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4-COUNTY SINGERS MEET HERE SUNDAY

Chamber Of Commerce In Big Membership Campaign Adds 71 Members To Body

The Lamesa Chamber of Commerce membership drive which opened last week has already accounted for 71 new members to the body, up until Thursday morning, according to A. G. Bearden, secretary of the organization. Carl Rountree is chairman of the membership committee.

The drive, which opened Tuesday of last week, was conducted by two teams, headed by Dr. J. M. Harrington and E. A. Conley. The losers were to entertain the winners with a luncheon last Thursday at the Plaza Hotel. No announcement was made as to the winners until the luncheon was over. Then Mr. Bearden announced that Dr. Harrington's team was the winner.

The drive will continue for some time. Officials of the organization expect to add one hundred new members during the drive. They have tried to contact as many as possible, but explained that it is possible to have missed some who desire to join. And if this is the case you are requested to get in touch with either Mr. Bearden or Judge Rountree, and your membership will be taken.

McMURRY MALE QUARTET WILL BE HERE SUNDAY

The McMurry Chanters will give a program at the Methodist church, February 2nd, at 7:30 p. m. Those who heard them last year will want to hear them again. Bring your friends and come. Free to all.

The Young People of the church will have charge of all the evening services during the month of February. The pastor will bring a series of messages of special interest to the youth of today. Watch for further announcements. On February 24th they will attend a Youth Crusade rally at Lubbock, at which time they are expecting thousands of young people from the district to be present.

The pastor will preach at both hours next Sunday. If you are not attending church somewhere else come and worship with us. We are always glad to have you.

T. C. Willett, pastor.

J. F. Hurst First To Receive Approval On Water Facility Program In This Territory

J. F. Hurst was recently notified of approval of the agreement drawn between him and the government for the installation of a water facility on his farm 15 miles southeast of Lamesa on Sulphur Draw. Mr. Hurst has been a cooperator with the Soil Conservation Service for three years, and when the Water Facilities Program, which is administered by the Soil Conservation Service, was announced in this area, he availed himself of its benefits immediately, and has the distinction of being the first cooperator in this area.

The facility will consist of windmill, and storage installations, together with pipe lines to the house, barns, feeding pens, breeding pens, and garden. Plans and estimates were drawn up by the Water Facilities staff in such a way as to allow an adequate supply of water at all times where it will be needed — excess above domestic and livestock needs to be stored and utilized for a truck garden. According to the agreement the Farm Security Administration will lead the money to Mr. Hurst for the purchase of materials and the local CCC camp will make the installation.

In addition to the installation of the

Truett Smith Gets State Insurance Appointment Wed.

To Resign As District Attorney To Accept

Truett Smith, District Attorney of the 106th Judicial District, which embraces Dawson county, was Wednesday appointed State Life Insurance Commissioner by Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel.

The appointment is for a period of six years and carries a salary of \$6000 per year. It is understood that Smith will assume his new duties on the tenth of February.

The vacancy which his resignation will create in the District Attorney's office, has not been filled at this time. The governor will appoint his successor. There is much conjecture as to whom the appointee will be, but no one seems to have any information whatsoever as to whom the governor is considering for the post.

'Hardys' Are Coming To Palace Again

The screen's most popular star, Mickey Rooney, will be at the Palace Theatre, Sunday and Monday in a new Hardy family picture that is guaranteed to be the best Hardy Family picture shown in Lamesa to date.

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Among The Younger Set

PHOTOS BY ROGERS STUDIO



This week the Courier is proud to present this smiling youngster as King of the Younger Set for this week. He is Harold Dean Riley, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Doc Riley, whose address is Motor Route B, Lamesa. He was born April 22, 1936. He has brown eyes and blond hair. His hobby is shooting rabbits with his daddy.

Ross Simpson and H. L. Duke made a business trip to Levelland Tuesday.

More Entries Listed In Farm Prize Program As Interest Rapidly Mounts

Lamesa Pastor To Be Host To Baptist In O'Donnell Meet

Three Day Meeting To Open Friday Night

Missionary Baptists of the South Plains will gather in O'Donnell Friday night for a three day meeting with the South Side Missionary Baptist church, according to an announcement released today. Rev. M. E. Robinson of Lamesa is host pastor to the meeting.

Rev. E. O. Stewart, Dallas, Secretary of the Texas Missionary Baptist association, is scheduled to attend the meeting. He is on tour in this section of the state.

Pastors of the area are scheduled to speak during the meeting. Rev. Ben Bailey will have charge of the song services.

Only Short Time Is Left For Contest Entrance

Additional entries in the Farm Prize Program, being sponsored by Lamesa business men, has brought the total number to one hundred and twenty up until Thursday morning.

Until announcement is released as to who the judges will be, entries are still being taken and it is thought will be until next week. The judges have already been contacted and their acceptance is expected daily, according to those in charge. As soon as they accept a check will be made of all farms entered in the contest and no further applications for entry will be received.

As has been explained before, this project calls for the awarding of \$2000 in cash prizes to the farmers of this trade area during 1939 and 1940. \$1,000 will be awarded each year. The money for these awards has been raised among the business firms of this city, with the idea of improving farm conditions in the territory. Although no definite grading rules have been announced, the prizes will be awarded to the farmer who has made the greatest improvement, both as to appearance and otherwise, on his farm during the contest period. A small farmer has an equal chance to win as a large one, as the rules will take into consideration only the improvements over what the individual farmer had to begin with.

FEDERAL LOAN AND SAVINGS SHOWS GROWTH

The Lamesa Federal Savings and Loan Association has just completed another year's profitable operation in Lamesa. The board of directors, at their December meeting declared another 5 per cent dividend for the last period of the year, to its shareholders, which make the eighth semi-annual dividend since organization on November 24, 1934.

At organization there were paid in assets of \$35,050.53 and in four years operation, its assets have increased to \$124,299.43, having made a gain in the past year of \$24,125.76.

It has paid to its shareholders since organization in dividends \$14,266.18; has loaned to its borrowers \$166,242.14 of which there has been repaid \$45,940.57. During the year 1938, made 39 real estate loans for a total of \$83,250.56. It gained 24 new accounts of investors and savings.

See their statement in another place in this issue of the Courier.

Expect Many Out Of Town Visitors For Big Occasion

Classes To Be Held At Missionary Baptist Church

Announcement is made this week that the regular meeting of the Four-County Singing Convention will be held in Lamesa next Sunday at the Missionary Baptist Church.

The convention, made up of Dawson, Howard, Martin and Midland counties, has a large membership and some of the finest singers in West Texas comprise its membership. Large crowds of visiting singers are expected at the Lamesa meeting Sunday, as well as many local singers. Arrangements have been made for several special numbers which should be very entertaining as well as interesting, as well as the group singing which always draws a big hand from the spectators.

Mr. Cross, of Martin county, is president of the organization, and will have charge of the Sunday singing.

If you are a singer or enjoy good singing, make your plans now to attend this big convention Sunday at the Missionary Baptist church in Lamesa. Singing will be held from early morning until the afternoon.

MORE PAVING BEGUN IN CITY

Additional contracts for paving in Lamesa were let last week and the actual work got under way immediately. The new project calls for the paving of South Austin street from South Second down to the Lamesa Sanitarium, a distance of two blocks. Curb and gutters are being laid this week and the laying of the caliche base will follow as quickly as possible.

The curb, gutters and caliche base has been completed on the project on South Dallas street for two blocks on both sides of the highway paving, and one and one half blocks on the east side of the street. Work except topping has also been finished on South Main from South Second to South Third, as well as South Second and South Third between Dallas and Main. According to the contractors the asphalt topping will be run at an early date and the work finished.

There are rumors of additional blocks to be paved, but nothing authentic has been divulged at time of going to press.

WILKES DRESS SHOP TO OPEN SALE FRIDAY A. M.

Announcement is made this week that Wilkes Dress Shop on the east side of the square will open a huge sale Friday morning of this week. Special prices are being offered on the entire stock. Your attention is called to their ad in this issue of the Courier.

Construction On State Highway Park Is Slated To Begin In Near Future

Contract Let For Two New Business Buildings Here

Grady Scott Awards Contract This Week

Construction was started this week by Grady Scott on a modern business building on South Dallas street in Lamesa.

The building will be very modern in design and architecture and will be finished in white ornamental stucco with modernistic trim.

The new structure will be fifty by sixty feet and will be divided into two business buildings. One side will be occupied by Mr. Scott with his automobile repair business while the other side will be leased for other business.

Mr. Honeycutt has the general contract and the foundation was being run this week. Construction will move forward rapidly, according to Mr. Honeycutt.

LOCAL MAN'S BROTHER DIES AT COLORADO

John H. Arnett, 46, brother of W. D. Arnett of this city, died in a Colorado City hospital Sunday night at 9:30.

Although he had suffered from a heart ailment for several months, his death was unexpected. He was ill only a few hours prior to his death, being stricken Sunday afternoon and succumbing that night.

Funeral services were held in Colorado City at 10:30 A. M., Tuesday morning from the home of Mrs. J. G. Merritt, his oldest sister. Mr. Arnett was quite well known in Lamesa, having visited with his brother here on a number of occasions.

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\$8,500 Will Be Spent To Complete Project

Improvement of the State Highway Park at the intersection of Highways 9 and 15, about two and one half miles southeast of Lamesa, is scheduled to begin in the very near future, according to information released here this week.

The project calls for paved driveways, the setting out of additional trees and shrubbery and general beautification. Approximately \$8,500 has been allowed for the project.

This park, containing approximately 30 acres, is the largest State highway park in the state of Texas. Local citizens have sought this project for the past several years, and have expended much money themselves to get it in shape so that the United States Bureau of Public Roads and the State Highway Department might take it over and complete it. A water system has been installed and about 300 trees and shrubs have already been set.

The plans further call for barbecue pits, seats, and accommodations for the pleasure of the traveling public.

LOCAL LEGION ELECTS NEW OFFICIALS

At a meeting of the Allen Houston Post of the American Legion this week, the following officers were elected: V. Z. Rogers, Post Commander; Charnel Jobe, Vice-Commander; Caryl Baldwin, Adjutant; N. P. Cochran, Finance Officer; Sam Richardson, Service Officer; G. M. Roberts, Chaplain; and J. D. Dyer, Child Welfare Chairman.

The local post is conducting a membership campaign which will close on Monday, February 6. The drive is being conducted by two teams of the post, one headed by V. Z. Rogers, the other by Glenn Esmond.

At the end of the contest, the Legion and Auxiliary will hold a joint meeting at the Legion Hall in Lamesa.

Higginbotham Shows Profit By Feeding Dawson County Feed To Herd Beef Cattle

Higginbotham's are this year feeding out 650 three-year-old steers at their feeding pens fourteen miles southwest of Lamesa, according to Roscoe Holton, manager of the Higginbotham interests here. This stock was unloaded in the pens on November 6 and will be ready for the market about the fifteenth of February.

They have in storage 1200 tons of 1938 maize and about 6,000 tons of bundle feed, all of which was grown on the Higginbotham farms.

A total of fourteen men are employed on the project, ten of them hauling the feed, while four do the actual feeding. They maintain the latest of grinding and loading machinery and the work is done with

a dispatch that shows the hand of experience.

These cattle, which were purchased from the Elwood Estate in Lubbock, are weighed weekly. For the past several weeks their average gain per cow has amounted to a fraction more than three pounds per day. According to Mr. Holton, the total cost of putting this weight on is running about 6c per pound.

This is the eighth year this company has been feeding cattle for the market at their pens here.

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Eudora Bruce

Miss McAdams of Klondike visited in the T. E. McReynolds home Sunday. Mrs. Nolan Robnett of Courtney spent the week end with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McReynolds. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bingham are the parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Carruth are the parents of a baby girl.

Edd Scott left Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. Alvin Burton of Loving, N. M.

Ed H. Turner left Monday to be with his brother in Mineral Wells, who is in bad health.

Roy Dean visited in the Ed Lewis home at Klondike Sunday.

Mrs. L. D. Rogers and little grandson are on the sick list this week.

FLOWER GROVE

Katie Dyer

Sunday school was well attended but there was no prayer meeting on account of bad weather.

Miss Gene Peterson of Midway visited in the home of Ruth Mullins Sunday.

Brother Hollowell of Ackerly visited in the A. L. Blair home Friday.

There was a Boy Scout meeting at the school house Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bob Burns' brother of Midland spent Sunday in her home.

Ralph Mullins spent Sunday afternoon visiting in the home of Percy Peterson of Midway.

Vetal Flores spent the week end in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lillard made a business trip to Big Spring Saturday.

The Flower Grove girls played basketball at Knott last week but were defeated.

M. E. Dyer has recently moved into Ackerly community.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Oaks, Kay and M. E. Dyer made a trip to Big Spring Sunday.

There was a party given in the home

of Mrs. Edd Lockaby Saturday afternoon.

Coy Elrod of Three League was visiting in our community Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Bearden spent a few days in the home of Mrs. Edd Oaks of Ackerly last week.

KLONDIKE

Louise Foster

Due to cold weather, we didn't have so many in Sunday school and church Sunday.

Brother Peppers of Ralls filled his appointment at the North Side church.

The farmers in this community will meet Tuesday and put Mr. Kimbell's land up, as he is in a Temple hospital for treatment and will be there for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Jarris are the parents of a baby boy. He has been named Jimmie Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Sprawls and family are moving near Midland where they will farm this year.

Brother Sullivan of Ft. Worth visited his wife over the weekend. Mrs. Sullivan is one of the teachers in the Klondike school and Brother Sullivan is in the Seminary at Ft. Worth.

Klondike is doing quite a bit of building late. Jack Pelam and J. D. Smith have bought and remodeled the old store, built two residences, a large warehouse, and now Edd Lewis is putting up a large shop that will be equipped with the best of tools. It will be a great help to the farmers of this community.

THREE LEAGUE

There was a large crowd at singing Sunday night. There were several visitors. Every body come back next Sunday night.

Miss Wanda Burns of Lamesa spent the week end with Francis Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Comer Holcomb and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holcomb and family of Klondike Sunday.

Alvie Cole of San Antonio is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Russell and family of this community.

Mrs. Kingdom of Oklahoma is visiting with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. George Penn.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Mosley and family of Odessa visited in the Reed home Sunday.

RICHARDSON

Mrs. Logan Cozart

Pauline Williams visited in the Kirkland home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Weeks and family visited in the Warren home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack York visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aros Sunday night.

Mrs. Mac York and son of Lubbock spent the week end in this community visiting friends.

Mrs. Etta Waldrup and son, Earl Lee, left Friday morning for Lubbock, where they will visit her mother. They will return Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Kirkland visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warren Thursday night.

Ruben Richey of Marble Falls is visiting in the McGee home this week.

Mrs. J. D. Kirkland is very ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Amos spent Sunday in the Jack Warren home.

Mrs. Louise Helm spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kirkland in Lamesa.

R. C. Warren, Earmon Weeks, Ruben Richey, Victor McGee and Mr. Ramsey Westmoreland of Lamesa visited in the Kirkland home Sunday.

Mrs. Hub Kirkland spent Friday night in Lamesa with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fimper made a business trip to Three League Friday.

Rodney, Dick and Ramona Helm visited Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kirkland Saturday.

Floyd McGee visited in the Warren home Saturday night.

FIVE MILE

Amelia Foster

A large crowd attended Sunday school, B. Y. P. U., and preaching Sunday morning and night.

Cleburn Shaffner of Lubbock was at home over the week end.

Joynell Wright of Lamesa spent the week end at home.

Herbert Foster of Lamesa spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sealy of Shumake visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sealy and family Saturday afternoon.

Olson Earnest and family went to Big Spring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duke of Wilson visited Everett Foster and family Sunday.

Helen White of Lamesa spent Saturday night with Helen Earnest.

Those on the sick list this week are

Mrs. C. L. Sharp and Mary Elizabeth Arnett.

A large group of young people enjoyed Cleburn Shoffner's birthday dinner Sunday in the Shoffner home.

Grandpa Fry is visiting in Arkansas. Herman Peteway visited her mother at Woody Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierce are in Dallas this week buying merchandise for their store, Pierce's Toggery.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shirley and daughter, Kay, of Littlefield spent the week end here visiting with friends and relatives.

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**DISTRICT AGENT PREWITT
MAKES ANNUAL REPORT**

College Station, Texas, Jan. 24—The number of trench silos doubled, game preserve demonstrations tripled, range improvement continued, and all other lines of extension work increased during 1938 in the 39 West Texas counties where work of county agricultural agents is under the supervision of J. D. Prewitt, district agent of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

Farmers and ranchers stored 371,402 tons of feed in 1,631 silos, of which 894 were filled for the first time in 1938 as compared with 440 in 1937 and 297 in 1936. Texas' 17,019 trench silos would fill, it is estimated, a trench 12 feet wide, 6 feet deep, and 262 miles long — 56 miles of that must be allotted to West Texas.

Prewitt's report, compiled from the annual reports of county agricultural agents, shows 861 farmers and ranchmen combined into 62 game preserve demonstration areas totaling 5,665,324 acres, and designated by 4,370 markers. Largest areas are Reeves county with a million acres and Borden county with 484,085 acres.

Fisher county, with more terraced land than any other Texas county, took the lead with 24,310 acres of crop land terraced during 1938 out of the total of 78,000 for the district. Totals in 1937 were 67,000. In addition, 17,000 acres of range land were terraced and 3,600 contour furrowed.

Under the AAA's range conservation program 403 ranchers practiced deferred grazing on 1,660,000 acres. Prewitt said. Prickly pear was cleared from 793,733 acres, with Val Verde leading the state with 127,086 acres, and Lechuguilla was eradicated on 51,752 acres within the district.

In 4-H club work, 1,295 boys carried on demonstrations in livestock and crops, exhibited over 2,000 head of livestock at 5 district and 14 county shows, and saw two of their members, Lloyd Rumsey of San Angelo and Jack Maberry of Roby, singled out for state-wide honors and trips to Chicago.

County agricultural agents continued 39 goat dipping demonstrations for the eradication of lice and added 27 new ones. The agents supervised the feeding operations of 148 feeders involving 29,674 lambs on home grown feed while 667 other feeders fed a total of 100,160 lambs.

In addition to doing outstanding work, district 6 club boys found time for recreation as 400 of them attended district encampments in Tom Green and Reeves counties.

The counties in district 6, with their county agricultural agents, are Borden, E. B. McLeroy; Brewster and Jeff Davis, no agent; Coke, H. E. Smith; Concho, R. W. Terry; Crockett, C. J. Van Zandt; Culberson, A. H. Walker; Dawson, J. C. Williams; Ector, Andrews and Crane, H. L. Adkins, Jr.; El Paso, W. S. Foster; Fisher, T. H. Roensch; Gaines, C. E. Morris; Howard, O. P. Griffin; Hudspeth, W. R. Kimbrough; Glasscock, V. G. Young; Irion, J. T. Davis; Kimble, R. E. Hermann; Loving and Winkler, Lee R. Pool; Martin, G. A. Bond, Jr.; Menard, S. T. Logan; Midland, S. A. Debnam; Mitchell, B. J. Baskin; Nolan, R. B. Tate; Pecos, T. W. Hillin; Presidio, W. W. Sheen; Reagan, Henry Kothmann; Reeves, Ted Johnston, Schleicher, W. G. Godwin; Scurry, X. B. Cox; Sterling, Henry Malloy; Sutton, H. C. Atchison, Jr.; Terrell, E. L. Williams; Tom Green, W. I. Marshall; Upton, C. Snell; Val Verde, J. B. Kidd and Ward county with John L. Mogford.

**HUNDREDS OF TEXAS
CHILDREN NEED TREATMENT**

Dallas, Jan. 24—Texas has hundreds of little children, victims of infantile paralysis, knocking on hospital doors for treatment. This fact was revealed

here today in a letter to George Waverly Briggs, state vice chairman for the Celebration of the President's Birthday, Jan. 30, from J. J. Brown, director vocational rehabilitation, Austin.

The actual count shown in the summary of all counties shows that the state has a listed total of victims seeking treatment of 816 children. Seventy-one counties out of the total of 254 of the state report no hospital cases. El Paso county leads with 51 waiting cases; Dallas follows second with 51, and Bexar takes third with 29 patients.

Counties with ten or more waiting patients are Bell, 10; Cass, 11; Fannin, 12; Harris, 15; Jefferson, 28; Limestone, 11; Lubbock, 11; McLennan, 24; Navarro, 19; Nueces, 10; Tarrant 17 and Travis 11.

"This table should prove to Texans how necessary their support is to relieve suffering," Mr. Briggs said. Then quoting from the Brown letter, he read: "The attached list gives you by county the number of children on the waiting list ready to be sent to the hospital, but no money is available to send them." This statement by Mr. Brown shows conclusively how essential this drive for funds is, and I consider it a challenge to every Texan."

Mrs. E. R. Tinsley, Mrs. J. H. An-

draws, Mrs. W. L. Marr, Mrs. V. O. Key, and Mrs. A. G. Waugh attended District Missionary Meeting at the Asbury Methodist church at Lubbock last Thursday.

Jack McLaughlin visited with some friends in Seagraves Sunday.

Lee Bell of Lubbock spent Sunday here with friends.

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Just as soon as you sell your cockerels, put your pullets on this Developing Mash and develop them into sturdy, healthy layers by the time they are 5 to 6 months old. Put pullets on Laying Mash when 4 or 5 months old.

Keep an insoluble grit before pullets at all times.

There has been too great a loss in matured laying flocks all over the United States the past several years. Something must be done to lessen this trouble.

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We hope you will strive to do your part along the health line, by keeping your premises clean and sanitary and your flock and buildings free from insects and by building roomier and better poultry houses. Do not crowd your chicks or your laying birds.

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MOVE TO LAMESA

Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Latham and son, J. T., have moved to Lamesa to make their home, from Liberty, in Navarro county. They had lived in that county for many years prior to coming here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cox of Seminole and Mrs. A. S. Alsbrook spent several days this past week in Temple attending to business.

For Rent

FOR RENT: 5-room house with bath, unfurnished. See J. M. Barrett. 1tp

FOR RENT: Two room apartment. See Rev. Jack Thompson, 1002 South 4th St. 2 tfe

FOR RENT: Furnished bedroom. 809 South 3rd. 1 tfe

331 ACRE FARM FOR LEASE—425 in cultivation. Government check \$885 Will lease farm for \$1250.00, part cash. Inquire Oscar McKinney, 10 miles south on Stanton Highway. 51-tfc

Lost And Found

LOST—Two little brown mules. Seaborn Collins, Lamesa, Texas. 52-tfc

LOST: Spotted longeared or floppy fox or wolf hound. Reward. Notify Earl Barron, Lamesa, Texas, Star Rt. 2. 1tp

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MONEY to loan and farms and ranches to buy or refinance. 5% interest, 25 years. Annual payments. Texas and New Mexico. Henry Bickie, Box 68, Big Spring, Texas. 1 4tp

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HOGS WANTED: Will pay top prices for hogs every Saturday. Shipping to California.—Lee Billingsley. 44 tfe

WANTED—All kinds of painting, furniture repair, including refinishing and upholstery. Prices right see Stone at Davis Furniture Company. 1tc

Summary Of The Work Of County Agent During 1938

The plan of work mapped and carried out to the best ability of the county agent during the 1938 crop year was planned to fit in with the farm and ranch practices that were applicable to the farms and ranches of the county.

Terracing and contouring being the greater emphasized practice for both farms and ranches, some seven thousand acres of land were terraced in the county under the supervision of the agent during the year. The Federal Land Bank estimates the worth of terraced farms over those that are not terraced to be from three to five dollars per acre more loan value when the land is not terraced. That would mean that those farms have increased their value conservatively to more than thirty-five thousand dollars. Some men who have had terraces for a period of years will state that the value of the land has been increased by more than ten dollars per acre as far as ability to make crops is concerned.

Contour farming has been given greater emphasis than ever before, there being at present well over one hundred thousand acres of land farmed on contour. A conservative estimate of the increased yields this last year over non-contoured land to be at least one dollar per acre as far as yields are concerned. This means another one hundred thousand dollars in value. In many instances cotton yields have been known during the 1938 crop year to be more than twenty pounds lint per acre over non-contoured land.

Marketing Feed Through Livestock The marketing of feed through livestock has been emphasized by the agent in the work of last year. There were comparatively few farmers who were feeding surplus feeds to livestock. During the present time there is estimated to be over 20,000 head of sheep on feed in the county. These range in small flocks of 150 to well over 5000 head. It has been said by experienced sheep feeders that ten sheep can be fed on the feed required to feed one steer.

While the cost of ten sheep is usually less than one steer in first cost and feeding costs. In most every case those who are feeding sheep with the present market out look will receive more dollars per ton for the feed when sold through sheep or other livestock than when sold on the regular feed market. Numerous farmers are feeding a few calves with surplus feeds rather than sell the feed on the local market. While the present price outlook is not so good on fat cattle as compared to stocker or feeder cattle, feeders should not lose any money on the feeding operations.

Trench Silos

Storing feed in trench silos is getting to be a habit that is a good one for farmers who may feed out livestock or keep feed for livestock in reserve for a probable short crop year. The feed in silos is estimated to be over 150,000 tons now in storage. This feed is easily worth at least three dollars per ton, meaning another \$45,000 that has been saved by farmers who have the feed stored in silos. The feed in silos is of course not damaged by sand, fire, weevils, rats, or water. The silage has been known to keep for more than ten years successfully and still have very little spoilage.

If tenant farmers could have longer rental or lease contracts with farm owners the numbers of silos would probably reach well over 500 in 1939. Many farmers are planning to dig silos now and have them ready for the feed crop this year or part of it. The average acre of cane or hegar will produce four to six tons of feed per acre when cut the proper stage for ensilage. There are now over eighty silos in the county. There should be one on every farm that has as many as five head of livestock.

Treatment of Cotton for Leaf Worms Treatment of cotton for leaf worms is almost a universal practice among Dawson county farmers. Without treating the cotton for leaf worms there would be very little cotton raised in the county most years when leaf worms

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL PROPERTY

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF LAMESA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT desires to sell two residences located upon school property in order to clear the ground of same. One building being located on Lot No. 12 and one on Lot No. 7 in Block 9 of the D. W. Adams Addition to the town of Lamesa, Dawson County, Texas, being immediately west of the high school building.

Any one desiring to bid on said property will please present separate bids on each piece of property in writing prior to the first day of February, 1939, at ten o'clock a. m. Bids should be filed at the School Tax Office with Leslie Pratt, Tax Collector.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to exercise its judgment in acceptance of any bid.

SIGNED: W. K. CRAWLEY, President

FRED B. SANDERS, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Lamesa Independent School District.

appear. Most farmers have been using the formulas as suggested by the agent

Treatment of Grain Sorghums for Smut

Treating grain sorghums for smut has increased in a very large way due to the fact that seed so treated has produced crops with practically no smut appearance. The treatment used for smut in all sorghums recommended is two ounces of powdered copper carbonate to one bushel of seed. The practice is becoming more general from year to year. Thousands of dollars have been saved by farmers of the county in the treatment and prevention of smuts in sorghums. F. L. Grissom of Shumake community harvested 2200 pounds of milo from blight resistant seed secured by the agent from the Lubbock Experiment Station. R. B. Wilkerson, club boy of Union, grew milo from the same kind of seed. His yield was heavy too. These men are consenting to furnish farmers of the county the seed for planting purposes in order to get the milo introduced into the county. In years past there has been considerable damage to the milo fields in that stalks have failed to mature and have fallen down on account of attacks of the blight.

The blight resistant milo seed are being offered to the farmers of the county at a reasonable price. Those who have had trouble with the blight would profit by securing the planting seed from some source that has blight resistant seed. The milo of the above mentioned parties was well isolated from other feed crops in order that the seed could be kept pure and free of mixtures.

4-H Club Work

The 4-H club work has been given considerable time on account that our boys of the county will be the farmers of the future and in cases where boys have learned to follow practices in that they make money from their demonstrations, these practices will likely be carried out in years when they are farming for themselves. Thirty-two boys have completed their demonstrations in club work, being hogs, poultry, beef calves, cotton, milo and watermelons, and other demonstrations. The boys who have completed records on their hogs have shown sizeable profits from their demonstrations, as well as all the others. 4-H clubs are now being organized in

several communities of the county for the coming year.

The club boys have made an average of over thirty pounds of lint per acre more than the fields on the same farm. Partly due to the fact that they have in most cases planted State certified seed and of cotton of longer staple than the usually grown half and half. The loan values have been more than the short staple cotton that have gone into the government loan channels. The faculty of the Union school, we are old, has provided a suitable award for the boy who is enrolled in the Union school who makes the best 4-H club record from his demonstration. These people are to be commended for their interest in club work. The quality of the beef calves this year is much better than has been during the last three years that boys have been feeding calves on home grown feeds. Several of the calves have made an average of three pounds per day gain in weight and over since they were placed on feed in August. This speaks well for the boys in that as they get more experience in feeding they of course do a better job of feeding than they did in previous years.

Community Activities

Community activities have been carried on in the form of cooperation with other agencies such as the luncheon clubs, Fair Association, Chamber of Commerce, S.C.S. Camp, educational meetings in regard to the A. A. program, the Commissioners Court, and Farm Security Administration. The workings of these agencies have been of great assistance to the agent in getting the Extension program before the public. It has been the policy of the agent to cooperate with any organization or agency for the advancement of farm life and business in the county. This cooperation will of course continue to be a part of the agents duties.

INVITATION TO RESIDENT GOLFERS OF LAMESA

Any person desiring golf playing privileges may make application to the Golf Committee, of the Lamesa Country Club. The golf committee reserves the right to accept or reject any person making application. The following rules will apply: The annual rate is \$24.00 per year, payable semi-annually, \$12.00 payable January 1st for the first half, \$12.00 payable July 1st for the second half. Members joining for the first time will pay pro rata part for the first such six months period of which they joined. Any member who discontinues his membership will be reinstated upon payment of the semi-annual dues for the period in which he is reinstated. Playing privileges will be extended

to members' out of town guests only, without charge. Wives of members will have golf playing privileges. No other member of the family is included.

Only people who live in Lamesa are eligible for membership. The above privileges are for golf and locker room and do not include any other games at Lamesa Country Club.

Any person who is not a resident of Lamesa can play for a charge of fifty cents per day, green fee.

Committee is: T. F. Vaughn Geo. D. Norman Bill White.

SUNBEAM GRO. CHANGES HANDS

Announcement is made this week that Mr. W. C. Maxwell has purchased the stock, leased the building and fixtures, of the Sunbeam Grocery and Market, from George W. Lee.

Mr. Lee built this new building last fall on North First street and he has operated the store since that time. Mr. Maxwell has been with him since the store opened and is therefore well acquainted with the store and its patrons.

The deal was consummated about the first of the year, but Mr. Maxwell did not take charge until last week.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Todd are the parents of a baby boy born Jan. 19. W. C. Dulin is receiving medical treatment this week.

R. L. Myers underwent a major operation Jan. 21.

Mrs. F. C. Hodge underwent a minor operation Jan. 22.

Barney Mangum received medical treatment this week.

J. B. McNew underwent a major operation Jan. 22.

James R. McKinney is receiving medical treatment this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Evans of Lubbock received medical treatment this week after an accident near here.

Cason Smith and son are receiving medical treatment this week.

Mrs. J. D. Reed underwent a major operation Jan. 25.

Joe Medlin, who has been in the hospital for the past several weeks, returned to his home Tuesday.

Mrs. Ernest Rhodes, who underwent an appendix operation last week, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Guy Wilemon spent several days this past week in the hospital at Lubbock.

The girl that once was homely today is passing fair, She uses rouge and lipstick, she curls and waves her hair. The busy, frugal housewife has found out a whole lot more, She has found the place to trade is at Barrett and Son Store.

10 lb. SPUDS	17c
LARD, 8 lbs.	79c
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Edith Mae Collins Engagement To Stanley Wilkes Revealed At Tea

Wedding to Take Place Feb. 5

Mrs. W. B. Collins entertained with a beautifully appointed tea last Friday afternoon at her home announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Edith Mae Collins, to Stanley Wilkes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Wilkes.

The wedding will take place Sunday, February 5, at the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Walter Harold Collins greeted the guests and presented each to the receiving line made up of Mrs. W. B. Collins, Miss Edith Mae Collins, Mrs. Grover Wilkes, Mrs. George Shelton of Midland, Mrs. W. H. Collins of Brownfield, Mrs. Wilson Collins of Brownfield, Mrs. Edgar Self of Brownfield, and Mrs. Ethel Edgin.

Miss Lenora Barron presided at the bride's book where over 180 guests registered during the afternoon.

Other members of the house party were Mrs. Robert Koger, Miss Roberta Lee Hanson of Big Spring, and Miss Jack Hart.

The reception suite was decorated with bouquets of Tailsman roses, gladiolas, jonquills and iris. Individual miniature colonial bouquets to which the announcements were tied with white satin ribbon were presented to the guests by Miss Kay Collins.

The table was laid with a beautiful handmade Normandy lace cloth with a love ship made of pink carnations. Stocks and lilies of the valley placed on a reflector formed the center piece. Slender pink tapers burned in crystal candelabra. Mrs. F. T. McCollum and Mrs. W. D. Arnett presided at the silver tea service and were assisted by Mrs. Tom Burnside and Mrs. J. S. Manning.

The program, which included musical selections by Mrs. Noble Price, Mrs. Matt McCall, Mrs. Weldon Lindsey and Mrs. A. G. Barnard, was rendered throughout the afternoon.

Mrs. A. M. Bennett Hostess to Pioneer Club Tuesday

Mrs. A. M. Bennett was hostess to members and guests of the Pioneer Club Tuesday afternoon at her home on South Travis.

Games of "84" were enjoyed during

the afternoon. At the conclusion of the games a delicious salad course was served to Mesdames W. V. P. Baker, Joe Barron, D. S. Day, C. E. Ault, Jess Paulk, O. Lambeth, C. E. Cameron, and the hostess Mrs. A. M. Bennett.

Lamesa Music Club Holds Regular Meeting Jan. 20

The Lamesa Music Club met in a regular meeting on January 20 at the Country Club.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Noble Price presided during a short business session. Misses Marjorie Ferguson and Myrtis Wright were heartily accepted as new members of the club.

Miss Marguerite Flaniken very graciously and efficiently took charge of the program for the afternoon. Miss Edna Merick read a paper on "The Spread of Musical Culture."

Mrs. A. G. Barnard directed the high school Melodians in singing two numbers. Mrs. Winslow Beckham sang, "Ah! Love But a Day." Miss Ida McCain gave an interesting character sketch of the composers Beethoven and Chopin then rendered one piano number from each.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Misses Ethelyn Marr, Marguerite Flaniken, Mesdames Katherine Rose, W. K. Crawley and Ray Hollingshead. About forty members were present.

Mary Bowen Society Enjoys Good Meeting Monday Afternoon

The Mary Bowen Missionary Society of the First Methodist church met Monday afternoon in its regular meeting at the church. A short business session was held. A very interesting program on Christian Social Relation was given with Mrs. Blaine Wiggins as leader.

The next meeting, January 30, the Mary Bowen Missionary Society is to join all other societies of the town in a federated meeting which is to be held at the Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock.

Miss Cora Mae Orrick returned to her home at Shamrock Wednesday after a few days visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staggs.

Lamesans Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary

As a courtesy to Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Moore who are observing their golden wedding anniversary, a dinner was given at their home here Sunday. Among the gifts presented to the couple were a large cake given by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collum and son.

Family members attending the dinner included Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Flenniken and family, Mr. Robert Moore, all of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore and family of Lubbock, Clifford Moore and Mrs. Edith Johnson, both of El Centro, Calif.

Other guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Cullum, J. H. Clarence Bankhead, E. L. Emfinger, T. C. Burkhardt, A. W. Matthews, L. L. Burkhardt, Miss Thelma Bristo, Miss Ruby Lewis, T. L. Burkhardt and Mr. Foster, Church of Christ minister.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore were married January 22, 1889 in Chattooga, Georgia. Both are now 71 years of age and have lived in Lamesa for the past 12 years.

Edith Mae Collins Is Honored at Buffet Supper Monday

Mrs. F. T. McCollum entertained with a buffet supper honoring Miss Edith Mae Collins who will become the bride of Stanley Wilkes February 5, at her home on Tuesday.

The Valentine motif was carried out in the decorations throughout the entertaining rooms. The table was centered with a silver basket filled with red carnations. The place cards were red valentines.

Games of Bingo were enjoyed throughout the evening with prizes being awarded each winner. At the conclusion of the games, the honoree was presented with many lovely gifts for her kitchen.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mesdames Walter Harold Collins, Grover Wilkes, W. B. Collins, Robert Koger, and Mesdames Vernon Smith, Matt McCall, Wilson Collins, and Misses Edith Mae Collins, Jack Hart, Lenora Barron, and Messrs. Dick Collins, Garvin Wilkes, George Gable, Bub McDonald, James Manning and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. McCollum.

Kermit and S. J. Jordan, Jr., spent the week end at Galveston visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Joe Whitlow Is Hostess to Wednesday Sewing Club

Mrs. Joe Whitlow was hostess to members and guests of the Wednesday Sewing Club at her home on North Third, Wednesday afternoon.

Games of forty-two were enjoyed during the afternoon with Mrs. Cleve Austin winning high score and Mrs. Elmer Cope winning traveling prize.

A delicious salad plate was served to Mesdames Elmer Cope, Nelson Williams, Carson Echols, Cleve Austin, Berta Robertson, Durwin Echols, Joe English, Blaine Wiggins, Jap Baldwin, Olen York, Thelbert York and the hostess, Mrs. Joe Whitlow.

CENTRAL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB REPORT

To have a safe diet at modest cost one needs daily, milk, eggs, vegetables, green and yellow, whole grain cereal, potatoes, fruits, meats, bread and butter, Miss Mattie Phenix, our county agent, told the club at their meeting in the home of Mrs. Glen Boswell Wednesday afternoon, January 18.

Forty per cent of the people with pellagra are found in the ten principal cotton states and is caused by their ignorance of their every day needs, a shortage of food on the markets and a lack of money to buy supplies. A survey in 1937 showed the income of the ten state to be only \$235 per capita.

The shortage of foods and the small income should be overcome to a certain extent by making a frame garden and raising the needed vegetables. A plot of ground 3 by 10 feet for each person would furnish ample vegetables nine months of the year. This is the first year provision has been made in the A. A. A. program to help provide proper foods.

Mrs. W. A. McClintock resigned as president and Mrs. Elmer Walls was elected to fill her place. Mrs. Oscar Kellam was elected to replace Mrs. Walls as reporter. Mrs. Glen Boswell was appointed food demonstrator.

Fifteen members and one visitor were present.

ATTEND BOOK REVIEW

Mrs. E. R. Tinsley, Mrs. A. Hull, Mrs. S. L. Forrest, Mrs. Guy Simpson, Mrs. A. E. Jacobs, Mrs. M. R. Hall, Mrs. Elzie Burleson, Mrs. J. W. McDonald and Miss Marie McDonald, attended the book review of "All of This and Heaven Too," by Miss Oppenheimer at Lubbock Tuesday afternoon.

PATRICIA MISSIONARY SOCIETY

There were three ladies, Mrs. Benson, Mrs. Carmichael, and Mrs. Roy J. Cox, and the pastor, Rev. Curry, who attended the Lubbock district meeting, held at the Asbury church at Lubbock Thursday.

A great interest is being shown in our Sunday school. Mr. Cox, our Bible class teacher, has created an interest in that class by having the men and women take time about with the daily Bible reading and asking the others questions. Next Sunday the men will ask the questions.

Last Sunday Rev. Curry brought us an inspiring message at the morning hour and also that night. We also appreciate J. D. Scott taking the interest he has in leading the singing and teaching our Juniors.

Let's attend our Missionary meetings and Sunday school and study together the most important thing in life and all that counts when we meet our Savior.

CENTRAL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB NOTICE

The Central Home Demonstration club will meet in the home of Mrs. E. P. Creswell, 1000 North 3rd street, at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, February 1st.

HARMONY

Frances Dickey

Mrs. Tom Moore and children of Wells visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Hemmings this week end.

Miss Emma Lee Pierce of O'Donnell spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Austin.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ellyson and family have moved from our community.

Miss Ora Mae Dickey spent last week with Miss Lucille Eason of O. K.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Waggoner and family visited friends in New Lynn, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Barber and family of Big Spring visited with relatives here this week end.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. E. H. Smith is recovering from an operation. Jessie Lee Ables and Betty Jane McMurtrey visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ables, Sunday.

E. H. Smith carried his son, Kenneth Wayne, to the Lubbock Hospital Saturday.

T. B. Franklin and J. M. Ables were in Lubbock Sunday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith have moved into our community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hester and family visited in Colorado, Sunday. They were accompanied by G. Martin.

On the sick list this week are Raymond Crounch, Curtis McMurtrey, and Ola Mae Hester.

Our girls basketball team played New Lynn Wednesday night at the Tahoka gym. They will play two games with Union next week, one game to be played here February 1, and the other Friday night there. We will play the opening game in their new gym.

Our boys played Munger Tuesday night and will play Shumake Friday night.

Carl Blair, A. B. Furlow and Pat Aten visited their parents and friends here this week end.

Clint Aldridge was taken to a hospital Saturday with an infection. He is improving nicely.

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LAMESA, TEXAS

NELSON INTRODUCES BILL TO OPEN BIG SPRING HOSPITAL IMMEDIATELY

Austin, Jan. 24—The new hospital for the insane at Big Spring would be opened immediately under terms of an emergency appropriation bill introduced last week in the Texas Senate by Senator G. H. Nelson of Lubbock.

Senator Nelson's bill calls for the immediate appropriation of \$275,032 to furnish and equip the new hospital, and to complete some small buildings for which insufficient funds were originally provided. The appropriation will be sufficient to operate the hospital until August 31.

"I am anxious to see this hospital opened as quickly as possible, and I know that all the people of West Texas join with me in that hope," Senator Nelson said.

"When this new hospital is opened, it will save West Texans many thousands of dollars in transportation costs and at the same time will permit those having friends or relatives in the hospital to make the visits much more frequently," he pointed out.

"A regular appropriation will be made for the new hospital in the elementary appropriation bill, but those funds will not be available until August 31. I want to see the hospital in operation long before that; so my bill will provide the funds needed to equip and operate the hospital from now until August 31," Senator Nelson declared.

Representatives Dorsey Hardeman of San Angelo and James H. Goodman of Midland are sponsoring an identical bill in the House of Representatives.

TOM CONNALLY PLANS TO REDUCE COTTON SURPLUS

Washington, D. C. Jan. 24—United States Senator Tom Connally of Texas gave immediate attention on his arrival in Washington for the opening of Congress to a plan for reduction of the cotton surplus.

"The accumulation of the vast cotton surplus on account of government loans is a constant load that is keeping down the price of cotton," Senator Connally asserted, adding: "This surplus must be reduced. The government now has on hand more than eleven million bales of loan cotton and by August first will possibly have two additional million bales."

Continuing, Senator Connally said: "I propose that the government turn over to the Commodity Credit Corporation of the WPA three million bales of this cotton with directions that the same shall be manufactured into cotton mattresses and other cotton articles for home consumption and be distributed to families on relief and to indigent persons who can make a showing as to need for same."

Stressing this feature of the plan, Senator Connally observed:

Encourages Cotton Use

"Many persons who spend their lives raising cotton are in need of many simple home necessities, which could be supplied by the utilization of cotton. Of course, the WPA or other distributing agent would establish a standard as to applicants who may be worthy so as not to disturb the market now supplied by manufacturers and dealers. To give a mattress to one who is not able to purchase one would not in any wise interfere with such market. The tremendous cotton surplus must be reduced. The government already has on hand this cotton for which it has been paid. We are spending many hundreds of millions for relief purpose. Why not spend some of this cotton and serve the double purpose of affording relief and also reduce the cotton surplus."

"The surplus must be reduced if we are to have any success with the cotton program," Senator Connally concluded.

Senator Connally's action was based on information and advice received from many sources while spending the last several months in Texas giving attention to various problems coming before Congress with especial reference to agriculture. He travelled over 14,000 miles, going into every section of the state and contacting thousands of people in an effort to be of aid.

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FEMINE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

Delicious and refreshingly different party sandwiches are made by mixing cream cheese with mayonnaise or sandwich spread and adding onion juice to taste. Cut with tiny fancy-shaped cookie cutters, these make appetizing morsels for "special" refreshments.

The world moves on. For centuries mankind has endeavored to tell fortunes or read character by handwriting or other signs. The up-to-the-minute French have decided that one's typing can be read in terms of character analysis just as handwriting can. (And why not?)

The person who strikes the letters in a word with varying force so that some are lighter than others is sensitive and usually possesses great personality. These new character readers say. We'll quote that to the next one in the office force who objects to the typing in our copy.

After all, the way persons type should certainly reveal as much of their character as do many other signs usually read by fortune tellers. And the new system at least has the merit of being distinctly modern.

Novel "remembrance" gifts for many small occasions include the pepper and salt shakers made to represent ears of corn, with stripped-back green leaves disclosing yellow grains. Amusing and always welcome.

A new wrinkle in stationery collections is now on the market in the form of stationery and envelopes in a cardboard holder along with a fountain pen and a wee bottle of ink.

All ready to sit right down and write, without having to run into the other room for the inkbottle or that elusive pen! A boon to the weary housewife who MUST write letters.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hatch left Sunday for McAllen where they will spend several days visiting with Mrs. George Canon.



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Vitamins No Longer Thought Of As Something Mysterious

Ruth E. Magee, Home Supervisor
Farm Security Administration

Today, man is beginning to be on speaking terms with the vitamins. He calls many of them by name. Vitamins are no longer clouded in mystery; they are known to be "distinct chemical substances, each having its own special function to perform in the body."

A large part of the intricate task of clearing away the mystery — finding out what vitamins are, as well as what they do for the human body — has at last been accomplished. The study of nearly every one of the vitamins brought surprises.

The original vitamin B, for instance, turned out to be not one vitamin—not one substance—but several. And these substances not only differ from each other, but at least three of them fill different needs in the body. These three or now called by their own names, for nutrition workers know exactly what they are: thiamin, for years called vitamin B1, or the anti-beriberi vitamin; riboflavin, also known as vitamin G or B2; and nicotinic acid, until recently called the "pellagra-preventing factor."

But new findings are by no means limited to identification of the vitamins. For one thing, nutrition workers are more convinced than ever that many people do not get enough vitamins. Even deficiency diseases are far too common. Pellagra still claims many victims in America every year. And too many babies suffer from rickets and scurvy.

Nutrition workers are especially concerned, these days, about the thousands of what are called "borderline" cases. That is, people who suffer bad effects because they do not have enough of certain vitamins, although they do not show actual symptoms of any deficiency disease. And tens of thousands of other Americans, including many with flourishing bank accounts, do not get as many vitamins as their bodies could use to advantage — not enough to speed them on the road to abounding good health.

A good supply of vitamins is particularly necessary during periods of "growth and development", therefore the diet of children and young folks and nursing and expectant mothers, should be watched with special care.

"Highlight" summaries of the vitamins up-to-date follow.

Thiamin (Vitamin B1)
An adequate supply of this vitamin is necessary to keep the muscles in good trim and the digestive tract and the appetite in good order. Thiamin is especially important for the expectant or nursing mother.

Thiamin is one of the three vitamins (thiamin, riboflavin, ascorbic acid - B1, G, C) that soak out into the cooking water. This vitamin is easily destroyed by heat, especially when soda is used in cooking.

The richest source of thiamin are whole seeds and legumes, including peanuts and soybeans. Among animal foods, pork, chicken, kidney, and liver supply the largest quantities of this vitamin.

Riboflavin (Vitamin G or B2)
Riboflavin is the new name for what has been called vitamin G and also B2. It is necessary to the good health of all the living cells of the body. Like thiamin, riboflavin soaks out into the cooking water, but is not as easily destroyed by heat. The richest sources of this vitamin are the lean meats and animal organs, eggs, and cheese and milk. All forms of milk are rich in riboflavin, whether skimmed or whole. Because of their greater concentration, dried, condensed, or evaporated milk are especially good sources. The best vegetable sources are leafy vegetables and the cabbage family, the polishings of rice, the red skins of peanuts, and the germ portions of wheat and soybeans.

Nicotinic Acid (Pellagra-Preventing Factor)
Nicotinic acid, one of the newer discoveries in vitamins, blossomed out with a name, without going through the letter stage first. Nicotinic acid is being successfully used by doctors in the treatment of pellagra. Although the names sound much alike, this vitamin is not to be confused with the nicotine of smoking tobacco.

The person who gets too little nicotinic acid in the diet, loses his appetite, falls off in weight, and becomes weak and listless.

The best sources of the pellagra-preventing factor are lean meat, chicken, liver, buttermilk, leafy-green vegetables, and green or dried peas and beans.

Ascorbic Acid (Vitamin C)
The very name of this vitamin suggests its function in the body, the prevention of scurvy. Because ascorbic acid cannot be stored in the body, a daily supply is necessary for everyone — necessary for good health and good "tooth nutrition."

Ascorbic acid is the most readily destroyed of all the vitamins. Much of it is destroyed by heat and air in cooking, and some of this vitamin is even lost from foods if they are stored a long time.

Citrus fruits, the richest natural sources of ascorbic acid, tomatoes, and some other fruits besides the citrus

family, contain acid which protects the vitamin C in these foods, whether they are stored, cooked, or canned.

Most fresh fruits and vegetables are good sources of ascorbic acid, especially when eaten raw. Liver and brain are excellent animal sources.

Vitamin A
For convenience vitamin A and vitamin D are still called by letters rather than by names, as several different substances can take care of the body's need for vitamin A, and several other substances will cure or prevent rickets.

Persons who do not receive enough vitamin A, soon begin to lose their ability to see well in a dim light, and scientists have now developed a way of telling just how much vitamin A is needed to make the eye respond normally in a faint light. Through this method, nutrition workers can conduct diet experiments on human beings to learn much more about man's needs for vitamin A than was possible with tests on animals.

Besides this nutritional eye weakness, a child that does not get enough vitamin A, may not reach full growth, and he may also have defective bones and teeth.

Man gets his vitamin A in two ways. His food either contains vitamin A, or contains substances known as provitamin A that are changed to vitamin A in the body — and this changing process is sometimes wasteful. Vitamin A comes from animal foods as fish-liver

oil, egg yolk, butter, cheese, whole milk, and cream. Provitamin A comes largely from the leafy-green, and green and yellow vegetables and from yellow fruits — the deeper the color, the more provitamin they are likely to contain.

Vitamin D
Vitamin D, and the mineral "building stones" calcium and phosphorus, are the three principal substances necessary for the development of normal bones and teeth.

Nutrition specialists recommend that "every child, at least until he is two years of age — better perhaps until

he is six years old — receive two teaspoons of cod-liver oil — or its equivalent in vitamin D from some source daily, except when exposed to the direct rays of the summer sun." Expectant and nursing mothers also need an extra supply of vitamin D, for their own protection as well as for the good of the infant's bones and teeth.

MIDWAY
Donnalita Love

On account of bad weather the at-

tendance dropped off Sunday at Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crum and daughter are visiting Mrs. Crum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Burleson.

J. C. Fomby of San Angelo visited in the H. P. Bullion home a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Furry Danner and little daughter left Monday for Tennessee. They will be gone several months on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Burleson and daughter, Mrs. Crum, made a business

trip to Lubbock Monday.

Those on the honor roll last month were: First Grade, Clydene Gibson, Billie Faye Taylor, Janet Dean, Annie Mae Jeter, Wynona Goff, S. E. Lee; second grade, Clara Dean James, Melba Jean Haney; third grade, Marie Gillett; fourth grade, Neva Goff and Louise Woodward; six the grade, Jean Peterson and Agatha Goff.

Dud Gaines spent several days at Abilene the past week visiting with friends.

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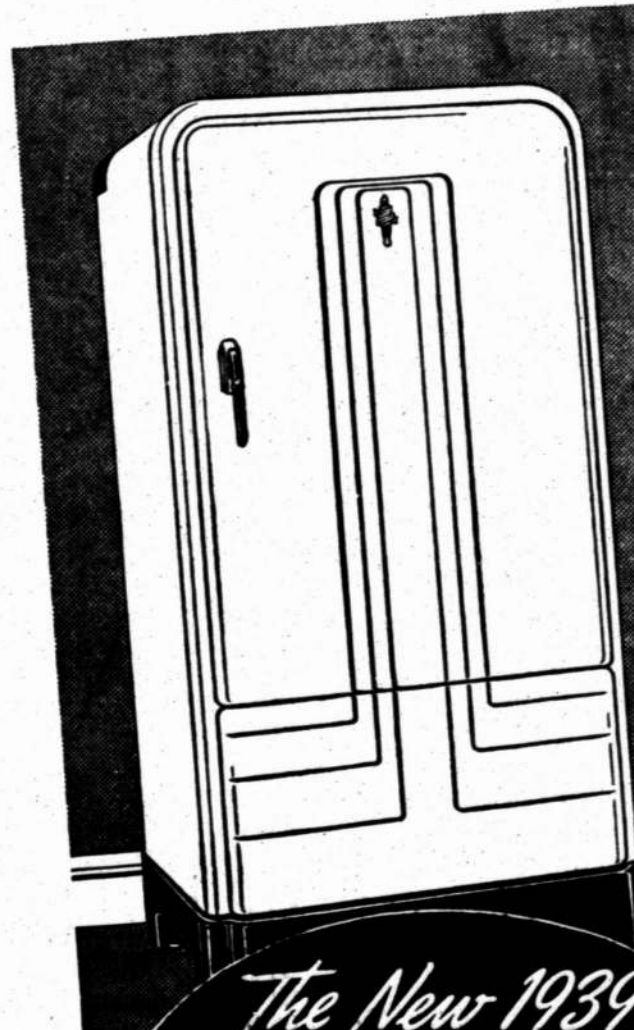
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Edgar Bergen of Stamford spent several days here this week attending to business.

S.C.S. NOTES

The best January rainfall in the Texas Panhandle since 1921 has brought additional moisture which is expected to be of great aid in further checking wind erosion.

Heavy rains in October had given the wheat crop an excellent growing start. The January rainfall of from one to three inches over most of the Panhandle now presents the best opportunity for a good wheat crop since the drought and dust storms started.

Especially is this true on land that is terraced or contour tilled, according to H. H. Fennell, regional director of the Soil Conservation Service. These structures have held most of the water on the land where it fell and moisture has been stored to carry the crop through to maturity unless there are severe blow hazards in the immediate area.

On row crop lands, terraces have stored moisture in the soil for use by the growing crops next summer. Contour furrows have held the rainfall on rangelands and give assurance of an early and vigorous grass growth next spring, the Service director points out. "Stubble from the wheat and row crops which the stored-up moisture can be expected to produce, if properly maintained, should do much to check wind erosion in the future," Mr. Fennell states.

The advantage of terracing to conserve moisture was clearly demonstrated on two adjacent farms of identical slope and soil types near Dumas during a 3-inch rain which fell on October 9 and 10.

Terraces on the farm of Frank Anderson, who is cooperating with the Moore County Wind Erosion Conservation District, not only held the water that fell on the land, but also caught and retained most of the water run-off from a square-mile area adjoining. Immediately after the 3-inch rain, water stood from 200 to 300 feet back of the first terrace. Because of the slow rate with which moisture soaks into the heavy wheatland soils, the water did not disappear into the ground until three weeks after the rain, according to Claude Lovett, manager of the conservation district. Even three days after the rain, water stood more than 100 feet back of the first terrace.

In contrast, water was observed flowing off an adjoining unterraced field into a roadside ditch during and immediately after the rain. Within a few hours, no water was standing on this unterraced field, despite the fact that the slope and soil are identical with the Anderson field.

Four weeks after the rain, tests were made to determine the depth of moisture penetration on the two adjacent fields. Borings 54 feet above the first terrace on the Anderson field showed excellent moisture to a depth of 48 inches at which point further exploration was halted for lack of a longer augur. However, at this depth the clay was moist enough to be very plastic.

On the unterraced field, tests showed that moisture had penetrated only 18 inches. "Even though the slopes of these two fields are less than one-half percent, and the rain was slow in intensity, run-off was high on the unterraced field because of the slow infiltration rate of the heavy soil," Mr. Lovett points out.

"It is evident," he continues, "that especially on the heavy soils it is necessary to hold the water behind terraces until it can filter into the ground in order to assure adequate moisture for producing good crops."

EVERY TEXAN TO BE GIVEN OPPORTUNITY TO HELP TEXAS WARM SPRINGS CENTER

Gonzales, Jan. 24—Every Texan will be given the opportunity to help build

a Texas Warm Springs Center for Crippled Children during the next three months, and at the same time enter and take part in a unique \$1,500 cash prize contest, it was announced here today.

"On February 1, immediately after the Presidential celebrations for crippled children end, we will announce a state-wide Jinky contest," Ross Boothe, president of the Gonzales-Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children, said.

Money secured through the contest will be used to erect buildings and install equipment on the Foundation's 40-acre tract of land twelve miles north of Gonzales. The 40-acre location, on which there is an abundance of warm flowing water, adjoins a 36-acre state park, developed by state and federal agencies at a cost of more than \$300,000 which will be utilized as a playground and recreational area.

"Directors of the Foundation have studied many plans of financing, and at a recent annual meeting unanimously adopted the Jinky plan as having universal appeal," Boothe said. "Through the Jinky plan we do not have to ask people for outright contributions, but sell them four entries in a \$1,500 cash prize contest for one dollar. We hope to sell a million during the contest."



Upper left, spreader dam on Kennedy ranch, Pecos county. Lower left, part of the 1,700 mile of contour ridges on McElroy ranch in Crane and Upton counties. Right, Keecie Kimball, 4-H club boy of Brewster county, looks over his calves with his father, Otis Kimball.

CARD OF THANKS

To the fine neighbors and friends who so thoughtfully put up my land I want to take this means of expressing my heartfelt appreciation. Such friends cannot be valued too highly.

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O. L. Kimball.

S. J. Jordan is in El Paso this week attending to business.

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—in—
"RIDERS OF PLAINS"

Rural Correspondence

BARTLETT
Mrs. Eulus Damron

Mrs. L. Thomas and children visited
her father, J. T. Niblett of Lamesa
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Womack spent
Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs.
T. L. Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Nor-
man Walla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Chapman spent
the latter part of the week with Mr.
and Mrs. W. J. Chapman of Five Mile.
Earnest Palvado and Fred Damron
went to Ackerly Sunday to visit Mr.
Palvado's father.

Jo Nell Thomas spent Saturday
night with Mildred Cornett.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Thomas and Mrs.
Fred Damron visited Mr. and Mrs.
Earnest Palvado Friday night.

LIBERTY

Sunday school was well attended
Sunday at Nolan Chapel. Every one is
urged to come.

A large crowd was at the singing at
Nolan Chapel Sunday.

Pattie Gill of this community spent
Saturday night and Sunday with Au-
dene Summerlin of Union.

A crowd of people met at Mr. and
Mrs. Mason Costin's Friday night and
played forty-two and other games.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Davis and
daughters Beth and Dorothy visited
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Easterwood Satur-
day night.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. H.
Hamilton Saturday night were Mr. and
Mrs. E. P. White, Mr. and Mrs. Ma-
son Costin, Mr. and Mrs. C. Burton,
and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bedwell and
daughter, Laverne.

Mrs. Hendrix of Buffalo Gap visited
Mrs. Hayden Barron Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walls and family
spent Sunday with Mrs. Walls mother,
Mrs. Davis of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Montgomery and
children of Gaines county visited Mr.
and Mrs. Callaway.

We are sorry that the Malone fam-
ily moved from here. There were four
children in school. Norma Malone was
in Mr. White's room. Helen, Josephine
and Dorothy were in Mrs. Lovelady's
room.

Betty Jean McDougle started to
school last week. She is in Mrs. Love-
lady's room.

Mr. and Mrs. Everheart and daugh-
ter, and J. R. Winborn visited Mr. and
Mrs. Clarence Davis and family Sun-
day.

Mrs. Hayden Barron and sons, Rich-
ard, Hal and Davie Lee, spent the week
end with Mrs. Holly Woods.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. A.
G. Lowrimore and Mrs. D. M. Corley.
We hope them a speedy recovery.

The library club met Friday even-
ing. Some of the pupils gave a pro-
gram. Afterwards a few games were
played.

Those visiting our school Friday af-
ternoon were Mrs. Jack Walls, Mrs.
Hugh Gill, and Mrs. Homer Walls.

HIGGINBOTHAM

Sunday school and church services
were well attended. Rev. Curry filled
his regular appointment Sunday morn-
ing and night.

Come back next Sunday and invite
your new neighbor to come.

We are extending all our new neigh-
bors a special invitation to all ser-
vices. Sunday school 10:00 a. m.,
preach services on first and fourth
Sunday 11:00 a. m., night service at
7 p. m.

The ladies of the Missionary Society
and W. M. U. met in regular session
Wednesday afternoon, January 19. We
would be glad for all ladies and girls
to come and be with us at our next
meeting on February 1.

We are glad to report that Myrtle

Frances Huddleston is able to be out
again.

Everett Brown received a broken
shoulder when the car in which he was
riding overturned. He was reported as
recovering nicely at the last report.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Blackstock en-
tertained a group of friends Saturday
night. All report a nice time.

Mrs. Chester Jordan is very ill. We
hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Archer and son
Roy of Big Spring, Mr. Lee Smith and
Owen Smith were dinner guests of Mr.
and Mrs. A. M. Archer and family
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. House and
family entertained the Junior Sunday
school class with a party Friday night.
After several games were played, cake
and hot chocolate were served. A nice
time was reported by all.

Mrs. Luther Lee and son of Sand
visited in the W. P. Cozart home F
day.

Cicero and Altha Huddleston and
Burl Gary visited Leds and Glenn Co-
zart Sunday.

Those visiting in the Lee Smith
home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and
Mrs. Archer and son, Roy, Mr. and
Mrs. J. W. Pounds and daughter, Ed-
na, and Mrs. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Pounds and daughter,
and Johnnie Doris Lewis, were supper
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lewis
Sunday.

Myrtle Frances Huddleston was an
overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Les-
ter Lewis Saturday night.

Statement Showing Financial Condition of LAMESA FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION of Lamesa, Texas

At the close of business December 31, 1938

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
First mortgage loans on Real Estate	\$120,301.57	Total Capital paid in	\$118,789.46
Loans secured by the Associations shares	75.00	Real estate owned	NONE
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	1,300.00	Federal Insurance reserve	865.21
Cash on hand and in bank	2,081.86	Contingent reserve	3,070.25
Furniture and Fixtures	500.31	Real estate reserve	168.92
Office supplies on hand	40.69	Reserve for bonus on shares	136.53
		Undivided profits	1,269.06
	\$124,299.43		\$124,299.43

Dividends paid to investors and on savings accounts since organization \$14,266.18

The above statement is correct to my best knowledge and belief.

O. H. MORRIS, Sec.-Treas.

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You've always done your reading from left to right—an ancient system, hard to change. But you can make a fascinating modern experiment right here with the proposed new method of *Zig-Zag* reading. Many of your neighbors and pals are *Zig-Zaggers*, too—eager for your challenge. Make them read out loud—time them—judge who's best at *Zig-Zag*. First read the left column; then follow the arrows when reading the right column...

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Irvin Wright, Agt.



Seed Loans Now Available To The Farmers Of County To Maintain Lamesa Offices For Loans

Applications for emergency crop and feed loans for 1939 are now being received at Lamesa, Room 9, First National Bank Bldg., Mondays and Saturdays, by J. C. Dougherty, Field Supervisor of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Section of the Farm Credit Administration.

The loans will be made, as in the past, only to farmers whose cash requirements are small and who can not obtain credit from any other source. The money loaned will be limited to the farmer's immediate and actual cash needs for growing his 1939 crops or for the purchase of feed for livestock.

Farmers who can obtain funds they need from an individual, production credit association, bank, or other concern, are not eligible for crop and feed loans from the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Section of the Farm Credit Administration. The loans will not be made to standard rehabilitation clients whose current needs are provided for by the Farm Security Administration, formerly known as the Resettlement Administration.

As in the past, farmers who obtain emergency crop and feed loans will give as security a first lien on the crop financed, or a first lien on the livestock to be fed if the money borrowed is to be used to produce or purchase feed for livestock.

Where loans are made to tenants, the landlords, or others having an interest in the crops financed or the livestock to be fed, are required to waive their claims in favor of a lien to the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration until the loan is repaid.

Checks in payment of approved loans will be mailed from the Regional Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office at Dallas, Texas.

SANDWICHES FOR 2500 ARE USED IN SHOW

Earnest and Nix Implement Company, for their formal opening in Lamesa Wednesday had 2500 sandwiches prepared for the occasion.

Davis Piggly Wiggly prepared them. Beef was barbecued by Farmers Bakery. In making these sandwiches one hundred and fifty pullman loaves of bread were used, as well as two hundred pounds of barbecued beef, eighty-five pounds of bologna and cheese. Twenty-five hundred doughnuts, and one hundred sixty gallons of coffee, completed the meal. The doughnuts and sandwiches were placed in individual sacks, so that each diner received a sack with a sandwich and doughnut.

The Admiration coffee was furnished by the Duncan Coffee Company of Houston, and Dan Davis Piggly Wiggly Store in Lamesa.

LOCAL MAN'S BROTHER — (Continued from Front Page)

Besides Dud he is survived by his wife and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Fred Beall, Mrs. T. W. Stonerod, Mrs. G. C. Johnson and Sam C. Arnett, all of Lubbock; Dick Arnett, Kansas City; Mrs. Eugene Payne, Whiteface; Mrs. Merritt, Colorado, and Mrs. A. F. Curry of Plainview.

J. D. Cleveland of Tulsa spent the week end here visiting in the home of Mrs. S. E. Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Parker of Sudan spent Monday here attending to business.

ROTARY CLUB HAS MEETING FRIDAY NOON

The Lamesa Rotary Club held their regular meeting last Friday at noon at the Williams Hotel.

Bill Wallace delivered a most interesting address. He cited the valuable information that may be gained by regularly reading the Rotary Magazine. He also dwelt on the value of fellowship to each other. His talk was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

The club also added \$50.00 to the Student Loan Fund, through collections made from members who missed in attendance. Under the agreement reached several months ago, the club was divided into groups of five, and if any member should miss a meeting his entire group would be fined \$5.00 each. As two members had missed meetings and failed to make it up with some other club, ten members had to forfeit five dollars each which amounted to the fifty dollars which was immediately added to the loan fund.

Regular Meeting Friday Singers Will Be Held Here

Negro Quartet Will Add Much To Program

Next Friday night promises to be one of the most interesting as well as entertaining sessions of the regular Friday Night Singers meeting, when two negro quartets will add their harmony to the occasion. One will be a male while the other will be all female. This will be held besides the regular singing classes which have been growing in interest and attendance for the past several weeks.

If you enjoy good singing, you are cordially invited to attend this meeting, whether as a participant or merely as a listener, according to officers of the body.

As usual, the Missionary Baptist church in Lamesa, will be the scene of the gathering.

ROAD WORK IS PROGRESSING

Work on Highway 15 in both Gaines and Borden counties is going along at a rapid rate.

Grading and drainage structures are being pushed along on the eastern side of Gaines to connect with the west side of Dawson. The Borden project will meet the finished road on the eastern edge of Dawson county and go through to Gail.

Work has practically been completed on the grading and drainage structures on the Brownfield road. As quickly as this is completed it will be turned over to the highway engineer of this district for topping. This covers the first eight miles on the project. According to County officials as soon as this is completed, work will be started on the next section of the road.

According to rumors in Lamesa it is possible that this road may be diverted so as to connect with Seagraves on the west instead of Brownfield, unless the Terry county capital manifests more interest in their share of the road.

TO THE CITIZENS OF DAWSON COUNTY

Attention has been called to the law enforcement officers of this county to the fact that many of our merchants and citizens have been operating punch-boards, slot machines and other gambling devices.

Our law in Texas is this: "Any

scheme or device for the distribution of prizes by chance" is either a lottery, raffle, or some form of gambling prohibited by the penal laws of this State. Notice will be taken by anyone who operates any thing that comes under the above classification that they are subject to prosecution for such.

If you have a punch-board, whether you give money or merchandise to the winners, please stop it, and save yourself the embarrassment of a criminal prosecution. If you are in doubt as to whether you are violating the law, call on us and we will be glad to advise you.

A. M. Bennett, Sheriff.
Kar! Cayton, County Attorney.

LITTLE THEATRE ORGANIZED IN LAMESA JANUARY 19

A meeting was called Thursday night January 19, to organize the Little Theater of Lamesa. The organization was completed with a great deal of enthusiasm, and plays were selected to begin work on immediately.

The organization shows promise to be of unusual interest. The Little Theater hopes to bring to Lamesa some really worthwhile and enjoyable entertainment.

LESLIE PRATT GIVEN HIGH SCOUT AWARD

At the annual banquet of South Plains Scout Council at Lubbock Tuesday night, all attendance records were broken, when approximately 450 attended the meeting.

Leslie Pratt, of Lamesa, and Dr. F. B. Malone, of Lubbock, were awarded the "Beaver" Award which is the highest decoration which the council can bestow upon a volunteer adult leader. K. N. Clapp, of Lubbock, himself a holder of the award for six years, made the presentation.

Dr. J. C. Loveless, of Lamesa, and G. E. Welch, were named as recipients of the Veteran's Award, each for having completed more than ten years of service in Boy Scout work. J. D. Dyer, of this city, himself a veteran scout leader, presided at the ceremony.

In the attendance contest Lamesa placed third, being led by Whiteface and Spur.

Boy Scout activity in Lamesa has been among the most active of any towns in Western Texas, thanks to the untiring efforts of the adults who direct this work.

NEW MANAGER AT WACKER'S VARIETY STORE

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Edwards arrived in Lamesa last week from Big Spring to make their home. Mr. Edwards has assumed the managerial duties of Wacker's Variety Store. He has been assistant manager of the store at Big Spring quite some time prior to his coming to Lamesa.

NEIGHBORS PLOW LAND FOR SICK FRIEND

Farmers in the Klondike community gathered at the farm of O. L. Kimbrell Tuesday, and plowed his field and put up his land. Mr. Kimbrell was taken to a hospital for treatment this week and his friends put up his land for him.

There were eleven tractors in the field at one time and the one hundred and fifteen acres in the field were all finished up before nightfall Tuesday night.

WORK PROGRESSING RAPIDLY ON SCHOOL BUILDINGS

Construction on Lamesa's school buildings is moving forward with speed and dispatch. Much of the frame work has been put up, as well as window and door casings, and brick work is moving along.

McCollum Stadium is practically finished and lacks only the finishing touches before being accepted by the school board.

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Milk Grade "A" 6c || **Milk** Carnation or Pet 25c
Quart 8 small cans

Candy Chocolate Fresh 7 1/2c || **COFFEE** Cupswell made by Maxwell House lb. 14c
Stock

Graham Crackers SAXET 2 POUND BOX 18c

Heinz CATSUP 14 oz. Bottle 17c || **Heinz** SOUPS Any Kind 3 for 25c

Soap Palmolive Reg. Size Limit Bar 5c || **Ozydol** Medium size 25c 19c

Snowdrift LARGE 6-POUND PAIL 95c
3-POUND PAIL ONLY 49c

Spry 3 Pound Pail 53c || **Heinz** Fresh Cucumber Pickles - qt. 19c

Wheaties 2 reg. size One Corn "Kicks" 25c || **PEACHES** Libby's No. 2 can each 12 1/2c

Crackers Oh! My! Yes! 2 lb. box 11c

QUALITY MEATS FROM A CLEAN, WELL STOCKED CASE

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DAWSON COUNTY COURIER

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Lamesa, Dawson County, Texas, Thursday January 26, 1939

Number 2

Stanley Wilkes made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Parent-Teachers Presents Musical Art Program Feb. 9 At School Auditorium



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The second number of the series of Musical Arts Concerts, sponsored by the local Parent-Teachers Association will be given in the high school auditorium Monday night February 6. This program presents Alice Mock, lyric coloratura soprano, accompanied by Shibley Boyes at the piano, and promises to be one of the outstanding programs of the season.

Alice Mock was born in Oakland, California, and after several years of study in this country and Europe, made her operatic debut in La Boheme in Montecatini, Italy. It is interesting to note that Miss Mock will sing one of the arias from the opera in which she made her first operatic success when she appears here in concert.

Following her debut in Italy, Alice Mock appeared successfully in leading music centers of Europe, including Paris, Geneva, Brussels, Marseilles, and Milan and two command performances at the Royal Opera in Madrid before the King and Queen of Spain.

Alice Mock then returned to her native country as the leading coloratura soprano of the Chicago Civic Opera Company with Tito Schipa, Richard Bonelli, and others. Appearances with the Philadelphia Opera Company, Cosmopolitan and Stadium Opera Companies in New York later added to the fame of this great artist who is also



noted for her charm and beauty. Lamesa music lovers feel fortunate to have the opportunity of hearing such artists as Miss Mock and Mr. Boyes in their own local community. Numbers of congratulatory messages have been received by the Parent-Teachers Association in their efforts

Warranty Deeds

Amicable Life Insurance Co. to William Fry a certain tract of land being in Dawson county, containing 320 acres of land being in the East 1-2 of Survey 19, in Township No. 4, North, Block No. 35.

M. C. Marshall to L. A. Lewis all of Lot No. 6 in Block 21 in the Original town of Lamesa.

M. C. Baumgardner to W. G. Briley being 280 acres more or less out of the east part of Section 2 in block 3 of the D. L. Cunningham survey.

Mrs. Nell Lawler to S. L. Forrest all of lot No. 1, 2, 3, and 4 in Block No. 19 Elwanda Height Addition to the city of Lamesa.

Mrs. R. D. Davis to F. T. McCollum, being all of the northwest 1-4 of section 20 in Block 35, Township 5 North, of the T. & P. Ry Co. Survey.

A. C. Woodward to J. D. Burleson all that certain east 40 feet of north seventy feet of lots No. 4, 5, and 6 in Block 4 of the original town of Lamesa.

Mrs. Annie Mayben to T. J. Stanley all of north half of Lot 8 and the north half of east 1-2 of lot 9 in block 7 of the Gaines addition to the town of Lamesa.

B. F. Morris to F. M. Latham all of the northeast 1-4 of Section No. 14 in Block No. 36 in Township 4 North, of the Texas & Pacific Ry Co. Survey.

Miss Maynette Moore of Lubbock spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore.

to bring such types of programs to Lamesa. Season tickets for the remaining four programs will be sold until February 6 at prices reduced from the original five programs.

Production Credit Ass'n. To Hold Directors Meeting At Sweetwater Feb. 20th

The fifth annual meeting of the stockholders of the Sweetwater Production Credit Association will be held in Sweetwater, Texas, on Monday, February 20, 1939. A large delegation from Nolan, Fisher, Mitchell, Scurry, Borden, and Dawson Counties is expected to attend this meeting.

Roscoe Holton of Lamesa was one of the far-sighted men who met in the court house at Sweetwater, in December, 1933, for the purpose of organizing the Sweetwater Production Credit Association, and he has served as one of its directors since the Association was organized.

In a recent interview, O. H. Berry, Secretary-Treasurer of the Association, stated that nine men bought Class B stock in the Association when it was organized, amounting to \$45.00. Class B Stock, which is the only voting stock, is owned by the farmers and stockmen in this territory, and at this time amounts to over \$35,000.00. Class B Stock and reserves amount to approximately \$65,000.00. At no time has the office handled any government money, according to Mr. Berry; the only connection the government has is supervision, as their stock is non-voting.

More than \$1,000,000.00 was loaned in 1938 to farmers and stockmen in the six counties served by the Association.

New Cars Registered

O. C. Robinson, Jan. 16, Chevrolet Master Deluxe Sedan.

D. L. Adcock, Jan. 17, Plymouth pickup.

Lamesa Meat Company, Jan. 20, Ford Truck.

John Edmanson, Jan. 16, Pontiac sedan.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

G. E. Goodrich and Miss Orene Miller, Jan. 17.

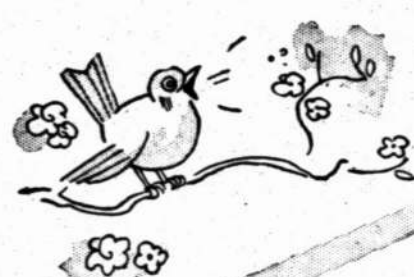
E. M. Macon and Mrs. Alta Mae Robinson.

Robert Maddox of Midland spent several days this past week visiting with his sister, Mrs. Charlene Wilkes.

Mrs. Truman Campbell attended the book review in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. Berry also called attention to the fact that more than \$3,333,000.00 has been loaned during the five years the Association has been operating, and losses amount to less than \$50.

The 291 farmers and stockmen who hold the voting stock in the Association feel justly proud of their organization, which is well on the way to being entirely owned by them.



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Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Kennedy returned Saturday after spending a week in Oklahoma visiting with relatives and friends.

Jimmie Cole and S. S. Forrest visited with friends in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Katherine Weaver Rose and Jim Rose are visiting with friends and relatives in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rose spent the week end at Sweetwater visiting with friends and relatives.

Rural Correspondence

UNION

Edna Pounds

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Huddleston and daughter Myrtle Francis made a business trip to Lubbock Friday.

Burl Gary and Althea Lee Huddleston spent Sunday with Lois Murl Cozart.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Archer and son Roy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Odis Archer and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smith, Lee Smith and son Owen.

Everett Brown was in a car wreck Saturday night and got his shoulder crushed. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Cowan visited Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Debnam a short while Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis and son Robert, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Smith.

Martha B. Lewis spent Sunday with Clara Joe Ham.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swafford Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Smith and Bob Smith of Lamesa, Hazel, Geraldine and Vera Holley.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackstock entertained the young people with a party Saturday night. Everybody reported an enjoyable time.

Hugh Lee Clearman was a visitor at school Tuesday afternoon.

Fairview boys and girls came over Tuesday afternoon and played our girls and boys a game of basketball. Both Union teams won.

Our Junior girls went to Klondike Tuesday at noon and played a game of basketball. They were defeated 13 to 3.

Henry Norris, our county school superintendent, visited our school Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pounds and children and Johnny Doris Lewis took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lewis and supper with Mr. and Mrs. Tobie Lee Smith, Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Pounds spent several days this week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Debnam.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Huddleston, D. P. Jr., and Myrtle Francis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Huse.

Lee Roy Bird moved to Portia where he will make his home. We are sorry to see him leave but wish him luck in his new home.

Mrs. James A. Cowan was sick Tuesday and missed school. We hope she will soon be back in school.

McCARTY

Opal Peterson

Sunday school was very well attended Sunday morning. Rev. R. C. Guest preached a fine sermon. We invite every one to be with us.

There has been quite a bit of sickness in our community the past two weeks. We hope every one will soon be up.

Mattie Opal Peterson has returned to her home after a two weeks stay with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Peterson, of Patricia.

Visitors in the J. M. Peterson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Peterson and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hamilton and daughter of Lamesa.

Janie Kate Peterson spent Sunday night and Monday with Faye Borden. Mr. and Mrs. George McMurry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reid of Spangenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Borden and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Waggoner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pruitt, Jr., of Spangenberg.

Carlene Green spent Sunday with Dorothy Jones.

J. M. Peterson went to East Texas on business last week.

WOODY

Arlene Drennan

Brother T. H. Tarbet of Abilene Christian College preached at the Woody Church of Christ Sunday and Sunday night.

The Woody boys and girls basketball teams went to Union near Brownfield for a basketball tournament. They reported a very pleasant time.

Miss Naomi Davis of Abilene Christian College visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis of this community over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adcock made a business trip to Detroit, Michigan, last week.

Miss Jana Ruth Cox spent Friday night with BeBe Reed.

This community was well represented at the singing at Lamesa Friday night.

Charles Myers, Jr., has been ill the past week with flu.

Miss Doris McCown was a visitor in the home of Jewel and Mavis Womack last Friday night.

The Woody basketball boys and girls went to Fairview last week. The girls were defeated by a score of 15-16, while

the Woody boys won their game 23 to 15.

Mrs. Bud Robinson of this community visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gant of the O. K. community over the week end.

Jack Jones of Lamesa spent the week end with Thelbert Drennan. Osborn Drennan is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Hendrix and daughter, Mary Zoe, of Abilene, visited with her mother, Mrs. Holly Woods, here Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Crow of Brownfield spent the week end here visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Doris Billingsley attended the Delta Zeta Chi sorority dance at Canyon Saturday night.

Miss Ann Coleman will leave Friday for Lubbock where she plans to attend Texas Tech the last semester.

Mrs. Jim Waldrup left Sunday for Dallas where she will buy new spring merchandise for Bryant-Link Co.

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Rural Correspondence

SPARENBERG

Mable Parchman

Sunday school and church were well attended Sunday. Rev. Phillips preached interesting sermons both Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mollie Joe Mabry spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Ray Henderson of Patricia.

Carol Jean Trice spent the week end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beckmeyer of Flower Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Cogburn spent the week end at Throckmorton visiting relatives. Her sister returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Riddle spent last Thursday at Big Spring.

Mrs. Burchell of Knott spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Althart.

Misses Lottie Parchman and Ethel Carter of Lamesa spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Parchman.

Mable Burdine and Mable Parchman spent a few days last week at Lamesa visiting with friends and relatives.

R. A. Phillips of Wilson spent Sunday with Wilbur Burdine.

Mrs. Mabry visited at Munday last week.

SAND

Julia Grayson

Rev. Patty delivered a fine sermon Sunday morning. Mrs. Hubert Teal sang "Satisfied With Jesus," which was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. O. B. Nichols of Knott is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Lee and sons of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lee and son spent Saturday night and Sunday in Kermit with relatives.

Lois Marks spent Sunday with Nell Rose Grayson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Owen and Mrs. Mary Little of Lamesa spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Payton.

R. D. Fentress was in Kerrville one day last week.

C. A. Savell of Stanton has bought the station at Sand and moved his family here. The post office was moved back to the station Monday.

Dawson Jeter was in Seminole Wednesday on business.

Ross Anderson spent Sunday with Montie McGuire of Loveland.

Gene Lee of Lamesa spent Friday with Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilcrease of Ackerly spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Gilcrease.

Buster and Maxine Savell enrolled in school Monday.

LOYOLA

Mrs. H. A. Duke

Loyola received a light shower Sunday night and some sleet.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonza Marlor were called to Post last Thursday to attend the funeral of little Billie Matlor, Mrs. Marlor's brother's little son.

Mr. Ophelan is building him a new house, his old one being destroyed by fire a while back.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Wiggins are staying with C. L. Wiggins and family while they are rebuilding their house.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Runkel visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Runkel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Davison of Klondike visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Duke Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arlt of Higginbotham visited Mr. and Mrs. Felix Huse Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kunkel and daughter of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. Buster Graves Sunday.

HANCOCK

Mary Bob Harrell

The Methodist W. M. S. converted their regular meeting Tuesday into a social hour after the program and business session. Mrs. Forest Ward was pleasantly surprised with a miscellaneous shower. The society met with Mrs. A. E. Hale.

Mrs. Ben Dopson and Mrs. W. T. Williams served chicken sandwiches and coffee to the W. M. U. meeting Monday at the club room of the school building. Mrs. Webb Weaver led the G. A.'s and R. A.'s and Mrs. Jack Meares led the Sunbeams in their meetings.

Syd Coffman made two business trips to Lubbock last week. Fred Ball went with him Friday.

Willie Lisenbee of Andrews visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lisenbee, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Phillips visited her sister, Mrs. Luis Gillispie and Mr. Gillispie in Tahoka last week.

Bonnie Faye Nelson, eight-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Page Nelson, underwent a tonsil operation Thursday.

The small grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mann has been sick. Bobby Butcher was out of school this week because of sickness. J. H. Quail's condition is about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dopson attended the wedding of Mr. Dopson's brother, Roy Dopson, Thursday at Southland.

ACKERLY

Hazel Ward, corres.

We had a nice crowd out at Sunday school and church Sunday. The first quarterly conference was held Sunday at the Methodist church. Presiding Elder Hooten preached to a large crowd. Several from Centerpoint attended.

Mrs. Baum and Thad have moved into their new home.

Ila Margaret Coleman was the Sunday guest of Jerry Ward.

Mrs. Graham returned home the first of the week from a several days visit with her sons at Cleburne and Winters. She also visited in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wits and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Coleman of Big Spring visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, Sunday.

Judd Myles visited his family here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sowell Britton have moved to Ackerly to make their home. We extend to them a hearty welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jobe and Ruth were Big Spring visitors Wednesday.

The men of the surrounding communities met at the Ackerly high school last week to make plans to

clean and repair the cemetery. It is badly in need of cleaning. Let's all help. The day has not been set for the work at this writing.

Mrs. John Stuart was pretty ill last week but is reported better at the present time.

Mrs. Costin, who has been ill, is better at this time. We are hoping for her a speedy recovery.

The senior basketball boys went to Coahoma to play ball last Friday night. Joe Allan Griffin won a gold basketball. We are really proud of Joe Allan.

FAIRVIEW

Georgia Mae Gibson

Due to the bad weather, Sunday school and preaching services weren't so well attended either Sunday morning or night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Holt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jawe Sealey.

Mrs. M. B. Gibson, Wendell and Georgia Mae Gibson, spent Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien in Patricia.

Rev. and Mrs. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barron spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harp.

Audine Harp and Athlue Stafford spent Sunday with Georgia Mae Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stafford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stafford.

Miss Eddie Lou Moore of Lamesa is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Gibson and Mrs. Connie O'Brien returned Thursday from Weatherford where they attended the funeral of her father.

Okyleen Kelly spent Saturday night with Louise Hatcher.

Brother Spraglin will be with us next Sunday. Be sure and come and bring some one with you.

Etna Zimmerman spent Saturday night with Mrs. Maureen Hendon.

MECHANICS OF SOIL NEW TO ENGINEERING

Engineering's newest field—soil mechanics—will be stressed at the second annual conference on Foundation Engineering and Soil Mechanics at Austin February 3 and 4. W. R. Woolrich, engineering dean at the University of Texas said this week.

The largest convention of foundation engineers in this section's history will see 300 engineers gather on the University campus, Dean Woolrich predicted. Dr. Karl Terzaghi of Boston and Vienna, "Father of Soil Mechanics," who brought the new field into prominence in the early 1920's will lecture.



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SOCIETY

Lamesa Club Honored With Breakfast

The Lamesa Club, an organization in Austin of University of Texas students and Austinites who formerly have lived in Lamesa, met at a breakfast in the dining room of the Longhorn Waffle Shop on January 15.

Two new members were added to the club, Curtis Meeks, well known in Lamesa and Dawson county and a student at the University of Texas, and R. B. Snell, a graduate of Lamesa high school who soon is to enroll at the University. The club was honored by the presence of two visitors, Miss Jeanette Bennett, who was visiting in Austin at the time, and Roy Jones, a University student and a brother of Davy Jones of Lamesa.

The club discussed plans for a dinner-dance to be held February 10, at the Driskill Hotel. Miss Betty Jo Ray is in charge of business arrangements and a committee composed of Mrs. L.

C. Loveless, Curtis Meeks and Pete Shaw will provide an entertainment program. Only club members are to be present at the dinner, but quite a large number of guests are expected to attend the informal dance which will be held immediately afterwards.

Parent-Teachers Ass'n To Hold Regular Meeting

"The American School" is to be the subject for the regular monthly meeting of the Parent Teachers Association, next Thursday afternoon, February 2. Mrs. Hardy Morgan is leader. The following is a brief outline of the program. Music, Elementary Girls' Choral Club, Mrs. Weldon Lindsey, director; The School's Part in Character Building, G. M. Roberts; open discussion, "Do Teachers Have Any Responsibility to the Community Outside the School?" All patrons are invited to bring for

exhibition old photographs of selves and school houses, old school books, samples of school work, etc. Bring these to the elementary school auditorium when you come to the meeting Thursday. This should promise to be an interesting program and the executive committee is anxious that the attendance be unusually good.

Mrs. J. D. Dyer, president of the local association, announces a regular monthly executive council meeting for Tuesday, January 31 at 3:30 p. m. in room 32 of the elementary school.

Recent Bride Honored With Shower Wednesday

Mrs. Pete Robertson, who was Miss Mary Etta Farmer before her marriage December 24, was honored at a shower given by Mrs. C. T. Cotton and Mrs. S. E. Cleveland in the home of Mrs. Cleveland last Wednesday afternoon. A man of the street program giving pointers to the bride was rendered by Mrs. M. L. Standifer and a reading was given by Lavern Williams.

Refreshments of tea and cookies were served to about 30 guests. Many beautiful and useful gifts was received by the honoree.

Mrs. Robertson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer. The bride-

groom is the son of P. E. Robertson and is employed with The Texas Co.

Mrs. E. W. Anderson of Big Spring visited with Miss Willie Bell Cleveland this week end.

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