

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 166,000.00

I, Richard Bailey, Cashier of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RICHARD BAILEY, Cashier

CORRECT—ATTEST:

J. W. WELLS
JOHN HENARD
JAMES W. SULLIVAN
Directors.

State of Texas, County of Collingsworth ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April, 1957.
Dora E. Smith
Notary Public, Collingsworth County, Texas

Reserve District No. 11 State No. 671

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

The First State Bank Of Dodsonville

of Dodson, Texas.

at the close of business March 14, 1957, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	234,114.12
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	92,095.83
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	22,970.13
Corporate stocks (including $1,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	1,500.00
Loans and discounts (including $1,290.92 overdrafts)	310,618.84
Bank premises owned $12,290.48, furniture and fixtures $7,500.00	19,790.48
Other Assets	122.64
TOTAL ASSETS	681,212.04

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	544,896.36
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	10,000.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	5,112.61
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	43,992.11
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	8,959.89
TOTAL DEPOSITS	612,960.97
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	612,960.97

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital*	25,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided profits	18,251.07
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	68,251.07
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	681,212.04

*This bank's capital consists of:
Common stock with total par value of $25,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	77,000.00

I, Nadine Birchfield, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NADINE BIRCHFIELD, Cashier

CORRECT—ATTEST:

GROVER C. MITCHELL
FLOYD F. TEUTSCH
W. FRANK SMITH
Directors

State of Texas, County of Collingsworth ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of April, 1957
(SEAL) J. C. HOWELL, Notary Public

At Quail Meet

Hedley and Lakeview Win Judging Contests

A crops judging team from Hedley FFA and a poultry team from Lakeview took first place honors in the Greenbelt District Judging Contest at Quail Saturday, March 30.

The Hedley team made 699½ points out of a possible 900, while the Lakeview team scored 757 out of a possible 960 points.

Individual high scorer in the crops judging contest was Troy Harrison of Quail, with 248 out of a possible 300 points, while Morris Crump of Memphis was high in the poultry judging contest by one-half point, 266½ out of 320, while Gano Wilson of Quail tallied up 266, Frank Kennedoy, Quail vocational ag instructor said.

Placings, with the number of points and team members included:

Crop judging: first Hedley, 699½, Don Cox, Billy Wiggins and Dale Morris; second, Quail 688, Marvin Newman, Troy Harrison and Ronald Cummings; third Lakeview, 655½, Steve Cruz, Kenneth Sanders and Keith Robertson; fourth, Estelline, 646, Bradfoot, Cope and Barnett; and fifth: Samnorwood, 645, Jackie Boyd, Billy Colson and Paul Benton.

Poultry judging: first, Lakeview, 757 points, Jerry Byares, Jerry Gowdy and James Rice; second: Memphis, 747, Phil Wooten, Morris Crump and Bill Whitten; third, Quail, 713, Gano Wilson, Marion Tidwell and Billy Duckworth; fourth: Samnorwood, 705, Paul Schaub, Billy Conners, and Don Marchant; fifth: Lelia Lake, 679½, Troy Luttrell, Aven Hook and Tommy Bridges.

Feed Plus Fertility

Guar Dual Capacity Crop For Farmer Stockman

Guar has proved itself to one Wellington grower, Sandown Smith, as a crop that can be utilized in a duel capacity, first as a summer growing soil improving crop and secondly, as a high protein livestock feed.

Smith, co-operating with the Salt Fork Soil Conservation District, reported that he believes guar grows well here in spite of the limited amount of rainfall. In 1955, Smith planted guar, seeding it at the rate of 5 to 7 pounds per acre in 40 inch rows. The beans were harvested in the fall.

In 1956, he planted this land in cotton, and reports it yielded 70 per cent more than cotton alongside which was planted on land that had cotton the previous year.

Smith contributes the increase of production to guar for several reasons. One is that guar as a legume produced nitrogen that was left in the soil for the cotton crop. Another is that guar, with a large tap root, helped open up the soil, allowing moisture to enter more freely. Too, guar produced a large amount of organic material which is returned to the soil.

Since Sandown handles livestock, he had his harvested beans rolled and used his crop as stock feed. He mixed 1100 pounds of rolled guar with 1100 pounds of maize, and used with it 300 pounds of cottonseed meal, 300 pounds of hulls and 30 pounds of salt.

His ration worked fine with the stock he was feeding, and he considers it most satisfactory. Cattle ate it readily and did not burn out.

Smith is only one of a number of farmers in the Salt Fork SCD who have found guar valuable enough to include in their permanent farming program.

Reserve Contracts Become Effective On April 15

Conservation Reserve contracts which farmers sign to begin in 1957 will become fully effective not later than April 15, 1957, according to Travis McGuire, Chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. April 15 is also the final date for signing Conservation Reserve Contracts to begin in 1957.

The time when the contract goes into effect is important, the Chairman explained, because compliance with the contract requires that the designated Conservation Reserve not be grazed or cropped. Therefore, unless the conservation practice has been started earlier, any livestock grazing on the designater Conservation Reserve must be removed from the acreage by April 15.

On farms where the application of an approved conservation practice has been started on the designated Conservation Reserve before April 15, the contract goes into effect when the practice is started.

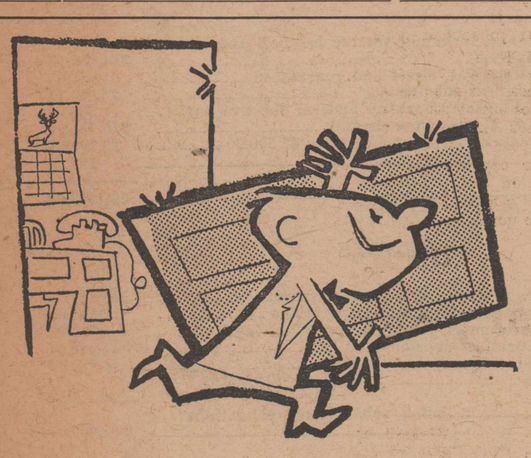
Adams to Manage Hardware Store

Sam Adams, who has been with Wellington Hardware and Furniture for the last four years, has been named manager to succeed Jack Brisbin, who moved to Wichita Falls.

Adams was reared at Quail and served in the United States Navy. After returning, he was with other Wellington stores a short time before going with Wellington Hardware and Furniture.

"There will be no change in the policy of operating the store, and I am looking forward to serving you," Adams said.

Jungle cannibals have nothing on cocktail party back-biters.



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ANYONE FOR AUTOGRAPHS?—New York stockbroker John I. Taeni gets assistance from his wife as they handle some of the 400 volumes which contain the fruits of his hobby—30,000 autographs. Mr. Taeni owns a collection of signatures ranging from Marie Antoinette to President Eisenhower. Included are such prominent specimens as Adolph Hitler, Maria Theresa, Mussolini and Rudolph Hess. Taeni calls the hobby "my happy sickness. I am a prisoner of it."

Demonstration of Sprinkler Equipment

Irrigation Meeting at John Harper Farm Fri.

The John C. Harper farm, one-half mile north of Wellington on Highway 83, has been picked for the sprinkler irrigation meeting and demonstration Friday afternoon, April 5, County Agenty Lefty Thomas has announced.

Dave Sherrill, irrigation assistant at the Lubbock Experiment Station and R. V. Thurmond, agricultural engineer for irrigation with the Extension Service, will be here to put the complete sprinkler system in operation, demonstrating the basic fundamentals of sprinkler operation.

This meeting will include discussions on soils, when to irrigate specific crops, fertilizer use and other pertinent information on sprinkler irrigation, Thomas said.

The meeting will begin at 1:30 p. m. and continue until about 4:30.

Public Invited

Ground Observer Corps To Sponsor Tornado Film

The Ground Observer Corps is sponsoring a motion picture, "Tornado Spotting and Reporting," Saturday night, April 6, which is open to the public, I. G. Vaden, who is handling local arrangements, has announced.

The film will be shown at the administration building at Marian Airpark, which serves the local unit as its headquarters. It will begin at 7:30.

Sgt. Glen Brazil, now stationed at Canadian, will be on hand to give a commentary and make explanations. The film will follow a tornado from the time the cloud begins forming, through the appearance of the funnel, and the results of its striking. The film also shows the work of the Civil Defense in spotting and reporting tornadoes.

The film already has been shown here to members of the corps, attended by approximately 60 persons, and because of the interest and the importance of the subject, Sgt. Brazil is returning for a public showing, Vaden said.

News of Men in Service

Pfc. Fred Ketchum left Thursday for his assignment at Fort Benning, Ga., after a 14 day leave with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Ketchum. He has been in the Army 8 months and works as a bookkeeper in the Transportation Corps.

Mrs. Ketchum has two other sons in service.

Pfc. Wayne Ketchum is in Germany and is due to begin a period of schooling, he wrote his mother. He reached Germany October 5, and is due to be there 11 months. He enlisted March 7, 1956.

A/2c Hershel Ketchum, serving with the Air Force, is assigned to duty at the Pittsburg, Penna., Airport. In service since January 1954, he is a mechanic.

A Buffalo, N. Y., man was fined $25 for driving his auto with 15 passengers including two on the hood.

Many people drive as if they're out to prove they have no insurance.

Dale Tipton Critically Hurt In Feed Grinder

Dale Tipton, who moved from Dodson to near Levelland the first of this year, was critically injured in a feed grinder accident on his farm Wednesday, March 27. He is in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, and his condition Monday was reported as seemingly better.

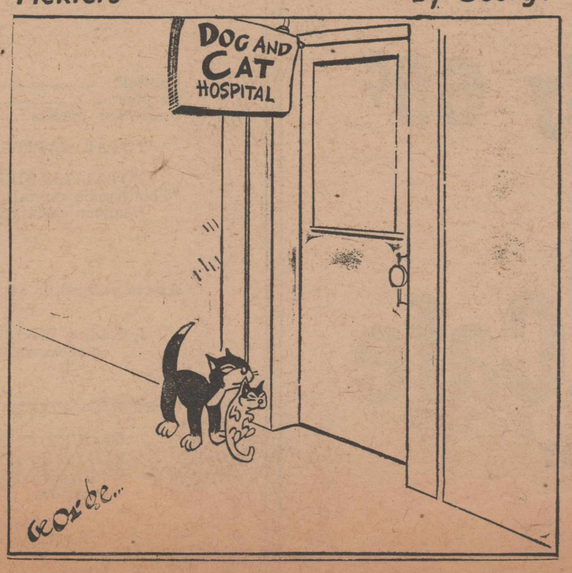
Claude Tipton of Hollis, his father, told Marvin Wynn, uncle of Mrs. Dale Tipton, that after he improves, he may undergo surgery a second time to relieve pressure on his brain.

According to information reaching here, the belt on the grinder slipped off, and in attempting to put it back on, Tipton was caught and pulled into the grinder, which then turned over on him. A Mexican working with him called help.

New neighbors of Tipton have notified his family they will take care of his farm work.

Mrs. Tipton is the former Jimmy Wynn of Dodson.

Ticklers *By George*



BATTY BADMINTON—Mid-air splits and between-the-legs returns are all part of the game for Malayan badminton champion Eddy Choong as he practices for the all-England championships at Wimbledon. The high-flying star is a three-time winner of the event.

Post Office Department Cuts Out 1685 Forms

A mountain of red tape consisting of 1,685 different government forms has been eliminated by the Post Office Department's Forms Control Program since January, 1953, Postmaster General Arthur E. Sumerfield reported today.

In addition to chopping off the 1,685 different forms which formerly plagued the public and postal personnel, the control program has greatly simplified use of many of the forms that have been retained and reduced the use of others.

Mr. Summerfield said the majority of forms eliminated were in the Washington headquarters of the Postal Service.

Moreover, he noted, this battle against red tape is still picking up momentum. Of the 1,685 forms completely eliminated, a total of 927 have been discontinued in the last eighteen months.

And, soon, 8,000 local forms will be replaced in major post offices by 119 exisiting authorized and 55 newly-designated standard forms. The reduction in forms that will be achieved by this move will be in addition to the 1,685 different forms already eliminated.

"Many of these forms in the category of the 1,685 already eliminated were printed by the millions, and, in a very real sense, their elimination has meant the abolition of a mountain of red tape," Mr. Summerfield commented.

Here are some other examples of achievements under the Forms Control Program as conducted by the present postal administration, the Postmaster General noted:

1. One form which was printed in quantities of about 500,000,000 annually has now been eliminated except for very limited special uses. This is the old money order application form. Recently-installed Post Office Department money order procedures, as well as the Forms Control Program, has made possible this particular reduction of paper work—one of the largest in the Post Office Department's history.

2. 22 different service and pay forms used in the postal field service have been eliminated.

3. 12 forms that had to do with certain statistics and route information on city delivery service were consolidated into four.

4. The Postmaster's "cashbook" (forms used for daily accounting purposes) were reduced from 4 different types to 2.

5. A new claims form used by the public when parcel post or COD package loss is claimed has reduced a highly-complicated 4-page form to one sheet printed on both sides, and the public now fills in only a portion of one side.

6. New application for second-class mailing priviledges is now a simple single sheet form, printed on one side only. The applicant fills in a small portion of this one sheet and mails it in a window envelope, without any further addressing, to his postmaster. At the bottom of the single sheet is a perforated section which the postmaster may fill in, tear off and mail back to the applicant, in a window envelope. Formerly this same sheet consisted of a page printed on both sides with extremely involved instructions. In many cases the applicant had to go to the post office to find out what the instructions meant, and, in addition, correspondence on the application—from the postmaster, or the applicant, or both—was usually needed.

"In addition to providing new convenience for the postal patron," Mr. Summerfield added, "the Forms Control Program has cut down substantially on processing steps for paper work required in the the postal establishment and has thus provided many internal improvements in efficiency."

Ground Corps Has Spotting Session

Five members of the Gound Observers Corps participated in a practice session of aircraft spotting Sunday and plotted the course of four "enemy" planes attempting to slip through.

Reports of these were phoned to the Oklahoma City Civil Defense Headquarters, giving the height, direction of travel, kind and numbers of each.

Taking part in the dry run were Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Vaden, John Hurley, John Glasscock and Royce Daves.

Mrs. O. T. Lester spent last weekend in Childress visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Stelton Crain and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Howard and family.

Lonnie Wood of Amarillo visited recently with his grandmother, Mrs. O. T. Lester.

Tom's Red Top Moves to New, Larger Quarters

Tom's Red Top has moved to larger quarters, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilkerson, owners of the popular cafe, announced this week. They are now located in the building just north of City Grocery and the formal opening will be held Friday, April 5, when all friends are invited in for free coffee and doughnuts.

Absent from the opening, however, will be the junior member of the business, Tom Wilkerson Jr., who reports for Army service this week.

"We've all known for some time that our former quarters were too small. We are pleased to serve you in a home that will be more convenient for you and us, too," Wilkerson said.

Tom's Red Top will continue to specialize in home style cooking and home made pies, the owners said.

The new cafe has a seating capacity of 60 and this will be enlarged later.

Business hours are 5:30 a. m. to 8 p. m. for week days and 6 a. m. to 3 p. m. Sunday.

Louise Anderson To Sing Here

Miss Louise Anderson, Wellington girl who has established a successful career in New York, will be presented for the first time in her home town Friday, April 26, under the sponsorship of the Skyrocket Band.

Mrs. Clyde Drake is directing arrangements.

Miss Anderson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Anderson.

Her recent engagements have included appearances on CBS radio, the Popular Priced Opera Co., as well as numerous club and church programs.

Complete arrangements for Miss Anderson's concert will be announced later.

Judge Luther Gribble has returned from Austin where he visited in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bunin and Danny.

James Fredrick LeDerer, student in Southwestern Medical College, Dallas, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred LeDerer.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McMillin Saturday night and Sunday were her aunt and uncle, Mrs. Myra Finch of Kelton and W. L. Chalfant of Cheyenne, Oklahoma.

District Court—

(Continued from page one)

A divorce was granted Minnie Phipps from Jack Phipps and a property settlement was arrived at.

On a motion of the plaintiff, the suit of Singley Mill and Elevator vs. Herschel Francis was dismissed.

A default judgement for the plaintiff was entered in the Shamrock Ice Company vs. Rudolph Cook.

One divorce suit was set for 2:30 Wednesday.

Continued were two divorce suits, an adoption case and two other suits.

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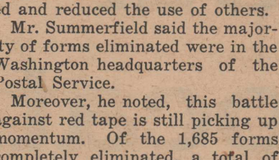

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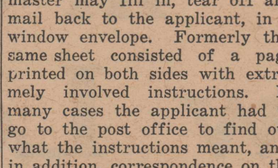

also "Davy Crockett and the River Pirates"

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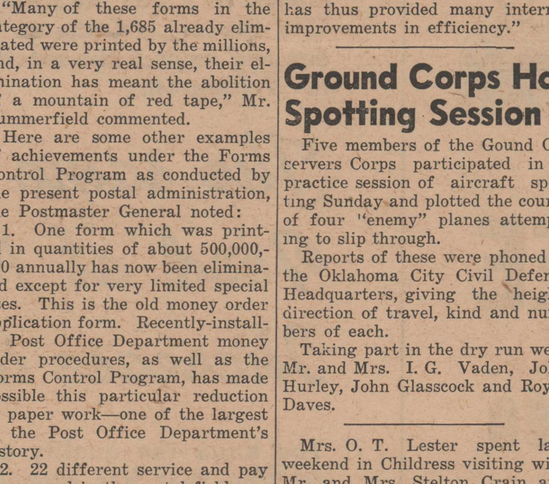

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CROSSROADS ★ REPORT

Dear Editor:

I see where a teamster by the name of Beck draws $50,000 a year in wages for telling other teamsters who they can work for and how much the dues will be.

Reports are that Teamster Beck's job also brings him lots of fringe benefits of a financial nature that the mere due-paying teamsters don't know all about.

Looks like union bossing can be worked into a very good paying trade, if a man has certain talents and is not too tall to fit in behind the Fifth Amendment.

* * *

I see where the Republicans and the Democrats in Washington have been trying ot see which party can get out ahead of the other on the matter of promising lower income taxes.

Don't know why it matters which is first to put the old reliable tax-cut plank in their platform. It has been standard equipment on all political platforms as far back as I can remember.

My not-kidding neighbor says what interests him is which party will first get around to putting cut the old tax-cut promise without crossing their fingers.

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I got invited to a Rotary Club lunch the other day and said a speech against high taxes.

This event likely set two new world's records for (a) best fried chicken, and (b) worst speech. When it finally ended, you could tell that higher taxes had many new friends.

I claim it takes uncommon talent to get results like that, and I am gloatingly waiting to see how much the Chevrolet people will offer me to go to work as a Ford salesman.

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I have been reading some history and note that times change and prices go up.

Back in the 1870s, the U. S. was paying $83,000 a year foreign aid, or tribute, to keep the Barbary pirates in a good humor.

Nowadays, since inflation set in, foreign love and friendship costs more. We spend about $5 billion a year now for same, or a slight price advance of six million per cent, and the product we are getting still has lots of bugs in it.

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I note some comment in the papers about how President Eisenhower won't invite Senator McCarthy to any of his White House shindigs.

Don't seem like the President is practicing what he preaches. He has been telling us rank and file that it is sinful for us to disassociate ourselves from any of our fellow men on account of little things like a difference in skin color.

But here he is holding himself aloof from McCarthy just because he don't like the color of the Senator's remarks.

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I see where a fellow in the writing business seems to think the $78 billion budget would be a little smaller if it didn't include things like a new $8,000 Cadillac for Senate Leader Lyndon Johnson.

Which seems logical, and no doubt the Senator could go to and fro around Washington on a bicycle.

But another way to look at it is that if U. S. taxpayers can afford to wet nurse King Saud who buys new Cadillacs in 5 dozen lots, we ought to be able to afford one only of these prestige indicators for our head Senator.

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I see where a prominent veterinarian says many big-city dogs are developing ulcers of the same general type as enjoyed by their so-called masters.

My dog-loving neighbor says he is not surprised, the way people are building up together in the big cities these days, and keeping their dogs surrounded with charging autos and unfriendly postmen.

St. Joseph's Hospital Notes

Tommy Williams, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Williams Jr., March 25 to 28.

Jackie Duncan, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Duncan, surgery, March 26 to 27.

Debra Ann Long, 7 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy R. Long, admitted March 26 to 28, medical.

John Nash, March 26 to 27, medical.

Mrs. B. J. Stanley, March 28 to April 1, surgery.

Mrs. J. B. King, March 28 to 30, medical.

Melvin Webb, 2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Webb of Samnorwood, admitted 28, dismissed March 29, medical.

Dale Needham, March 28 to 30, medical.

J. C. Estes, admitted March 28, dismissed April 1, for medical treatment.

Mrs. Howard Blevins, March 29 for medical treatment. She was still a patient early this week.

Mrs. Henry Vaughan, admitted March 31 for medical treatment.

Mrs. W. J. Neeley of Quail, admitted March 31, dismissed April 1, for medical treatment.

Mrs. Truitt Holland, admitted March 31 for surgery.

Bob Jones, admitted March 31 for medical treatment.

N. E. Willard, admitted March 31 for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Starr spent last weekend in Dallas.

Going to Amarillo Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Reeves, who visited in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Morris and family.

On account of a man can get used to living a dog's life, but it's mighty hard on a dog to have to live a man's life.

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I see where a commerce engineer in Massachusetts says that when the four-day work week comes along, most families will live in two houses.

Says one house will be to live in, and the other to take the long week-ends in. Not, as my blonde neighbor says, one house for the old man to sprawl around in and one for the housewife to work in.

Having two homes is going to be a hardship on some folks, though, who are kept busy thinking up places to go to get away from the one they have now.

VINSON

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and son, Carl Wayne, visited relatives in Amarillo recently and were detained several days by the snow storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Rusie of Amarillo have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Roach the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnett had as their guests Saturday and Sunday her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dobbie of Enid, Okla.

Relatives who attended the ordination services Sunday afternoon of Rev. Bill Richardson of Vinson Baptist Church were his mother, Mrs. W. C. Richardson, and sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Lemky and daughter, Debbie of Tulsa, Okla. They returned home Sunday night.

Miss Kathryn Mallory was a house guest over the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myer. Miss Mallory is a student in the Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth. She has visited in the Vinson community before and has many friends here.

Mrs. W. W. Monroe has returned to her home in McAllen, Texas after visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Myers for the past month.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith for the past few days were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hammons and Mr. and Mrs. Peck Myers and son, Ronnie, all of Pasadena, Texas. They also visited their mother, Mrs. Naomi Myers, who has been ill for several weeks. Her condition is much improved at present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Strickland left last week for Orange, Texas, where they will visit with a son, Jerry Stirckland and family. They will also go to Baton Rouge, La., where they will visit with their daughters, Mrs. S. J. Robinson and family, and Mrs. H. C. Poor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied Jr., Cindy, Bobby and Mary were in Lubbock over the weekend to visit with Mrs. Saied's father, S. S. McKay, who is receiving treatment in a hospital there.

Senator and Mrs. C. C. Small of Austin were in Wellington the first part of the week attending to business and visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Eddie McClaskey and son, Robert Worth of Phoneix, Arizona, are visiting here with relatives.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Damron Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ward and Mrs. Lorene Rodgers of Borger.

Mrs. Mary Reynolds of Amarillo was a business visitor in Wellington Saturday. Mrs. Reynolds is with White & Kirk in that city.

James Glasscock, student in McMurry College, Abilene, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Glasscock, from Friday until Sunday.

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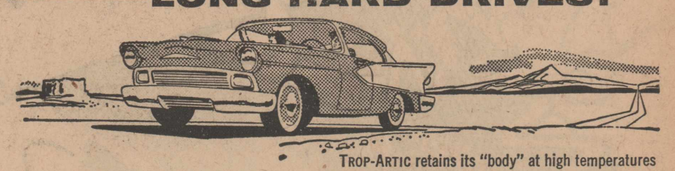

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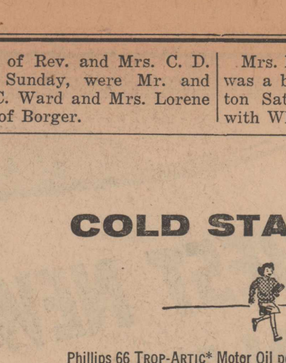

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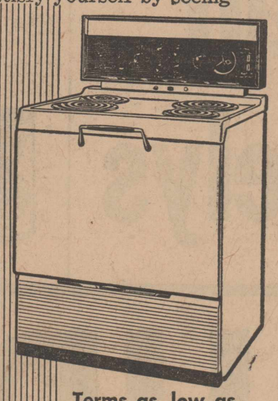

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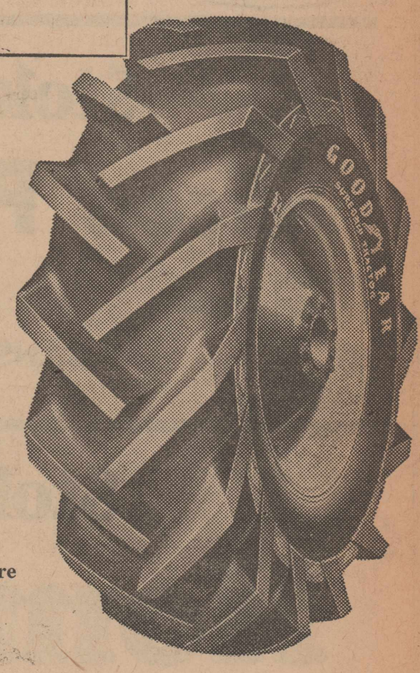

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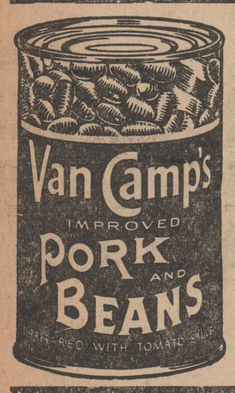

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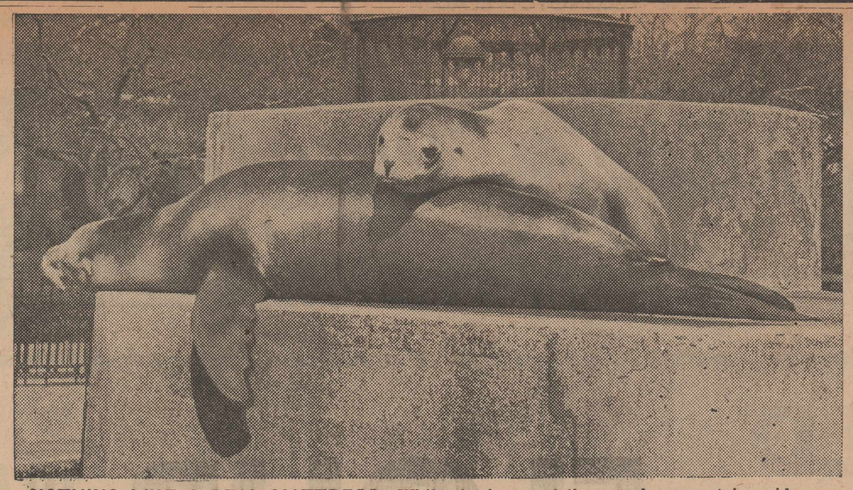

NOTHING LIKE A SEAL MATTRESS—While the bones of these seals are not in evidence, they're there and they're lazy. Caught in the throes of prespring fever, the two residents of New York's Central Park Zoo strike a sun worshiper pose. The one on the bottom is too far gone to remove the pup who is comfortably resting on top.

AUSTIN, Tex.—Although more spectacular issues have grabbed the headlines, Legislature is now hitting its biggest responsibility of this or any session. That is adopting a state budget for the next two years.

House committee approval cleared the way for debate this week on the record-setting $2 billion spending program. It represents an increase of nearly $340,000,000 in spending from all state funds. It means more money in nearly every area of state service—raises to 90 per cent of state employes, more funds for education, hospitals, state buildings and operating state departments.

Despite all these, no new taxes are foreseen. Instead, Appropriating Chairman Max C. Smith, representative from San Marcos, predicted some $45,000,000 will be left over for additional items, such as teacher pay raises.

Reason for this bright outlook is Comptroller Robert S. Calvert's estimate that current tax sources will yield $100,000,000 in revenue next biennium than previously.

LONG ROAD — House committee to investigate bribery charges seemingly faces a draw-out task.

Its powers have been broadened to include any irregularities by House members in this or past sessions. But the picture set out to clarify has become increasingly muddled.

Rep. James E, Cox of Conroe, under indictment on charges of consenting to accept a bribe, resigned his House seat. He said he plans to clear his name and run again for the office again in a special election.

Members of the Texas Naturopathic Association, which originated the charges against Cox, gave conflicting testimony about the group's past activities. Dr. Howard Harmon of San Antonio, current president, said the association raised from $37,00 to $55,000 during the 1955 session for legislative purposes. Dr. Robert Spears of Dallas, 1955 president, denied this.

Meanwhile, Dr. R. E. McMeans, Conroe chiropractor and friend of Cox, was attacked with acid. McMeans was credited with instigating the bill which would outlaw naturopaths. It was the bill on which the alleged bribery attempt pivoted.

AUTO INSURANCE RATE—After hot debate and long testimony, Senate Insurance Committee sent the auto insurance "flexible rating" bill to subcommittee.

Sen Jarrard Secrest's bill would allow companies to set rates competitively, rather than having a uniform rate set by the Insurance Commission.

Proponents contended it would mean lower insurance for buyers. Opponents called it risky, suggested that companies making sufficient profit should return dividends rather than charging lower rates.

WHITE OUSTER PUSHED — Agriculture Commissioner John White, campaigning for the U. S. Senate, has bumped into a side skirmish.

A farm group led by Austin Anson of Harlingen wants to abolish the elective agriculture post. Substitute would be a 21-member board appointed by the governor and a commissioner appointed by the board.

A bill was prepared and Rep. J. T. Ellis Jr. of Weslaco was asked to introduce it.

White blamed Secy. of Agriculture Ezra Benson. He called the move a "plot" to rob Texas of its control over state farm matters.

WATER PLAN MATERIALIZING — At long last a Texas water saving plan is near reality. Passed by both House and Senate, it needed only conference committee adjustments and the governor's signature to send it to the polls for final approval.

Issuance of $200,000,000 in state bonds would be authorized by the proposed constitutional amendment to help finance local water conservation projects. It is the keystone of an overall water program urged by Gov. Price Daniel for emergency action.

Under the financing plan, local districts could borrow from the state up to one-third the cost of projects or $5,000,000, whichever is smaller. Lending would be supervised by a board to be appointed by the governor.

IN THE MILL — with the 120-day session past the half-way mark the usual masses of "routine" bills were being shoved through the mill. Some of the more significant concerned:

BEER—House committee amended a bill to prohibit beer sales on Sunday and after 10 p. m. weekdays to bar Sunday sales only. Senate passed bill allowing breweries in wet precincts to continue production if the precinct is voted dry.

REPORTORIAL RIGHTS—Senate passed and House committee indicated eventual approval of a TPA-sponsored bill opening political party conventions to reporters.

MILK—Pending House bill sets 3¼ per cent minium butterfat content for milk offered for sale and provides penalties for misrepresentation.

MOVIES — House passed a bill cutting the tax on movie admissions ot aid theaters in competition with television.

AUTOMOBILES — Constitutional amendment proposed in the House would increase motor vehicle license fees by one-third and abolish the property tax on cars.

SCHOOLS—Both houses adopted resolutions petitioning Congress not to enact federal aid to schools.

House also passed on second reading a bill that would allow the state to cut off funds from a school district whose officials refused to order an audit of the books.

INSURANCE — Senate passed bill by Sen. Wardlow Lane to retain control of insurance liquidation in the Insurance Commission rather than putting it under Travis County judges. Said Senator Lane, "My people don't vote on Travis County judges."

MENTAL HEALTH — House passed enabling act for the constitutional amendment approved by voters to allow for waiving of lunacy trials.

SHOPLIFTERS — A proposed House bill would allow storekeepers to hold suspected shoplifters without risking false imprisonment penalties.

STATE AFFAIRS—Sen. Charles Herring of Austin proposed a constitutional amendment giving governors a four-year term and barring a governor from succeeding himself.

News of Men in Service

LANG, Calif. (AHTNC)—Army PFC Thomas W. Beam, whose wife, Marilyn, and father, Cameron Beam, live in Wellington, is a member of the 551st Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion's Battery B which recently moved to its permanent site near Lang, Calif.

Beam entered the Army in October 1955 and completed basic training at Fort Ord, Calif.

The 23-year-old soldier is a former student at Texas Technological College.

EL MONTE, Calif. (AHTNC)—Pvt. Wendford D. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Jones of Wellington, is a member of the 933d Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion in El Monte, Calif.

Jones, a rocket launcher crewman in the battalion's Battery A, entered the Army in February 1956 and received basic training at Fort Chaffee, Ark.

Pfc. Lois Dalton of the Women's Army Corps and formerly of Wellington is being transferred from Fort Sam Houston, Texas to Germany in May.

Miss Dalton entered the WAC's in January 1956 and was sent to Fort McClellan, Alabama where she completed her basic training.

Miss Dalton is presently a supply clerk at the Quartermaster Supply at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Other qualified women may enlist now for a Army technical school and receive a guarantee of training in their chosen field.

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T-Sgt. Clifton L. Stafford has been selected as 6486th Supply Squadron "NCO of the Year" at Hickam Field, Honolulu, Hawaii.

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Sgt. Stafford was cited for outstanding leadership and performance of duty as NCOIC of the Commissary Sales Store.

He has been in the Air Force 9 years and was stationed at Rapid City, South Dakota before being sent to Hickam Field two years ago. He has another year of duty in Hawaii.

Sgt. Stafford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stafford, now of Borger, while his wife is the former Ora Ellen Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hall. Sgt. and Mrs. Stafford and their three children live at Hickam Village

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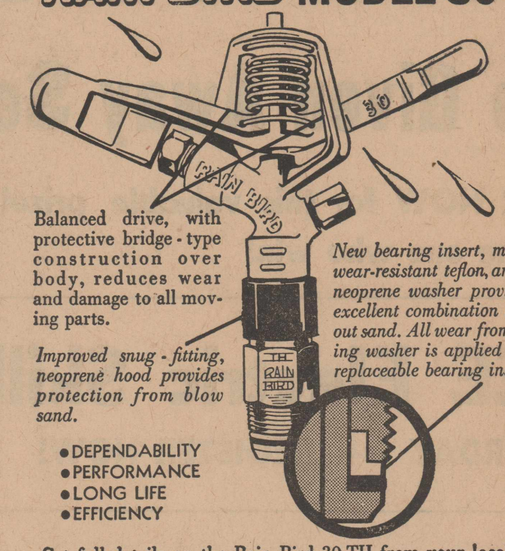

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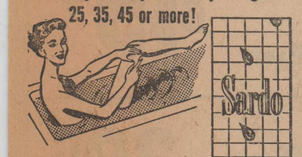

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WHEN YOU COOK ON A MODERN
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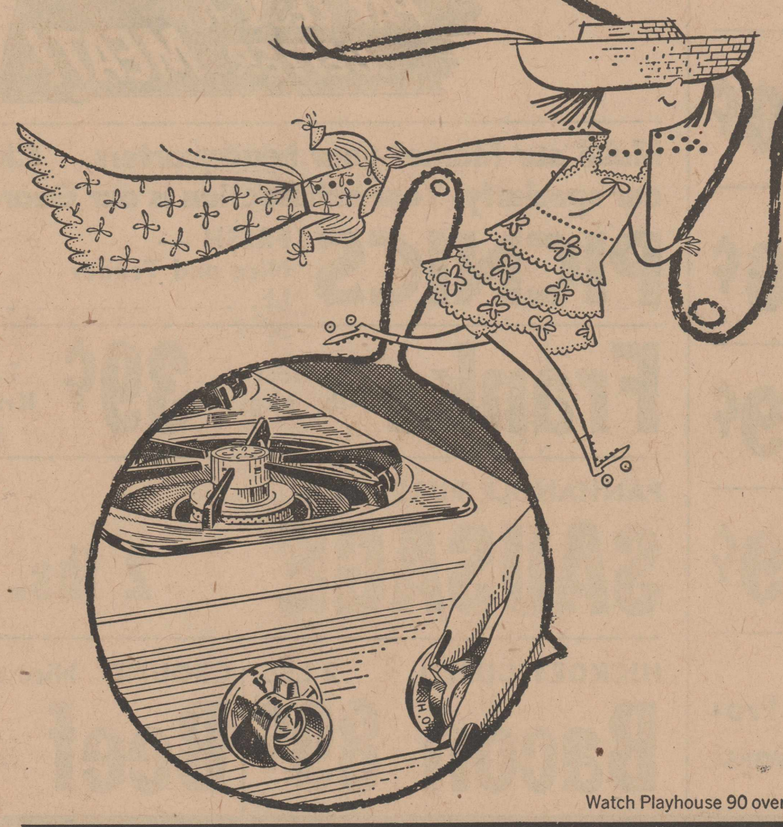

There's **no hangover heat** to cause boilovers and heat up your kitchen!

The clean blue flame turns off instantly! No worries about hangover heat warming up the kitchen or over-cooking foods. A great advantage over the electric range . . . where cooking continues even after the burner unit has been turned off! Hot weather is just around the corner so get yourself a cool-cooking gas range now!

Ask about the GAS APPLIANCE PURCHASE PLAN . . . free insurance, easy terms.

On cooking demonstration days get a free copy of Lone Star's Home Economics Department 25th Anniversary Cookbook.

see your GAS RANGE DEALER or

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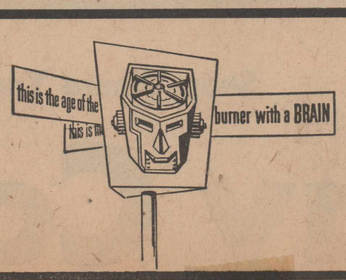
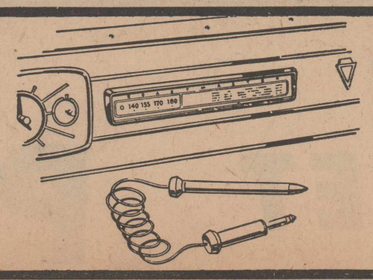
More than 85 out of 100 women cook with gas!

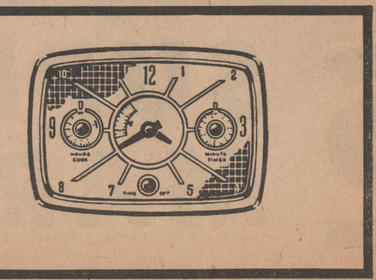
Watch Playhouse 90 over CBS television, Thursdays. Julia Meade is your Lone Star Gas hostess.



FLOOR DISPLAY: Look for the dealer with this display . . . 'cause that's where you find Burner-with-a-Brain gas ranges.



MIRACLE ROASTMASTER: Shows when meat is cooked to taste. No opening oven door to peek.



AUTOMATIC CLOCK-CONTROLLED OVEN: Cooks whole meal while homemaker is away . . . turns oven on and off automatically.