

# Monday, July 2 Trades Day

## Large Crowds Are Expected for Event

Big plans are going forward for Trades Day Monday—July 2nd, next Monday.

The regular Trades Day program will be had and beginning at the bandstand at 1:30 P. M. will be heard all county and district candidates speak. A chairman will be in charge and introduce the candidates. One of the largest crowds that has ever been here is expected for this event. It will be the last opportunity offered as a county gathering for the county and district candidates to speak and of course all will want to hear them.

Many will be present with their stock for trading and swapping. Be here to take advantage of the bargains.

Merchants will have many bargains for you. Look up their ads. Come early and bring the family.

## School Board Acquires Playground Site

Having in mind the inconvenience and traffic hazards incident to traveling about one mile to the old football grounds, the Lamesa school board is purchasing twenty lots, all in one tract which are located just north of the High School building to be used as a football field and playground. The new site is just across the street from the high school campus and for convenience and safety is highly desirable.

The ball-park which is school board owned is not being dismantled for removal to the new site, only the bleachers erected by the high school athletic association will be moved when the Albertson tract is placed in readiness for football games. The new tract will be fenced with a barbed wire fence; when moisture is available bermuda grass will be used as a sod for the field and as an opportunity for protection and growth comes, improvements will be made by planting trees, evergreen and flowering shrubs so that this tract will add to the beauty and attractiveness of the school neighborhood.

The tract is one-half block west from Bryan Street on North Second Street, just a short distance off the pavement and is more conveniently located in accessibility to the public as well as to the 1200 to 1400 pupils who attend the public schools on an adjacent tract.

## Luncheon Club Elects Officers

At the Lamesa Luncheon Club on Tuesday noon this week the following officers were elected for the next six months: Dr. Sam Z. Frazier, President; Wm. A. Wilson, vice-president and J. E. Reeves, secretary and treasurer.

The retiring officers are Cecil Peck, president, Dr. Sam Z. Frazier, vice-president and Owen C. Taylor, secretary-treasurer.

Financial report was made which showed a disbursement of \$200 and receipts of \$214 during the past six months. The club contributed \$20 to the Dawson County Library Association and sent flowers to sick beds and funerals of members and their friends. It met regularly and not missing a meeting during this time.

Carl Rountree made the nominations of above named officers.

Mrs. Carl Rountree was elected president. An of the club until the return of Mrs. McCall who is out for the summer. She was nominated by Mr. J. D. Dyer.

The new officers are planning a series of good programs for the term and new plans for attendance and ticket sales will be made known at the next regular meeting. Really big things are being planned for the summer.

Guests at Luncheon Tuesday were Judge and Mrs. Clark M. Mullican and Mr. R. L. Gilbert.

## NEW CARS REGISTERED

New cars registered by the tax collector the past week were: Arthur Hull, Chevrolet sport sedan; C. C. Koger, Ford Truck; L. F. Keisling, Pontiac sedan; T. A. Harris, Pontiac coach; Mrs. L. E. Eager, Dodge coupe.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

Marriage licenses were issued to D. B. Knoble and Miss Irene Vaughn, June 21; Kirby Reed and Miss Margie Johnson, June 23; Isaac Medlin and Miss Rilla Lowmire, June 23; Charles H. Wasson and Miss Emily A. Marshall, June 25; and A. C. Croft and Miss Leola Griffith, June 25.

## Mrs. E. B. Gillit Killed In Car Accident Saturday

Mrs. E. B. Gillit of the Midway community was killed instantly when the car in which she was riding overturned on Highway No. 9, five miles south of Lamesa last Saturday afternoon. Mr. Gillit and a son Jack were also in the car and received minor injuries. They were brought to a local hospital for medical treatment.

The Gillits were enroute to Lamesa from their home 13 miles southeast of here when their car, a T-Ford roadster was overturned.

Funeral services for Mrs. Gillit were held at Midway Sunday afternoon with Rev. W. E. Duke officiating. Burial was made in the Midway cemetery.

Survivors are the widower and sons and daughters, Jack, Hubert, Ray, Archie, Alan Gillit, Mrs. W. Thompson, Mrs. Lucille Thompson, all of Lamesa, Mrs. Charlie Cheek, Baird and Clifton Gillit, Cross Plains.

## Ministerial Council Met Monday, June 25

The Ministerial Council met Monday, 10 A. M. June 25th. The following brethren were present: Rev. Dennis, presiding, Rev. Cole, Rev. Aslin, Rev. Whitley and Rev. Thomas.

Brother Cole reported that the song books were paid for.

Brother Aslin as selected to preach next Saturday afternoon at 3 P. M. Come and hear him.

Bro. Corbin preached a very fine sermon last Saturday afternoon, and those of you who did not hear that message missed something.

The Brethren in the Council discuss problems in council meetings relating to our moral conditions, trying to solve these problems in the highest interest to our town and community. We are anxious to have the co-operation of the ministers and all of our people to the end that we attain a higher standard of morals, and a higher standard of Christian living.

## Ten Boys From County to Enter CCC

Ten boys from Dawson county will leave on Monday morning for CCC camps over this state and other states. The boys will undergo medical examination before they leave this county.

Requirements for this work are for boys between the ages of 18 and 25 years, unmarried and unemployed. The boys are cared for by the government as soon as the examination is passed. Their meals, clothing, shelter, medical and hospital needs being at the expense of the government. An enrollment of six months is necessary.

The working week will be five days, eight hours per day and the boys will receive one dollar per day.

## Ackerly Having Its Annual Celebration

As this paper goes to press, our little sister city of Ackerly, to the south is enjoying its annual two-day picnic with large crowds. They opened in Ackerly Wednesday morning early, well policed by the Ackerly Boy Scout troop with hundreds of people pouring into this little city.

These fine people are certainly wide awake and after big things for their community. Such characters as Andy Brown, A. E. Davenport, Mr. Criswell R. H. Coleman and others, are putting the job over.

The Lamesa municipal band filled its regular annual engagement in Ackerly Wednesday morning, opening the two day affair. The morning was filled with a program well directed by Miss Allene Brown, a graduate of Lamesa high school. Candidate speaking as presided over by Wm. A. Wilson who introduced the speakers.

The afternoon was filled with such entertainment as polo, horse racing, baseball while the evening was occupied with dancing on the public square.

Thursday's program was a duplicate of Wednesday's program, and thousands of people, as have done every year, poured into Ackerly from all parts of five counties. Barbecue and basket dinners were features at noon days.

It was noticeable more so this year than usual that there were more Lamesa and Dawson county people at this picnic and celebration.

"Where Texans Are Texans"

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## LOUIS B. REED ON BOLL WORM CLAIMS

Louis B. Reed, county attorney, who has done much good work on the Bostick petition before the Supreme Court of Texas and who had a good part in securing the dismissal of that case reports that he is now working on another hitch that has come up in connection with the payment of Pink Bollworm Claims.

It is the matter of whether it is legal to pay claims in case of landlord and tenant when both have not signed. The Comptroller is asking the Attorney general to rule on the matter before he makes out the warrants. Mr. Reed is seeking to secure this ruling as soon as possible so that Dawson county farmers who so much need their money may get paid on as early a date as possible.

It is pointed out that the claim is valid when only one of either the landlord or tenant signs the affidavit since the amount is the same and only one definite number of bales of cotton is under consideration and if the landlord claims or the tenant claims both will have to be taken care of. Checks can be mailed out separately or jointly as the interested parties desire. Judge Louis Reed has done some mighty hard work on this pink boll worm matter and it is certain the farmers of this county interested will appreciate his untiring efforts.

## Homer L. Pharr To Speak Here Monday

Judge Homer L. Pharr of Lubbock candidate for Congress, from the 19th Congressional District, will speak here in the interest of his candidacy on Monday, Trades Day, July 2, on the court house lawn, some time in the afternoon.

## CANDIDATE SPEAKING

There will be a county and district candidate speaking at Klondike on Friday night, July 6th. All candidates are urged to be present.

## Mrs. C. W. Weatherford and daughters, Misses Erma Dene and Lilian are visiting Mrs. R. E. McClure of Sparenberg this week.

# Dawson County In Emergency Group

## Buying of Cattle To Start Soon

Dawson county has been included at Washington as an Emergency Drouth Relief County, according to word received this week by County Agent Joe Williams. Mr. Williams stated that this means that the government will buy cows and cattle in Dawson county in addition to the relief that was promised as a secondary designated county.

Mr. Williams has worked hard to get Dawson county included as an emergency county. He states that by this inclusion Dawson county should sell to the government 15,000 cows and should realize from the sale of such cattle around \$50,000.

## Absentee Voting To Start July 8th

July 8th is the first day of absentee voting, which will close the night of July 25th. Persons who will be out of the county on the day of the Primary election may vote by presenting their poll tax receipt or exemption certificate which will remain with the ballots marked.

Voters who are already out of the county and who do not plan to return to vote, should write the county clerk requesting an absentee ballot. They must mail their poll tax receipts or exemption blanks. Persons leaving the county prior to the first day of the absentee voting may present their certificates at the county clerk's office with a request for ballots to be mailed to them at their new addresses.

## Legion Convention A Great Success

In the two day Fifth Division American Legion Convention which convened here last Saturday and Sunday, approximately 185 out of town Legionnaires registered, according to officials of the local post which acted as host to the convention.

Outstanding among the features of entertainment provided were the Bathing Beauty Revue, the Saturday evening dance, the Legionnaires Breakfast Sunday morning, the barbecue at the city park Sunday noon, and the West Texas Roundup rodeo.

The committees of the local post, too numerous to mention, under the leadership of Caryl Baldwin, post commander, put the job over in fine fashion, according to reports of those here and letters being received from post adjutants upon their return the very best conventions that Lamesa has ever had. Everything run-home. All agree that this was one of the most splendid times and visit in our city.

Two outstanding addresses were heard on the floor of the Legion convention, namely, those of Hon. John Lee Smith and Hon. M. J. Benefield, State Comamnder.

In connection with the American Legion Convention, the Auxiliary also had its program. At 4:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the visiting Auxiliary women enjoyed a musical tea in the reception room of the Williams Hotel. Addresses were made to the Auxiliary by Mrs. Will Benton, Amarillo; Mrs. Van W. Stewart, Perryton; and Mrs. M. J. Benefield, Fifth Division vice president. Reports were heard from Mrs. R. C. Maddox, 17th District Chairman, and Mrs. James Trent 18th District Chairman.

Mrs. Tillman Jones of Post responded to the Welcome address by Mrs. Fulkerson, unit president.

The Auxiliary joined in attendance upon the main program of the Legionnaires program.

In the Bathing Beauty Revue Miss Madge Horley, representing the Borger post, was selected as 5th Division queen for 1934. Miss Horley was presented with a beautiful loving cup.

Slaton, Texas  
June 25, 1934

Mrs. Wm. A. Wilson, Sec'y,  
Lamesa Chamber of Commerce,  
Lamesa, Texas.

My dear Secretary:  
In behalf of our delegation to your town in attendance at the Fifth Division convention, the American Legion, I wish to express our appreciation of the many courtesies received at the hands of the good citizens of your city. Our stay in your city was a most enjoyable one and we certainly appreciate the hospitality extended us. The spirit shown on this occasion was one of real southern hospitality in every sense of the word.

The convention was one of the best that I have ever attended, and the eats out at the city park were as good as I ever tasted and was served in a most dignified way; the speakers on the program were good and I am sure that everyone present enjoyed them; the dance down town Saturday evening was as good as could be expected anywhere, and especially the music was enjoyed by our delegation.

Through you, Mr. Wilson, and the organization that you represent, I hope to convey to the citizens and the Legionnaires of Lamesa our most sincere appreciation.

On July 4th, sponsored by our Legion Post and supported by the local chamber of commerce and the RMA, we are preparing to entertain with a free barbecue, and almost every other conceivable form of entertainment for the people of this territory. We hope that your city will find it possible to send a delegation to our site for this occasion.

I am very sorry that you people have haven't had rain in quantities sufficient to do your usual spring planting. I hope that the moisture was some too late this time.  
Again thanking you for the good.

HERE TUESDAY



JUDGE CLARK M. MULLICAN

Judge Clark M. Mullican of Lubbock, candidate for Congress, 19th Congressional District, was a visitor here Tuesday, in the interest of his candidacy.

## Not So Bad - If It Doesn't Rain Here

Dawson county may not be in such hard circumstances even though it does not rain—if the following figures reveal the truth of what is in store for her from the various relief sources:

Lease money	\$247,000.00
Parity	78,000.00
Tax certificates	485,000.00
Hog Money	50,000.00
Cow and cattle money	50,000.00
Pink Bollworm money	75,000.00
Highway relief money	75,000.00

TOTAL \$1,046,560.00

But at that we had rather have a rain. Looks like rain clouds have passed away until it is most too late to plant a money crop. Of course 50,000 bushels of wheat were raised in the county this year, and if seasons permit a large acreage will be planted this fall for it has been proved that this county will produce wheat with little rainfall. If it does rain between now and the fifteenth of July it is possible for this county to produce a good feed crop. If this happens of course there will be a ready market for all the feed we can produce and at a good price.

Then too, many farms have been refinanced through the Federal Land Bank at Houston and new terms and rates of interest have been secured. Many other home have been taken care of through the Home Loan Corporation and many more will be refinanced.

## What Are Cotton Tax Certificates?

Much talk about what the tax certificates mean. The Bankhead law permits the Secretary of Agriculture to issue cotton tax certificates for each bale of cotton allowed to be grown tax free in this country. The tax is based on the price of cotton. As the price of cotton changes the tax changes. Each cotton state has an allotment and each county has an allotment. So does each farmer have his allotment; if he raises any cotton beyond the allotment he is taxed heavily for it. This means in the event of production beyond the allotment the farmer will seek these cotton certificates that he be exempt from the tax. Dawson county will have 24,278 certificates issued to match her allotment of 24,278 bales of tax free cotton. In the event there is a demand for the tax certificates—and there will be if more cotton than the allotments are produced—at whatever price the certificates are selling and they will be transferable—we can sell 24,278 tax certificates. At present price of cotton these certificates should sell readily at \$20 each allowing \$5.00 profit. In the event that Dawson county can sell all her certificates at \$20.00 each it will mean that this county will get \$1485,560.00.

## Funeral Services For Ray Jayroe Tuesday

Funeral services were held at the Pride church Tuesday afternoon for Ray Jayroe, 27, who died from burns received in a refinery explosion at Kilgore last Saturday.

Mr. Jayroe had only been working for the Southport Petroleum Company as insulator for the past five months, and until that time had made his home with his parents, who reside in the Welch community.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jayroe, and brothers, Joe and Nolan all of Welch, Lonny of Monahans, and Perry of Amarillo, and one sister who resides in Nebraska.

Dorothy Ruth Caldwell is visiting her grandparents in Plains this week.

time shown us there the two days of our stay; with best personal wishes to you; I am

Yours very truly,  
J. G. Meading, Adjutant,  
Luther Powers Post.

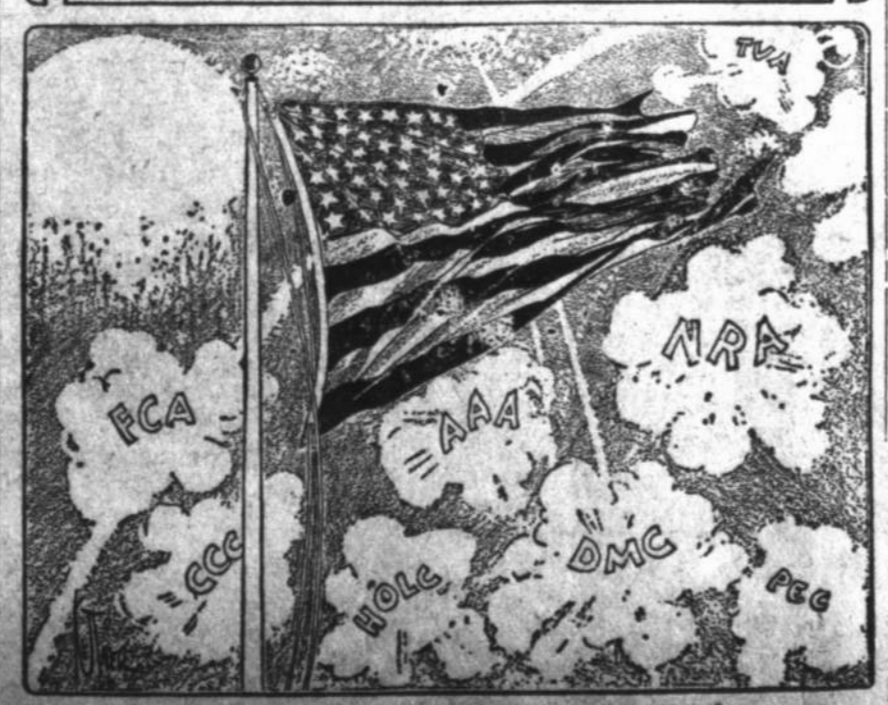
# Polo Club To Sponsor Celebration July 3 and 4

The local Polo Club will sponsor a two day celebration in Lamesa on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 3rd and 4th. Big crowds are expected to be present for the shows each day.

On July 3 the fun will start at 2:30 in the afternoon, and the following is a list of the different events and entrance fees:

Horse races, 1-2 mile, \$2.00 entrance fee; 1-4 mile, \$1.00 entrance fee; 350 yards, 50 cents entrance fee. All three races will be run for pot no added purses.  
Relay race, 3 horsies, \$1.50 entrance fee, to be ridden with stock saddle and one blanket.  
Kid pony race, no entrance fee, purse.  
Mule race, no entrance fee, purse.  
Bronc riding, \$1.00 per horse. A purse for best rider.  
Calf roping, \$2.00 entrance fee. Money on first and second.  
On Wednesday, July 4th, there will be a parade at 1:30 P. M. and later horse racing:  
1-2 mile, \$5.00 entrance fee, purse added; first and second money.  
3-8 mile, \$3.00 entrance fee, purse added; first and second money.  
1-4 mile, \$2.50 entrance fee, purse added; first and second money.  
350 yard, \$2.00 entrance fee, purse added; first and second money.  
Relay races, \$2.50 fee, three horsies.  
Bronc riding, \$1.00 horse, purse best rider.  
Calf roping, \$2.00 entrance fee; first and second money.  
Polo game; burro race.

## Fourth of July, 1934



# Mid-Summer Specials

**Voile**  
36-inch vat color printed voile in the newest patterns and colors. Regular 19c value on sale  
**9c yd.**

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36-inch print in all the new patterns and colors. Regular 19c value. On sale  
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**LL Domestic**  
36-inch unbleached domestic. Good heavy grade. Regular 10c value. On sale  
**6c yd.**

**Tennis Shoes**  
Boys and girls suntan tennis shoes. Size 2 to 5. On sale  
**49c**

**Childs Sandal**  
Childs one strap and T-strap leather sole sandals, size 8 1/2 to 2. Regular \$1.95 seller, on sale  
**49c pr.**

**Organdy Dresses**  
Ladies fast color organdie dresses in size 14 to 20. Regular \$1.95 seller, now on sale  
**49c**

**Straw Hats**  
Mens work straw hats. Regular 25c seller, on sale  
**9c each**

**Shirts and Shorts**  
Mens rayon shirts and shorts. Regular 35c grade. Now on sale at  
**17 1/2c pr.**

**Overalls**  
Boys blue heavy weight overalls, regular \$1.00 value on sale  
**49c pair**

## FAIR STORE

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JOE ALEXANDER, EDITOR

Mrs. J. M. Daniel of Pauls Valley Oklahoma, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. J. Moon who resides 8 miles east of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Troman Daniel and sons, J. C. and Junior, of Lubbock are guests in the S. J. Moon home this week.

Claude McKennon is here visiting his parents.

### SEE ME

Before getting a permanent. Will take chickens, eggs, canned goods, cow feed, quilts or what have you.

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Boris Karloff, Bela Lugosi and David Manners in  
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News and comedy.

TUESDAY IS BANK NIGHT  
Pau Lukas, Patricia Ellis in  
"Affairs of a Gentleman"  
Admission Always 25c

### KLONDIKE

Crops in this community are looking fine. Everyone is busy working them out.

There was a pretty good attendance at Sunday school Sunday. Price Kimbrell visited his father, O. L. Kimbrell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Duff took a part of the sixth and seventh grades on a picnic Sunday down on the cap rock and spread lunch. All that went had a real nice time.

There was a large crowd attended the party at Woodie D. Smith's Saturday night. All reported a good time. They served punch and cake.

We were sorry to learn of the car wreck Saturday of the Gillit family of Midway and the death of Mrs. Gillit.

Hugh Ray Foster gave a birthday dinner Sunday.

O. C. Harris ate supper Sunday night with James Lee Moss.

Some few are canning plums, but they are small on account of not having enough rain.

### RICHARDSON

The two primary rooms put on a nice program Thursday night. It was well attended. School closed Friday. The men and boys of our community cleared a nice base ball diamond last week. It is located in a pasture west of the school building.

The Richardson boys defeated Funst in baseball Sunday, the score being 15-0.

Rev. Jamar is holding a meeting at the Richardson school building this week.

Mrs. J. D. Kirkland entertained the young folks with a nice dance Wednesday night.

Mrs. Bill Teague and family moved to Lamesa last week. We hated to see them move.

Marie Williams is spending the week with Mrs. Teague at Lamesa.

A. V. Williams and family spent Sunday in the Warren home.

Frieda and Mary Patterson and Pauline Williams spent Sunday with Teto Warren.

Rev. Jamar and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Morely Sunday.

Mr. Gray and family visited in the Battie home Sunday.

### WEAVER

Loretta and Lucille Cates visited Katie and June Swafford Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Rayborn Ramsey visited Mrs. J. W. Pounds Wednesday.

Several of this community attended the program at Richardson Thursday night.

Those that visited in the W. F. Martin home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Martin of Lamesa, Mrs. F. Y. Martin, Johnnie and Allene McNeil and Oleta Scitern.

Mrs. Swafford visited Mrs. Partain and Mrs. Roberts Tuesday.

Mrs. George O. Patterson and children visited Mrs. Ramsey Tuesday.

Pete Merrick of Patricia spent Saturday night and Sunday with Sammie Cates.

Otis Winborn returned home Saturday with his brothers and sisters. Doll Martin, Oleta Scitern and T. C. Gandy spent Saturday night with Johnnie, Allene and J. M. McNeil.

Mr. Tolbert has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. Tapp and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Munger Sunday.

Johnson Smith took supper with Ray Everhart Thursday night.

Ernestine and Harold Roberts visited Loretta and Lucille Cates Monday.

### BALLARD

Sunday school and church were well attended Sunday. Brother Ellis Todd preached Sunday morning and Brother McMicken had charge of the services Sunday night.

A Junior League was organized Sunday night. Officers chosen were Mrs. M. M. Debnam, sponsor; R. S. Huddle, president; Bobbie Lou Carlton, vice-president; George Carlton, secretary-treasurer; Edna Standifer, song leader. We had an attendance of 30, nineteen of which joined the league. Although it was the first meeting of the organization we had prepared a program and it was well rendered. As soon as we get our books we plan to get to work in earnest.

The meeting which started last Sunday week will probably close soon. Services have been held both in the morning and the evening. Before the evening services different groups have met in prayer meetings which have been enjoyed very much.

Audine Summerlin and Sara Duff visited Bobbie Lou Carlton Sunday.

Brother Todd and wife and daughter have visited in the following homes: C. Cox, A. White, Standifer, Summerlin and we do not know where else.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cox and small children visited Mr. and Mrs. A. White Sunday.

Mrs. Porterfield and Mrs. Summerlin visited Mrs. C. Cox Wednesday.

Edna Standifer had as her guests Wednesday Bobbie Lou Carlton, Lucille Priddy, Audine Summerlin, Sara Duffie and Gilberta and Virginia Cherry.

Guests of Julia Carlton Sunday were Thelma Lee Cox, Lillie Ruth Carr, Hugh Lee Clearmon and Claud Wasson.

### WANT ADS

Will pay 5c lb. for good, big, clean cotton rags.—Courier Office.

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### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are candidate for office subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July 1934.

All political announcements are ash unless provisions are otherwise made for their publication. For Congress, 19th Congressional District:

ARTHUR P. DUGGAN  
CLARK M. MULLICAN  
GEORGE MAHON  
FRED C. HAILE

For County Judge:

PHILIP YONGE (re-election)  
For Sheriff:

GUS WHITE (re-election)

L. C. STEELE

JESSE WALKER

For County Attorney:

LOUIS B. REED

ALTON T. FREEMAN

For District Clerk:

GUTHRIE ALLEN

For County Clerk:

S. M. (Marvin) MITCHELL

W. E. ANDERSON

MRS. W. H. BENNETT

For County Superintendent:

W. T. WEBB (Re-election)

W. M. YATES

J. C. THOMAS

PAULINE BULSTERBAUM

MRS. J. L. MORRIS

MRS. LILLIAN L. DYER

For Tax Collector and Assessor:

WILLIE BELLE CLEVELAND

W. M. (Bill) NORRIS

FRANK MARTIN

DR. F. C. WARNICK

For County Treasurer:

MRS. MATTIE HERNDON (re-election)

MRS. ARPHE OLIVER

MRS. ANNIE CROW

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:

W. H. (Bill) HUSE

OLON EARNEST (re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:

S. B. HODGES (re-election)

O. R. BEARDEN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:

OSCAR G. KELLEY (re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:

W. W. BEEMAN (re-election)

W. S. RAY

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:

R. DECK DAVIS (re-election)

S. A. (Jack) JACKSON

G. V. (Vernon) WALDROP

For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1:

A. B. COOPER, (re-election)

D. M. CAMPBELL

P. H. COUCH

For Constable, Precinct No. 1:

GEORGE O. (Pat) PATTERSON

### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received, by the undersigned, from any Banking Corporation, Association or Individual Banker, doing business in the City of Lamesa, as a depository for the funds of the City of Lamesa, for a period of one year, proposals will be accepted up to noon of July 10, 1934. In accordance with Article 2559 of Revised Civil Statutes.

J. L. Cotten, Secretary, City of Lamesa.

Broner Standiffer had the following boys for company Sunday: R. B. Wilkerson, Jessie Duffie, Thomas and Forest Ward, and Fred Porterfield.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the newspapers, city officials, merchants, hotels, band and various organizations and individuals who have given their time, thoughts and energy in arranging and executing plans for social and business events of this Fifth Division Convention of the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary of Texas and especially do we wish to thank the girls for their assistance in the registration of the guests.

We could not have asked for more splendid assistance and cooperation! And at any time we are called upon we are ready to serve you. The American Legion and Auxiliary

Post Commander—Caryl Baldwin Auxiliary Pres.—Mrs. T. B. Pulkinson.

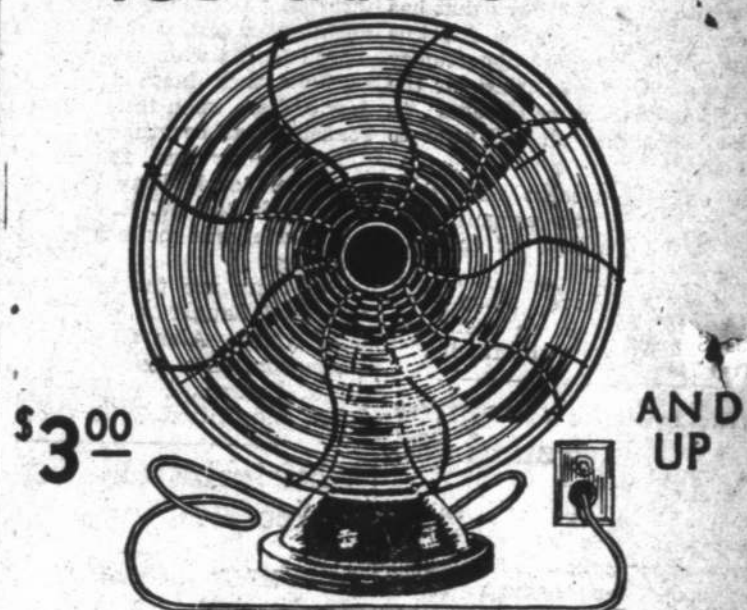
Mrs. M. E. Smith of Baton Rouge La., is a guest in the R. E. Echols home this week.

Miss Evelyn Richards and Mrs. C. Coates of Seminole were shopping in Lamesa Monday.

Mrs. Maurice Small of Matador is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Raymond Hatch and Mr. Hatch.

Gorden Treadway and Miss Josie Lee Treadway were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

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### CONGRESS

New 19th Congressional District  
DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, 1934



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GOOD GAS WITH DEPENDABLE SERVICE

**COFFEE**  
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We roast it, others praise it.

Hull Bros. Grocery Burns Grocery Hatch Grocery  
Spruill's Grocery Meek Grocery

# Correspondence From Rural Communities of County

## HANCOCK

Lois Ruth Wright spent Sunday with Jeanette Rhodes. Dot Brown spent Saturday night and Sunday with Margaret Lauderdale.

Misses Bonnie White and Beatrice Callahan and Thomas Griffin took dinner with Elbert and Lawrence Green Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Phillips and daughter Jaunice of Rochester spent the week end in the W. J. Beckham home. Mr. Bone is principal of the high school at Rochester and is enrolled for the summer session at Tech.

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Miss Lily Cooper of Abilene is visiting her parents of this community. Billie Jones is leaving Tuesday for a short visit at Hollis, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Middleton and little daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Hancock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Taylor of Lamesa visited in this community Sunday.

Miss Mary Edwards is ill this week. Miss Ruby Nelson visited Misses Johnnie and Allene McNeil of Weaver Community Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Lisenbe visited Miss Lella Stephens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mears and sons visited in the S. B. Hodge home Sunday.

## MIDWAY

Sunday School and BYPU had a very small attendance Sunday.

General health of this community is very good.

Popper Jeter and wife spent Saturday night with Chester Langford and family.

This community was saddened Saturday by the tragic death of Mrs. E. R. Gillit which occurred in a car wreck. Mr. Gillit and son Jack who were injured are doing nicely, we are glad to say. We sympathize with the bereaved ones.

Miss Rachael Carter spent the week end with Mrs. T. L. Shultz.

Several from here attended the rodeo at Lamesa Saturday.

The young people enjoyed a party at Henry Robertson's Friday night.

Vesper Love and Mrs. Harvey spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Lauderdale of Shumake.

Roy Plew and wife spent Saturday night with his mother at Shumake.

Howard Moore and family took dinner with his mother at Ackery Sunday.

Ray Gillit and wife spent Friday night with Allan Gillit and family.

## LIBERTY

A meeting will begin here Sunday night at 8:30. We invite everyone to attend and make it a successful meeting.

Edwin Easterwood was in town Saturday transacting business.

Marie Hilburn, Mildred Bayless and Fanny Gilbreath visited Laurie Della Davis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Casey returned Thursday after visiting in Rockport and points on the coast.

Miss Cox, our home demonstration agent gave a tile demonstration at the home of H. E. Easterwood. It was very interesting and helpful. Fruit punch was served to all present.

## SHUMAKE

Sunday school and preaching were well attended Sunday and there was a good crowd at Epworth League and church. There were several visitors from Key and Midway. We extend a hearty welcome to all visitors.

There will be singing at Shumake next Friday night. Everyone is invited.

A pie supper and musical will be given at the Shumake school next Saturday night. All the girls come and bring a pie.

Most everyone from this community attended the funeral of Mrs. Gillit of Midway Sunday afternoon. We extend our heartfelt sympathy.

Thomas Griffin of Hamlin is visiting friends here.

Barney Lee Brown and Chester Guinn took dinner in the Skeen home Sunday.

Nona Grace and Winona Speck enjoyed Sunday with Miss Doris Holmes.

## PLAINVIEW

We have a combine running in our community. Walter Turland bought the machine and is running it day and night. There is not too much wheat and it is not making very much per acre, but some say it will pay to cut it.

Esta Raborn of Berry Flat spent the past week with Mrs. Ted Holland Darline Sanders went home with Esta to spend Monday.

A few of us went to Bill Walkers Saturday night to eat ice cream.

It is still very dry in this community.

Mrs. Tommie Heard and family visited her parents near New Moore over the week end.

Verne Lane of Randal was visiting in this part Monday.

Word was received the other day that our old friend and neighbor Mr. Heard is improving rapidly and will be home by the 4th of July. He has been with his daughter in Oklahoma for two or three months.

Jessie Lane is working for Mr. Turland this week.

## HAGIN

Th preaching services were well attended both Sunday morning and night. Brother Alva Fox of Sunset doing the preaching. He is going to hold a meeting here this week. Every one is invited to come and bring some one with you.

Misses Hazel and Leona Brock spent the evening with Mrs. Sherman Weaver Friday.

Bro. Alva Fox took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Horn Sunday evening.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. Plummers was well attended. Everyone reported a nice time.

Mrs. G. R. Wilson and children and grandmother Wilson visited her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Saturday.

Mrs. Clyde Brnck Friday night and Alva Fox of Sunset was a visitor in the S. L. Pennington home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennius Brock visited Mrs. Brock's parents of Loveland Sunday afternoon.

Bro. Alva Fox took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Taylor Sunday.

Those attending the play at Richardson were Mr. and Mrs. De Armand and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Weaver, Misses Frieda Pennington, Mattie and Lucille Booth, Hazel, Leona, and Gertrude Brock, Bill Ode, Myrtle and John Pennington, Robert Booth and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brock and family visited Mrs. Brock's parents Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wilson of Sunset Sunday afternoon.

Our drouth is still unbroken. We are having lots of dry, hot winds.

Misses Hazel and Leona Brock spent the afternoon visiting friends at Sunset Monday.

## McCARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peterson and son Royce of Morton are visiting Mr. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Peterson.

Mrs. Joe Hardesty and son Jack came from Ft. Worth last week and have been visiting with George Hardesty and family and J. M. Ransom and family. Mr. Hardesty came Monday and they will make their home in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peterson and family spent Sunday with J. E. Jones and family.

Ernest Jones, Joe Peterson, Ocie Grady, George Hardesty and W. T. Childress went fishing Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McCortley who are attending school in Lubbock spent the week end at McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ranson and end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. son Lynn of Lubbock spent the week J. M. Ransom.

Chelsie Bauls was the guest of Grace and Della Mae Wood Saturday night and Sunday.

Bro. and Mrs. McMicken took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Childers Sunday.

Mrs. Opal Turley of Five Mile spent last week with her mother, Mrs. McCasland.

Mrs. Will Blair and children of Five Mile spent last week with H. E. Blair and family.

Della Mae Wood was an over night guest of Dorothy Jean Ranson Monday night.

## SUNSET

Sunday School was not so very well attended Sunday, but we hope to have a very much larger crowd next Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Lee's visitors intended to return home Tuesday.

Visitors in the Wilson home Sunday were Misses Sallie Mae and Hattie Pearl Lee, Georgia Brock and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brock and children, Mr. Alvin and Randolph Minnix.

A few from this community attend the play at Richardson Thursday night.

Raymond Wilson visited in the Knox home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebbie Lee have a welcomed guest in their home. A new baby whose name is Ebbie Jean. Mother and baby are doing fine at present.

Miss Elsie Lee and Mary Payton visited Miss Frances and Christine Knox Saturday.

Mrs. G. R. Wilson, Mrs. M. E. Wilson, Laverne, Carl and Modella Wilson visited Mrs. G. E. Wilsons daughter, Mrs. Clyde Brock of Hagin, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Edith Grayson spent Saturday with Margaret Knox.

Miss Vaughn our school teacher, surprised us all by getting married this week end. We all hope Mr. and Mrs. Knoble a long and happy life.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. M. E. Wilson Mr and Mrs Clyde Brock and children, Tammie Lee, Opal, Laverne and Miss Modella Wilson visited in the Woody community Monday.

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Jewel Towns of Lamesa. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith of Stanton visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Osborn Sunday.

Alvin Hawkins left last week for the north plains to work in the wheat harvest.

Carlton and W. B. Osborn are visiting relatives near Clyde.

J. C. Bryan and family of O'Donnell visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Towns last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Holt and children of Seagraves visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holt last Wednesday.

## FAIRVIEW

Sunday school and church were well attended Sunday but due to bad weather there was no church Sunday night.

Miss Hattie Emma Yates spent Saturday night with Misses Thyra and Elizabeth Barron.

Miss Sybil Fambrow spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Riley Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Bradshaw have gone to Oline where Mr. Bradshaw will go to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Harp and family spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tipton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve O'Brien gave the young people a party Saturday night. Everyone present reported a nice time.

Shorty Jones, Johnnie Westbrook, Ed Roney and Phiney Cochren are all in Potter county working.

Miss Leona Towns visited Miss Eula B. Mitchell Sunday evening.

Miss Ludell and Bonnell Harp have been visiting in Lubbock.

We had a nice shower Sunday night but not enough to plant on.

Lydia and Lillian Holt and Mattie Lou Johnson all spent Saturday night with Ruth and Relia Robinson.

## HIGGINBOTHAM

Rev. J. E. Young of Terry county preached Sunday and Sunday night. He will preach every fourth Sunday.

Miss Lily Kate Stillman is visiting in Hobbs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Washer and daughter Louise visited in the Ballard community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Knobles and Philip Knobles of Arvans visited Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Sunday.

Mrs. McDaniel was an over night guest of Mrs. Howard Ramsey Saturday night.

Miss Vaughn of Sunset and Davis Knobles were married Friday. They will make their home in this community.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Young were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Keith Sunday.

Mrs. Cozart, Faye and Myrl Cozart, Mr. and Mrs. Stokes visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lee of Sunset Tuesday.

## KEY

Farmers of our community are wearing long faces these days because of the dry weather.

Mrs. Leo Nachlinger and little son of Herleigh have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Loy Kerby.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gene Towns and family Sunday were D. H. Towns of Sweetwater, Mrs. Mitchell and children of Galveston and Miss

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children visited Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Wray of McCarty Monday night.

Wilma Dyer visited Mrs. Ernest Adcock Tuesday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the singing at the Olin Nik home Tuesday night.

Mrs. Garvin Whitehead and Mrs. Ernest Adcock visited Mrs. W. M. Carmichael Thursday afternoon.

Leona and Kattie Dollar visited Mrs. Norfleet and daughter Thursday.

Clyde Moore of Lamesa spent Thursday night with Milton Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Hutcherson and children and Mrs. Laura Hutcherson of Overton visited in the W. P. Stovall home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hogg and family are visiting in East Texas.

H. E. Esmond made a trip to Alpine the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Parsons visited Mr. and Mrs. Olin Nik Saturday night.

Verlon Esmond visited Bill Ballard of Midway Sunday.

## MT. OLIVE

There wasn't a very large crowd at either Sunday school or League Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. John White and Mrs. Noah Hogg visited Mrs. Lilley, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Glaze Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Glaze and

ACKERLY— Mrs. Roy Chilton and Mrs. A. G. Bingham were shoppers in Big Spring Thursday.

Wanda Lee Rasberry attended church at Soash Sunday afternoon.

Effie Cook visited Florene Mix of Five Mile Saturday to Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob King spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Spring field.

Several of this community attended a musical at the home of Cora Hodges Thursday night.

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# OUTLAWS of EDEN

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## THE STORY

**CHAPTER I.**—Robin Kershaw, descendant of a pioneering family, rode with Fremont to California, made half a million in the gold fields and owned a valuable ranch for a while. With his bride, who had walked beside a covered wagon in the California desert, he found an ideal valley for ranching and cattle raising. His bride christened it Eden Valley. Below Eden Valley, which they intend to stock with cattle, and where they plan to build their home, is a less valuable tract which Kershaw's wife christened Forlorn Valley.

**CHAPTER II.**—The Kershaws prospered. Robin Kershaw acquires the most valuable lands in Eden Valley. Trouble impends when Joel Hensley, a Texan, and as a neighbor and aborigine a man as Robin Kershaw, settles in the lower half of the valley. There is bad blood over fences and water for irrigation. The Kershaws kill Hensley and the blood feud is on. Hensley's sons are avenging.

**CHAPTER III.**—By 1911, Rance Kershaw, his son Owen and daughter Lorry are all that remains of one clan. Nate Tichenor is the sole survivor on the Hensley side. He is killed in the World War. Nate Tichenor returns after an absence of nine years. He goes to help Lorry in her grief. Her father has died of heart disease.

**CHAPTER IV.**—Silas Babson, from the Middle West, unscrupulous and grasping, controls the Forlorn Valley settlement through his bank. He schemes to build a dam and control the irrigation and hydro-electric possibilities of Eden Valley. He first aims to acquire the heavily encumbered lands of Rance Kershaw's daughter, Lorry. Babson finds surveyors already on Eden Valley lands owned by Tichenor. The banker proposes to play Nate against Lorry, assuming the role of carrying on the old feud, in this way getting control of the key lands necessary to the project.

**CHAPTER V.**—Nate, however, has no intention of carrying on the feud. Forlorn Valley buses with the news that the two survivors of the Eden Valley saga of bloodshed have buried the hatchet. Nate tells Lorry that he and Owen Kershaw, Lorry's brother, met in France just before he was killed. They became buddies, and Nate promised that if he survived Owen he would look after Lorry as a brother might do.

**CHAPTER VI.**—Lorry informs Nate that she intends to run the ranch. He volunteers financial aid. Babson, determined to secure Lorry's lake-site and Nate's dam-site makes legal application for the allocation of flood waters to the Forlorn Valley irrigation district, which he organizes. He figures that through condemnation proceedings he can secure the coveted lands with money advanced by Nate. Lorry clears up her indebtedness to Babson.

**CHAPTER VII.**—Nate, who plans extensive improvements on his ranch, finds that he is falling in love with Lorry. Babson discovers that Nate is behind a power project which threatens to ruin all the banker's schemes.

**CHAPTER VIII.**—Nate assists Lorry in the roundup work on her ranch. He tells her that he loves her. Lorry admits she loves Nate. They become engaged. Together they plan to control the waters of Forlorn Valley and thwart Babson's schemes.

**CHAPTER IX.**—Babson insists that Joe Brainerd, editor of the local paper, attack Nate as an enemy of the people, about to grab water for power purposes. This Brainerd refuses to do. Nate hires expert legal counsel in San Francisco, Gagan, a leading lawyer, says he believes the act under which Babson is proceeding is unconstitutional. Nate comes to Brainerd's rescue financially. The editor celebrates by punching Babson's head.

**CHAPTER X.**—Babson, in his desperation, hires Pitt River Charley, a self-bred, to assassinate Nate. The attempt is thwarted, largely through the loyalty of Tichenor's English valet. Charley tells Nate that Babson was the instigator. Nate attempts to address the mass meeting, but at Babson's instigation the crowd kills him. Lorry saves him from possible death by wounding several of his assailants with her revolver. She stops a raid on the newspaper office and marches several raiders to jail.

**CHAPTER XI.**—Tichenor spends a week in the hospital recovering from the injuries inflicted by Babson's adherents. He is immensely pleased at Lorry's bravery. The attempted destruction of Brainerd's newspaper plant has angered the press of the state, and Lorry is hailed as a heroine for her work in driving off the mob. Nate vainly urges her to marry him at once, but she insists that matter must await the satisfactory settlement of her father's estate, and with that he has to be satisfied. Then Babson has the irrigation district organized.

**CHAPTER XII.**—Nate, who has been settling his affairs in New York, returns. He and Lorry fly to Nevada to be married. Babson has an irrigation district organized, hoping to thwart Nate in that way. Nate and Lorry go to Europe. They return a year later. Babson has an irrigation district organized, hoping to thwart Nate in that way. Nate swears he will ruin Babson, if in so doing he has to ruin the valley.

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some hopes for success. And you cannot do that while the Bank of Valley Center continues to function as at present."

"Well, I'll be all set ready to take over the wreck of your bank, Babson. I'm patient. I can wait."

As Tichenor walked out, Babson turned to Henry Rookby. "Henry, that fellow's so rattled he doesn't know what to do. He'd like to start an injunction suit against the district, but he's not at all certain he can win. Henry, he's actually erecting a bank building across the street, hoping to scare me into a compromise to save his face. Can you beat it?"

"He's small change," Mr. Rookby replied disdainfully. "Forget him."

But Mr. Rookby's airy advice failed to bring the measure of comfort for which Babson yearned. Even his own

assurances presently failed him. Nothing in life is more distressing than uncertainty, and the uncertainty as to whether Nate Tichenor and Lorry Kershaw would apply for an injunction restraining the Forlorn Valley Irrigation district from diverting water from Eden Valley creek was a profound uncertainty, indeed. Babson wondered whether Tichenor was really depressed over the situation, really disinclined to a fight in the courts.

That night Silas Babson went home with a violent headache. He did not sleep well, either, and the following night he was very weary, indeed. The third night he was still sleepless and then his old enemy insomnia claimed him and he had a nervous breakdown.

The Postmaster at Valley Center reported that Nate Tichenor must loathe the town with a great loathing, because not a single letter from Tichenor, his wife, or their employees was ever posted in Valley Center. And, as everybody knows, the pay of a country postmaster is predicated on the amount of business he does! A similar complaint came from the local telegraph agent and the local telephone agent. Nobody could ascertain, via these agencies, anything of Nate Tichenor's business and this was a genuine deprivation. Nor was a single dollar of Tichenor money expended in Valley Center for anything that could be purchased in Gold Run.

The irrigation district's engineer reported to Babson that before the first of April Lake Babson would be filled to the top of its flood-gates. Babson was jubilant. Under his urging, promulgated in the Forlorn Valley Citizen, thousands of acres of land had been prepared for alfalfa the preceding fall. They had been seeded just prior to the first rains, and succeeding rains at brief intervals had kept the new crops growing steadily and had deposited in the lands sufficient moisture to last until the spring rains ceased and it would be necessary to employ surface irrigation to develop the first crop about the first of June. Babson decided therefore, to open the Lake Babson headgates for the first time on May first and to make the occasion one of general rejoicing; the descent, for the first time upon Forlorn Valley of the life-giving waters of Eden Valley creek should be an epic event.

The prospect filled him with delight, thrilled him to an unwonted generosity. He owned rather a lovely farm on the western edge of the district, and through this far the main canal had been dug, with the laterals leading from it down a gentle slope to the east and taking advantage of every contour. There was a grove of Valparaiso live oaks growing on this farm close to the edge of the main canal and here Babson decided to hold a barbecue for his people.

A dramatic frenzy gradually seized him. May-day, immemorably dedicated to festivals, was to be his day of triumph, a day that should repay him for his years of labor, and self-sacrifice for the public weal. Of course, as president of the Forlorn Valley Irrigation district, his right to be the orator of the day could not be gainsaid and nobody tried to gainsay it. He dictated his speech to his secretary, edited it, revised it, labored lovingly over it, and when it was complete he memorized it and delivered it, with appropriate gestures, to Henry Rookby after the bank had closed for the day. Meanwhile he had had an electrical contrivance installed at the reservoir headgates, and a wire led eight miles down country to connect with a push-button on the speakers' stand at the barbecue grounds. He had the district's engineer figure approximately how long it would require the water to flow from the headgates to the grove, for he planned, at the moment of mounting the platform to press his push-button, which would raise the headgates at the reservoir and release the water. Then at a certain dramatic point in his oration the water would make its dramatic appearance. Henry Rookby was to discover its approach and interrupt Babson with shrill and appropriate cries of amazement and joy.

Babson had a motion-picture camera man from a news reel agency engaged to photograph the head of the dry forty-foot main canal, bank-deep. He sent out engraved invitations to the agent of the county and plastered the barns and fences of Forlorn Valley with notices of the great event and a cordial invitation to attend—everything free. At the last moment he forgot his early religious training and erected a dance platform. He decorated everything liberally with red, white and blue bunting and the American flag, and resurrected the striped trousers, Prince Albert coat, and top hat that he had once been forced to purchase—or look ridiculous when acting as pall-bearer to a defunct congressman from his district.

He was so happy he elected to forget that Joe Brainerd had once punched him several times on the nose, and sent over to the office of the Register a detailed announcement of his plans, for he was ever one who loved publicity. Promptly Brainerd carried this news to Eden Valley, where Nate Tichenor's eyes glowed strangely. He set off immediately for the county seat.

The great day arrived, and as Babson mounted the speakers' platform and gazed out over the hundreds of happy faces before him—as the Gold Run Silver Corner band broke into "Hail, the Conquering Hero Comes!" and three cheers and a vigorous tiger burst from the audience, Babson turned to Congressman Beatty, whose valiant work in Washington had aided to tap Eden Valley creek and secure permission to run the diversion canal

through the public domain, and remarked that he was convinced at last that he had not lived in vain.

Bowing to the audience, he removed his shiny top hat and laid it on a small pine table before him. He gazed lovingly at the magic push-button, his hand reached ungrudgingly out to press it, all unseen by his auditors (happily, he had taken the precaution to place his hat that the pressing of the button would not be observed) when a rade interruption occurred.

"A commanding voice cried sharply, 'Stop that, Babson!' and Babson stayed his hand to glance up angrily. Nate Tichenor stepped up on the platform; behind him came his wife and Rube Tenney, and a silence that was almost thunderous settled over the grove as it was observed that all three were wearing two six-shooters each. Straight to Babson's side Tichenor strode; he delivered upon the Babson shoulder a gentle accolade with a blue-backed, legal-looking document and then thrust it into Babson's hand, the while he said so all might hear:

"This is a temporary injunction from the judge of the Superior court of this county, restraining the Forlorn Valley Irrigation district, its officers, members, employees and agents, from diverting the waters of Eden Valley creek to Forlorn Valley, and ordering the district to show cause, within ten days, why this injunction should not be made permanent. I warn you, Silas Babson, that if you press that button you will be in contempt of court."

There was not a sound. For fully two minutes the three on the platform waited grimly, then Nate Tichenor said: "Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow you'll be broke." His wife



"Eat, Drink and Be Merry, for Tomorrow You'll Be Broke."

put her arm through his and together they descended the two short steps to the audience, while Mr. Tenney, grinning evilly, trudged stolidly in the rear. Down through the center aisle they passed to an automobile waiting outside the grove; they entered and rolled away, as Silas Babson was reading aloud to his people the damnable legal document that had changed his hour of triumph into one of despair. With difficulty controlling his voice he announced:

"Mr. Tichenor has a habit of dramatizing himself, and while he has, of course, robbed this historic moment of certain high lights I had provided for your entertainment, still his rude and ungenerous interruption need cast no shadow over us. We are here to enjoy ourselves and we shall do so." And he proceeded to deliver his speech. Congressman Conrad Beatty followed him and assured his hearers that they had nothing to fear for the future—take his word for that. Henry Rookby, invaluable in desperate moments, had the band play whenever the speakers paused for breath or a drink of water, and little by little the gloom of Nate Tichenor's dramatic visitation was dispelled and the party took on most of the aspects of a genuine jollification.

In Nate Tichenor's latest move Silas Babson and his fellow directors read only a last-minute effort, inspired solely by malice, to embarrass the district with a lawsuit that would drag through the summer and thus for another year deprive the valley of water. To thwart this, therefore, it was imperative that the district employ an imposing array of legal talent immediately and have Tichenor's suit to obtain a permanent injunction go to trial without delay. Four days later, both sides had finished with their witnesses, both legal batteries had fired their last broadsides, and his honor looked gravely over the top of his desk at the belligerents.

"Since this case went to trial," he announced, "the Supreme court of the state of California has rendered a unanimous decision in an appeal from a decision rendered by the Superior court in a case similar to this. Do

(Continued next week)

## PATRICIA

There was a good attendance at both Sunday schools and lessons were enjoyed by all.

The Baptist meeting started Sunday and will run the rest of this week at night only.

Mrs. Earl Benson spent Saturday with Mrs. A. E. Latson.

Mrs. Bingham and Warren Bingham spent Sunday in the McGregor home.

Hazel Ball spent Saturday night with the McGregor girls.

Mrs. Loyal Carr spent Sunday with Mrs. Latson.

## WILSON

Miss Frances Krohn is home visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Krohn. Howard Krohn is also visiting at home.

Seveal enjoyed the party at the home of Miss Francis Krohn Tuesday night.

Fifteen of the young folks of the community went on a hay ride last Thursday night.

Mr. Oscar Krohn's brother, and sister are here visiting from Little Rock, Arkansas.

Mr. Roy Hunt and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ham of Wilson.

Dora Leigh Harrison spent Sunday with Opal Howard.

Mae Belle Ham spent Sunday with Mary Joe Anderson.

Singing Sunday evening was enjoyed by a good crowd.

There as singing at L. C. Burkhearts Sunday evening.

The 4-H Club met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. May Kidd. Our Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Cox met with us. We studied tiling and made some. We will meet with Mrs. Murphy next Thursday week.

The WNU women met at Mrs. C. D. Coon's and studied and took examination on their work last Friday. They will meet at Mrs. L. D. Ham's the first Tuesday in July. Every woman in the community is invited.

## WOODY

Sunday School and BYPU were well attended Sunday.

At 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon Rev. E. F. Cole delivered a splendid sermon to a large and attentive audience.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Green were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Waldrop Sunday.

Misses Betty Lee Bratcher and Adie Lee Byrd spent Sunday with Miss Juanita Hamilton.

Miss Inez Matlock went to Lubbock Sunday morning where she will take a course in beauty culture.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Green and little Miss Bonita Waldrop were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adcock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pritchett visited Mr. and Mrs. Matlock Sunday.

Fred Jackson spent Friday night with Wesley Holt.

Raymond Kinnison spent several days last week visiting in Rotan.

Mrs. J. B. Edulit of Lubbock visited her sister Mrs. J. F. Jacks one day last week.

Mrs. J. L. Morris is busy campaigning.

The Girls Auxiliary met at the school a-use Tuesday with a large crowd attending. Lunch was served at noon and a splendid program as rendered. This fine group of girls have great plans for the future. Mrs. Z. T. McMullen is their leader. Mrs. McMullen is a wonderful character, she never starts anything; that she doesn't succeed in putting over.

OK—

Misses Thelma and Wilma Brindle entertained the young folks with a party last Friday night. They served ice cream and cake. All reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gont entertained a few of the young folks with a party last Saturday night. All enjoyed the affair.

Mr. J. W. Cox and his mother Mrs. W. H. Cox, his sister Mrs. Bula Burleson has for their guest this week Mrs. S. E. Bissin and son and daughter.

Mrs. Lewis Clark and sons, Lewis Glen and baby Ray and daughter Geraldine went to see her mother with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mason to Winters Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hardin and sons are visiting his folks at Stanton.

What few crops there are in this community are suffering for rain.

## LOYOLA

Crops are suffering for rain. We would really appreciate a good general rain.

Mrs. Skeet Phelan is visiting her

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Robert Kelly and wife of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kelly of Three League spent Sunday with J. W. Benton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wiggins spent Sunday with S. A. Lawson's family.

Miss Mabel Wiggins and Shorty Stephens visited friends at Shumake Sunday afternoon.

James, Herman, Mrs. Lola Duke, and Mrs. Howard Davis visited T. E. McReynolds and family of Patricia Sunday afternoon.

George Lee made a business trip to Hobbs last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Benton entertained with a party Saturday night. Everyone enjoyed it and especially did they enjoy the music rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Haile and the Kunkel brothers.

Roland Lawson of Ackerly attended the party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Haile took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Duke Sunday.

## GOLDSMITH

Mrs. E. M. Ross visited relatives in Odessa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stephens attended the singing convention in Lamesa.

May Snell returned Saturday from Lamesa where she has been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Johnson and sons Carl, Blanton, and J. E. of Rising Star, are visiting their daughter Mrs. Bill Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Williams and daughter went to Lamesa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lambright and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Abb Shipp spent the first part of the week with friends near Lamesa.

Martin Bonnie and Ed Snell were Lamesa visitors Saturday.

The Ladies Club met Monday at the home of Mrs. Clarence Stephens with the demonstration agent Miss Myrtle Miller present Mrs. Lloyd Carr was elected delegate to the short course at A and M college A very interesting clothing lesson was given.

Aubrey McWhirter went to Midland Saturday.

Little Miss Iris Ann Brunson is visiting with her grandmother in Peecos.

## FIVE MILE

Sunday school and church well attended Sunday morning. There was a large crowd at BYPU and church Sunday night.

Miss Varnice Pierce of Cranford, Miss Elva Womack of Fairview munity spent last week with Josephine Pillion.

There was a large crowd attended the party at Mr. and Mrs. Shipmans Tuesday night. Everyone reported a nice time.

Miss Ruth Tyler spent Sunday with Miss Kathleen Leamon.

There were sixteen boys and girls of this community who attended a party at Klondike Saturday night.

A large crowd attended a meeting last Wednesday night. Everyone is invited to come every Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster gave a young people a party Saturday night. A nice time was reported.

It is still dry in the community but we hope it will rain soon.

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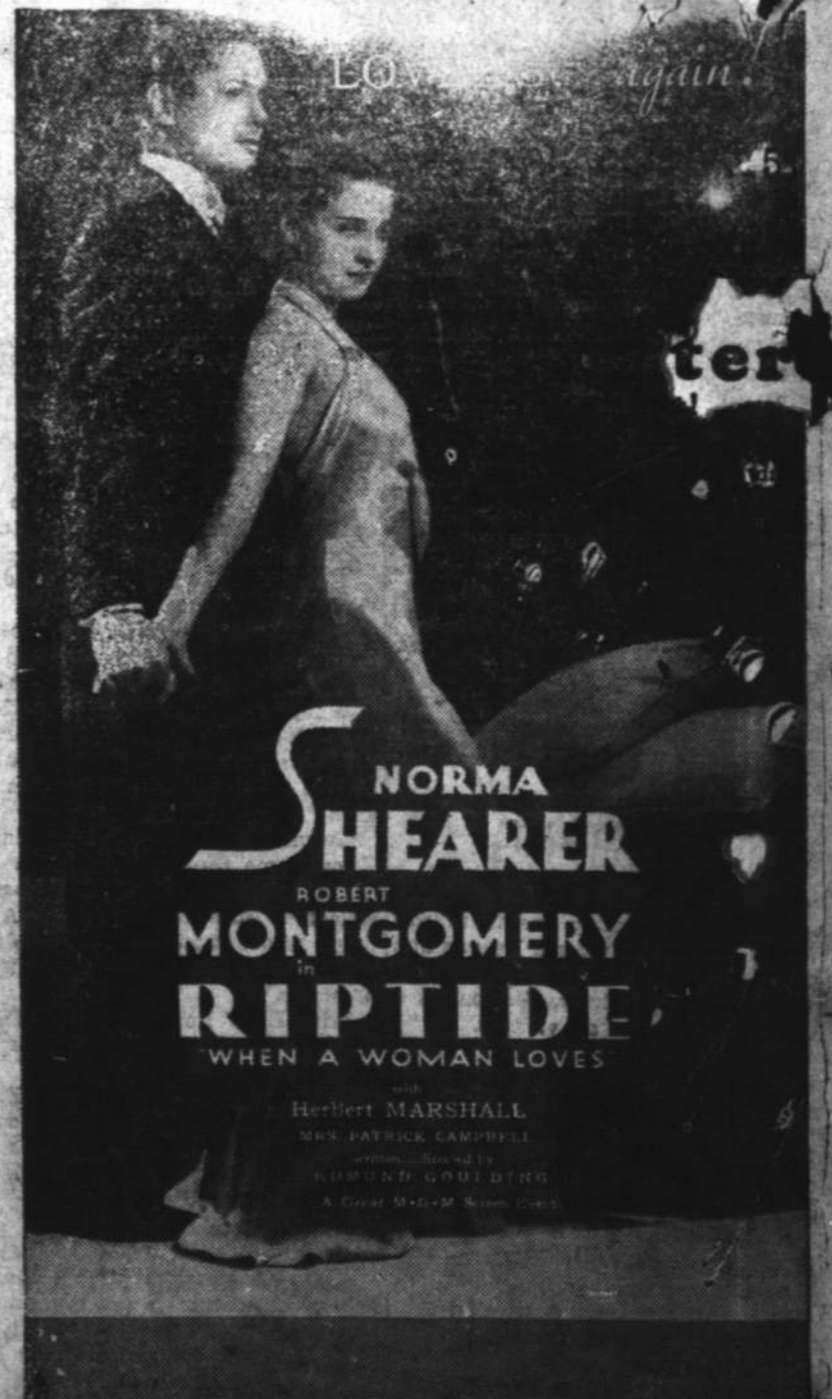
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SUNDAY - MONDAY  
PALACE THEATRE

**Political Entertainment**

As an interesting way of amusing and instructing ourselves during the monotony of this rainless weather, I suggest that the citizenship of this county assemble on the Court House lawn on Friday evening July 6th at 8:30 P. M. and that each of the seven aspirants for Governor have a designated spokesman who will be allowed ten minutes to tell the people of the good qualities of the candidate he or she speaks for, and what such candidate will undertake to do for the betterment of Texas, if elected.

No criticism of any other candidate or any individual will be permitted and any speaker violating this rule will be required to make a speech and vote for the criticized one.

In order to work out the details of this meeting I hereby volunteer to receive and compile the written suggestions of all voters who wish to name a speaker for their favorite and I will notify such speaker in time for him to prepare his eulogy. Only voters will be allowed to speak or name the speaker.

A brief written note or postal card to me stating the name of the one whom you wish to appear for your favorite will be sufficient. I will do the rest and will publish a report in next week's papers, naming the different speakers who had the most requests.

This meeting is purely an experiment, will be education in its nature and will cost no one anything and might be worthwhile.

Respectfully,  
J. E. Garland.

**M. C. SHELTON TO GIVE FAREWELL MESSAGE**

Hear M. C. Shelton deliver a farewell message to the church and people of Lamesa, Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock hour at the First Methodist church. Rev. Charles Morris will preach Sunday night.

Gorden Treadway of Dallas spent a few days here this week visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Treadway.

**CITY SWIMMING POOL NEEDS SOME SHADE**

Quite a number of people are interested in Lamesa Simming Pool but the hot weather and the lack of shades out there has kept many away. No doubt the city would profit, and we understand it has charge of the swimming pool, if they would erect some shades or awnings over at least part of the pool. Since we have little to do, and since the weather is so hot most of us could enjoy a cool plunge if it were not for the straight up and down sun rays that would penetrate our backs. We do not know whether it's advisable to do this or not from an economical standpoint, since the hot sun about 3 or 4 o'clock in the day is keeping many away.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Words fail us when we try to express our love and appreciation to the many kind friends and neighbors for the many kind deeds and words of sympathy shown us during the death of our dear wife, mother and sister. May God's richest blessings be with each of you is our prayer.

E. B. Gillit and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Bedwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Renfro and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Renfro Estice Renfro

J. T. Renfro and children.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Adkins.

Mr and Mrs. Dow Westerman. and Mother Renfro.

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**\* PERSONALS \***

Miss Jewel Towns returned Sunday from a two weeks vacation in Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hart have as their guest Mrs. Hart's mother, Mrs. Sandustrey of San Angelo.

Mrs. Harvey Allen and children have returned from a month's visit with relatives in Chillicothe.

Mrs. W. H. Smith has returned to her home in Duncan, Arizona, after a visit here with relatives. She was accompanied home by Miss Wanda V. Speck who will visit there for about two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Boyd left last week for a visit in Spur, Hamlin and San Angelo.

W. V. P. Baker and H. L. Duke motored to Big Spring Saturday afternoon returning Sunday morning with Mrs. C. W. Duke who has been visiting relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brock have returned to their home here after a two week's visit in Carlsbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Kully Treadway of Loraine spent Sunday here visiting in the J. W. Treadway home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Stephenson of Phoenix, Arizona are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brit Miller. Mrs. Stephenson is the former Miss Leura Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ameral Payne of Lubbock spent last week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Kennedy.

Miss Wilda Boigen left last week for New Orleans where she will spend the summer with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Chick of Lubbock spent the week end here with relatives.

Buck Bennett Jr., Raymond Cone and Willard Simpson left Sunday for Yellowstone National Park where they will spend a few days.

Mrs. Fayne Wilkes spent the week end with her parents in Tahoka.

Miss Ruth Reed had as her guests during the week end Misses Mary and Naomi Reed and Bert Reed, Jr. all of Durant, Oklahoma.

Miss Lunelle Nix will leave Thursday on a several weeks tour of the Western States.

Richardson school closed last Friday after a very successful seven and one-half months term of school.

Laurel Mitchell of Dallas spent a few days here this week visiting his father S. M. Mitchell and family.

Misses Deola Herndon, Mozelle Herndon and Mildred Medlin accompanied Miss Mozelle Ross to her home in Crosbyton Sunday, where they will visit for a few days.

Mrs. O. B. Norman and daughters, Thelma Lee and Helen and Prudence Grant are spending a few days this week in Christoval.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierce returned Monday from a two week's visit in Mineral Wells and Oklahoma.

Mrs. F. R. Winiford and grand-daughter, Miss Laura Jean Anderson returned to their home in Lancaster Tuesday morning after a visit here with Miss Nannie Billingsley.

Mrs. Anna Deering returned to Claude Wednesday after a visit here with her sister Mrs. Rodney Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Austin of Amarillo are here at the bedside of Mr. Austin's father, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Loyd Crook of Clovis, New Mexico is here at the bedside of her father, S. D. Austin who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill of San Antonio are here visiting Mrs. Hill's mother, Mrs. W. S. Bingham.

Down in Cameron county the cotton committees have caused the corners of the rented acres fields to be marked with white stobs, a visible symbol of the New Deal in agriculture.

Man-made grazing is what Fritz Mueller of Rutersville community, Fayette county, calls his 12-acre permanent pasture started two years ago in cooperation with the county agent. He sowed dallis grass, sweet clovers and black medic.



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# In SOCIETY

## Sewing Club Met With Mrs. Bockman

Members of the 1931 Sewing Club met with Mrs. Sam Bockman at her home on last Friday afternoon.

After an enjoyable afternoon delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Sam Albertson, A. S. Also brook, O. H. Morris, Marvin Morris, T. A. Harris, L. B. Stuart, C. E. Sumner and the hostess.

## Mr. and Mrs. Nelson B. Williams Honored

Members of the postal force and their families entertained with a picnic supper and "42" party on last Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wright Boyd, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Nelson B. Williams.

The honorees were presented with a set of silver. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to about thirty guests.

## Miss Audene Ragan Honored on Birthday

Misses Evelyn Burnside and Elizabeth Arnett entertained with a dinner Monday evening at Cason's Cafe honoring Miss Audene Ragan on her birthday. Other honor guests were Misses Laura Jean Anderson of Lancaster and Edwina Punchard of Waco.

Miss Ragan received many beautiful gifts. The out of town guests received beautiful linen handkerchiefs.

Guests attending this enjoyable affair were Misses Edith Mae Collins Ruth Lee Stuart, Jack Hart and guest Rala Lou Sanduskey of Palacios, Bobbie Cleveland, Roberta Lee Hanson, Vanabel Clark, Midge Dickenson, the honorees and hostesses.

## Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Shelton Honored

Mesdames O. E. Dunlop, A. G. Waugh and J. C. Loveless entertained Monday evening at the Dunlop home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Shelton who are leaving this week to make their home in Tipton, Okla. Members of the Board of Stewards of the First Methodist Church and their wives were guests for the occasion.

A very enjoyable program was given

with Mrs. Carl Rountree singing a song, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith singing a duet, and Mrs. J. E. Flaniken rendering a piano solo. Mrs. Dunlop gave a comical reading. Many contests were enjoyed.

At the conclusion of the evening's entertainment punch and angel food cake were served to about 35 guests.

## Ballard Woman's Missionary Society

The Ballard Woman's Missionary Society met in a call meeting with Mrs. L. H. Carlton Tuesday afternoon. After business was discussed and decided on, a short devotional was led by Mrs. Clarence Ward. Mrs. Carlton gave the benediction.

Those present were Mrs. Floyd Wood and daughter, Mrs. F. Ward, Mrs. Clarence Ward, Ms. Ellis Todd and daughter, Mrs. Alvin Hawkins of Key, Mrs. Standiffer, Mrs. A. White and son, Mrs. M. M. Debnam and the hostess and children. The next meeting will be with Mrs. M. M. Debnam on the afternoon of July 4 at three o'clock.

## REPORT OF AUXILIARY RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Report of Resolution Committee of the Fifth Division of Texas of American Legion Auxiliary:

"Be it resolved, that the Fifth Division of the American Legion Auxiliary in Convention at Lamesa, Texas extend to Allen-Houston Post Unit No. 330 American Legion Auxiliary and to the citizens of Lamesa our sincere appreciation and thanks for the hospitalities extended visitors during this convention; and be it further resolved that we especially thank the ladies of the Lamesa unit for the beautifully appointed musical tea on Saturday."

Committee—Mrs. J. G. Merritt. Mrs. Edith Hobson.

The Nazarene meeting being held at the Wilson home in the Weaver community is drawing good crowds and will continue through this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rountree, and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Townsend were in Lubbock Tuesday evening attending the Small for Governor rally.

S. D. Austin is seriously ill this week in a local hospital.

## H. D. CLUB COLUMN

By Miss Madeline Cox  
County Home Demonstration Agent

### PREPARATION OF PECTIN

When the juice for jellies contains insufficient pectin, it is advisable to add pectin in some form. Pectin for this can be secured from the white portion of orange peel which is thick in pectin.

Use thick skinned oranges. Grate or scrape the yellow peel from five or six oranges, then peel off all the white portion of the skin and run it through a food chopper. Use one pound of peel (white portion only) to one quart of water and add the juice of two lemons. Mix thoroughly and allow mixture to stand twenty minutes. Add one pint of water, boil 10 minutes, and allow to stand 12 hours. Again boil 10 minutes, cool, strain through a flannel bag, squeeze to remove all the juice and filter through a clear flannel bag without pressure. Reheat and place in sterilized jars and seal. Store in dark place.

Grape fruit peel may be substituted for orange peel, if desired. Pectin may be prepared also from apples. Use good sound fruit. Put one pound of apple pulp into a kettle with juice of one lemon and 2 quarts of water. Boil for one-half to three-fourths of an hour. Strain thru a flannel jelly bag. This pectin can be kept for future use by heating and canning in sterilized jars.

### Pectin Tests

For successful jelly making, it is advisable to make a pectin test before starting your jelly. The following are tests which may be made on the juice before adding sugar to your juice.

#### ALCOHOL TEST:

Add one tablespoon of 95 per cent grain alcohol to an equal amount of cooled fruit juice and shake gently. The amount of pectin present is indicated by the amount of precipitate that is formed. If pectin is precipitated in one mass there is a large amount, while if the precipitate separates into several masses there is a smaller amount.

#### EPSOM SALTS TEST:

1. Place - tablespoon of fruit juice in a small clear glass.
2. Add 1-4 teaspoon of sugar to the juice.
3. Add 1-2 teaspoon of Epsom salts.
4. Let stand a few minutes.

If a small amount of pectin is present, small flakes of jelly will appear in the juice. If a large amount of pectin is present, the liquid may become quite a solid jelly. In general the amount of sugar decreases as the

amount of pectin decreases. For fruits which have a large amount of pectin, one cup of sugar to one cup of juice is the best proportion. However, about two-thirds to three-fourths as much sugar is a good proportion for most good jelly making fruits. If the juice shows a lack of pectin, it is best to add some pectin.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Crawley and sons returned last Wednesday from a vacation trip to Corpus Christi and San Antonio.

Mrs. W. S. Moore of Lubbock spent the week end here with Mrs. John Cason.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lavender of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lavender during the week end.

Mrs. E. F. Allen of Big Spring, also Mrs. Roy Miles and daughter Merle of O'Donnell spent the week end here with Mrs. Alpha Duggar and daughter Willie Myrtle and attended the American Legion Convention.

Miss Loraine Medlin of Hobart, Oklahoma is here visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierce.

Mrs. Clarence Traylor and daughter, Virginia Lee of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hatch during the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Cope and daughter, Helen Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Yates visited relatives in Uvalde last week end.

Mrs. Jim Barr of Anson is here visiting her sister Mrs. Mattie Herndon and family.

Christine Bayless had her tonsils removed at a local hospital Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Archer are the proud parents of a baby girl born on Tuesday. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Mrs. Elmer Boyd returned to her home Tuesday after a major operation in a local hospital. She is doing nicely.

Billie Taylor had his tonsils removed at a local hospital Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Dora McSpadden and daughter Theda B. of Corpus Christi are here visiting her sister Mrs. Began Caldwell.

Mrs. Raymond Hatch and Mrs. Truman Campbell were Lubbock visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Barkhurst and children returned Sunday from a months visit in Los Angeles, California. They were accompanied home by Glen Barkhurst Jr., who will visit the Barkhursts and in the Walter Henderson and Carrol Henderson homes.

Mrs. S. L. Forrest and children, Mary Jo and Edwin, Virginia Lindsey, Bernard Moore and Mrs. Matt McCall left this morning (Thursday) for Ruidosa, N. M., where they will spend a months vacation.

Miss Ruby Wood left Wednesday morning for Lubbock where she will take a course in Home Economics at Texas Tech.

J. M. Wood, Jr., is visiting his sister, Miss Opal Wood this week in Clovis and Tucumcari, N. M.

Albert McCarty of Lubbock spent the week end in Lamesa visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Leota Broughton who spent the week end in the home of her sister, Mrs. Ray Newsome of the Union Vicinity, returned home Monday, accompanied by her little niece Erma Dean Harrison who is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Broughton of Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sumner and children have returned to Lamesa to make their home after an extended stay in California.

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